# OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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#### PASTOR:

Rev. Fr. Dominic Borg, OCD



#### **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)

Wednesday - Rosary, Devotions & Mass
Holidays & Saturdays

First Fridays (2 Masses)

8:00 a.m.
6:30 p.m.
9:00 a.m.
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* 

#### **OFFICE STAFF:**

Dennis Dyal - Business Manager Aurora Fraginal - Secretary Patrick Callahan - Property Manager Enrique De Leon - Custodian

#### 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

Knights of Columbus - Second Thursday @ 7:15 p.m.
Frank Grech (GF) 416-424-2111
John Paul St. Pierre (DGK) 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

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."!

#### SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING







### Saturday, November 23

4:30 p.m.

**Agnes Gomes** 

Deborah Mangal

# Sunday, November 24

9:00 a.m.

Fernandes Family (I)

Renato Caguitla

10:30 a.m.

Theresa Yantha

People of the Parish

12:15 p.m.

Allan Lo & Ruth Irene Engelhart

Douglas & Roslyn Junor (I) Wed.Ann.

# Monday, November 25

8:00 a.m.

All Souls in Remembrance Book

# Tuesday, November 26

8:00 a.m.

Kathleen Myers

Jean Fowler

### Wednesday, November 27

7:00 p.m.

Mona Greg

### Thursday, November 28

8:00 a.m.

Christine Rita Kato

# Friday, November 29

8:00 a.m.

All Souls in Remembrance Book

# Saturday, November 30

9:00 a.m.

Dominic Flammia

# 34<sup>th</sup> Sunday - Christ the King - November 24, 2019



"Jesus, remember me when you come into your Kingdom." Can you lead others to make this request of our Lord and King? Give your life to Jesus and others are sure to hear, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise." 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 <u>vocations@archtoronto.org</u> or call **Rev. Fr. Dominic Borg, OCD** at 416-757-2806 or email <u>olfatima@rogers.com</u> for information.

Arise, soldiers of Christ! Throw away the works of darkness and put on the armour of light.-St. Cecilia

# 34th SUNDAY- CHRIST THE KING - C

Our king was counted among criminals and was crucified! He refused to save himself, nor did he remove his fellow sufferers from their crosses of pain. By embracing human powerlessness, Jesus saved all who acknowledged him as Lord. Like the good thief, we who now share in Jesus' suffering will also share his glory. But do we disciples willingly



accept for the Church that role which Jesus chose for himself? Or do we want the Church to have the world's power and prestige? Such a triumphant community has nothing in common with its crucified Lord. Descendant of king David who we meet in today's first reading, Christ is the shepherd-king who leads his people in truth not in triumph. The Colossians hymn tells us that Jesus, first in creation, is first in redemption through his reconciling death. Is reconciliation our priority as we follow Christ our King? What God plans for Christ's disciples far surpasses worldly prestige, just as the title given Christ in mockery cannot describe his present glory.

# 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 Roof Renovation.

Thank you for your generous support and God bless.

### CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The **Children's Liturgy** meetings is this *Sunday*, during the 10:30 a.m. Mass.



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

**CONFIRMATION** we are still accepting application during office hours until <u>December 06</u>. 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 this weekend the week after.

# Remember to regularly visit our website ... www.fatimashrine.ca

Regular updates and weekly announcements





# **SHEPHERDS' TRUST COLLECTION - 2019**

Thank you to all our parishioners for your generous heart in



supporting priests who dedicated their life in ministering to God's people in this country and are now in retirement. God reward you!

So far our contribution to Shepherds' Trust is \$7,986.00.

Congratulations to the winners of the Fundraising for *ROOF RENOVATION RAFFLE*. Winning tickets are *I*<sup>st</sup> *Prize* #3852, 2<sup>nd</sup> *Prize* #327 & 3<sup>rd</sup> *Prize* #2873. We raised \$6,552.00. Please claim your prizes during office hours. Thank you for your endless support and God bless.

Final Masses offered for loved ones listed in the **Book of Remembrance** will be celebrated on: Monday, November **25 at** 8:00 am

Friday, November **29**, at 8:00 am



# **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.

# The St. Vincent De Paul Christmas

# Collection & Food Drive ...

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



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The **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** will be selling *CHRISTMAS CARDS* at the back of the church this weekend.
Their annual *SOCK DRIVE* is also back



during the weeks of Advent beginning Saturday, *November* 30, 2019. Thank you for your generous support.



# The Catholic Women's League ANNUAL BABY DRIVE - till Dec.22

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# 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.

#### FLOWERS for CHRISTMAS OFFERINGS

We welcome all offerings of support for the purchase of Christmas flowers to decorate the altar and the church during the coming festivities. Kindly



pick up an envelope, and fill in the requested information [including your regular envelope number, if you want your donation to be included in the tax receipt] seal envelope with offering and place it in the candle box at the shrine.

### Advent "WEEK OF CONFESSION"



'Reconciliation/Confessions' in our church: Monday & Wednesday, Dec. 16 & 18 09:30 – 11:30 am 05:00 – 06:00 pm

**Saturday, Dec. 21** 02:30 – 04:25 pm

# Let's defend the defenders of our common home!

The native Amazonian peoples have probably never been so threatened on their own lands as they are now."- *Pope Francis, Peru, January 2018.* 



This is true for Indigenous peoples, but also for traditional communities of the

Amazon. Here are two communities in Brazil under threat: •The way of life of Machadinho d'Oeste's *seringueiros* (artisanal rubber tappers) is being destroyed by industrial logging. • The Mura Indigenous people of Manaus were not consulted before a phosphate mining company began operations on their lands.

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