

# OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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### *Our Lady of Fatima School*

3176 St. Clair Avenue East

416-393-5252

### *St. Joachim's School*

3395 St. Clair Avenue East

416-393-5292

## PARISH GROUPS:

### *St. Vincent de Paul Society (Helpline)*

416-757-9561

### *Discalced Carmelite Secular Order - O.C.D.S.*

*Lucia dos Santos Community* - every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday @7:00 p.m.

Contact: Teresa Casino, [maritess8@hotmail.com](mailto:maritess8@hotmail.com)

### *Knights of Columbus - Second Thursday @ 7:15 p.m.*

Frank Grech (GF)

416-424-2111

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416-906-8141

### *Catholic Women's League - every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sat. @ 2:00 p.m.*

Amy Lath

647-901-7139

Jenny Fernandes

416-230-2137

### *Legion of Mary - Praesidium - every Sat. @ 10:00 a.m.*

Auxiliary Circle - every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sun. @ 1:30 p.m.

### *The Lord's Flock Prayer Group*

Every Sunday: 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Jun & Cynthia

416-916-1577

## BAPTISMS:

*Application Form from the Parish office.*

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION

*Contact the Parish Office in September.*

## MARRIAGES:

Couples must personally contact the parish office at least **one full year in advance**. No date may be set before meeting with the priest. **A Marriage Preparation Course is required.**

## ANointing OF THE SICK:

Please contact the nurse station at the hospital for priest on duty. For home visits, call the parish office.

**FUNERALS:** Families requesting a Catholic funeral service for their deceased loved ones should contact a Catholic Funeral Director, preferably from the parish. For help call the parish office.

For information about **CATHOLIC CEMETERIES**, please visit the site: [www.catholic-cemeteries.com](http://www.catholic-cemeteries.com)

## MASS SCHEDULES:

Saturday 4:30 p.m.

Sunday 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and

Friday (except First Friday) 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday - Rosary, Devotions & Mass 6:30 p.m.

Holidays & Saturdays 9:00 a.m.

First Fridays (2 Masses) 12:30 pm & 7:00 p.m.

## RECONCILIATION:

**Saturdays:** 9:45 - 10:30 a.m. & 3:40 - 4:25 p.m.

**First Fridays:** 6:00 p.m. before devotions

## OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday: 9:00 a.m - 12:00 Noon, 1:00 pm - 3:00 p.m.

**The Office is closed on Saturday, Sunday & Holidays**

We welcome you to **OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH** and encourage you to register with us either online or at the Parish office. Kindly support us using the offertory envelopes on a regular basis.

*When making your Will, please remember to include the "FATIMA SHRINE RENOVATION FUND."!*



# Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

## Saturday, November 16

4:30 p.m. Sam Galipo  
Joe Canha & All Deceased Fam. Mem.

## Sunday, November 17

9:00 a.m. Isidro Villaflor  
Jogie Villaflor  
10:30 a.m. Joan McManus  
Hann Sequeira (I) Birthday  
12:15 p.m. People of the Parish

## Monday, November 18

8:00 a.m. Flora Validor  
Lucy Buló

## Tuesday, November 19

8:00 a.m. Ida Britto  
Patria Tillo (I) Birthday

## Wednesday, November 20

7:00 p.m. Melanie Kiserye (I) Birthday  
Deceased Members of Legion of Mary

## Thursday, November 21

8:00 a.m. All Souls in Remembrance Book

## Friday, November 22

8:00 a.m. Holy Souls in Purgatory  
Antonia Portales

## Saturday, November 23

9:00 a.m. Salvatore Meleca  
Luigi Fuser

### 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 17, 2019



*By your endurance you will gain your souls.”* Be patient with yourself and with God as you await the sign of your call. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact **Rev. Fr. Chris Lemieux** at 416-968-0997 or on [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) or call **Rev. Fr. Dominic Borg, OCD** at 416-757-2806 or email [olfatima@rogers.com](mailto:olfatima@rogers.com) for information.

### 33<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - C



As we near the end of the Church year – a year dedicated to the gift of FAITH – we are reminded once again that we can expect to be tested. Should we take today’s gospel as a precise description of how the world will end? No. What must come, will come [suffering is inevitable] but we should not be distracted from Christ’s presence in our lives. The temple will be destroyed, imposters will speak in Jesus’ name; do not believe them. Through cosmic catastrophe and personal persecution the believer must trust. Our trials will be blessings, allowing us to witness to Jesus, who will tell us what to say. Even if we are betrayed, we must remain faithful; God will not abandon us and, in the end, we will be graced with his life. Malachi prophesies that the Day of Judgment will be, for the wicked, a day of doom; but God-fearers can look forward to it with eagerness. Should we stop working because of rumors of Christ’s coming? Paul reproves those Thessalonians who use this as an excuse for laziness; their worker-apostle paid his own way. Until Christ does come, let us act like responsible members of his community and of the world.



### SHEPHERDS’ TRUST COLLECTION

The SHEPHERDS’ TRUST COLLECTION takes place this weekend *November 16/17* at all of the weekend Masses.

**PLEASE BE GENEROUS IN YOUR SUPPORT!**

### CHILDREN’S LITURGY

The **Children’s Liturgy** meetings is this *Sunday, November 16* during the **10:30 am Mass**.



Next classes for First Holy Communion class are *Nov.16, 24, and Dec. 01, 2019* all student **must** attend.

**CONFIRMATION** we are still accepting application during office hours until *December 06*. Please submit application as we do not accept applications after the deadline. Thank you for all your co-operation.

### CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS PARTY

**Our Lady of Fatima’s annual CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS PARTY** is on **Sunday, December 08, 2019.**



*Registration at the back of church next weekend the week after.*



✠ The next Masses offered for loved ones listed in the *Book of Remembrance* will be celebrated on:



Saturday, November 16 at 9:00 am  
Thursday, November 21 at 8:00 am  
Monday, November 25 at 8:00 am  
Friday, November 29, at 8:00 am

**R.C.I.A. Program: October – April 2020**

Meetings are held according to Schedule, on Saturdays, in church hall from **10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.** Thank you for your interest and support. **There is a regular meeting this weekend; next meetings are on: Nov. 24, Dec 01, 08, &15.**

**A gentle reminder ...**

**RENOVATIONS FUND**

During all Masses this weekend, **November 23/24** we have a 2<sup>nd</sup> collection in support of the parish's in support of the electronic sign outside the parish and other needs of the parish. **Thank you for your generous support and God bless!**



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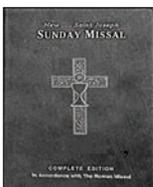
**On Sunday, November 24 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.**



Door Prizes, Raffle Prizes, Santa Selfies, Face Painting, 50/50 Draw, Kids Craft Zone! Free Admission. Over 50 Handmade Gift & Décor Artisans! Non-Perishable Food donation Will receive One Extra Door Prize ballot. Hope to see there rain or shine!

**Next Sunday ... SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING**

- The last Sunday in the liturgical year.
- The new liturgical year begins with the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent on *Sunday December 1, 2019.*



**Sunday Missal and Hymnal for 2020: Canadian Edition**

We will start using the new people's **SUNDAY MISSAL** on the first weekend of Advent, that is **Sunday, Nov. 30 / Dec. 01, 2019.** Copies can be purchased for **\$5.00** each from our custodian at the back of the church. Thank you for your support.

**INFANT JESUS NOVENA 2019**

Novena 8 – Wed November 27 at 6:00 pm

Novena 9 – Wed December 18 at 6:00 pm

**The Feast of the Infant Jesus of Prague is celebrated on Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at 6:00 pm**



**Are you new in the parish?**

Please consider registering with us. Visit or phone the parish office at 416-757-2806, for more information. Thanks for updating your personal data.



**Your support means so much to us! Thank you.**

**The SVDP Christmas Collection & Food Drive ...**

Is on the weekend of November 30/01 + Dec 07/08



**WE COUNT ON YOUR SUPPORT ... GOD BLESS**

**Join a workshop on Development and Peace – Caritas Canada's new campaign, *For our Common Home***

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**Date:** Saturday, November 30 **Time:** 9:00 am to 1:00 pm  
**Place:** St. Mary's Parish, 65 Amelia St., Barrie, ON  
**Contact:** beckerooski@sympatico.ca or (705) 325-4614



**Our Lady of Fatima Parish**

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