

Our Lady of Fatima Church

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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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SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Fatima

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Jean-Paul Cloutier, Principal 613-722-6565

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Lindsay Harrison **Priest Collaborator:** Rev. Onmeje John Ogbaje

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Christian Meditation	Theresa Ziebell	613-722-1693
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Ministers of Hospitality	Debbie Allen	613-820-4149
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Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir	Peter Domitrovits	613-695-3907
Sun 8:30am/10:00am/11:30am Choir	Joanne Parenteau	613-297-8257
Ottawa West Community Support	Chris Sandes	613-866-7618
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THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

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 5, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Guido Crapigna and all souls living and deceased by his wife, Suzanne

4:30 pm Soul Ray Mulvihill by Ted O'Lear

Sunday, April 6, 2025

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Intentions of Linda O'Reilly
by Rosalie O'Connor

In thanksgiving by Rosalie O'Connor

Intentions of Zoey Keith by the family

Soul of Louis Turk by his wife Tilka

Health and benefit of Celine Kumaran

by Joanne Parenteau

For successful surgery and recovery for Rowena Edic

Soul of Catherine Misseau

by the Cavanagh family

11:30 am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi

Health and benefit of John McDonell

by the family

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 Pat McAlpine by Joanne Parenteau

Monday, April 7, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Leo Trottier by the family

Tuesday, April 8, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Donald Swerdfager
by Cecile and Family

Wednesday, April 9, 2025

9:00 am In loving memory of Tom and Michael O'Connor
by Donna O'Connor

Thursday, April 10, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Daniel Sum by Catherina Sum

Friday, April 11, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Mrs. Doris Brown on her birthday
by Susan and Victor and Family

Saturday, April 12, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Oliver Carlson by his Grandparents Rita and Marcel Savard

4:30 pm Anniversary Mass for the souls of Peter, Milka, Paul and Nathan Habjan by Toni and Joseph Kramar

Sunday, April 13, 2025

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Maria Ficara by the family
For the souls of Aura Cruz and Arcelia and Marceliano Cruz by Sandra Robles Cruz
In thanksgiving by Rosalie O'Connor
In loving memory on her birthday, April 11, for the soul of Cleopatra delos Reyes by her mom Carmen delos Reyes
Health and benefit of the Sterling children

11:30 am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
To reunite all the families and souls in purgatory to the flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann

PARISH OFFICE: Open Monday to Wednesday 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 contact Father Lindsay Harrison at 613-722-7661x3 or pastor@fatimaparish.ca. **Parish Office is closed Good Friday and Easter Monday.**



Barry Burns, Steve Chapman, Sue W., Pat McGrath, Bruno B., Debbie S., Valerie O, Betty, Paula, Parker Scissons, Andrea, Emilia Bernabey, Caceres Family, Allan Kelly, Remedios Balgos, Lilia Galla, Jinette Bergeron, Mirsada Redzic, David (Huso) Redzic, Nikad Redzic, Mariless Tamara,

Pedro and Delores Valdez, Cecile Pilon, Linda Pilon, Diane Paulozza, Carol Louis-Seize, Derek Jones, Mary Killen, Chris Marleau, Lisa Carter, Kim Vardon, Catherine Levasseur, Lance Carter, Grace Schultz, Adelaida Mercado, Danilo Gomez, Elena Aguirre, Omar Diallo, Carol Giampaolo, Patricia Tolgyesy, Toni Kramar, Jean Marc Danis, Joan & Gerry Comba, Rosie Ocampo, Amanda Lewis, Julie Larocque, Josefina Manalo, Tyler Bell, Matthew, Ellen Flores, Dan Murray, Wanda, Ron Messett, Lilia Legaspi, Marissa Maristela, Angela Beimers, Helen Deek, S. Stellar, John McDonell, Frank Vician. **If you wish to add prayers to the prayer list, please do so by calling the parish office at 613-722-7661, or email info@fatimaparish.ca.**

CHILDREN'S PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION: For those children who would like to participate in the Palm Sunday procession at the 11:30 am mass, please come to the hall 10 minutes before mass.

DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE: It is Solidarity Sunday weekend. If you have used the D & P envelope provided in your envelope box, there are special envelopes in the pews for your use. Solidarity jars can be returned this week in the marked baskets at both entrances. Thank you for your generosity.

SENIORS / YOUNG AT HEART CARD / BOARD GAMES GROUP: You are invited to join us on **Wednesday April 9 and April 23** for a fun-filled afternoon and socializing. See you then! From our Family to Yours... Wishing you a Happy Easter.

PRAYING FOR THE JUBILEE YEAR: We have ordered Holy Year prayer cards for parishioners. It is the Pilgrims of Hope prayer composed by Pope Francis for this Jubilee Year. We ask that you have it with you when coming to church so that we can pray it together at the end of Mass in place of the St Michael Prayer. We will begin this once Lent ends (in the Easter season) and continue till the end of the Jubilee Year (**January 6, 2026**). Once it ends, we will return to praying the St Michael Prayer. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at the office. Fr Lindsay

THE WAY OF THE CROSS: Members of our Knights of Columbus and Catholic Women's League will lead The Way of the Cross **every Friday morning right after the 9:00am Mass during the Lenten season.** We ask you to please join us as part of your Lenten activity.

CHURCH OPEN FOR AN HOUR FRIDAY EVENINGS: For the **Easter Season** we will be opening the church for an hour on **Friday evenings** (7:00pm till 8:00pm) for anyone who wants to come and pray.

THE CHRISM MASS is a special annual Mass where our Archbishop blesses the different anointing oils used for the Sick, Confirmands, and Catechumens. The priests of the Archdiocese will also be gathered to renew their vows. It is open to everyone, **April 15 at 5:00pm** at Notre-Dame Cathedral.

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



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPAGHETTI DINNER: Join us for a fun-filled evening of delicious food, live music and great company! All parish members, families and friends are invited to a special Spaghetti Dinner and Party featuring the fantastic tunes of Chris Sandes and The Chords. This exciting event will take

place on **Saturday, April 12**, starting at 5:00pm in the Parish Hall. Tickets are \$20 per person or \$35 for a family (2 adults + 2 kids) and will be available for sale at the Parish Hall. Don't miss out on this wonderful community gathering!

PRESENTATION ON SHROUD OF TURIN: "A Message for the Doubting Thomas of Today!" A visual presentation on research findings of the Shroud with replica instruments of Christ's Passion by Pierre Chartier, M.Sc., Physiology. **Thursday, April 10th at 7:00pm in our Hall.** There is no fee. Further info: knightinprayer@gmail.com

MARYVALE ACADEMY'S 20TH ANNIVERSARY GALA: Celebrate 20 years of faith-filled education at Maryvale Academy on **April 26** at the Blu Legacy Convention Centre. Enjoy an evening of dinner, live entertainment, and auctions, in support of Ottawa's largest independent Catholic school. Info: www.maryvalegala2025.ca



THE ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION is the only yearly request asked by the Holy See of dioceses and parishioners throughout the world. The collection helps the Church of the Holy Land to maintain Christian sites, so important for Christians everywhere, and to provide pastoral, educational, and social works among the small Christian population. The Church and our

Christian brothers and sisters count on your help to retain a faith filled Christian presence in this land of our Lord. Please give generously during your parish's Good Friday celebrations on **April 18, 2025**. If you are unable to attend the service, it is possible to contribute online by going to Commissariat.ca/supporting-us and donating via CanadaHelps or Interac e-transfer. Receipts will be issued. On behalf of the Franciscan Custody of the Holy Land, to whom the Holy See has entrusted this ministry for nearly 700 years, I sincerely thank you for your support. Fr. Robert Mokry, O.F.M., Commissary of the Holy Land in Canada.

ARCHBISHOP'S RECEPTION – GO OUT, GO DEEP, GO TOGETHER: On **May 15th** our Archdiocese will gather to hear what God has done, what He is doing, and where He is leading us. Will you be there? Mingle with others from Ottawa-Cornwall, hear live testimonies and be present for the official launch of our new Archdiocesan vision, presented by Archbishop Marcel Dampousse. Whether you are new to the Catholic Church or have been here your whole life, we want you with us. Come be empowered with the mission. Hosted at the Infinity Convention Centre (2901 Gibford Dr.), doors open at 6pm for a cocktail hour, followed by the main program from 7pm – 9pm. The dress code is semi-formal. Appetizers will be served. Tickets are \$65. Info: 613-738-5025/ ottawacornwall.ca/events/archbishops-reception/

A JUBILEE YEAR in biblical Judaism was a time of emancipation and restoration that occurred every 50th year. It was a time for forgiveness of debts, the return of land to its original owners, and the freeing of slaves. In the Catholic tradition it is a special year of grace and pardon that normally occurs every 25 years. The primary purpose of the Jubilee or Holy Year is to encourage spiritual renewal by penance, prayer, and pilgrimage. The theme for this 2025 Holy Year is "Pilgrims of Hope." There are seven official Holy Doors in the world where one can receive the jubilee

plenary indulgence. Only one is outside Europe: at the cathedral in Quebec City.

Some other ways of obtaining a plenary indulgence include performing spiritual or corporal works of mercy, acts of penance, making a pious pilgrimage to our local cathedral, or participating in spiritual formation activities. More precise descriptions of these activities can be found online. The general conditions for obtaining a plenary indulgence include: 1) Being in a state of grace. 2) Having complete detachment from sin, even venial sin. 3) Sacramental confession within about 20 days before or after the indulgenced act. 4) Receiving Holy Communion. 5) Praying for the Pope's intentions (an Our Father, Hail Mary and Glory Be are suggested).

HOLY WEEK REFLECTION AT HOLY ROSARY PARISH on **Saturday, April 12, from 10am to 12 noon.** All are welcome. Light refreshments will be served.

FAITHFUL STEWARDSHIP: YOUR LIFE, YOUR LEGACY! Join us for a presentation on how to create a prayerful, high-impact Estate Plan that maximizes your spiritual and social impact. The presentation will take place on **April 29, 2025 from 6:30pm-8:00pm** at St. George's Parish. There is no cost and complimentary snacks and beverages will be served. We would love to have an idea of numbers, so please check out the registration page on the diocese website! For more information or to register, visit <https://ottawacornwall.ca/events/faithful-stewardship/>

DIOCESAN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MASS 2025: For those celebrating 60 (or more), 50, 40, 30, 25, 20, 15, 10 & 5 years of marriage in 2025! At Notre Dame Cathedral on **Sunday, May 4, 2:30 pm.** The registration form is now available at <https://forms.office.com/r/jpBDLwD0Kq>. Please register before Easter to ensure your place! For questions, please contact Annmarie at annmarie.brown@ottawacornwall.ca.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE (APRIL 13-20):

Palm Sunday - Masses at regular times
Monday-Wednesday - Weekday Masses at regular time (9:00am). Chrism Mass at Notre Dame Cathedral at 5:00pm
Holy Thursday - Morning Prayer at 9:00am; Mass of Lord's Supper at 7:00pm
Good Friday - Morning Prayer at 9:00am; Celebration Passion of Lord at 3:00pm; Way of the Cross at 7:00pm
Holy Saturday - Morning Prayer at 9:00am; Easter Vigil at 8:00pm
Easter Sunday - Masses at regular times

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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