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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday 9 am - 3 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Sat 9 am, Wed 4:30 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Sat 4:30 pm, Sun 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am

CONFESSION

One half hour before all masses except Sunday

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Michael Keeler, Principal 613 722-4075
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Our Lady of Fatima Parish 70th Anniversary 1947-2017

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25th, 2017

4:30 pm Soul of Jim Cuddihy by Margaret and Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26th, 2017

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Ingrid Weber by the Family

Soul of Mrs. Lillian Brownlee By Hugh and Elaine Cairney For all Souls by Diana Margaret

Soul of Mary St. Coeur by Hazel and John Brule

11:30 am Soul of Catherine Timmons by the Timmons Family

Souls of Mae and Charlie Wicker Sr.

By the Wicker Family

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27th, 2017

9:00 am Souls of Fritz and Mathilde Kibel

By their Daughter, Irene Kibel

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28th, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Ingrid Weber by Polly and Al Metcalfe

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th, 2017

9:00 am Deceased Members of O.L.F. Legion of Mary

By Our Lady of Fatima Legion of Mary

4:30 pm PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS & MASS

Intentions of Sheila Wright

By her Father, Dan McGuire

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Rebecca Jekel

By her Husband, Wiets Jekel

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 2017

9:00 am Deceased Members of the Mulvihill Family

By Judy and Brian Mulvihill

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2nd, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Guido Crapigna & All Souls Living &

Dead by his Wife, Suzanne

4:30 pm 4th Anniversary Mass for Soul of Mark Grantham

By his Wife, Karon

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3rd, 2017

11:30 am

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Kelly Kavanagh

By Jack, Muffy, John, Matt and Families Soul of James (Jim) Shields by his Sister, Lois Soul of Peter Brennae by his Wife, Rachel Soul of Germaine Lavoie by Ann and Eugenie Soul of Ferdinand Salomon by Severina Sagisi 9th Anniversary Mass for Soul of Brian Jennings

By his Parents

Souls of Agnes and Harold O'Rourke
By their Daughter, Maureen Capello
Soul of Robert Haughton by Lorraine Church

Soul of Luigi Gasperetti by his Wife and Family

LECTOR/COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE DEC. 2-3, 2017

4:30pm-(C) Suzanne Crapigna (L1) Lindsay Moore Chung, (L2) Richard Arrigo. 8:30am- (C) Jamie McDonell (L1) Teresa Krauthaker, (L2) Diann Franklin. 10:00am –(C) Irene Kibel (L1) Marg Nelson (L2) Imelda Pascua. 11:30am – (C Louise McSorley (L1) Keena George (L2) Roger Maloney.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE DEC.2-3, 2017

4:30pm – Heather Provick, Jennifer Arrigo, Stan Sernoski, Audrey Gonsalves, Suzanne Crapigna 8:30am – Edna Cromwell, Peter Cromwell, Shannon Cruikshank, Barbara Devine, Nellie MacCrimmon 10:00am – Irene Kibel, Renato Flores, Gertrudes Cruzado, Helena Francisco, Catherine Swimmings 11:30am – Renata Coppola, Linda Maloney, Myriam Antoine, Theresa Beach, Josie George.



Olivia Manalo Chiu, Liam McGee, Neil Cuddihy, Deacon Tom Cuddihy, Michael Meehan, Bryan McDonell, Mary Young Lai, Peter, Catherine & Steven Offierski, Betty Muldoon, Anita, Amullo Family, Michael Anderson, David Remo, Peter McAllister, Ralph Cave, Doris DeVenne,

Steven Corkery, Gerry Comba, Robert Arscott, Matthew Parayan, Robb Walker, Sandra Kraglund, Paul Vandergeest, John Clingaman, Doris McIsaac, Rositta, Evelyn Fraser, Bernard, Ambrose Blank, Theresa Cayer, Dave, Louisa Ellul, Jill Edmondson, Catherine Levasseur, Fr. Robert Leonhardt, Beryl Smith, Phoebe Hoffman, Lorraine Calderone, Irena Szatanek, Paul Caza, Peter Thomas, Joyce Anderson, Lois Frazier, Catherine Fuoco, Gerald Couture, Claudette McSorley, Jay Fayed, Concetta Berardi, Evelyn Lepinski, Madonna Tapp, Hortense Stanton, Gerry Hogan, John Crowe, Alice Smith, Murray Wootton, Debbie DanCause, Elizabeth Smith-Kawasaki, Mark Sernoskie, T. Mask, Mike Levis, Daniel Smyth, Bob Lanctot, Jeanette Fox, Lillian & Redge Doyle, W. Brown, D. Shaw, Lorraine Calderone, Maria Vogrig, Etta MdKeown, Eileen McAuley, Toni Kramar, Bern Vaillant, Anna Mai Hoang, Claude LaBonte, Sue Bogan, Desmond Cassone-Stevenson, Michelle Milne, Orofino Balice, Sandy Patenaude, Allistair Maxwell, Bill Fitzpatrick, Lisa Carter, Lynn Dobson, Mary McHale, Terry Howard, Christopher White, Anne McNeill, Heather Gray, Heather Banks, Gerald Soto, Eileen Hanratty, Leman Post, Dominica Family, Jim, Peter, Teresa Moncrieff, Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Richard, Mary. Please note that at the end of each month this list will be deleted. If you would like to re-list a name, please contact the office at 613-722-7661 or info@fatimaparish.ca

CHRISTMAS CAKES AND RELIGIOUS CHRISTMAS CARDS in support of Campaign Life pro-life activities will be for sale after all Masses this weekend, November 25-26. Cakes \$18 for 600g. Christmas Baskets \$30. Cards pkg. of 10 for \$10, 2 pkgs. for \$18. We are grateful for your continued support.

CRANBERRY SALE FOR PROJECT TEMBO: Locally grown cranberries, cranberry sauce and jams will be sold **after all Masses the weekend of December 2-3.** The money raised will help to keep girls in high school in northern Tanzania. For a delivery or pre-order, contact Sandra Hession, <u>613-805-2255 or info@projectembo.org.</u>

CWL POT LUCK SUPPER – Thursday, December 7th, 6 pm. All ladies of the parish are invited. Please bring your favourite dish ready-to-serve. Attendees are encouraged to bring a non-perishable food donation for the Britannia Food Bank.

COFFEE SUNDAY AND CHRISTMAS GIFTS – Join us December 10th after all the Masses for a very special Coffee Sunday. This one will feature handmade crafts for sale just in time for Christmas. Choose a beautiful gift for someone special and enjoy coffee and a chat with your fellow parishioners. More fun than the malls!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA SCHOOL 2nd Annual Holly Jolly Bazaar – Friday, December 15th. Students get to pick out Christmas gifts for their family and have them wrapped to bring home. OLF Parent Council is asking parishioners for wrapping donations such as wrapping paper, tape, tissue paper, gift bags, bows and tags. Please bring your donations to the church by December 10th. They are also looking for volunteers to help the day of the bazaar with wrapping and helping children pick out gifts. Please email parent council, Att: Ann-Marie at olfcouncil@gmail.com for more info.

Our Lady of Fatima Parish, dedicated to the Mother of God, seeks to fulfill the call of Jesus to "come follow me," to be true worshippers of the Father through the power of the Holy Spirit, and to love one another as Christ has loved us.

1) If you have not returned the forms for ministry and service, please do so as soon as possible. Thank you



for your contribution to implementing the diocesan vision of Missionary discipleship.

- 2) Do you know that the Initiation of Adults is a process rather than a course? Those who come to us requesting baptism are actually discerning whether to have a life-long commitment to Jesus Christ and the faith community (the Church). Our responsibility consists of mentoring them to our Christian Way of Life as Disciples of Christ. We mentor them through introducing them to what we do: we worship on Sundays (the Day of the Lord), we show them how to follow the Mass; we introduce them to the culture of the parish: with our worship, devotions and special events; we coach them to serve the community (working at the bazaar, parish dinners) so that they know that Christians are called to serve one another (including the poor and the needy); we form them to be attentive to God's Word, to pray (listen and communicate with God), to a conversion of values and change their lives gradually in conforming with the demands of the Gospel. This process of grace depends on their participation. After the reception of the Rite of Acceptance/Welcoming, we shall dismiss the candidates from the assembly after listening to the Word of God, when they will be nurtured by the Word with its transformative power to the Christian Discipleship. I encourage Lectors and all who are able to fulfil this task to come forward, remember that all the baptized are entrusted with the task of forming Christians!
- 3) November is the month of remembrance. Prayer in Communion with the saints and for the deceased, is part of our practice. The remembrance of the deceased by a Mass intention is a long tradition in our Church. During this month, parishioners can inscribe deceased members of their family and friends in the memorial book which is located near the front below the sanctuary.
- 4) Following Fr. Terrence Fournier's talk on liturgy and devotions, we appreciate that all devotions lead to better participation at our liturgy. For further reference, refer to: "Directory on Popular Piety and the Liturgy: Principles and Guidelines," from the Congregation for Divine Worship and "The Discipline of the Sacraments", with address by Pope John Paul II, December 2001.

Our current practice of having exposition/benediction before morning Mass every day has been re-evaluated and there are many things to take into consideration: the Blessed Sacrament is already in the tabernacle so there is no need to also use the candelabra and it is difficult for volunteers to move the candelabra which is very heavy. Also, when people come late for confession, benediction gets delayed and people are walking in for Mass in the midst of the blessing – not a proper setting for giving reverence at benediction.

Beginning in Advent, the beginning of the Liturgical Year, will no longer have daily exposition/benediction before morning Mass. All are invited to join us each morning to pray the Rosary at 8am, followed by quiet time before the Blessed Sacrament which is already in the tabernacle, as we prepare for participation at Mass. We will have adoration and benediction before Mass on the First Friday of every month, commencing Friday, December 1st. On the Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary on December 8th we will have Morning Prayer.

FROM THE PASTOR...continued

- 5) I urge parents who are preparing their children for the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion to bring their children to Church. Sacraments are meaningful encounters with Christ who calls us to make the Lord's Day Holy, by gathering to give praise and thanksgiving to God.
- 6) Enclosed please find an Advent-Christmas pamphlet, along with meal prayers, highlighting the liturgies of the Season for your reference.



LUNCH WITH SANTA – Children's Christmas Party, sponsored by Our Lady of Fatima Knights of Columbus, Council 9742 – **Saturday**, **December 2nd**, 11:00am – 2:00pm in the Parish **Hall.** Free gifts, games and music. Kids lunch free. And, of course, sit on Santa's knee. Info. Roger or Eleanor (613) 726-6375.

PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER – hosted by your Knights of Columbus, Council 9742 – Saturday, December 16th. Social gathering 5:00pm, dinner 6:00pm. Tickets \$30.00 each (advance sale only). Enjoy a delicious dinner of turkey, potatoes, gravy, veggies, garden salad, buns, cranberry sauce, tea, coffee and assorted dessert trays at each table. For tickets call Bernie 829-0135, Peter 829-4295 or Don 225-9124.

2018 ENVELOPE BOXES: The 2018 contribution envelopes are now ready for pick up in the Parish Hall. Previous envelope users will find their names on the boxes, new envelope users can pick up a box with no name on the label. Using our envelopes ensures you will receive a tax receipt — if you regularly contribute please make sure to pick up an envelope box. Here are a few tips to make sure your contributions are accurately recorded: 1) As of January 1, 2018 please discard any envelopes from previous years. 2) For the first few contributions of the year please clearly print your name/address on the envelope. After that please print your name and the amount of your donation. Better yet, attach a pre-printed address label if you have them! Thank you for your continued support.

COLLECTION UPDATE - WEEK OF NOV. 19. 2017

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Collection	\$4,240.95
Year to Date Collection	\$283,868.48
Budgeted YTD Collection	\$385,754.72



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