

OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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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: NO MASS, 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 (1 Mass) 12:30 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, October 17

4:30 p.m. + Antonio Tuason

Sunday, October 18

9:00 a.m. People of the Parish

10:30 a.m. + Deborah Mangal
+ Josephine Lind

12:15 p.m. Anola Silva

Monday, October 19

NO MASS

Tuesday, October 20

8:00 a.m. Abuel Family (I) *Thanksgiving*

Wednesday, October 21

7:00 p.m. Loreanne Larbi (I) *Birthday*

Thursday, October 22

8:00 a.m. Philomena Singhroy (I) *Birthday*
Mariano Terrado (I) *Birthday*

Friday, October 23

8:00 a.m. +Enid Fung
+Agnes Gomes

Saturday, October 24

9:00 a.m. + Joseph Grimaldi

29th Sunday in O.T. – October 18, 2020



“Give to God the things that are God’s.” That includes you! Is God calling you to service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister? Contact **Rev. Fr. Chris Lemieux** at 416-968-0997 or on vocations@vocations.ca or call **Rev. Fr. Mark Robson** at 416-757-2806 or at olfatima@rogers.com for more information.

www.fatimashrine.ca

Remember to regularly visit our website ...

www.fatimashrine.ca

Regular updates and weekly announcements.

Please pray for the newly baptized in Christ:

✠ Soulenah Evora Gustilo

For in Christ Jesus you are all children of God through faith. Galatians 3:26

28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – A

To whom do we owe allegiance, God or civil authorities? Our first reading calls the Persian king Cyrus God’s anointed. Although Cyrus does not worship Israel’s God, he carries out the will of the Lord of History. How do we act when the demands of Church and state conflict? Jesus’ opponents try to trap him by raising the question of the relationship of politics and religion. Jesus does not give an answer but states a principle, making each of us responsible for acting according to an informed conscience. When the state requires more than its due, and we are tempted to idolatry, we must disobey the state. A Christian cannot adopt a civil religion which believes in *my country, right or wrong*. But how often in modern times has Caesar been given what belongs to God! If we must stand alone after a moral decision, will we have the courage of our convictions? St. Paul is encouraged by the Thessalonians’ faith in action, which he sees as a gift of the Spirit. May our contemporary prophets be moved by such vibrant faith!



Give to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the things that are God’s. (Matthew 22.15-21)

Mass Attendance Survey 2020

This survey, requested by our Archbishop Cardinal Thomas Collins, is intended to provide an accurate profile of ‘Mass Attendance’ in our archdiocese. It will be done during all this weekend Masses and over next weekends – *October 17/18 and 24/25* – and it will involve a number of ushers and volunteers doing a ‘head count’ in every section of the church at the start of the homily. Thank you for your co-operation and understanding in this exercise!

R.C.I.A. Program: Oct. 2020 – Apr. 2021

This year’s *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* (R.C.I.A.) program, in our parish is starting this **Sunday, October 18, 2020** in the church hall from **12:15 to 1:30 pm**. Join this journey of prayer, reflection and instruction for anyone wishing to explore the beauty of the Catholic faith. Call us on **(416) 757-2806** or visit the parish office, during office hours, to pick up a form. Visit our website: www.fatimashrine.ca or email us: olfatima@rogers.com



CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The *Children's Liturgy* meetings will not be resuming at this times. Please stay safe and healthy.

FIRST COMMUNION INFORMATION

First Holy Communion classes will conclude with two (2) sessions on both *Sunday, October 18th and Sunday, October 25th at 1:30 pm in the church.* Candidates must attend both of these meetings. **1st Reconciliations** will be made on **Wednesday, October 28th at 5:00 pm and Saturday, October 31st at 1:30 pm.** Candidates may receive the sacrament of either of these dates, depending on their availability. There will be two opportunities to celebrate: **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION DAY:**



Saturday, November 7th, 2020 at 1:30p.m.
Saturday, November 14th, 2020 at 1:30 pm

2020 CONFIRMATION SCHEDULES



Session 1-3 were completed in person. Session 4-6 will be taking place via Google Classrooms.

Please sign up [here](#), to gain access.

Meetings [classes] will be held ONLINE on Saturday afternoon from 2.30 to 3:30 pm. Sessions Dates are:

October 17th, October 31, & November 14, 2020.

Please sign up online to attend the Confirmation which will take place in the Church: *(Please choose one date).*

Thursday, November 19, 2020 at 6:30 pm
Tuesday, November 24, 2020 at 6:30 pm.

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October 18 is ShareLife Sunday. Please give generously.

COVID-19 ALERT

Please read the following carefully and conduct the self-assessment prior to attending the church. If the answer to any of these questions is “Yes” we ask kindly that you remain at home and self-quarantine until any symptoms dissipate. Please contact your healthcare provider or Telehealth Ontario (1 866-797-0000 to find out if need Covid-19 test.

REQUIRED SCREENING QUESTIONS:

Do you have any of the following new or worsening symptoms or signs? Symptoms should not be chronic or related to other known causes or conditions.

- Fever or chills ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Difficulty breathing or shortness of breath ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Cough, Sore throat, trouble swallowing ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Runny nose/stuffy nose or nasal congestion ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Decrease or loss of smell or taste ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, abdominal pain ♦ Yes ♦ No
- Not feeling well, extreme tiredness, sore muscles ♦ Yes ♦ No

Have you travelled outside of Canada in the past 14 days? ♦ Yes ♦ No

Have you had close contact with a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19? ♦ Yes ♦ No

ONLINE DONATIONS:

Dear parishioners,

If you are not able to attend, but still wish to donate, here are the ways in which you can continue to support our parish at this time:

- Mail your regular weekly offertory contribution to the parish or drop off to the parish mailbox by the office door, or drop off in the donations box at Mass.
- Online donations can be made at www.archtoronto.org. Simply click on the donate now icon, select Our Lady of Fatima parish from the drop down menu and the fund you wish to donate to. This can be done as a onetime donation or as an ongoing monthly donation. It will give you a place to choose that option.
- Contribute through pre-authorized giving. You can obtain a form from the parish. Mail the completed form and a voided cheque to ou parish office. Or e-mail the form and a scanned copy or photo of a voided cheque to development@archtoronto.org for processing. Contributions are withdrawn from your bank account on the 20th of each month. Thank you for your many contributions to our parish community.

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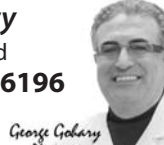
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