

JOYFUL NEWS!

MASSES HAVE NOW RESUMED AT 30% CAPACITY.

Our Mass is live-streamed at 10:00am on Sunday.

Please click on the link on our website as we celebrate Mass together.

Saturday, August 8, 2020

4:30 pm Soul of Art Cloutier by the Family

Sunday, August 9, 2020

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Soul of Diane Sabino by Hazel & John Brule

11:30 am Soul of Father Jeffrey King
By Glenise George

Monday, August 10, 2020

9:00 am

Tuesday, August 11, 2020

9:00 am

Wednesday, August 12, 2020

9:00 am 22nd Anniversary for Soul of Franco Vigile
By his Wife Elizabeth

Thursday, August 13, 2020

9:00 am Soul of Margaret Sandiford and Deceased
Family Members by her Estate

Friday, August 14, 2020

9:00 am Soul of Gordon Hilchie by Charles Tierney

Saturday, August 15, 2020

4:30 pm Soul of Wilf Smith by his Daughters,
Susan Plunkett and Laurie Smith

Sunday, August 16, 2020

8:30 am For all Parishioners

10:00 am Souls of Fidel and Luz Gomez
By Olivia Gomez

11:30 am

Monday, August 17, 2020

9:00 am

Tuesday, August 18, 2020

9:00 am

Wednesday, August 19, 2020

9:00 am

Thursday, August 20, 2020

9:00 am

Friday, August 21, 2020

9:00 am

Saturday, August 22, 2020

4:30 pm Souls of Linda and Martyn Webber
By their Friend, Laurie Smith

Sunday, August 23, 2020

8:30 pm For all Parishioners

10:00 am
11:30 am Soul of Margaret Sandiford and Deceased
Family Members by her Estate

Catholics who are unable to come to Mass are encouraged to participate via Mass shown on television or the internet. We are invited to continue to pray at home with our families and join with the virtual Mass by making an act of spiritual communion. There are many resources available on the Diocesan website. Visit www.catholicottawa.ca/pastoral-resources-for-the-pandemic

SENIORS: The Council on Aging of Ottawa gathers information of interest to seniors. Updates are available at www.coaottawa.ca/impact-updates.

The Parish Office remains closed until further notice. If you have any office-related needs you may contact the Office at 613-722-7661x2 or info@fatimaparish.ca. Our mailing address is: 153 Woodroffe Avenue, Ottawa, ON K2A 3T8. Visit our website www.fatimaparish.ca.

For any pastoral needs, please feel free to contact Fr. Bosco Wong at pastor@fatimaparish.ca or 613-722-7661x3



Deacon Cuddihy, Sofie, Frank, Shelly Firth, James Marquardt, Edith Wright, Theresa Veaudry-Abbott, Toni Kramar, Peter, Catherine & Steve Offierski, Michael Anderson, Sandra & Ken

Kraglund, Bill & Carol Fitzpatrick, Catherine Levasseur, Etta McKeown, Redge Doyle, Cynthia Hyduk, Maria Henriksen, Bridget Cyr, John, Brian, Paul McDonnell, Marion Rodrigues, Sue Smith, Theresa Ziebell, Sr. Essie Kofie, Elizabeth Muldoon, Marian Teevens, Claudette McSorley, Remedios Balgos, Claude, Liam McGee, Patricia & Victor Tolgyesy, Damian, Brian, Richard Weber, Vincent Quinn, Rowena Cruzado, Mike, Mary, Peter McAllister, Gerry Comba, Alex Mask, Duane Clark, John Dawes, Kristina Robinson, Charlie Laderoute, Danilo Gomez, Flavio & Amelia Gomez, Rosalina Flores, Joan Comba, Chris Jarrett, Rick Allan, Russ Grant, Jacob Dawes, Mike & Jacque McMullen, Jo Ann, Mary Carmody, Emilie Kamo, Tammy Bushnik, Joanne Faulkner.

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

YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT IS APPRECIATED. Did you know our parish depends exclusively on the on-going generosity of donations to maintain our operations? As we do our part to help prevent the spreading of COVID19, please consider how you can continue your financial support. Donations by credit card can be made by phone or e-mail, cheques can be mailed to the parish. Monthly donation by credit card or through your bank is also an option – donation forms may be found on our website at www.fatimaparish.ca. A good number of parishioners have sent your donation in the mail or dropped it in the rectory mail box. **At Mass you may deposit your offering in the donation tube found near the main entrance and by St. Joseph's statue.** Thanks for your ongoing support of the church. Your continued prayerful and financial support is much appreciated!

SCHEDULING A MASS INTENTION: If you would like to schedule an intention please mail your request with your offering, or drop it in the Rectory mail slot (front door opposite Funeral Home). Requests can also be made by phone or e-mail. Payment can be made by credit card or cheque. The suggested donation for an announced Mass intention is \$15. If you have already booked an intention but have not yet made your offering please make arrangements to do so before the scheduled date so that you can be sure the intention will be prayed for.

COLLECTION UPDATE – July 16 – Aug 4, 2020

Collection	\$ 11,239.50
Year to Date Collection	\$145,391.27
Year to Date Disbursements	\$222,151.01



JOYFUL NEWS - MASSES HAVE RESUMED! Our Mass times in July are: Monday-Friday 9am, Saturday 4:30pm, Sunday 8:30am, 10am, 11:30am.

Welcome back! We know these are a lot of changes to process. Don't worry – we will have volunteers to guide you along the way.

We have missed you and are looking forward to being able to worship together in person or watch the live streamed mass at 4:30pm on Saturday or at 10:00am on Sunday whenever possible. Those who are not ready to return to church Mass and have a computer, cell phone or other electronic devices can benefit from it. Please connect via the parish website – www.fatimaparish.ca With your help we can do so safely.

We encourage everyone to adhere to the Ottawa Public Health guidelines - if you are 65 and older, have a chronic condition or have a compromised immune system you may be at higher risk of developing complications. Please remember that **Sunday obligation is suspended until further notice** so it is not mandatory that you return to Mass at this time. Please stay safe. You might prefer attending a weekday Mass where it is less crowded. Or watch the Mass livestreamed at 11:30am on Sunday. **Things will be different.** You will notice many changes when you return. **We want to keep each other safe.** Here are some of the changes you can expect:

- You will be asked to **please stay home** if you exhibit any of the symptoms of flu or COVID19 including fever, sore throat, coughing, sneezing.
- You must wear a mask or face covering when you attend and you are asked to please bring your own sanitizer as well, if possible. Otherwise sanitizer will be available at the entrance & exit doors.

You do not need to register for Mass. We do not want to turn anyone away but we are limited to 100 people – please be patient as we move forward. We are complying with directives from the Archdiocese and health regulations. Unfortunately the washroom is only available for emergencies as it needs to be sanitized after each use. **Our volunteer ushers will direct you to your seat. Please follow their instructions and do not move from your assigned spot.** For a more detailed description of what to expect please check the latest Update for Parishioners found on our website.

BYRON AVENUE CONSTRUCTION: In advance of LRT tunnel construction you will notice work being done on Byron Avenue over the next few months as crews relocate utilities and do roadwork. The City of Ottawa advises: "The public can expect to see parking signage and temporary fencing around the work sites; fencing and signage will be relocated as work areas shift. Construction in this corridor will be ongoing and temporary minor delays to traffic may occur at times. Pedestrians and cyclists should use extra caution as traffic patterns change. Motorists should be aware of and adhere to traffic control signage, posted speed limits and traffic control personnel." At times the entrance to our parking lot might be blocked from Byron Avenue. Access will still be available via Woodroffe Avenue or Knightsbridge Road. Thank you for your patience.

CANADA 54 NOVENA FROM AUGUST 15 TO OCTOBER 7 to Our Lady of the Cape, Queen of Intercessors. This is a powerful opportunity to intercede from your own home by praying the Rosary for the conversion of souls, and Canada's needs related to the pandemic and to stopping Bill C-7 (medical assistance in dying (MAiD)). The novena begins on the Feast of the Assumption which is so timely since Canada is consecrated to Our Lady and ends on the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. A similar 54 Day Novena in the spring saw over 1,000,000 Hail Mary's offered! Please join in. For information see the website. <https://www.subscribe.com/d3y919#skcmMRjoliqgHZLBlyWHRrQPkBpGQAYi>

1) Reflection on the 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Where is God in the midst of the pandemic? The Word reminds us that God is present in the still breeze, and as well in the



storm of life. Jesus calms the fear of the disciples so they can place their trust upon him.

2) Reflection on the 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Maintain justice, do what is right, salvation and deliverance belong to all, there are no foreigners beyond the reach of God! Jesus heals the Canaanite woman, set her faith as an example for all disciples to follow!

3) The Province has made it mandatory to wear a mask/face covering so as to reduce transmission of COVID19. The policy is to ensure that we shall not have a second wave which could set us back. We have also entered stage 3 where most businesses have cautiously re-opened, but with social-distancing. We are grateful for volunteers who exercise their discipleship during this critical time to assist us so that we can ensure the safety and security of our parishioners. Please check your body temperature before leaving home. Please wear a personal mask/face cover to protect yourselves and others and make use of the hand sanitizers.

4) During the pandemic the provincial regulation and diocesan guidelines are that we should suspend communion in the tongue until the pandemic is over and it is safe to do so. Please be respectful of the concern for safety during this time!

5) For the month of August at least, we shall not have servers, nor choir/music during Mass. Should the situation improve, we shall carefully open up gradually to ensure there is no second wave of infection.

6) We will keep the regular weekend Mass schedule in order to ensure not too many will be turned away. We shall help you fill your containers with holy water, and vigil lights can be lit before Masses only. Offerings for vigil lights can be placed in the tube near the statue of Our Lady of Fatima.

7) Please do not linger in church after Mass, as we need time to sanitize the church. Entrance will be at the main door and exit will be near the ramp door by St. Joseph's statue.

8) During the months of July and August the bulletins will be available every two weeks. If necessary, we shall send you an e-mail message to update you on evolving situations.

9) We are thankful that weekend worship is possible, but things are not yet back to normal. At this time we shall keep the regular confession and Mass schedule (Monday-Friday morning Masses only). Anything beyond will have to wait until we have some normalcy.

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:	