

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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25th 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 20, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Medo Pepin by Jean Anderson and family
4:30 pm Soul of Elizabeth Adibe by Michael Adibe

Sunday, September 21, 2025

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am To Jesus and Mary for a personal intention by Suzanne Crapigna
For the soul of Carol Bell and for the living and deceased members of the Bell family by Rosalie O'Connor
Intentions of Monica Sorrenti and family by Rosalie O'Connor
For protection, guidance, health and safety by Severina Sagisi
In loving memory of Catherine Swimmings by a friend
Intentions for Jean Marc Danis by Rita King
Souls of Ron Messett, Stan Gonsalves and Carole Damaino by a friend
Soul of Aureliea Gonzales by family and friends
To entrust the good outcome of my exam into the hands of Jesus through the intercession of the Holy Family, St. Michael the Archangel and St. Expeditus and for success and grace to obtain full class G license by Leaticia Siemani
For the holy souls in Purgatory
For the Keith family
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
Souls of Marceline, Michael and Anthony D'Souza by the D'Souza family
Soul of Jeanette Linde by the Ladies of Fatima
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 Julyser Dela Peña by Joahna Dela Peña
Souls of Doris and Victor Gonsalves by their daughter
Soul of Barbara Pimento by a friend

Monday, September 22, 2025

9:00am For Maria Kurian and her family

Tuesday, September 23, 2025

9:00am Thanksgiving for Oscar Lara's birthday

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

9:00am Special blessings for Dalie and family by Jo-Ann

Thursday, September 25, 2025

9:00am Anniversary Mass for soul of Flavio Gomez by Olivia Gomez

Friday, September 26, 2025

9:00am Thanksgiving for Katty Lara's birthday

Saturday, September 27, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Leo Trottier by the family
4:30 pm Anniversary Mass for the souls of Anne, Paul and Nathan Habjan by Joseph and Toni Kramar

Sunday, September 28, 2025

8:30am For all parishioners
10:00am Special blessings for Jamie and family by Jo-Ann
Soul of Gabe Kealey by Shannon Cruikshank
Intentions of Myles by Rosalie O'Connor
Birthday blessings for Nicole and family by Jo-Ann
Repose of the soul of Michele Pignataro through St. Michael's intercession by his daughter
Soul of Danilo Gomez by the deGuzman family
Soul of Barbara Jean by Marilyn and Gordon Fehr
For the holy souls in Purgatory
11:30am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi
Souls in Purgatory

11:30am Special intentions
Success of the Nokia Teams
Souls of the Choachui Family
Soul of and in loving memory of Reynaldo Torres by his family
Souls of Bernard and Corina by the D'Souza family
To reunite all the families and souls in purgatory to the flame of love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary by Jo-Ann
Birthday blessings for Anna Lissa Rivera
Soul of Terry Pimento by a friend

THE PRAYERS FOR THE SICK LIST will be cleared in two weeks. Sometimes there are people who were put on the list who no longer need to be there. If you have requested prayers and want to be placed on the new list which will be starting in the October 5 bulletin, please contact the parish and we will re-enter the name/s. Thank you.



Barry Burns, 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, Lance Carter, Grace Schultz, Adelaida Mercado, Elena Aguirre, Omar Diallo, Carol Giampaolo, Toni Kramar, Jean Marc Danis, Joan & Gerry Comba, Rosie Ocampo, Amanda Lewis, Josefina Manalo, Tyler Bell, Matthew, Ellen Flores, Dan Murray, Ron Messett, Lilia Legaspi, Marissa Maristela, Angela Beimers, Helen Deek, S. Stellar, John McDonell, Frank Viciania, Richard Larocque, Julie Larocque, Anne Marie Bourgault, Susan Carvelle, Deirdre Larocque, Donald McKinnon, Bob Shalla, Sheila, Thomas, Steve and Catherine, Ken, Gwen, Amado Legaspi, Rachel, Sean, Jimmy Cianci, Christine Grover, Derek Jones, Gemma O'Sullivan, Marie D, Fred V., Cayleigh C., Tammy, Dominic delle Palme, Kathy C, Graham Kelly, Tom Hall, John McClelland, Myrna Pendon, Isabel Hurley, Ray, Maureen Foster. **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.**

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.

SESSIONS ARE UNDERWAY! Our Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) sessions began last Wednesday, Sept. 10, and it's not too late to join us! Whether you're a non-Catholic interested in exploring the Catholic faith or a baptized adult Catholic who has not yet received Confirmation, we invite you to come and be part of this journey. Join us **this Wednesday at 6:30pm** in the **Learning Commons** (library) next door at **Our Lady of Fatima School**. We look forward to welcoming you! For more information, please contact Bonnie at 613-880-2151.

CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM: Join us in this journey to find out how to make the best of our lives and family, just as God intends. It will be held this fall at Our Lady of Fatima Parish in the parish hall, **Sundays from 4:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. from September 21 to November 16**. Registration is free. Register at cfcottawaevangelization@gmail.com. Sponsored by Couples for Christ Ottawa.

ARCHDIOCESAN MASS FOR THE NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION: All are invited to gather for a Special Mass on **Tuesday, September 30th**, the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Archbishop Marcel Dampousse will preside the bilingual Mass at 7:00pm at Notre Dame Cathedral Basilica (385 Sussex Drive, Ottawa).

SENIORS / YOUNG AT HEART / CARD & BOARD GAMES GROUP: You are invited to join us on **Wednesday, September 24 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm** for a fun-filled afternoon and socializing. See you then... **(Save the date: October 8 and 22).**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: September 24 - November 2, 7am to 5pm; 40 Days for Life, a call to action of silent prayer, fasting and public vigil for an end to abortion in our community. It begins **Wednesday, Sept. 24 at 7am**, at the southwest corner of Queen Street, just off Bank Street. It continues daily until Sunday, November 2nd. Our Lady of Fatima Parish will be covering Thurs., Oct. 16th. Vigil resources and sign-up sheets for individual hours will follow. Contact: Donna O'Connor 613-829-5761.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE OPENING RALLY: The Opening Rally at Vigil site 84 Bank Street will be on **Sunday, Sept. 21, at 6:00 pm**. Info: 613-829-5761.

THE LIFE CHAIN is a nationwide annual day of peaceful public witness for children killed by abortion. This year it will be held on **Sunday, October 5th from 2:00 till 3:00pm**. Our area location is on Carling Avenue outside the Civic Hospital. Please mark your calendar and join us.

PILGRIMS OF HOPE, COME WALK WITH US! Celebrate the 9:00am Mass at St. Patrick's Fallowfield on **Thursday, October 23** and walk the Ottawa Camino to Notre Dame Cathedral, Ottawa. Pilgrims who have joined us in the past are Fr. Mark Goring, the Servants of the Cross and the Queenship of Mary Community and people from in and around Ottawa and beyond! Check out Pilgrimage details and signup: route, shuttle need, to volunteer to drive, optional start/finish points, potluck dish, to volunteer cleanup - link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48AAA82FAAF5C16-57986854-rosary>

BAZAAR – OCTOBER: Only weeks to wait for our annual Fall Bazaar. **(Sat. Oct. 25 from 9.30am to 1pm)** Hosted by those busy ladies of Fatima, our bazaar is always one of the city's best. It features homemade crafts, white elephant treasures, fine china, paintings, linens, toys, beautiful jewellery, a mouth-watering bake table and a popular tearoom. And of course, surprises. Please check every room in the house to see if you have anything we can find new homes for. You get to de-clutter and help us at the same time. Your donations fund some very worthy projects taken on by the Ladies of Fatima. Since we do not have room to store your items, please hold on to them until closer to the Bazaar. (And we cannot accept heavy furniture or clothing.). It's you that makes our Bazaar so successful.

Jubilee Prayer:

Father in heaven, may the faith You have given us in Your Son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of Your Kingdom.

May Your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new Heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of evil vanquished, Your Glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of Heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth.

To You our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise forever. Amen.

VOLUNTEER DRIVE: We have many wonderful ministries at Our Lady of Fatima that require new volunteers to keep them functioning. Without your support we wouldn't have the vibrant, wonderful parish that we all love. On **October 4th and 5th**, you will have the opportunity to sign up for one. As per Peter 4:10 *"Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering to God's grace in its various forms."*

BLESSING OF THE PETS: In celebration of the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi on **Saturday, October 4th**, Father Lindsay will be offering individual blessings for pets **between 2:00pm and 3:00pm in the joint parking lot**. All pet owners are warmly invited—mark your calendars and bring your furry (or feathered!) friends to receive a special blessing!

CWL: The September meeting for the CWL is **Tuesday, September 23, 2025 at 6:30pm** in the hall. We will enjoy a potluck together and all ladies of the parish are so welcome. See you there! God bless.

REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP UPDATE: We are excited to inform you that we have secured an apartment for the Christian family of 6 who arrived on September 17. Thank you to all who are providing donations of household goods. Heather Provick will contact those who provided contact information to coordinate delivery of these donations. Those who have donations but have not provided contact information, please call or text Heather Provick (613-715-2012) or email hprovick@sympatico.ca to arrange for delivery of your items.

We have reached one third of our fund-raising goal. You will continue to see envelopes in the pews. Please use these if you wish to make cash or cheque donations. **(Please make cheques payable to "Our Lady of Fatima Parish" and write Refugee Fund in the memo field).** Credit card and debit donations may also be made in person at the office or by telephone. **Please note donations will be eligible for tax receipts. If you wish a receipt, please ensure your name and address are on donation envelopes. Receipts will be issued for the 2025 tax year by the end of February, 2026.**

If you have questions, please contact the office at 613-722-7661 or by email office@fatimaparish.ca. Thank you for your generous support.

CATHOLIC PILGRIMAGE TO DUBLIN, IRELAND including Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Belfast, Northern Ireland, Edinburgh, Scotland will be on **April 08-23, 2026**, with Spiritual Leader Monsignor Joseph Muldoon from Holy Cross Parish. Scheduled Masses in Shrines, Private Tour bus, ferry, local guides. Limited number. Contact: Dennis Kam at JBC travel Ottawa, dennis@jbctravel.ca or 613 569-3888.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Please note that on **Saturday, September 27th**, our parish will be hosting a day of prayer and education for Vincentians from across the region to celebrate the feast of St. Vincent de Paul. The day will begin with the 9am mass with readings, hymns and intercessory prayers in both languages. All are welcome to join us at the mass and pray for those in need who reach out for help to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul through their parish conferences.

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.

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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