

Masses & Sacraments

Sunday, August 24th

Mass Times

Monday - Saturday 8:00AM Tuesday & Thursday 12:00PM Saturday 5:00PM Mass in Spanish Saturday, 7:00PM Sunday 8:30AM, 11:00AM First Friday Spanish Mass 7:00PM

Mass Intentions

August 25th - August 31st

Mon 8a: +Eugene R. Duquette Tues 8a: +Carol Palomba Tues 12p: James Carroll

Wed 8a: +James & Margaret Gaspardo Thurs 8a: +The Blessed Souls In Purgatory Thur 12p: Frances & Charles Gulbranson Fri 8a: +Ellen & Raymond Horton

Sat 8a: Debra Milk Sat 5p: +Betty Salinas

Sat 7p: Feligreses de Nuestra Sra. de Fátima

Sun 8:30a: Helen Donnellan Sun 11a: Catherine Siena Donivan

To schedule a mass intention, please visit or call the office during office hours.

Sacrament Information

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Baptism	Dcn. Bill Jacobs
First Reconciliation	Jessica O'Boyle
First Communion	Jessica O'Boyle
Confirmation	Jessica O'Boyle
Marriage	Any Priest
Vocation Information	Fr. Pete Iorio
Anointing of the Sick	Any Priest
Homebound Visits	Fr. Joe Austin

Confession Times

All Confessions are available in English and Spanish Saturday - 4:00PM, 6:30PM Sunday - 9:45AM Anytime by appointment

Weekday Readings

August 25th - August 30th

Monday

Is 66:18-21/ Lk 13:22-30

Tuesday

1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10/Mt 23:13-22

Wednesday

1 Thes 2:9-13/ Mt 23:27-32

Thursday

1 Thes 3:7-13/ Mt 24:42-51

Friday

1 Thes 4:1-8/ Mk 6:17-29

Saturday

1 Thes 4:9-11/ Mt 25:14-30

Adoration Times

Tuesday 12:30PM - 6:00PM Wednesday 8:30AM - 8:00PM Friday 8:30AM - 6:45PM

Faith Formation

OCIA	Dcn. Bill Jacobs
PreK - Grade 8	•
Grade 9 - Grade 12	•
Young Adult	Luis Ramos
Adult Offerings	See Website

Events & Announcements

75th Anniversary Facts - Did You Know?

"During the spring of 1994, a steering committee was formed to determine diocesan requirements, availability of suitable property, testing pulse of membership."

Are You Thirsting For God?

Are you, or do you know, someone who is not baptized, or baptized in another Christian tradition, thirsting for what it means to become Catholic? The OCIA classes at Our Lady of Fatima Church are a place to ask questions and to seek understanding. Weekly "no obligation" sessions start **Wednesday**, **August 27**. If you have any questions or concerns, contact the parish office, or email Deacon Bill Jacobs at deaconbill@ourladyoffatima.org.

Cursillo Ultreya Gathering

Attention all Cursillistas and those interested in attending the upcoming Women's Cursillo Weekend. The monthly Ultreya gathering will take place on **Wednesday**, **August** 28 in the Social Hall at 6:30 PM, and will begin with prayer at 7:00 PM. Light refreshment donations are appreciated.

Save the Date September 13

Join OLOF for a special Jubilee celebration with two exciting events on our campus! In the morning, a family-friendly Bioblitz will explore the wonders of nature at OLOF. In the afternoon and evening, enjoy food, crafts, and games at our festive Kermés in honor of Hispanic Heritage Month. Passports may be stamped at either event, and anniversary merchandise will be available.

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Food For The Poor

Please join OLOF the weekend of **August 30**, to hear Rev. Alfred Lopez speak at all masses on behalf of Food For The Poor ministry. Fr. Lopez belongs to Dominican Province of St. Albert and was ordained in 1984. Before advocating for the poor, he taught at Northern Michigan University and Dominican College of San Rafael. He was counselor at the Departments of Clinical Social Work at the University of New Mexico Hospital. Father Lopez will share personal witness about Food For The Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel to love one another. Please give a warm welcome to Fr. Al.

CCW

The Council of Catholic Women will be teaming up with Cross Catholic Outreach to distribute Boxes of Joy in the Narthex on **August 30 & 31**. These boxes are filled with suggested items that are sent to developing countries to children who normally don't receive gifts for Christmas. Come and pick one up after mass next weekend, along with a 2025-2026 calendar of events brochure.

Young Women Bible Study

Young women of the parish are invited to a weekly study held on Tuesdays from 10–11 AM, beginning **September 2**. Childcare will be provided. For questions or more information, please contact Sarah Parsons.

Seniorcising

If your balance, strength, and mobility are taking a vacation, it's time to get them moving again! "Seniorcising" is a chair and standing workout routine that will address those areas while having fun! Meetings are held on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:00 AM starting on **September 3** in the Social Hall. Classes are between 30 to 40 minutes in length. For more information, please contact seniorcising@ourladyoffatima.org.

Parent Study During Faith Formation

Join OLOF during Faith Formation for coffee, donuts, and light discussion with other parents—no prep required! All parents welcome: babies, kids in Faith Formation, or empty nesters. Nursery available (for under 5 who are not in Faith Formation) starting in September. For additional information visit our website.

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CCW Rummage Sale

Clean out your closets to help The Council of Catholic Women raise money for scholarships. The rummage sale will be held on **Saturday**, **September 27** from 9 AM - 12 PM in the OLOF front parking lot. Just bring your stuff and sell out of your car or tent. Your participation is greatly needed and appreciated! For more details and to reserve a spot, please contact Margarita Audette at ccw@ourladyoffatima.org.

Family Promise

Father Pete is looking for a new coordinator of Family Promise ministry. He has been coordinating this local charity that assists homeless families. Now that Father has more responsibilities, he is unable to be the coordinator for OLOF to Family Promise. Please contact Father Pete at piorio@ourladyoffatima.org if you are interested.

Retrouvaille

Do you need Retrouvaille? Has your romance faded? Do you argue without reaching resolution? Are you more like roommates than soul mates? Have you grown apart? Is your marriage in crisis? Why wait for a better marriage?

Retrouvaille can help you: Rebuild your emotional connection. Learn healthy communication methods. Manage conflicts effectively. Forgive and rebuild trust. Rediscover your love. Join us from August 29-August 31. For more information, email 3043@helpourmarriage.org or call (931) 820-2115.

Mass Attendance for Last Weekend: 1,243



This Week on Formed

Week of August 24, 2025



The Confessions of St. Augustine | Littlest Saints

A child, a sinner, a saint. Join us as we share the story of St. Augustine, tailored to our children, as he wrestles with God and comes to the faith.



Feast of Saint Monica | Catholic Saints

Throughout her life, St. Monica constantly prayed for the conversion of Augustine, her beloved son. In a moment of desperation, she even asked for the bishop's help. In response, he said, "the son of those tears surely will not perish." Truly, as this bishop remarked, Monica's tearful prayers helped build her son into the Doctor of Grace. In this video, join Dr. Gray and Dr. Sehorn as they discuss this great Saint.



The Confessions of Saint Augustine

Actor Leonardo Defilippis captures the poetry and passion of Saint Augustine of Hippo (AD 354-430) in a performance that is accessible and deeply moving. The play is astonishingly relevant for our own times. Augustine struggled with promiscuity, fathered a child out-of-wedlock and dabbled in a "new age" style cult. Be inspired by his relentless pursuit of Truth and encouraged by the prayerful perseverance of his faithful mother, Saint Monica.

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Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 8:30AM-4:00PM Friday: 8:30AM-2:30PM

Parish Clergy



Pastor Fr. Pete Iorio



Parochial Vicar Fr. Joe Austin



Parochial Vicar Fr. Renzo Alvarado



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Pancake Breakfast June 29th after both masses Meeting monthly 1st Tuesday 7PM





