

# OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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Rev. Fr. Mark Robson

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## SCHOOLS:

### *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.*

Matthew Onyschuk (GK) 647-979-4325

John Paul St. Pierre (DGK) 416-906-8141

### *Catholic Women's League - every 1<sup>st</sup> Sat. @ 2:00 p.m.*

[cwl.olf@gmail.com](mailto:cwl.olf@gmail.com)

### *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: 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:

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

**First Fridays:** 12:00 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

Sunday, October 03

- 9:00 a.m. People of the Parish
10:30 a.m. +Pietro Toma
12:15 p.m. Gabriel Trujillo Aliaga (I) Thanksgiving

Monday, October 04

NO MASS

Tuesday, October 05

- 8:00 a.m. +Doris Reilly

Wednesday, October 06

- 7:00 p.m. Opoku Family (I) Thanksgiving

Thursday, October 07

- 8:00 a.m. +Carolina Camela

Friday, October 08

- 7:00 p.m. +Mike Baker

Saturday, October 09

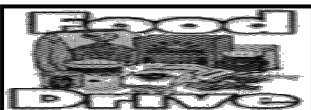
- 9:00 a.m. +Arturo Rivera
4:30 p.m. +Maria Alcantara

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time - October 03, 2021



Matrimony, a beautiful vocation so misused today. Celibacy, a beautiful gift so mis-understood today. Whether we do God's work in pairs or as a single person in ministry or in a community, we do God's work because He calls us. If you feel God is calling you to a Church vocation call Rev. Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto at 416-968-0997; email vocations@archtoronto.org or call Rev. Fr. Mark Robson at 416-757-2806 or at olfatimasc@archtoronto.org for more information.

St. Vincent de Paul



Thanksgiving Food Drive On the weekends of October 2/3 + 09/10

We count on your support ... God bless.

BUNDLE UP Weekend ... October 08 to 11, 2021

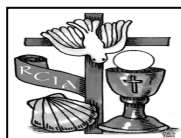
Winter Coats, Boots, Children's & Baby's Clothing, Ladies Wear, Men's Wear, Shoes, Bedding, Drapes, Accessories, etc.

27th SUN IN ORDINARY TIME - B

For a patriarchal era, the famous story of Genesis is an unexpected statement of the equality of the sexes and their mutual development through marriage. The story does not describe the creation of woman but explains why women are so important to men. In God's plan, women are not subordinate but fully human. Today's gospel shows Jesus rejecting the Jewish custom of divorce - which could be initiated only by the husband - and establishing equal responsibilities in marriage for both partners (the Jewish husband was not considered guilty of adultery against his wife). Jesus forbids divorce by either partner in the interpersonal relationship of marriage. Then the gospel turns to Jesus' love for children; they are not self-sufficient but are open to others. We should welcome God's rule like children, who cannot claim anything on their own merits. The letter to the Hebrews holds up Jesus as the one who leads us into God's glory. In Jesus, God entered into partnership with the human race. In Jesus' spirit of self-giving, women and men can enter into and sustain the most demanding of partnerships, namely marriage.



R.C.I.A. Program: Oct. 2021 - Apr. 2022



The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) program starts in our parish on Sunday, October 17, 2021 candidates are to attend 12:15 p.m.

Mass followed by in person meeting in the church hall (prayer room) until 2:00 pm. If you or anyone you know are interested contact the parish office, during office hours, pick up a form or phone us at (416) 757-2806 emailed us at olfatimasc@archtoronto.org immediately.

Mass Attendance Survey 2021

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 the weekend Masses and over two weekends - October 16/17 and 23/24- 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. Thank you for your co-operation in this exercise.



### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy meetings will not be resuming any time soon. We will update parents and parishioners for any changes.



Students in **Grade 2 & Grade 3** can now register for **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Classes 2021-2022** until **October 15, 2021 at 7:00 pm** in the church hall. Applications are available from the church during office hours and at the school.



All students for **CONFIRMATION 2021-2022 Grade 7 & Grade 8** are now welcome to register, deadline for registration is **Friday, January 21, 2022**, please don't delay as we will not accept any late registration after this date. Application will be available both church office and school. Call the office at **416-757-2806** or email at **olfatimasc@archtoronto.org** if you have any questions. *Thank you.*



### Today is ShareLife Sunday



Today is our third ShareLife collection. Our goal this year is **[\$34,100]**. We encourage you to give during this weekend's special collection. You can also donate online via [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org). By doing so, you'll be making a real difference in the lives of poor and marginalized members of our community. Monthly Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG) is a convenient way to spread your ShareLife contribution throughout the year. Simply submit a void cheque in a ShareLife envelope to the parish office or drop it in the offertory basket. Contact ShareLife at [slife@archtoronto.org](mailto:slife@archtoronto.org) or 416-934-3411 if you have any questions about pre-authorized giving.

**Please give generously during the special collection or anytime at [sharelife.org](http://sharelife.org).**

### POPE FRANCIS OCTOBER 2021 INTENTION Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

**Remember to regularly visit our new website:**  
**[www.olfatimasc.archtoronto.org](http://www.olfatimasc.archtoronto.org)**  
**Email: [olfatimasc@archtoronto.org](mailto:olfatimasc@archtoronto.org)**  
Regularly updated with new photos and weekly announcements




### To All Parishioners:

We thank all parishioners to all your support to our parish. We welcome you and your family 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 : **"OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH, Scarborough, Ontario."** Correspondence is addressed to the Pastor, 3170 St. Clair Ave. East, Scarborough, Ontario M1L 1V6. May the good Lord bless your generous hearts. **"God loves a cheerful giver"** (2 Corinthian 9.7)

### ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO WEBPAGE ON HEALING & RECONCILIATION)

#### Opportunities for Prayer and Reflection

- Prayer Services (Prepared by the Archdiocese of Toronto in consultation with Indigenous Elders) – for personal or parish use.
- (Novena to the Martyrs for those Hurt by Residential Schools (written by Fr. Robert Foliot, SJ)
- Way of the Cross – Praying About Residential Schools (YouTube video – 54 minutes).
- Way of the Cross from Martyrs' Shrine, Midland – written by Fr. Robert Foliot, SJ) Prayer for Tolerance, Forgiveness, Reconciliation – (prepared by the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops for National Indigenous Peoples Day).
- Collection of Prayers – including those from the Diocese of Saskatoon and other sources – Archdiocese of Toronto webpage on Healing & Reconciliation).

A second collection for the **WORLD MISSIONS** will be done the weekend of **October 23/24**. Please use envelopes from your box of  donation envelopes ... or the ones available at all church entrances. Pray for the Missions and help generously. Also visit [www.missionsocieties.ca](http://www.missionsocieties.ca).

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