

# OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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## PASTOR:

Rev. Fr. Glass

## OFFICE STAFF:

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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.*

Frank Grech (GK) 416-424-2111

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

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

[cwl.olof@gmail.com](mailto:cwl.olof@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

### *Missionaries Family of Christ - every 3rd Sat. @ 6:00 pm*

Ed & Beth Zapanta, [Elizabeth.x.zapanta@gmail.com](mailto:Elizabeth.x.zapanta@gmail.com)

## 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 Friday (1 Mass) 7:00 pm

## RECONCILIATION:

**First Saturdays:** : 9:45 - 10:30 am & 3:40 - 4:25 pm

Or call the Office for appointment.

## 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."!*



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**Mass Intentions**  
FOR THE WEEK 

**Sunday, October 23**

- 9:00 a.m. +Agnes Gomes
- 10:30 a.m. Adrian Friginal (I) Thanksgiving  
+Pietro Toma
- 12:15 p.m. People of the Parish

**Monday, October 24**

No Mass

**Tuesday, October 25**

- 8:00 a.m. +Veronica Goedhals

**Wednesday, October 26**

- 7:00 p.m. + Paterno R. Inosanto

**Thursday, October 27**

- 8:00 a.m. +Danilo Coretti

**Friday, October 28**

- 8:00 a.m. Kyle & Kamelle Vincent (I) Thanksgiving

**Saturday, October 29**

- 9:00 a.m. Chris Reagan (I) for Healing
- 4:30 p.m. Opoku Family (I) Thanksgiving

**30th Sunday in OT - October 23, 2022**



**WANTED:** Humble sinners who know the forgiveness of God. These make good servants of the Gospel. They can be priests, deacons, sisters or brothers. If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious or deacon, call **Rev. Fr. Matthew**

**McCarthy, Vocation Director, Archdiocese of Toronto** at 416-968-0997; email [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org) or call **Rev. Fr. Glass** at 416-757-2806 or at [olfatimasc@archtoronto.org](mailto:olfatimasc@archtoronto.org) for more information.

**Next Week Readings**

**31<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time**

Giving our First Fruits

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Wisdom 11.22-12.2**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 2 Thessalonians 1.11-2.2**

**Gospel: Luke 19.1-10**

Jesus and Zacchaeus

Latin Songs: can be found on Catholic Book of Worship (Pages 299 A, D, E, F, & G).

**FROM THE DESK OF FR. GLASS:**

*Cardinal John Henry Newman*

He joins the Church of God, not merely who speaks about it, or who defends it, or who contemplates it, but who loves it. — Cardinal Newman

Cardinal Newman’s *Apologia Pro Vita Sua* is one of the great works of English literature. It was written in response to a glib accusation by the popular author Charles Kingsley:

Truth, for its own sake, had never been a virtue with the Roman clergy. Father Newman informs us that it need not, and on the whole ought not to be; that cunning is the weapon which Heaven has given to the saints wherewith to withstand the brute male force of the wicked world. Whether his notion be doctrinally correct or not, it is at least historically so.

Kingsley went on to accuse Newman of personally practicing deceit. He claimed that Newman, before his conversion to Catholicism, had been secretly a Catholic while holding a prominent position in the Anglican Church. Newman’s friends strongly urged him to publicly refute this slanderous accusation, not for the sake of his own reputation, but to defend the honor of the Catholic Church. He answered the call:

I am bound now as a duty to myself, to the Catholic cause, to the Catholic Priesthood, to give account of myself without any delay, when I am so rudely and circumstantially charged with Untruthfulness. I accept the challenge; I shall do my best to meet it, and I shall be content when I have done so.

Newman’s *Apologia* was an intensely personal account of his own conversion: how, as a zealous anti-‘Romish’ Protestant minister and fellow of Oxford University, he came to question the authority of the Church of England, and eventually, at great personal cost, entered the Catholic Church. The result was that he not only vindicated his own honor and that of the Catholic Church, but he gave the English speaking world a fine piece of literature.

After his conversion, Newman founded the Oratory of St. Philip Neri in Birmingham, a rough industrial city with a large number of poor Irish Catholic immigrants. For the most part, he was busy with humbly serving the needs of his parishioners. Occasionally, however, his intellectual gifts were called into service. Among his most influential works are *The Idea of a University* and *An Essay on the Development of Doctrine*.

Although he is not well known by the average Catholic, Newman is truly one of the most important Catholic writers for our own times. Pope John Paul II and Pope Benedict were both great admirers of Newman. I am not alone in owing Cardinal Newman a great debt of gratitude for the role that he played in my own spiritual journey and in the discernment of my vocation.



### CHILDREN'S LITURGY 2022-2023

The Children's Liturgy meetings will continue this *Sunday, October 23 along with the First Holy Communion Classes*, during the **10:30 am Mass**. All children – *from 6 to 10 years old* – are welcome. Details **Confirmation Sessions** will be announced with applications at a later date. Thank you.



### R.C.I.A. Program: Oct. 2022 – Apr. 2023

Anyone interested in *joining* the Catholic Church? Already a Catholic and would like to *deepen your faith*? Perhaps you want to *refresh* your catholic doctrine? **Then you are invited to join the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.) program, a journey of prayer and instruction for those who wish to explore and strengthen the beauty of the Catholic faith.** If you or anyone you know are interested, contact the parish office, during office hours, pick up a form or phone us on (416) 757-2806. Email: [olfatimasc@archtoronto.org](mailto:olfatimasc@archtoronto.org)

† A *second collection* for **All Souls Day** will be held during all Masses of the weekend **October 28 & October 29.**

† On **November 1<sup>st</sup>** – ALL SAINT DAY – Masses in our church will be at **8:00 am & 7:00 pm.**

**November 2<sup>nd</sup>** – ALL SOULS DAY- Masses will be at **8:00 am & 7:00pm**

† Other Masses offered for loved ones listed in the *Book of Remembrance* will be celebrated on:

**Saturday, Nov. 12 at 9:00 am**

**Saturday, Nov. 19 at 4:30 pm**

**Sunday, Nov. 27 at 10:30 am**



† Please, if possible, enter the names of your loved ones in the "*Book of Remembrance*" before **November 1<sup>st</sup>**.



The **Lord's Flock** will start their weekly prayer meeting at the regular time every **Sunday in the church hall at 2:00 pm.** New members are always very welcome to join. You may contact Jun & Cynthia at 416-916-1577 for more information.

A second collection for the **WORLD MISSIONS** will be done this weekend. Please use envelopes from your box of donation envelopes ... or the ones available at all church entrances. This is a worldwide collection for the missionary Church and it is our opportunity to assist at-need Catholic communities around the global. Also visit [www.missionsocieties.ca](http://www.missionsocieties.ca). Pray for the Missions.



### Mass Attendance Survey 2022

The final count of church survey, requested by our Archbishop Cardinal Collins [intended to provide an accurate profile of 'Mass Attendance' in our archdiocese] will continue at all the weekend Masses – **Oct. 22/23**. This involves that 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.**

### Are you new in our parish?

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 updated their records. We thank all for your constant help and support. Come and pick up a form from our office, call at 416-757-2806 Monday to Friday, 9 am to 3 pm or download form from our website: [www.olfatimasc.archtoronto.org](http://www.olfatimasc.archtoronto.org) or email us at [olfatimasc@archtoronto.org](mailto:olfatimasc@archtoronto.org). Thank you.

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

### St. Vincent de Paul

**BUNDLE UP this Weekend ... October 29/30**  
Winter Coats, Boots, Children's & Baby's Clothing, Ladies Wear, Men's Wear, Shoes, Bedding, Drapes, Accessories, etc. **We count on your support ... God bless**

### Come & See – Day Retreat

November 20 at St. Augustine's Seminary Rev. Fr. Matthew McCarthy, Director, Office of Vocations The Office of Vocations will host a Come & See – Day Retreat for men 18 years and older, at St. Augustine's Seminary on **Friday, November 18 (6:30pm) until Sunday, November 20, (2:00 pm)**. This day retreat offers men a way to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this retreat in your parish and during your livestream Masses. Thank you in advance for your generosity as we work together to build a culture of vocations. REGISTER: [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca). EMAIL: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)



*Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, November 6, 2022*  
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