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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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 Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir
 Sun 8:30am/10:00am/11:30am Choir
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TWENTY FOURTH 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, September 12, 2026

9:00am Soul of Leon Leroux by Janice Leroux
4:30pm Soul of Estelle O'Neil by Joseph and Toni Kramar

Sunday, September 13, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am Soul of Lewis Edward Kehoe by the family
Intentions for Fr. Dan Van Delst by Joanne Parenteau
Soul of John McDonell by Cecilia Pinto
Soul of Lorette D'Silva by Cecilia Pinto
Soul of Sarah Shepard by Marie Lynne
Soul of Jaime Sr., Paula & Ruben Abarintos by the Abarintos/Valdez family
Soul of Gabe Kealey by Shannon Cruikshank
Health and benefit of Jenn Cassidy-Kohlmeyer by Joanne Parenteau
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
Soul of Luigi Filosa
To reunite all the families & souls in purgatory to the flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann
16th death anniversary of Kurian P.T. by Saritha Kurian
Birthday blessing for Princess Bugnot by Princess and Thomas Bugnot
In loving memory of Todd and Troy Brazeau by their parents Janet and Claude Brazeau and loving friends
Soul of Tim Ross by his mom
Intention of Raquel Romano by Trish Keith
In loving memory of Dave Foster by his wife
Souls of Michael, Marceline and Anthony D'Souza by the D'Souza family

Monday, September 14, 2026

9:00am Soul of Edgar Herbert by Jennifer Jones

Tuesday, September 15, 2026

9:00am Soul of John McDonell by Cecile Swerdfager

Wednesday, September 16, 2026

9:00am For intentions of Anna Lissa Rivera and birthday blessings by Edgar Rivera and family

Thursday, September 17, 2026

9:00am Soul of John McDonell by St. Vincent de Paul
Conference of Our Lady of Fatima

Friday, September 18, 2026

9:00am Soul of John McDonell by Shirley Hurley

Saturday, September 19, 2026

9:00am Soul of Catherine Swimmings by Irene Kibel
4:30pm Souls of Mary and Mike Fagan by Kathy, Michael and David

Sunday, September 20, 2026

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am Souls of Bessie and Theresa by family
Souls of Suzanne's family and in-laws by Suzanne Cragigna
Soul of Jaime Abarintos by the family
Souls of Jean Marc Danis and Blair King by the family
Soul of John McDonell by Susan Albert
Intentions of Fr. Lindsay Harrison by Joanne Parenteau
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
To reunite all the families & souls in purgatory to the flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann
Birthday blessings for Mariya Kurian by Saritha Kurian

11:30 Intentions of Msgr. Joseph Muldoon by Joanne Parenteau
Intention for Raquel Romano by Trish Keith
For health and benefit of Mikel Jones by Joanne Parenteau
Souls of the D'Souza and Mendes family by the D'Souza family
Soul of Catherine Swimmings by Marie-Lynn Foucault
Soul of Susan Casas by Gertrudes Cruzado

PARISH OFFICE: Will be open Monday, Tuesday and 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.

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Adelaide Mercado, Dorothy, Dawn & Hugh Fraser, Derek Jones, Lisa C., Kim, Irene and Brian M., Betty Ann G., Nancy C., Marjorie C., Carole B., Robert Harrison, Toni Kramar, Richard, Marjorie, Elizabeth H., Bob Shalla, Dante Reyes, Maritess Tamara, Anthony Brown, Maureen V., Asher M., Teresa Wong, Joan Comba, Joe, Ella and Rye, Deborah, Julia, David Yu, Andres, Renee, Maria Henriksen, Joe Cerilli Guiseppe, Rehab A., Antonella Cassone, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, The Cáceres, Rios, Alonso, Santa Cruz families, Gustave Bardana, and Andrea McLean, Debbie Gauthier, Cheryl Cairns, Allan K., Grace Reyes, Bonnie Morris, John Greene, Tom Hall, Maureen Foster, Bob C, Peter Graham and Nancy H, Bosco Huang, Eleanor Pruner, Danny Scissons, Maryann McGrath, Heather, Laurie Ilacqua. **If you wish to add prayers to the prayer list, please contact the parish office at 613-722-7661 or info@fatimaparish.ca.**

THE PARISH FAMILY OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA is proud and happy to welcome Arthur Barber, Dominick Quiom and Chloe Koula Lavadia Doxtater 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.

BLESSING OF PETS: On the Saturday closest to the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, we customarily bless people's beloved pets. We will be doing it again this year on **Saturday, October 3, from 2:00–3:00pm** in the eastside joint parking lot. Pets will be blessed individually. All are welcome to bring their furry, feathered, or scaly companions!

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: will be starting up again this **Sunday, September 13th at the 11:30am Mass**. If you would like to help, please contact Ursula Ferraro through the parish office.

LATIN CLUB will resume in the Upper Room on **Sunday, September 13 at 1:00pm**. If you want to join, please contact Rosalie at rmcdonell@rogers.com.

COFFEE SUNDAY will begin again on September 20 after all Sunday Masses.

FLOWERS FOR THE ALTAR & TABERNACLE: A small group of women lovingly provide and arrange the beautiful flowers at the altar and tabernacle. They welcome anyone who enjoys flowers and would like to learn more about floral arranging to join them on Friday afternoons. Interested? Contact Minh Tam at 343-996-4776, or meet her **after the 9:00am Saturday Mass**, where she serves as sacristan.



SENIORS/YOUNG AT HEART/CARD & BOARD GAMES GROUP: You are invited to join us on **Wednesday, September 23rd from 1:00 - 3:00pm**

for a fun-filled afternoon and socializing. Mark your calendars for the next date on Wednesday, October 14th. See you then...

PARISH LIBRARY: "Our Lady, Undoer of Knots" is a title that may not be familiar to many. Also known as "Mary, Untier of Knots" this is the name of both a Marian devotion and a Baroque German painting. Catholic journalist Marge Fenelon has written a guided meditation that reflects upon nine sacred sites in the Holy Land visited by Pope Francis in 2014. Through the holy places, Fenelon helps readers to untangle the "knots" or impossible situations in their own lives. This little book can be read as an armchair pilgrimage or to pray a novena and is available in the Donated Book (Dbk) section of the parish library. *Parish Bookworm*

RCIA CORNER: If you are considering adult baptism, completion of initiation through Confirmation and Eucharist, or full communion with the Catholic Church we would like to invite you to join the journey of the heart, known as the RCIA process. through prayer, study, service and community we explore the teachings and practices of the Catholic Church. We get to know Jesus and to grow in the intimate relationship he offers. Contact Bonnie Kirk if you wish to begin this journey of the heart or have any questions. bkirk920@gmail.com 613-880-2151

CHOIR MEMBERS NEEDED: Are you looking for a ministry to enrich both yourself and our church community? Join one of our 4 fabulous choirs! We welcome new members to our group and will have you comfortable singing with us in no time. The Sunday 8 and 10 am choirs practice from 6:30-8pm on Thursday evenings, and the Sunday 11:30 choir practices 8-9:30pm on Thursday evenings in the sanctuary. The Saturday 4:30 choir practices on Wednesday at 5:15pm. Singing in the choir is a great way to get to know other parishioners and to deepen your faith journey.

SPIRITUAL FRIENDS BOOK CLUB: Summer is slipping away, and that means that many things will be gearing up again in September, including the Spiritual Friends Book Club. All are welcome to join us as. We read a "book of the month" selected by one of our members, and we meet on the last Sunday of the month from 1:00 to 2:30 in the Library to discuss the book. We are always open to new readers, and we are open to all book selections in our loosely defined "spiritual" category. We like to think that we are "reading our way to heaven." Care to join us? In September, we will be reading *The Truth about Saint Joseph: Encountering the Most Hidden of Saints*, by Fr. Maurice Meschler. In October, the month of Mary, we will be reading *A Fierce and Tender Love: Seven Meditations on Mary, Mother of God*, by Timothy O'Malley. If you have any questions, just ask: George @ 343-575-3360 or jgk556@msn.com, or catch him at church. In case you were wondering: Saint George is the patron Saint of Reading and Books!

REPAIRS ON TRANSEPT WINDOW: Due to the need to replace the wooden frames of the transept window beside the Blessed Virgin Mary's altar, the area around it will be closed for approximately six weeks to ensure everyone's safety. During this time, there will be no access to the side altar. We appreciate your patience and understanding while this work is being completed.

PARISH BARBEQUE ON SEPT. 13: Once again this year, we are pleased to invite everyone to our annual parish barbecue! The barbecue will be hosted by the Knights of Columbus and will take place on **Sunday, September 13, following the 11:30am Mass**. Weather permitting, the barbecue will be held in the north part of the schoolyard. In the event of inclement

weather, we will gather in the Parish Hall. Hope to see you there for an afternoon of food and fellowship!

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTLY ORDINATION CELEBRATION: of Fr. Timothy Nelligan, Pastor of Blessed Sacrament Parish, a Solemn Sung Holy Mass will be celebrated on the Feast of the Holy Archangels Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, **Tuesday, September 29, 2026 at 6:30 pm**.

TOGETHER FOR A CAUSE: **Friday, October 2, 2026**, at the Ron Kolbus Lakeside Centre. This special evening will celebrate 54 years of community, friendship, and belonging, while raising funds to support our mission and people with intellectual disabilities. Tickets are available individually, or you can purchase a table for six for \$600. Event information & tickets: <https://larcheottawa.org/fundraisingevent-larcheottawa/>

DETAILED UPDATE ON THE BELL TOWER: Due to an unforeseen delay in the fabrication of the new louvres the completion of the Bell Tower project will take a couple weeks longer than recently projected, taking us into mid- to late September. Your support has been vital in providing for all of the work – both in what has been seen and what has been required behind the scenes. We continue to ask for your support for this extensive remediation and thank you immensely for the support you have provided so far! **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. Donations can be made through e-transfer or credit card (by calling the office). All donations qualify for a tax receipt. Please contact the parish office for more information, or to make your donation, at 613-722-7661. **To date we have raised \$91,004.** Thank you again for your continued generosity and faithful support.

WEEKLY AA MEETING: There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting in our Hall every Monday evening. It begins at 6:30pm. Access is through the east side ramp entrance.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: September 23rd to November 1st - a pro-life local campaign of silent prayer and public vigil for an end to ABORTION in our community. The vigil, daily from 7 am to 5 pm, takes place at the southwest corner of Queen street, just off Bank street. More information about our parish's commitment day to follow. Info: Donna O'Connor 613-829-5761.

CATHOLIC MOMS GROUP LEADER BREAKFAST SUMMIT: on **Saturday September 19, 2026** at Le Treport. The speakers are Fr. Tom Lynch — What Does It Take to Be a Flourishing Catholic Leader? Adeodata Czink — The Art of Hospitality and Social Graces, Fr. Jonasz Lalik - *More Than an Icon: The Story and Spirituality of Our Lady of Częstochowa*, Nelcy Lopez — The Four S's of a Catholic Moms Group, Dorothy Pilarski — Keep Them Coming Back! and Cathy Quartarone - Why Minister to Young Moms & How? Download the brochure and register through Eventbrite: cmgsummit2026.eventbrite.ca The registration fee includes breakfast, light lunch and a free gift.

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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