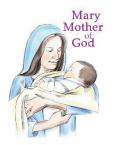
# Our Lady of Fatima Church

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## PASTORAL TEAM

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# SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31st, 2016

9:00 am Souls in Purgatory 4:30 pm Soul of Gerry O'Donnell By Julie and Jim O'Brien

# SUNDAY, JANUARY 1st, 2017

8:30 am For all parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Fritz and Mathilde Kibel

By their Daughter, Irene Kibel

Mass of Thanksgiving

By Rebecca and Patrick Henry Special Intentions by Julie Padua

Soul of Gilbert Seguin by his Wife, Anita Souls of Sullivan and Brule Families

By Hazel and John Brule

Souls of Brian, Irene and Harvey Binette By Bey Binette and Dave Madeley

11:30 am Souls of Joseph Giap and Paul Dung

By Hoang Family

Souls in Purgatory by Hoang Family Souls of Harry Pigeon and Peter Morin

By the Family

MONDAY, JANUARY 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2017

9:00 am Peace on Earth
TUESDAY, JANUARY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2017
9:00 am Mass of Thanksgiving
5:30 pm Souls in Purgatory

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2017** 9:00 am Soul of Demetrio Sualibio

By Estrella Sualibio

4:30 pm PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS

All Souls

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2017** 9:00 am Mass of Thanksgiving

5:30 pm For all Parishioners FRIDAY, JANUARY 6<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

9:00 am Souls of Ernest and Adeline Sweeney

By Mary

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

9:00 am Soul of Guido Crapigna and All Souls

Living and Dead

By his Wife, Suzanne

4:30 pm Intentions of Deacon Tom Cuddihy and

His brother Neil By their Mother

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2017

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Souls of Fidel and Luz Gomez

By Olivia Gomez

Soul of Patricia Hogan by Frank Hogan Soul of Alice West by her Friends Special Intentions by A Parishioner 11:30 am

Souls of Maria Huong and Genevive Hue By Hoang Family Souls of Thomas Tra and Maria Ine Em By Hoang Family Intentions of the Doucher Family Intentions of Joseph Leo Duffy Jr. II By the Miura Family



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, Jim

Walker, Michael Anderson, David Remo, Peter McAllister, Ralph Cave, Doris DeVenne, Steven Corkery, Gerry Comba, Robert Arscott, Matthew Paravan, Robb Walker, Sandra Kraglund, Paul Vandergeest, John Clingaman, Doris McIsaac, Rositta, Evelyn Fraser, Bernard, Ambrose Blank, Theresa Cayer, Dave, Elizabeth Cregan, Louisa Ellul, Jill Edmondson, Trevor McDermott, Catherine & John Levasseur, Fr. Robert Leonhardt, Beryl Smith, Phoebe Hoffman, Dan Moffatt, Polly Metcalfe, Brian, Lorraine Calderone, Irena Szatanek, Paul Caza, Peter Thomas, Joyce Anderson, Lois Frazier, Catherine Fuoco, Audrey Jarman, Gerald Couture, Claudette McSorley, Jay Fayed, Concetta Berardi, Evelyn Lepinski, Madonna Tapp, Hortense Stanton, Sarah Marquardt, Gerry Hogan, Ron, John Crowe, Tony Habjan, Maria Vink, Alice Smith, Jim Hall, Murray Wootton, Debbie DanCause, Elizabeth Smith-Kawasaki, Mark Sernoskie, T. Mask, Mike Levis. 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

**PLEASE NOTE:** The Parish Office will be closed from Dec. 26-January 2 and re-opens Tuesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**MORNING PRAYER:** Mon-Sat 8am-9am. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary and Chaplet of Mercy.

**NEW SUNDAY MISSALS** are now available for purchase in the Parish Office. The cost is \$5.

## **HOLIDAY DEADLINES FOR BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS:**

Please note the deadline for the bulletin of January  $8^{\text{th}}$  is Tuesday, January  $3^{\text{rd}}$  at 3pm.

**CHRISTIAN MEDITATION:** meetings will resume on the first Saturday after New Year, January 7<sup>th</sup>.

KINGERGARTEN REGISTRATION: Too early to register your little one for kindergarten? Absolutely not! If your child will be 4 or 5 years old by December 31, 2017, then it's time to register for the high-quality kindergarten program at all Ottawa Catholic School Board elementary schools. All schools offer rich French programming within a caring, innovative and faith-filled environment, representing an excellent choice for your child as they begin their school years. "Kindergarten - where dreams take off." For more info: visit ocsb.ca/kindergarten.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:** Please note that there will be no Children's Liturgy on Christmas and New Year's Day. Merry Christmas to one and all. Children's Liturgy resumes on Sunday, January 8<sup>th</sup> during the 11:30am Mass.

WORKSHOP ON ROMAN MISSAL: Please join us in the Church on Saturday, January 14, 2017 from 9:45am to noon. Fr. Bosco Wong will present a workshop on the most recent English version of the General Instruction of the Roman Missal (GIRM). This version came into effect in the English-speaking world as of Advent 2011. All are welcome.



**2017 ENVELOPE BOXES** – The 2017 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. <u>Using our envelopes ensures you will receive a tax receipt</u> – 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, 2017 discard any envelopes from previous years. 2) For the first few contributions of the year please clearly print your name/address and donation amount 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.

**DO YOU LOVE TO SING?** The choirs for the 8:30am and 11:30am Masses are in need of new members. Whether you are male or female, sign high or low, and/or play an instrument, we need you! This is a good time to join us as we prepare for the joyful music of the Christmas season. Please contact Jonathan Bondoc at 613-697-3896 or jonathan.bondoc@gmail.com. Or, simply show up at the church for practice on Tuesdays at 6:30pm (for Sun. 8:30 Choir) or Thursdays at 7:30pm (for Sun. 11:30am Choir).

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

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1) It is not often that New Year's Day coincides with Sunday – whenever this happens we shall



celebrate Epiphany Sunday on January 8<sup>th</sup>, with the Baptism of the Lord on the following Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>. This feast day will conclude the liturgical Season of Christmas.

- **2) Mary, Mother of God:** The Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God is the Church's most ancient and most important festival to Mary. It is also a major celebration of the Christmas season. It will be helpful for us to remember the intimate connection between Mary and the Church. Mary gave birth to Jesus through the power of the Holy Spirit. The Church, again through the power of the Holy Spirit, draws the world to the font of baptism and to a new birth and a new life in Christ. Mary is the model of the Church. [National Bulletin of Liturgy, vol. 33 #165]
- 3) Liturgical Focus: Epiphany of the Lord Reflection: An epiphany is a manifestation or a showing forth. When the wise men from the East visit Jesus and present their gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh, Jesus is shown forth as Lord. With this in mind, we may say that every Sunday eucharist is a new epiphany of the Lord. As a community that shares the wisdom that comes from God, we come together on the Lord's Day and publicly proclaim the lordship of Jesus Christ. Our gift is the gift of our lives for the glory of God.
- **4)** Please join us on Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup> in the Church. I will be presenting a workshop on the most recent version of the Roman Missal which came into effect in Advent 2011. The workshop will take place from 9:45am to noon.
- **5)** We are in need of servers helping out at Mass, if you find that there is no server, please step in to help. Serving is the essence of all the baptized, young and old, male and female. Your liturgical support at Mass is much appreciated.
- **6)** On behalf of the staff, I would like to wish you all a blessed and merry Christmas and New Year! Looking forward to spending the first Christmas Season and worship with all the parishioners during this Holy Season!

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.

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