

OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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St. Vincent de Paul Society (Helpline) 416-757-9561

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Lucia dos Santos Community - every 3rd Monday @ 7:00 p.m.

Contact: Teresa Casino, maritess8@hotmail.com

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Frank Grech (GF) 416-424-2111

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

Auxiliary Circle - every 2nd 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

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, May 23

4:30 p.m. Agnes Gomes
Mary Opoku (I) *Birthday*

Sunday, May 24

9:00 a.m. For All the Babies
10:30 a.m. For All the Seniors
12:15 p.m. People of the Parish

Monday, May 25

8:00 a.m. Pastor Intention

Tuesday, May 26

8:00 a.m. Pastor Intention

Wednesday, May 27

7:00 p.m. Pastor Intention

Thursday, May 28

8:00 am Benjamin Fuentes

Friday, May 29

8:00 am Pastor Intention

Saturday, May 30

9:00 a.m. Pastor Intention

Ascension Sunday - May 24, 2020



Jesus said, "Remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." If you are discerning God's call for you, contact **Rev. Fr. Chris Lemieux** at 416-968-0997 or on vocations@vocations.ca or call **Rev.**

Fr. Dominic Borg, OCD at 416-757-2806 or at olfatima@rogers.com for more information.

Remember to regularly visit our website ...

www.fatimashrine.ca

Regular updates and weekly announcements.

My God, I believe, I adore, I hope and I love Thee! I ask pardon for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love Thee.

Ascension of the Lord -A



Within the fifty days of Easter, the feast of the Ascension emphasizes Jesus' return to the Father and its consequence: his charge to make disciples of the world. The letter to the Ephesians tells us that Jesus is head of the Church, his body on earth. We see him asserting his authority both in Acts and the gospel as he takes leave of his followers. Through preaching, sacramental ministry and instruction, the Church will continue Christ's work of making disciples. The misunderstanding and doubt which characterize his followers as he says farewell make it clear that this work is God's, not human doing. It is the Spirit of Christ who gives faith and strength to these human witnesses and makes it possible for them to continue Jesus' work in the world. One day the entire human family will recognize God to be God, and Christ will be worshipped as king and head of humankind. To hasten that day we join the psalmist in singing God's praise. *Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

2020 ShareLife 3rd Campaign

Regarding ShareLife, a revised collection schedule will be released when Masses are celebrated in our parishes. Parishioners can still contribute by credit card through the ShareLife website, or by mailing or dropping their contribution to the parish. It is important that parishes send their ShareLife receipts to our office on a regular basis, as the allocations to the agencies continue to be paid. If there are any questions please feel free to contact me at milway@archtoronto.org or 416-934-3400 ext. 607 (you'll likely get my voicemail to which I'll respond). Please visit www.sharelife.org, for more information. Our 2020 suggested ShareLife parish goal \$34,100.



PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY.

Please REMEMBER!
That there are no classes or meetings for CHILDREN'S LITURGY & CONFIRMATION CLASSES DUE TO COVID-19 . Thank your understanding.





LIVE STREAMING AT ST. MICHAEL'S CATHEDRAL

WEEK DAY MASSES:

Pray with the Cardinal Collins Mass, Rosary and Angelus Mass begins at 7:30 am.

<https://www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live/>

WEEKEND Masses:

Masses Celebrated by Archdiocese of Toronto priests in different languages

[http://www.youtube.com/playlist?](http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL1111111111111111)

Interested In a P.A.G. [Pre-Authorized Giving] Plan?

Pick up a flyer with more information about what is the 'pre-authorized giving' plan and how parishioners can participate. Is your personal data as registered in our records updated?



Please inform the office (416-757-2806) about any changes in your information new address or new phone number or added members to your household! Thank you for your cooperation.

Mail or Drop off your regular weekly offertory contribution, cheques could be mailed to the Parish address or place your envelopes to our MAIL BOX by the office door.

If you wish to continue supporting the parish financially, you can drop your envelope at the parish office or mail it to us. For more ways to give go the Archdiocesan website at www.archtoronto.org/covid19/pages/support your parish.

PLEASE REGISTER WITH US !

You are most welcome to register your family with us. We are very grateful to **new parishioners** who have done so already, and to those who did **update** their records.

New registrations will not be effective unless the family has been residing in the parish for at least 6 months.

We thank you all for your help and support. More information from our office, Monday to Friday 9 am to 3 pm or email us at olfatima@rogers.com or visit our website: www.fatimashrine.ca to download a registration form.



WELCOME

To help us plan for the future, please register as soon as you move into the parish. Fill in this form and return it, or better yet - stop in any time.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

NUMBER OF CHILDREN _____

Prayer Meditation for The Ascension

O Lord Jesus, I adore you, Son of Mary, my Saviour and my Brother, for You are God. I follow You in my thoughts, O first-fruits of our race, as I hope one day by Your grace to follow You in my person into heavenly glory. Until then, do not let me neglect the earthly task which You have given me. Let me labour diligently all my life with a greater appreciation for the present. Let me realize that only by accomplishing true human fulfillment can I attain Divine fulfillment and ascend to You at the completion of my work. Amen.



Most high
and Mighty and Omnipotent
Lord

The fairest month of May
brings contentment and great
Being the fifth month
in the annual calendar
Its worth is quintessential
like no other. In fact to-day
we all honour our mother
And so my heart turns to
the Mother of the Lord



Who has made all things solely by His word
The Word come down to earth from Mary's womb
The word mightier than death rose
when enclosed in a tomb
Oh Mother mild most beloved are you,
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