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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

One half hour before Mass except Sunday 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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SCHOOLS

Our Lady of Fatima Kevin Shannon, Principal 613-722-4075 Dr. F.J. McDonald Catherine Gasper, Principal 613-829-3878 Notre Dame High School Jean-Paul Cloutier, Principal 613-722-6565

PASTORAL TEAM

Pastor: Rev. Lindsay Harrison Weekend Ministry: Rev. Onmeje John Ogbaje

Office Manager: Karen Bourgon Assistant Office Manager: Irene Kibel Administrative Assistant: Teresa Hurley

Maintenance: Stan Bielec Chair, Pastoral Council: Edna Cromwell Chair, Finance Council: Paul Hession Chair, Liturgy: Brendan Devine

MINISTRIES

Altar Guild	Susan Albert	613-722-7661
Altar Servers - Junior	Edna Cromwell	613-979-4295
Altar Servers - Adult	Edna Cromwell	613-979-4295
Aux. Ministers of Holy Eucharist	Heather Provick	613-715-2012
Baptism - Infant/Child	Brendan Devine	613-725-5967
Catholic Women's League and Milk Mat Ministry	Jennifer Jones	613-894-0307
Children's Sunday Liturgy	Ursula Ferraro	613-722-7661
Christian Meditation	Theresa Ziebell	613-722-1693
Cursillo Representative	Bernie Reilander	613-222-6351
Development and Peace	Agnes Gwyn	613-728-8233
First Sunday Prayer Group	Helena Francisco	613-291-4189
Funeral Team	Parish Office	613-722-7661
Knights of Columbus	Doug McKenzie	613-808-5176
Ladies of Fatima	Rosalie McDonell	613-828-5166
Lectors	Michelle Denison	613-820-4453
Library	Parish Office	613-722-7661
Marriage Preparation	Parish Office	613-722-7661
Ministers of Hospitality	Debbie Allen	613-820-4149
Music Ministry:		
Sat 4:30pm Choir and Funeral Choir	Peter Domitrovits	613-695-3907
Sun 8:30am/10:00am/11:30am Choir	Joanne Parenteau	613-297-8257
Ottawa West Community Support	Chris Sandes	613-866-7618
Pastoral Care	Parish Office	613-722-7661
Pro-Life	Donna O'Connor	613-829-5761
RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)	Parish Office	613-722-7661
Sacramental Preparation for children in public school	Michelle Denison	613-558-4453
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Seniors/Young at Heart Card/Board Game Group	Anna Bevilacqua	613-596-3472
St. Vincent de Paul	Parish Office	613-722-7661
To donate articles call the store at		613 722-7166

THE SECOND 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, January 18, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Dylan Keith by his family

4:30 pm Thanksgiving Mass for the Soul of John Gerden

by Joseph and Toni Kramar

Sunday, January 19, 2025

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am In Loving Memory of Estrella Legaspi

by Olivia Gomez

Intentions of Lindsay and Charles Campbell

by Rosalie O'Connor Soul of Andrew Ludzjiewski by Dominica Ludzjiewski

Intentions of Zoe Keith by her Family Souls in Purgatory by Joanne Parenteau Intentions of Monica Sorrenti and family

by Rosalie O'Connor

Soul of Alice Mathew by Her Granddaughter

11:30 am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi Intentions of June Laderoute by a friend

Soul of Eleanor Taylor by Our Lady of Fatima CWL Soul of Val Devine by Linda and Charlie Wicker Soul of Paul Roderick by William Roderick Soul of Fr. Ed Wade by Joanne Parenteau Soul of Julie Skrepnek by The Anderson Family

Monday, January 20, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Thomas Keith by his Family

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

9:00 am Soul of Terry Howard by his wife Carol

Wednesday, January 22, 2025

9:00 am Special Blessings for Fr. Lindsay Harrison by Jo-Ann

Thursday, January 23, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Dylan Keith by his Family

Friday, January 24, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Msgr. Kevin Beach

Saturday, January 25, 2025

9:00 am Intentions of Zoe Keith by her Family

4:30 pm Souls of Walter Vlasic and Paul & Nathan Habjan

by Joseph and Toni Kramar

Sunday, January 26, 2025

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Gordon Anderson by the Labarge Family

Intentions of Lindsay and Charles Campbell

by Rosalie O'Connor Soul of Andrew Ludzjiewski by Dominica Ludzjiewski

Intentions of Thomas Keith by his Family

Soul of Paula Abarintos by the Abarintos Family

11:30 am Soul of Estrella Legaspi by Alfredo Legaspi

Soul of Marija Kurbasa by Jadranka

Soul of Tim Dooling by Joanne Parenteau

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. Appointments can be arranged for Thursday and Friday. For pastoral needs contact Father Lindsay Harrison at 613-722-7661x3 or pastor@fatimaparish.ca

WE WELCOME TERESA HURLEY to our Parish Staff as Administrative Assistant. Teresa will be working in the parish office on Monday's and Tuesday's. Fr. Lindsay



Margaret Newcommon, Barry Burns, Steve Chapman, Sue W., Pat McGrath, 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, Catherine Levasseur, Lance Carter, Grace Schultz, Adelaida Mercado, Danilo Gomez, Elena Aguirre, Leopoldo Cruz, Richard, Imelda Dillon, Juanito Soto, Omar Diallo, Carol Giampaolo, Patricia Tolgyesy, Toni Kramar, Jean Marc Danis, Joan & Gerry Comba, Rosie Ocampo, Amanda Lewis, Julie Larocque. 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

LADIES OF FATIMA will be meeting on **Tuesday**, **January 21**st at 1:00 pm in the Parish Hall to organize the Dinner for the Blind and the Pauper's Supper.

LADIES OF FATIMA will be holding a special personal care products collection for the Britannia Woods Food Pantry the weekend of **February 1**st **and 2nd**. Please drop off all items in the usher's room at the back of the Church. Your assistance in donating items such as shampoo, soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, women's menstrual products are most graciously appreciated. Please note that all canned or dried foods will also be appreciated. Should you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Jones at 613-894-0307.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE: The next CWL meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday**, **January 28 at 7:00 p.m.** This is a special meeting with the installation of the newly elected executive to be installed. All women of the parish are welcome to attend. Come join us. For more information, please contact Jennifer Jones at 613-894-0307.

2025 DONATION ENVELOPES ARE NOW AVAILABLE at the front of the church. Please take any number and be sure to write your name and address the first few uses in 2025 so that we can allocate your donations accurately. Please note that unlabelled donation envelopes are being used so that any box may be taken. We understand some parishioners wish to keep the same number, so you are welcome to do so if it is available. This past year many labelled boxes were never picked up, and so we have found that allocating box numbers for each tax year via this method is the best use of church resources for capturing tax allocation amounts. Please only use the envelope number for the box you have picked up this year. Thank you for your understanding and thank you for your contributions!

BLESSING OF CANDLES: Sunday, February 2nd is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. It celebrates Jesus, the Light of the world, being brought into the Temple by Mary and Joseph. This feast is sometimes referred to as Candlemas as it was previously customary to bless candles and carry them in procession at the beginning of the Mass. Please bring candles from home that you wish to have blessed. Candles will be blessed at the Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Mass on February 1st and at each of the Masses on Sunday, February 2nd. Please keep the candles with you in the pews for the blessing at the beginning of Mass.

NEW SUNDAY MISSALS 2024-2025 are now available for purchase at \$5 each. These Sunday Missals contain the readings from the 1st Sunday of Advent (December 1, 2024) to the Feast of Christ the King (November 23, 2025). Missals can be purchased by picking one up at the front of the church and using the envelopes provided (exact change only), or from the parish office.

2024 INCOME TAX RECEIPTS will be available by the end of February, 2025. Details will follow in future bulletins. If you wish to have your receipt mailed to you, please mail in or drop off a self-addressed stamped envelope. Receipts may also be emailed to you. If you wish an emailed receipt, please send a note to Karen at office@fatimaparish.ca, or call the parish office at 613-722-7661 to let us know and confirm your email address.

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE is on **Monday, February 3**rd. Traditionally, throats are blessed on his feast. If you want your throat blessed it will be at the end of the regular **9:00** am Mass that day.

HOSPITALITY MINISTERS NEEDED for the 8:30 am Sunday Mass. Please contact the Parish Office at 613-722-7661 if you are interested.



JUBILEE YEAR - PILGRIMS OF HOPE: Pope Francis has declared 2025 a Jubilee Year. The theme is "Pilgrims of Hope." The Jubilee began on December 28, 2024 and ends on January 6, 2026. Here is the official prayer issued by Pope Francis for it:

THE 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 vanguished, 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 for ever. Amen

BELL TOWER MAINTENANCE: A detailed report on the physical status of Parish's buildings and exterior areas has been prepared by a professional engineering company. The report includes assessments of specific areas, systems and equipment based on visual observations and measurements in some cases. The Finance Council has discussed the recommendations included in the report. The Bell Tower is showing signs of aging and water damage. It will be the first of a series of maintenance initiatives over the next decade. The Bell Tower Sub-Committee of the Finance Council (Paul Hession, Bev Binette, Brian Gracie, Paul Gravelle) is currently creating a history of the Tower's original construction and its maintenance over the years. The group is also researching and identifying possible service providers. Parishioners will receive regular updates as the project progresses, including the projected costs of several possible options.

ENROLLMENT SUNDAY FOR FIRST COMMUNION CHILDREN will be Sunday, January 26th at the 10:00 am Mass. This is not the occasion of their actual First Communion, rather it is a preparation step toward it.

HEALING MASS AT HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH: Experience God's healing power with Fr. Albert MacPherson on Tuesday, **January 21**st at **7:00 pm**.



LOST & FOUND: There are often items accidentally left in the Church. We have put a Lost & Found box in the gated closet beside the St. Anthony Statue near the front entrance of the Church.

BEQUESTS AND WILLS – In your kindness please remember Our Lady of Fatima Church in your bequests and wills. If anyone wishes to make such a bequest in their will the following clause may be included or added to a will or added by codicil: I give, devise and bequeath the sum of \$--- to Our Lady of Fatima Church, Ottawa, to be used to benefit of the Parish and its pastoral activities.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE MORE INVOLVED AT FATIMA?

We have many opportunities for you to be involved in the life of our Parish. In addition to a variety of openings in our various ministries, we have current opportunities as follows: **Eucharistic Ministers** for all Masses ... **Lectors ... Teachers for Children's Liturgy ... Jr. Altar Servers ...** Please contact the Parish Office at 613-722-7661 for information on the many ways to be involved in our parish community.

PASTORAL CARE: If you know of any shut-ins, sick or aged parishioners who are unable to come to the Church but would like to receive Holy Communion, or who would like a visit from the Priest for Reconciliation or the Sacrament of the Sick, please call the Parish Office at 613-722-7661.

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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