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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday 9 am - 3 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon-Sat 9 am, Wed 4:30 pm

SUNDAY MASSES

Sat 4:30 pm, Sun 8:30 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am

CONFESSION

One half hour before all masses *except* Sunday

SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Fatima

Michael Keeler, Principal 613 722-4075

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PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Bosco Wong **Weekend Ministry:** Archbishop Brendan O'Brien

Office Manager: Irene Desjardins **Parish Secretary:** June Laderoute **Maintenance:** Stan Bielec

Chair, Pastoral Council: Zenon Slodki **Chair, Finance Council:** Tim Grieve **Chair, Liturgy:** Myla Haack

MINISTRIES

Altar Guild	Susan Albert	613-722-7661
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Baptism - Infant/Child	Myla Haack	613-828-7824
Catholic Women's League and Milk Matt Ministry	Jean Anderson	613-680-2823
Children's Sunday Liturgy	Patricia Tolgyesy	613-722-7661
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Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir	Peter Domitrovits	613-695-3907
Sun 8:30am/10:00am/11:30am Choir	Jonathan Bondoc	613-697-3896
Ottawa West Community Support	Chris Sandes	613-722-9617
Pastoral Care	Linda Wicker	613-820-9735
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1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 2019

4:30 pm Soul of Edwin Szpak and Deceased Family
Members by the Family

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 2019

8:30 am For all Parishioners
10:00 am Soul of Margaret Sandiford and Deceased Family
Members by her Estate
Souls of Agnes and Pat O'Rourke
By their Daughter, Maureen
Soul of Jennifer Kryworuchko
By Catherine Swimmings
Soul of Mary Joy by Jim and Norma Noonan
Soul of Patrick Daly by Marian Teevens
11:30 am Mass of Thanksgiving by a Parishioner
For Natalie by Veronica and Sean
Soul of Michael Maloney
By Roger and Eleanor Maloney

MONDAY, DECEMBER 2nd, 2019

9:00 am Intentions of the Past and Present Ottawa Staff of
Madonna House by Catherine Swimmings

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3rd, 2019

9:00 am Soul of Kelly Kavanagh by Jack, Muffy and Family

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 2019

9:00 am Soul of Alphonsus Lambe
By Our Lady of Fatima Legion of Mary
4:30 pm **PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS AND MASS**
Soul of Luigi Gasperetti by his Wife and Family

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5th, 2019

9:00 am Soul of Louis Pinto by Beverley

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6th, 2019

9:00 am Birthday Thanksgiving Mass for Sonia Lara-Torres

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 2019

9:00 am Soul of Guido Crapigna and all Souls Living and
Deceased by his Wife, Suzanne
4:30 pm Souls of Lude and Eleanor Check
By their Daughter, Donna

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th, 2019

8:30 am For all Parishioners
10:00 am Soul of Mark Grantham by his Wife, Karon
Soul of Margaret O'Brien by Suzanne Crapigna
Soul of Ben Leach by the Leach Family
Soul of Patrick Daly by Margaret Cuddihy
Soul of Jennifer Kryworuchko
By The Ladies of Fatima
Souls of William & Cora Ringrose
By Robert and Pauline Ringrose
11:30 am Souls of Irene Weatherdon-Binette and
Harvey Binette by their Family
Soul of Jacques Lussier by his Wife and Family
Soul of Margaret Sandiford and Deceased Family
Members by her Estate
Soul of Margaret Teresa O'Brien
By O.L.F. Catholic Women's League
For Natalie by Veronica and Sean
Soul of Jennifer Kryworuchko
By Louise Matte-Lewis and Gerry Lewis

**Reminder, Morning Mass is at 9:00am Monday-Saturday -
Church doors open at 7:45am.**

PRAYER IN THE MORNING: Join us Monday-Saturday, 8:00am
– 8:45am for quiet time and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

DECEMBER BULLETIN SUBMISSION DEADLINES:

Deadline for December 22nd bulletin is Noon Dec 13th
Deadline for December 29th bulletin is Noon Dec 18th
Deadline for January 5th bulletin is Noon Dec 18th
Deadline for January 12th bulletin is 3p.m. Jan 7th



Deacon Cuddihy, Sofie, Frank, Shelly
Firth, James Marquardt, Edith Wright,
Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Toni
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Victor Tolgyesy, Damian, Brian, Richard Weber, Vincent Quinn,
Rowena Cruzado, Mike, Mary, Peter McAllister, Gerry Comba,
Janet Cochrane, Paula, Alex Mask, Duane Clark, John Dawes,
Joan Shouldice, Eddy, Kristina Robinson, Gerry Cole, Charlie
Laderoute, Danilo Gomez, Flavio and Amelia Gomez, Rosalina
Flores, Helen Hineta, Joan Comba, William Cochrane.

*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*

LECTOR/COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE DECEMBER 7-8, 2019

4:30pm – C – Suzanne Crapigna L1 – Richard Arrigo L2 –
Heather Provick. 8:30am – C – Carol Howard L1 – Pat Maxfield
L2 – Bernie Hurley. 10:00am – C – Irene Kibel L1 – Imelda
Pascua L2 – Darryl McNiece. 11:30am – C – June Laderoute L1
– Renata Coppola L2 – Keena George.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE DECEMBER 7-8, 2019

4:30pm– Jennifer Arrigio, Richard Arrigio, Jean-Louis Dube, Don
Gervasi, Stan Sernoskie. 8:30am– Brian Butler, Barb Devine,
Edna Cromwell, Peter Cromwell, Nellie Mac Crimmon, 10:00am –
Karen Yantha, Anne Spero, Jean Marc Danis, Lourdes
Mangaring, Catherine Swimmings. 11:30am – Linda Maloney,
Josie George, Claire Fox, Bob Shalla, Angiolina Allaire

THIS WEEKEND MARKS THE BEGINNING OF ADVENT.

Families are invited to take a free copy of the Advent booklet with
Family Devotions and Activities for Advent, found on the table
near the main church entrance. **Please join us for our Parish
Penitential Service on Thursday, December 12 at 7pm.** We
will have priests available for individual confession following the
service.

CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR'S MASS SCHEDULE

Sun. Dec. 22 (4th Sun. of Advent)

8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Tue. Dec. 24 (Christmas Eve)

4:30pm, 7pm *(Incense), 10 pm

Wed. Dec 25 (Christmas Day)

10:00am, 11:30am *(incense)

Sun. Dec 29 (Holy Family) ...8:30am, 10:00am, 11:30am

Tue. Dec 31 (New Year's Eve) ...4:30pm

Wed. Jan 1 (Solemnity of Mary/New Year) 10:00am, 11:30am

***Incense will be used at 7pm Dec 24 and 11:30am Dec 25**

Please note: There will be no morning Mass on Tue. Dec. 31



CHRISTMAS CAKES AND RELIGIOUS CHRISTMAS CARDS

in support of Campaign Life pro-life activities will be for sale after all
Masses **this weekend, November 30/December 1.** Cakes \$20
for 600g; \$27 for 1kg. Christmas Baskets \$25 and \$30. Cards
pkg. of 10 for \$10 2 pks. for \$18. Thank you very much for your
continued support. All proceeds go to help the unborn.

PARISH CHRISTMAS DINNER: Saturday, December 14th.

Hosted by your Knights of Columbus. Social gathering at
5:00pm and dinner served at 6:00pm. Menu – Garden salad,
loads of turkey with gravy and cranberry sauce, potatoes,
vegetables, buns and trimmings, assorted desserts, coffee or tea.
Complimentary soft drinks and bottled water. BYOB (bring your
own wine or beer). **Tickets \$30 each by advance sale only** from

Peter Cromwell 829-4295; Bernie Hurley 722-9620 or Don Yantha 225-9124. Come, celebrate season with your fellow parishioners!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA SCHOOL 4TH ANNUAL HOLLY JOLLY BAZAAR: - On Friday December 13 students get to pick out Christmas gifts for their family and have them wrapped to bring home. Parishioners are asked for wrapping donations such as wrapping paper, tape, tissue paper, gift bags, bows and tags. **Please bring your donations to the church by December 8.** They are also looking for volunteers to help the day of the bazaar with wrapping and helping children pick out gifts. Please email parent council, Att: Ann-Marie at olfcouncil@gmail.com



1ST COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION:
Please mark the following important dates in your calendar:
Enrolment (1st Communion): Sun. Jan. 12, 2020, 11:30am Mass
Confirmation: Date to be determined, either Feb. 8, Feb. 15 or Feb. 22, 2020

1st Reconciliation: Thurs., April 2, 2020, 6:30pm Church
1st Communion: your choice of Mass weekend of May 2/3, 2020 or May 23/24, 2020.

CRANBERRY SALE FOR PROJECT TEMBO: Locally grown cranberries, cranberry sauce and jams, etc. will be sold after all Masses the weekend of **December 7-8**. The money raised will keep girls in high school in northern Tanzania. For a delivery or pre-order, contact Sandra Hession at 613-805-2255 or info@projectembo.org.

THE SENIORS GROUP will be meeting on Wed. December 4 and will then take a break for the holidays. It will resume on Wed. January 8 from 1-3pm.

LUNCH WITH SANTA: Children's Christmas Party, sponsored by Our Lady of Fatima Knights of Columbus, Council 9742 – **Saturday, December 7th, 11:00am-1:00pm in the Parish Hall.** Free gifts, games and music. Kids lunch free. And, of course, visit with Santa!



COLLECTION UPDATE – WEEK OF NOV 24, 2019

Collection	\$5,671.65
Year to Date Collection	\$409,062.11
Year to Date Disbursements	\$435,309.30

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 to our community, you can register your family information here.



NAME:	
ADDRESS: P. CODE:	
TEL #:	
E-MAIL:	
INTERESTED MINISTRY:	

1) First Sunday of Advent

Reflection: We begin a new liturgical year this weekend as we enter the Season of Advent – four weeks of preparation for the Incarnation (God sent the Son to dwell among us and show us the way to live in discipleship). We are people on the journey to embrace the reign of God. We again enter (Year A) reading of the 3 year liturgical cycle, after listening to the Gospel according to Luke throughout Year C. Today's gospel from Year A calls us to stay awake, to keep our eyes open to the marvel of what God does in our lives.



2) Enclosed with last weekend's bulletin is an Advent-Christmas pamphlet, along with meal prayers, highlighting the liturgies of the Season for year reference. There should be additional copies available at the church entrances. This pamphlet can also be found on our parish website. You can also pick up a copy of "Wonders of His Love: Family Devotions and Activities of Advent" for your perusal. We have limited quantity of these booklets available on the table near the main church entrance.

3) 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.

4) Please pray that the Spirit continue to guide our catechumen Naga. She is sent forth after the Liturgy of the Word every weekend to reflect on the Word of God and let the Word transform her life in her journey of faith. Forming disciples is the vocation of all the baptized. Our goal is to nurture and foster that spirit in our faith community.

5) We thank all who participated at the breakfast last Sunday, especially the parishioners who assisted the Knights' Council to facilitate this community-building event.

6) Our Advent Reconciliation will take place on Thursday, December 12 at 7pm. Archbishop O'Brien and I shall be available for individual reconciliation.

7) The funeral of James Michaud was celebrated here last week. Please keep his family in your prayers.

CWL CHRISTMAS POTLUCK: December 5, 2019 at 5:30pm in the Parish Hall. Welcome all ladies - your joyful presence is requested as we honour Our Lord in His Holy Advent. Bring your food dish ready to serve and see you there!

NEW SUNDAY MISSALS 2019-2020: available for purchase in the Parish Office, \$5 each. These Sunday missals contain the readings from the 1st Sunday of Advent (Dec. 1, 2019) to the Feast of Christ the King (Nov 22, 2020).

2020 ENVELOPE BOXES: The 2020 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. Using our envelopes ensure you will receive a tax receipt – 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, 2020 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. 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.



FLOURISHING CONGREGATIONS SURVEY: Thank you to all who participated in the survey. We hope to receive a report from the Flourishing Congregations Institute in the New Year.



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