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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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FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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, February 7, 2026

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

4:30pm Birthday wishes for Harriot Reitzel by Diana Blacklock

Sunday, February 8, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Mike Fagan by Kathy, Michael and David
For the living and deceased members of the O'Connor family by Rosalie O'Connor

For the living and deceased members of the Bell family by Rosalie O'Connor

Soul of Don Moore

Soul of Don Yantha by Rosalie McDonell

Soul of Doug Shouldice by the Ladies of Fatima

Soul of Clare Miura by the Miura Haddad family

Soul of Anna Edna McElroy by the family

Soul of Hassa Mirchandani by Joanne Parenteau

Thanksgiving for the birthday of Lourdes Mangaring by Lourdes and family

Intentions and birthday blessings for Samantha Nicole Castillon by HSC

Soul of Eva Mae Lacroix by the Craft Group

11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi

Souls of Lorna and Frank O'Brien by the family

To reunite all the families and souls in purgatory to the flame of love to the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann

Soul of Don Yantha by Roger and Eleanor Maloney

Health and benefit of the Sterling children

by Joanne Parenteau

Soul of Josh Grosskleg

by his mother and grandparents

Soul of Dr. Edward O'Brien by Bonnie Kirk

Soul of Rose Drapeau by Rosalie McDonell

Monday, February 9, 2026

9:00am Special blessing for Clare and her family by Jo-Ann

Tuesday, February 10, 2026

9:00am Special blessing for Jo-Ann by Linda

Wednesday, February 11, 2026

9:00am Soul of Wayne Ramstead by his wife, Lucy

Thursday, February 12, 2026

9:00am Soul of Terry Howard on his birthday by Carol Howard

Friday, February 13, 2026

9:00am Soul of Honorata Petalio and the deceased members of the Petalio family by Maria Petalio

Saturday, February 14, 2026

9:00am In loving memory of Valentin Cerrado by Gertrudes Cruzado

4:30pm Soul of Sheila Masterson

Sunday, February 15, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Luz and Fidel Gomez by Olivia Gomez

For the living and deceased members of the Sorrenti family by Rosalie O'Connor

Birthday blessings for Lourdes Abarintos

Soul of Doug Shouldice by Rosalie McDonell

Soul of Don Yantha by Cecilia Pinto

Soul of Anthony Skinner by the Brien family

Soul of Eva Lacroix by Cecile and family

11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi

To reunite all the families and souls in purgatory to the flame of love to the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann

Soul of Don Yantha by Mary Jane Ready

11:30am Soul of Dr. Edward O'Brien by Jean Anderson



Barry Burns, Sean, Fred V., Graham Kelly, Kathy C., Bob, Remedios L. Balgos, Lilia Galla, Josie Galla, Miranda Redzic, David Huso Redzic, Nihad Redzic, Pedro and Delores Valdez, Myrna Pendon, Richard C., Stephanie C., Isabel Hurley, Iona Trottier, Allan Kelly, Mary Lynch, John McDonell,

Frank Healey, Elaine Anderson, Jeffrey McCarthy, Elizabeth H., Diane Paulozza, Cecile Pilon, Ray Tanchanco, Lilia Legaspi and Adelaide Mercado, Dorothy, Dawn & Hugh Fraser, Derek Jones, Maria Henriksen, Lisa C., Kim Vm 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, Raul Janillo, Maja, Phillip Durocher, Anthony Brown. **If you wish to add prayers to the prayer list, please contact the parish office at 613-722-7661/ info@fatimaparish.ca.**

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

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.

THE PARISH FAMILY OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA is proud and happy to welcome Avaya Fuller, Florence Claudia Davidson and Nathan Robert Dunlap who recently received the Sacrament of Baptism. We pray God will give wisdom and courage to their parents as they endeavor to provide an atmosphere which will be conducive to growth in faith.

LENT BEGINS WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18: Ash Wednesday comes early this year. We will celebrate Mass with the distribution of ashes at **9:00am, 4:30pm, and 7:00pm**. Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence from meat. Following the 4:30pm Mass, please join us in the hall for our annual Pauper's Supper.

DAYS OF FASTING & ABSTINENCE IN LENT: Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of fasting and abstinence. Abstinence from meat is required on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays of Lent. Fasting means one full meal and two smaller meals that together do not equal a full meal. Abstinence applies to Catholics age 14 and older. Fasting applies to Catholics from age 18 until age 59. Those who are *ill, elderly, pregnant, or otherwise excused* are not obliged to fast or abstain.

PAUPER'S SUPPER ASH WEDNESDAY: Please join us for our annual Ash Wednesday Pauper's Supper in the parish hall on **February 18th following the 4:30pm Mass**. The Ladies of Fatima serve a simple but hearty meal of homemade soup and rolls to begin the Lenten fasting season. This simple, delicious meal offers a time of reflection and fellowship as we enter one of the holiest times in the church calendar. Good will donations gratefully accepted.

2026 ENVELOPE BOXES are available in the usher's room. **Please note that if you used an envelope box in 2025, the same number has been given to you for 2026.** All boxes are labelled, so please cross reference your name and address to ensure you pick up the correct box. **These box numbers have been assigned for tax purposes, so it is important that you take the correct box.** Here are a few tips to make sure your contributions are accurately recorded: 1) As of January 1, 2026, 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, as well as the amount of the donation. After that, please print your name and donation amount. **Tax receipts for 2025 will be available by the end of February.** Thank you for your continued support!

DIGNITY OF HUMAN LIFE SUNDAY: The weekend of **February 7-8** has been designated Dignity of Human Life Sunday in our Archdiocese. This replaces the Pro-Life Sunday that for many years was held in May. Therefore on **Feb. 7-8** the homily will be oriented toward a pro-life theme. An excerpt from the Archbishop's message notes that in 2026, our focus will be on the sanctity and dignity of human life at the end of life. The Euthanasia Prevention Coalition estimates that over 90,000 Canadians were euthanized between 2016-25. This year, our country will almost certainly break the tragic threshold of 100,000 Canadians whose lives have been snuffed out by MAiD.

INVITATION TO JOIN THE MUSIC MINISTRY: Please consider adding your voice to build robust and inspiring choirs. Training is provided at our weekly practices: for the 8:30/10 am program on Thursday 6:30-8pm, and for the 11:30 contemporary program on Thursday 8-9:30 pm. We also warm up before each Sunday Mass in the Sanctuary. If you are already regularly singing from the heart of the congregation, may you be blessed! The singing of hymns is an important part of our liturgy and gives glory to God.

SENIORS / YOUNG AT HEART / CARD & BOARD GAMES GROUP will resume on **Wednesday, February 11, 2026** from **1:00pm to 3:00pm**. See you then. (Mark your calendars for the next meeting on February 25.)

GIRLS RETREAT WITH THE QUEENSHIP OF MARY: **Saturday, February 14th**. Girls ages 12-17 are invited to join St. Mary's Parish and the Queenship of Mary sisters for a girl's retreat. The retreat runs from 9:00am – 5:00 pm in the Parish Hall at St. Mary's Parish, ending with Mass at 5pm. There will be a small fee to cover the cost of food. For more information and to register please visit <https://stmarysottawa.ca/events/girls/>



JOIN US FOR A MARDI GRAS / VALENTINE'S PARTY AND SPAGHETTI DINNER: All parish members, families, and friends are invited to a special Mardi Gras & Valentine's Party and Spaghetti Dinner hosted by your Knights of Columbus. This exciting event will take place on **Saturday, February 14th**, starting at **5:00pm** in the Parish Hall. Tickets are available this weekend at the back of the church after each Mass. Tickets are limited and sale of tickets ends Wed., February 11th. Tickets can also be reserved by calling Chris Sandes at 613-866-7618. Cost is \$20.00 per person and children under 12 years old are free. Don't miss out on this wonderful community gathering!

ARCHBISHOP'S FUND FOR MISSION ADVANCEMENT – SPECIAL COLLECTION (February 21-22): On the First Sunday of Lent, we invite your contribution to the Diocesan & Missionary Works special collection, which supports the Archbishop's Fund for Mission Advancement. This fund helps Archbishop Damphousse respond quickly and generously to real needs and to opportunities that support the mission of the Church, especially here in the Archdiocese of Ottawa–Cornwall.

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SPIRITUAL FRIENDS BOOK CLUB: Our Book Club meets once a month on the last Sunday of the month from 1:00 to 2:30 pm in the Library. All are welcome. On **Sunday February 22th**, we will meet to discuss *"The Seven Storey Mountain"* by Thomas Merton. In March, we will be discussing *"The Divine Milieu"* by Pierre Teilhard de Chardin. If you have any questions, you ask George Kiefl by email (jgk556@msn.com) or find him at church.

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND MINISTRY: Join St. Mary's Parish, 100 Young St., on **Friday, February 27, 7-9pm** for an evening of praise, prophecy, teaching, and healing. Theme: Hungry? Speaker: Sr. Melinda Schenher, SC, Associate Director of the Encounter School of Ministry - Ottawa Campus. The Prayer and Prophetic Ministry members will be available to pray for you in person. **ONLINE @ St. Mary's YouTube Channel** <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCtV6m7ZoNkrK4HJOSU6jQFA>

Info: Natalia Lacar (night.worship.ministry@stmarysottawa.ca).

LENTEN MISSION WITH FR. JOE LECLAIR: This coming Lent we are privileged to welcome Father Joe Leclair as our mission preacher. He will preach at all the masses on the **weekend of Feb. 28/March 1** (Second Sunday of Lent) and the following Monday and Tuesday evenings, **March 2-3, at 7:00pm**. The theme is "Christ Calls Us to a Paradigm Shift." Father Joe has served as a priest of our Archdiocese for almost 40 years and helps out at St. Leonard's Parish in Manotick. Our **Parish Reconciliation Service** for Lent will be held on **Wednesday, March 4 at 7:00pm**. Mark your calendar and join us!

ST. PATRICK CELEBRATION! Our Lady of Fatima St. Patrick celebration will be **Saturday, March 7th at 5:30 p.m.** in the parish hall. Enjoy live music, Irish dancers, delicious stew and scrumptious cake. Gluten free/vegan option will also be provided. 50/50 draw and door prizes. Tickets are \$20 (children 10 and under eat free). Hosted by the CWL. Tickets on sale at all weekend masses the weekends of February 21/22 and February 28/March 1st. Tickets will also be available in the parish office beginning February 23rd.

LOVE BOOKS? We're looking for a volunteer librarian to help keep our lending library organized and welcoming for everyone. If you're interested, please contact the office—we'd love to hear from you!

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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