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

WEEKDAY MASSES Mon-Sat 9:00am

CONFESSION
Monday - Saturday 8:15am - 8:45am
Saturdays from 3:45pm

BAPTISMS 1st weekend of each month

OFFICE HOURS
Mon-Wed 9:00am-3:00pm
Thurs-Fri by appointment

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Ladies of Fatima
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Ministers of Hospitality
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Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir
Sun 8:30am/10:00am/11:30am Choir
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FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Mass is livestreamed each Saturday at 4:30pm and may also be viewed anytime afterwards. Please click on the link on our website www.fatimaparish.ca as we celebrate Mass together.

Saturday, April 25, 2026

9:00am Special blessing for Brigid Kane and family by Jo-Ann
4:30pm Soul of Elizabeth Adibe by her husband, Michael

Sunday, April 26, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am Thanksgiving to Holy Mary, St. Joseph and St. Ann
by Suzanne Crapigna
Souls in Purgatory
Living and Deceased members of the Mongeon family
by Rosalie O'Connor
Soul of Vincente Sagisi by his wife, Severina Sagisi
Intentions of Blair King by his family
Thanksgiving Mass for good health and all favours
received by Cassie and Devika Pinto
Soul of Antonio Patricio Fernandes
by Cassie and Devika Pinto
Soul of Perla Gianan by Joeper Gianan
Soul of Jeselita Paulino
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
Souls in Purgatory
Special intentions
Success of the Nokia Teams
Souls of the Choachui Family
Souls in Purgatory by the CWL
Soul of Paul Gravelle by Maureen Foster
To reunite all the families and souls in purgatory to the
flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
by Jo-Ann
Soul of Amy Starr by Jean Anderson
Soul of Jacqui Leroux by family
In loving memory of Shirley and Stewart Paul
by the family
Soul of Tom Conway by Rosalie McDonell

Monday, April 27, 2026

9:00am Birthday blessings for Helen Moodie
By Art & Lola Burnett

Tuesday, April 28, 2026

9:00am Intentions of the Sisters of the Travelling Relic
of St. Gianna by Chris

Wednesday, April 29, 2026

9:00am Soul of Raymond Quintal by his daughter

Thursday, April 30, 2026

9:00am Intentions of Dan & Pam Seguin
By Deacon Mike & Josiane Seguin

Friday, May 1, 2026

9:00am Birthday blessings for Diana Baines
By Allan & Helen Kelly

Saturday, May 2, 2026

9:00am Soul of Guido Crapigna and all souls living and
Deceased by his wife, Suzanne
4:30pm Intentions of Carlo & Melodie by Suzanne Crapigna

Sunday, May 3, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am Thanksgiving and blessings for Pedro Valdez on
His birthday
Souls in Purgatory
For the living & deceased members of the Gorman
Family by Rosalie O'Connor
Intentions of Blair King by his family
Soul of Anthony Quinn by Cis Quinn and family
Souls of Maria and Emidio Vogrig by the family
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi

11:30am To reunite all the families & souls in purgatory to the
Flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
By Jo-Ann
Intentions and health blessings for Teresa and Oliver
Hunt by HSC
Soul of Robert Gajasan by the Dano family
Soul of Mary Emery by Betty Morin
Health and benefit of Flora Villanueva
By Linda Doucher

PARISH OFFICE: Open Monday to Wednesday from 9am – 3pm. We are also happy to assist you by phone or e-mail. Please leave a message at 613-722-7661x2 or info@fatimaparish.ca. For pastoral needs, please contact Father Lindsay Harrison at 613-722-7661x3, or pastor@fatimaparish.ca.

Pregnant? Need Help? Contact BIRTHRIGHT 613-231-5683



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Frank Healey, Elaine Anderson, Jeffrey McCarthy, Elizabeth H., Diane Paulozza, Cecile Pilon, Lilia Legaspi and Adelaide Mercado, Dorothy, Dawn & Hugh Fraser, Derek Jones, Maria Henriksen, Lisa C., Kim, Irene and Brian M., Betty Ann G., Nancy C., Marjorie C., Carole B., Leonard K., Robert Harrison, Toni Kramar, Richard, Marjorie, Elizabeth H., Bob Shalla, Dante Reyes, Maritess Tamara, Phillip Durocher, Anthony Brown, Maureen V., Asher M., Teresa Wong, Gerry and Joan Comba, Joe, Ella and Rye, Deborah, Julia, David Yu, Lisa, Kim, Andres, Renee, Maria Henriksen, Joe Cerilli Guiseppe, Rehab A., Antonella Cassone, Dale and family, Nancy S. **If you wish to add prayers to the prayer list, please contact the parish office at 613-722-7661 or info@fatimaparish.ca.**

FR. DAN VAN DELST – 25th ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION:

Fr. Dan invites you to celebrate his 25th anniversary of ordination with him on **Friday, May 15th**. He will celebrate Mass at 7:00pm at Our Lady of Fatima, followed by a reception in the hall. Best wishes only. Should you wish, a suggested charity is the vocations fund of the Archdiocese of Ottawa-Cornwall.

GARAGE SALE: The Knights of Columbus will hold their annual garage sale on **May 2nd**. It's time to declutter your garages and attics by donating to this event. Collection will be open from **Monday, April 27th until Friday, May 1st, from 9:30 am until 5:00 pm**. Items will be collected in the garage on the Knightsbridge side of the church property. Thank you for your support.



SPRING TEA PARTY: Mark your calendars for **Thursday, May 7th at 2pm**. It's our fabulous Spring Tea Party in the parish hall. Unpack your beautiful spring frocks and fascinators and get ready for some fantastic food and dazzling door prizes. Come and enjoy our delicious curly sandwiches, tea cakes, treats and decorations. Sip tea from our beautiful fine china cups and saucers, and enjoy the sparkling company and attentive service. It's a parish favourite. Tickets will be on sale at all the Masses for the next two weekends.... **Sat/Sun, April 25th and 26th** and again on **Sat/Sun, May 2nd and 3rd**. They sell out quickly, so get yours early. Can't wait to see you there!

PARISH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) will be **Thursday May 21st at 6:30pm** in the Hall. This is your opportunity to get involved with our Pastoral Council to help make our parish life grow. It is a two-year commitment. Should you wish to put your name forward or nominate someone else or simply get more information, please contact the parish office (613-722-7661). Mark it on your calendar and please plan to attend.

Do you Volunteer in One of Our Ministries? **Mark this date on your calendar: Thursday May 21st beginning at 7:30pm (following the AGM), we will have a special Volunteer Appreciation Reception** in the Hall to celebrate the dedication and commitment of all our volunteers.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY REQUEST: Parents, please note, if you send your child who is under 4 years of age to Children's Liturgy, one parent must accompany them to assist with the craft, and to keep an eye on them. Our volunteers love to have them attend, but do not have the capacity to supervise the little ones. Thank you for your cooperation.

PRO-LIFE MINISTRY MEETING Tuesday, April 28th, in the parish library at 3:00pm. Everyone is welcome! Come and join in our lively chat and learn about our work and the events we attend, in the interest of protecting life at all stages. We look forward to seeing many of you next Tuesday! **Information: 613-829-5761.**

HIKE FOR LIFE PRO-LIFE THANK-YOU: Your participation and support of the April "HIKE FOR LIFE" is very much appreciated. Thanks especially to our pastor, Fr. Lindsay Harrison, who again agreed to be the parish "designated" hiker. Pledge envelopes/donations can be returned to the parish office and the total amount will be published in the parish bulletin at a later date. Receipts for donations over \$15.00 will be mailed from Action Life.

CONSECRATION TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA: On the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, let us consecrate our hearts to the Blessed Virgin. You are warmly invited to a beautiful evening of prayer, light, & hope as we come together as a community to honour Our Lady and consecrate ourselves to her Immaculate Heart on **May 13th at 7:00pm**, here at the church. Program will include the screening of *The Miracle of Our Lady of Fatima*, the Rosary, the communal consecration, and hymn with candles. Come with your family and friends and allow Mary to lead you closer to her Son, Jesus.

UPDATE ON THE BELL TOWER: BGC Construction and Restoration Ltd. has been contracted to carry out the restoration work on the Bell Tower. All necessary steps will be taken to ensure safety and to protect church property, both inside and out. During the project, some parking restrictions may be necessary due to the presence of construction equipment. To minimize disruption, daily Masses will be held in the Hall, while funerals will continue to take place in the church. The project is expected to take approximately three months to complete, with a total cost (including diocesan tax) of about \$250,000. We apologize for any inconvenience this work may cause and appreciate your understanding. As this represents a significant expense, we appreciate any additional contribution you are able to make. **You can donate to this campaign - just mark an envelope 'BELL TOWER' and put it in with the regular collection any Sunday.** For those using preauthorized donation methods, you can add special donations for the Bell Tower by calling the office. Thank you for your continued generosity and faithful support.

BLOOD DONATIONS: Retired Archbishop Terence Prendergast has made 100 donations of blood to Canadian Blood Services. He is now battling cancer so keep him in your prayers. He is encouraging others to match his collective blood donation goal. The nearest collection centre is located at 1575 Carling Avenue. You can sign up online at www.blood.ca.

SENIORS/YOUNG AT HEART/CARD & BOARD GAMES GROUP: You are invited to join us on **Wednesday, May 13th** from **1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** for a fun-filled afternoon and socializing. See you then... (Save the date for the next card day: May 27th).

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2026 for those celebrating 60 (or more), 50, 40, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10 & 5 years of marriage in 2026 at Notre Dame Cathedral, **Sunday, May 3, 2:30 pm.** Please register at <https://forms.office.com/r/jpBDLwD0Kg> to ensure your place!

A PRO-LIFE YOUTH SUMMIT will take place in Ottawa on **Friday, May 15, from 9:30am to 2:45pm.** This event is open to youth ages 13-29 and offers inspiring talks from professional pro-life speakers, along with opportunities for fellowship and deeper reflection on the dignity of human life. Cost is \$90 per participant. To learn more or register, visit <https://marchforlife.ca/youth-summit-2026/>

UPDATE ON BILL C-9: On **Friday, May 1st from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm**, Campaign Life Coalition is launching **nationwide protests** at the constituency offices of Liberal MPs across Canada. We are calling on every person of faith and every defender of free speech to join us — peacefully, prayerfully, and visibly — to defend the Holy Bible, protect our religious freedom, and stop this bill from becoming law.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE: It is with gratitude that we report the tally for our recent Share Lent campaign. Just over \$5000 was raised—a new record! -thanks to you and the wonderful teachers and students at Dr. FJ McDonald School. Vatican Media, covering Pope Leo's trip to Africa, highlighted that USAID budget cuts have severely reduced health and education programs, leaving people there without hope. All 4 countries visited (Cameroon, Algeria, Angola and Equatorial Guinea) are Caritas Internationalis members, as is D&P, so funds raised here will hopefully ease a gap there. Also, for those who signed the TURN DEBT INTO HOPE petition over the past year, 70,000+ signatures will be presented in a ceremony on the lawn on Parliament Hill to MP Rob Oliphant, Parliamentary Secretary to Minister of Foreign Affairs, Anita Anand on Tuesday, April 28th. Representatives from OLOF and other active D&P parishes will be present. Thank you for your participation in this effort.

Our Lady of Fatima, 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, & to love one another as Christ has loved us.

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS!

Our warmest regards to all who worship with us today. Whether you are long-time parishioners or newly arrived in our community, you may register your family information here or on our website.

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