# OUR LADY OF FATIMA SHRINE

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#### **PASTOR:**

Rev. Fr. Mark Robson



#### **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)

Wednesday - Rosary, Devotions & Mass

Holidays & Saturdays

First Fridays (1 Mass)

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

#### OFFICE STAFF:

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.

Matthew Onyschuk (GK) 647-979-4325

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

Catholic Women's League - every 1st Sat. @ 2:00 p.m. 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

#### **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."!

#### SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME





# Mass Intentions

#### Sunday, February 14

9:00 a.m. +Allan Lo

10:30 a.m. People of the Parish

12:15 p.m +Brian Ardies

Monday, February 15

**NO MASS** 

Tuesday, February 16

8:00 a.m. +James Kam & Maria Hiung

Wednesday, February 17

7:00 p.m. +John Jong & Lo Nyuk Jin

Thursday, February 18

8:00 a.m. +Arturo Rivera

Friday, February 19

8:00 a.m. No Mass Intention Request

Saturday, February 20

9:00 a.m. +Maxie Gomes

Jamie Casino (I) Birthday 4:30 p.m.

## 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time- February 14, 2021

Today's Gospel says that "Jesus was moved with pity when He saw a leper". Are you moved with love and compassion when you see the outcasts of today's society? Today,



Jesus continues to call forward men and women to minister as he did.. If you think God is calling you to a church vocation contact Fr. Chris Lemieux, 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 olfatima@ rogers.com for more information.

to suffer the effects of the coronavirus pandemic. Please visit www.archtoronto.org/sick.

A REMINDER ... that there is a second collection on the weekend of February 20/21 – for the parish's. Renovation Fund. Thank you in advance for your support. Kindly drop your donation to the box in front of the sanctuary during your visit for private prayer.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

# 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time - B



Our first reading, about the plight of lepers in ancient Israel, prepares for the gospel. Lepers were excluded from all religious practices and forced to live on the margin of society. Their sickness was considered a punishment for sin, while health was a sign of holiness. The priest judged the

condition of the sufferer who confessed his sin; healing signified conversion. As in other incidents, Jesus rejects society's taboos and compassionately reaches out to touch the leper. With this touch and his reassuring word, he cures and purifies. The man cannot keep guiet, and his story draws crowds. The Good News is spreading; but are crowds coming out of faith or to see miracles? St. Paul's advice, on another topic, is timely. In Corinth some Christians were more open to the world and to change; others were easily scandalized. Sometimes the exercise of our freedom should give way to concern for others' spiritual welfare. We give glory to God when we pattern our behavior after that of Christ crucified and his apostle.

### **DONATION ENVELOPES BOXES FOR 2021**

Offertory envelopes for 2021 are available for pick up



in the church entrance from Monday to Friday 7:00 am to 12:00 pm, Saturday from OFFERING 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm &

Sunday from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. If you don't have a box and would like one, please contact the Parish office at 416-757-2806.

Tax receipts records have now been submitted for

printing. Mailing is expected to occur beginning

February 23<sup>rd</sup>, with a target date of February



28th for all the parishioners to receive their tax receipts in hand. If you have any questions, feel free to email taxreceipt@archtoronto.org. Thank you for your support throughout the year! May God reward you for your generousity.

Your faith is tested to give your endurance, so that you may be fully mature believers. James 1.1-11





Church and the office will be closed all day! this Monday February 15, 2021 is FAMILY DAY HOLIDAY

long weekend. Enjoy the day with your loved one. Celebrate with caution!
Stay safe and healthy.

#### **2021 ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**



Due to the COVID-19 capacity restrictions still in effect for places of worship across the province, the distribution of ashes at our parish will be offered on the following dates this year:

Wednesday, February 17-5:00 pm-8:00 pm
Thursday, February 18 - 5:00 pm-8:00 pm
Friday, February 19 - 5:00 pm-8:00 pm
Saturday, February 20 - 9:00 am- 12:00 pm
Parishioners may also receive HOLY
COMMUNION during these services. Kindly
note that the church will only be open on these
days according to the above schedule. Please
continue to follow the health and wellness
protocols, and we pray that our community will be
able to worship together soon.

#### PRAYER FOR LENT

O gracious Master, infuse in our hearts the spotless light of Your Divine Wisdom and open the eyes



of our mind that we may understand the teachings of Your Gospel. Instill in us also the fear of Your blessed commandments, so that having curbed all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing everything to please You. For You, O Christ, our God, are the enlightenment of our souls and bodies; and to You we render glory, together with Your eternal Father, and with Your all holy, life-creating Spirit, now and ever, and forever.

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

Bulletin and Announcements updated weekly.

#### **World Interfaith Harmony Week**

Please join us in celebrating World Interfaith Harmony Week (WIHW). The World Interfaith Harmony Week was first proposed at the United Nations General Assembly on September 23, 2010 by King



Abdullah II of Jordan. The WIHW is based on the pioneering work of The Common Word initiative. The WIHW extends the two commandments by adding "Love of the Good and Love of the Neighbour." All people of good will, regardless of faith, are encouraged to come together and learn about each other during the first week of February of every year. All events for WIHW must be held between *Saturday*, *January 30 and Sunday*, *February 28*, *2021*. Our office recommends that you, your congregation and your staff join either of the following events:

- 1. **Sunday, February** 7 St. Philip's Lutheran Church Interfaith Service Once again St. Philip's Lutheran Church will be hosting an interfaith service. For further details please contact Rev. Tuula Van Gaasbeek: tvangaasbeek@bell.net or <a href="mailto:stphilip@bellnet.ca">stphilip@bellnet.ca</a>
- 2. **Wednesday, February 24** from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Extending our Embrace This online event seeks to widen our circles of compassion and care through inspiring story-telling and art from diverse faith traditions.

Organized by Office for Interreligious Dialogue, Archdiocese of Toronto in collaboration with Toronto Catholic District School Board, Interfaith Youth Alliance Movement and the Mary Ward Centre. Please click here to register: http://bit.ly/WIHWregister.

#### **OUR LADY OF FATIMA Council #16989**



The Parish and the KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS will be hosting *The Stations of the Cross* every Friday Evenings during Lent

starting on February 19 & 26 + March 5,12,19 & 26 at 6:30 p.m. THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS ZOOM MEETING:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85304882706?pwd=Z kQ4MkQyRTNLVFRFakVHRU84amdRZz09

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