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January 16, 2022

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3



Mass Intentions

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SUNDAY MASSES: 5:00 p.m. (Saturday)
7:00, 9:00, 11:00 a.m.
5:00 p.m. (Sunday)

DAILY MASS: Monday - Friday: 6:30 a.m. & 8:15 a.m.
Saturday: 8:15 a.m.

RECONCILIATION: Friday: 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 3:30 p.m.

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BAPTISMS:
Parents desiring Baptism for their children must attend a Baptismal Preparation Class. Call the Parish Office for info.

MARRIAGES:
Contact the parish 8 months in advance of your proposed marriage date for Marriage Prep information.

NEW PARISHIONERS:
Welcome! Please register by stopping by the Parish Office.

Sunday - January 16
7:00 am †Clark Musgrove
by: Margaret Musgrove
9:00 am For the Parishioners of
Our Lady of Fatima Parish
11:00 am †Filbert & Filbert A. Martinez
by: Martinez Family
5:00 pm Teens of Our Lady of Fatima

Monday - January 17
6:30 am †Leonard Beaudrie
by: Eugene & Lucille Beaudrie
8:15 am For Margaret Jasek
by: Paula Gerstner

Tuesday - January 18
6:30 am †Kathleen Beaudrie
by: Eugene & Lucille Beaudrie
8:15 am For Joan Vento
by: Paula Gerstner

Wednesday - January 19
6:30 am †Anna McManus
by: George Johnson
8:15 am (School Mass) †Arno Engel
by: Lore

Thursday - January 20
6:30 am For Bob Crovelli
by: Nancy Crovelli
8:15 am †Deceased Parents
by: Szynakiewicz Family

Friday - January 21
6:30 am For LeAnne Gregory
by: Debora Mize
8:15 am †Olga Bryce
by: The Catholic Foundation

Saturday - January 22
8:15 am †George & Delores Beaudrie
by: Eugene & Lucille Beaudrie
5:00 pm †Joy Weakland
by: Rose Marie Tricarico & Family

Readings for the week of January 16, 2022

Sunday: Is 62:1-5/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11
Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51
Mk 3:1-6
Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Mk 3:7-12
Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27
Mk 3:20-21
Next Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10
1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/
Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21
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Parish Offertory

December 25 & 27, 2021

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021- June 30, 2022

Total Registered Families - 1025

Christmas Offertory 12/25	Weekly	Year-to-Date
Last Year 2020/2021	\$63,372	\$526,148
This Year 2021/2022	<u>\$64,761</u>	<u>\$530,702</u>
This Year versus Last Year	\$ 1,389	\$ 4,554
		(0.9% VS Last Year)

General Offertory 12/26	Weekly	Year-to-Date
Last Year 2020/2021	\$13,216	\$539,364
This Year 2021/2022	<u>\$15,679</u>	<u>\$546,381</u>
This Year versus Last Year	\$ 2,463	\$ 7,017
		(1.3% VS Last Year)

Children’s Collection \$0.00 Balance \$2,440.89

Please continue to use your offertory envelopes so we are able to acknowledge your giving at the end of the year.

Thank you for your continued generosity.

Electronic giving is available at our website

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Parish Offertory

January 2, 2022

Fiscal Year July 1, 2021- June 30, 2022

Total Registered Families - 1025

General Offertory 01/02	Weekly	Year-to-Date
Last Year 2020/2021	\$24,886	\$564,250
This Year 2021/2022	<u>\$26,908</u>	<u>\$573,289</u>
This Year versus Last Year	\$ 2,022	\$ 9,039
		(-1.3% VS Last Year)

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It Takes All Kinds

“If every flower wanted to be a rose,” wrote St. Therese of Lisieux, “spring would lose its loveliness.”

Who is God asking you to be today? There is an obvious answer that springs to mind right out of the gate. God wants me to be a good person (a good father, a good husband) today; today, God wants me to be a saint.

But this answer fails to get to the heart of the question. We are all striving today to serve the same Spirit, but we are given different gifts to do so. The one who has the gift of knowledge may fail if today he decides he wants to be a healer. The one who has the gift of “varieties of tongues” might falter in the expression of wisdom.

Think about the wedding at Cana and the players in the scene: the servers, the guests, the bride and groom. They all have a unique role to play, and though it is to the servers that Mary gives the instruction, “Do whatever he tells you,” her words apply to all.

Today, are we called to be the servers — do we wait on God’s instruction and carry it out, no matter how foolish or impossible it may seem to our human ears? Are we asked to be the disciples, to bear witness to a miracle and to give our testimony? Are we called to imitate the Blessed Mother herself and give encouragement to follow God’s word?

Let us examine our gifts and listen in the silence of our hearts to the direction of the Spirit. Then and only then, let us do whatever He tells us.

— Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS

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Come, Spend Time With the Lord in Adoration

The Sacred Heart of Jesus is available to you in our Adoration Chapel daily from 6 am to 8 pm. To sign up as a scheduled adorer go to

www.Adorationpro.org/Fatima and click “Weekly Commitment” or to sign up as a substitute adorer, click “Become a Sub”.

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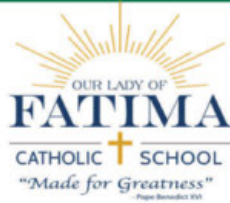
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Please continue to pray for the dead.

Al Ochsner

Please continue to remember these people when you Pray for the Sick:

Marshall Gagne, Tim Young, Stephen Weidner, John Beers, Maximilian Pollard, Jim Adkisson, Lovina Pott and for all those who are recovering from surgery or are terminally ill.



Give Your Children the Gift of a Catholic Education

Our Lady of Fatima Catholic School's enrollment for the 2022-23 school year begins in February. Contact the school office to set up a personalized tour with our principal or plan on attending our open house **on Sunday, January 30 from 10:00-11:00 am.**

Information on the Archdiocesan curricular standards, staff and faith formation can be found at www.olfcs.com. Fatima parishioners receive priority enrollment during the month of February.

Deacon Rich's Retirement Reception THIS WEEKEND

Saturday, January 15th
and Sunday, January 16th

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall

Congratulations to Deacon Rich who retired at the end of December. Come and enjoy a free Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast or some coffee and cookies and say farewell to Deacon Rich. The Pancake Breakfast will be after the 7, 9 & 11 am Masses and Coffee and Cookies will be after the 5 pm Masses on Saturday and Sunday.

COME JOIN OUR

BIBLE Thursday Night Scripture Study



Paul's letter to the Romans has been at the center of reflection, conversion and controversy from the very beginning. *Romans: The Gospel of Salvation* is a new eight-week Bible study we are offering that will help you make sense of the difficult passages regarding faith, works of the law and justification. It will give you an authentically Catholic, comprehensive and simple way to understand this challenging epistle.

We will begin *Romans* on **January 20th at 7pm**. Participants will meet every week to view an engaging video presentation by Dr. Andrew Swafford and Jeff Cavins, followed by a time of lively group discussion and fellowship. For more information or to register contact the Religious Education office, 303-233-1283.

We hope you can join us!

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The CHOSEN
VIDANGEL ORIGINAL

THINK YOU KNOW HIM? LOOK AGAIN...

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall | 10:15 am – 11:45 am

Grab a donut and coffee after Mass, socialize, then join us as we watch and reflect on an episode of *The Chosen* in age-based small groups.

Questions? Contact Christy Gompert at cgompert@fatimalakewood.org

Spring 2022	Mar 27 <i>The Perfect Opportunity</i>
Jan 23 <i>I Am He</i>	Apr 3 <i>Spirit</i>
Feb 13 <i>Thunder</i>	Apr 10 <i>Unlawful</i>
Feb 27 <i>I Saw You</i>	May 8 <i>Reckoning</i>
Mar 6 <i>Matthew 4:24</i>	May 22 <i>Beyond Mountains</i>

DADDY
daughter
DANCE

Our Lady of Fatima School Gym
Saturday, January 29, 2022
6:00pm to 8:00pm

CALLING ALL DADDIES!
Bring your little princesses for a special date night with food and music!

Wear your Sunday best and your dancing shoes!
Feel free to start the evening by attending the 5pm Mass with your family where Father will bestow a special blessing.

This fun event is being brought to you for **FREE!**
(Donations will be gratefully accepted to help cover the expense of refreshments, décor, and music.)

Calling all LEGO enthusiasts! Join us as we explore the richness of the Catholic faith in LEGO fashion. We will work each week to build sets and make videos inspired by the "Catechism of the Seven Sacraments" by Kevin and Mary O'Neill. Feel free to send your child/ren with an after-school snack to energize them to become a true Master Builder.

Adults are highly encouraged to attend and join in the building fun along with their kiddo/s. 😊

When: Thursdays 3:00-4:00pm
Where: Parish Hall
Who: Kids & Adults of All Ages
(Adult "foremen" needed!!!)
Why: Learn more about our Catholic faith while perfecting your Master Builder skills!

First class starts on Thursday, January 13, 2022. Please contact the RE office or email Christy Gompert at cgompert@fatimalakewood.org for an Enrollment Form or with any questions.

Contact Info

RE Office: 303.233.1283 | Christy: cgompert@fatimalakewood.org | Roxanne: rmartinez@fatimalakewood.org

Gospel Meditation January 16, 2022



God delights in you. How do you feel when you hear that? Delight usually comes with an exuberant flow of joy that seemingly arises from one's toes with the expression of great glee. Reflecting upon the deep measure of joy God has in us can be a source of joy for ourselves. Delight is infectious. A very young brother and sister were playing on the beach when the all too familiar ice cream truck made its daily rounds. The boy shook with excitement and delight as he took his sister's hand and exclaimed, "The ice cream man is here, isn't it great!" As they ran off toward the truck, one could hear the girl reply, "Yeah, I can't wait!" The experience of a child's delight in something so simple as ice cream, lifts our spirits from our burdens and transports us to the lighter, more innocent side of life.

Life is not meant to be a burden. Believe it or not, God actually wants us to be happy! In fact, the wedding feast at Cana shows us that God even puts His blessing on our happiness. It is okay to celebrate the wonder of ourselves and others. Life is good. It is always interesting to note that Jesus saves the good wine until last. You would think it would be the other way around. The superb quality of Jesus' wine points to the superior quality of life we find in Christ. It is not a life of burdens but a life of wonder and delight! In Christ, we are lifted from the superficial and mundane to a life of purpose, hope, and love.

God is with us through the long haul, through the challenges and sorrows as well as the successes and accomplishments. In spite of the fact that we often wander from the path, God's celebratory delight in us remains. As spouses are asked to remain faithful to each other through whatever life brings, God remains faithful too. This promise remains through this life and into the next. All we have to do is take the advice of Jesus' mother to heart when she says, "Listen to him." This wisdom saves us from foolishly giving in to the illusion that we can make better wine than Jesus.

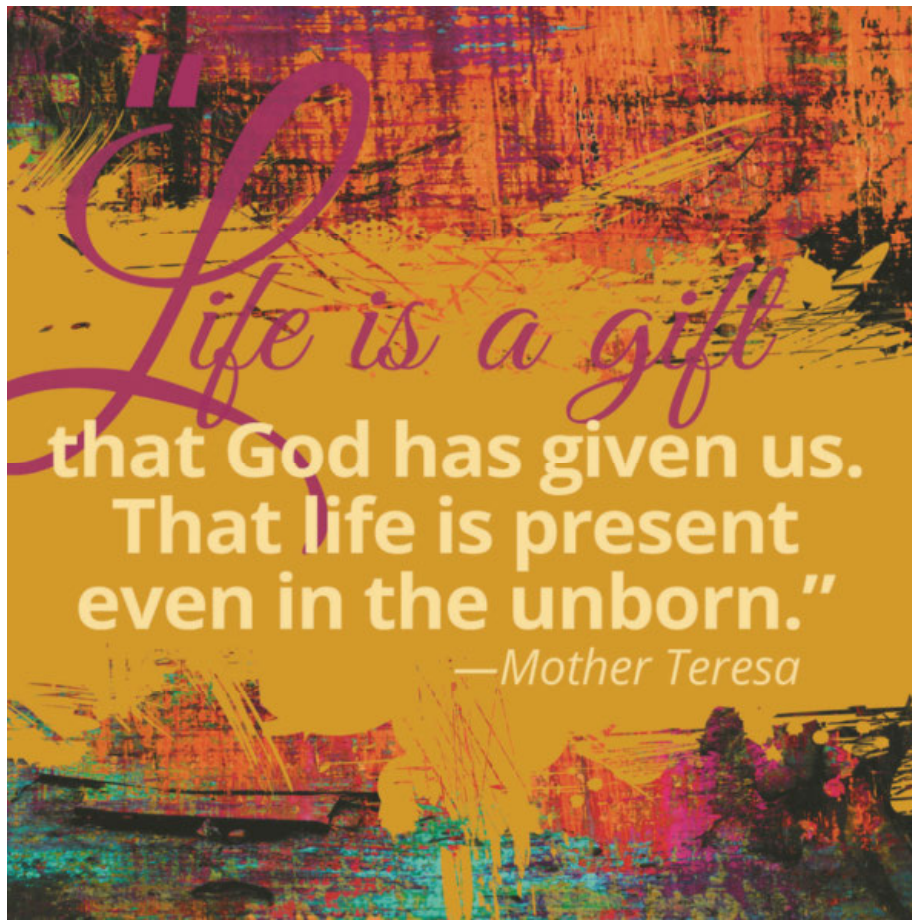
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"By its nature the recitation of the Rosary calls for a quiet rhythm and a lingering pace, helping the individual to meditate on the mysteries of the Lord's life as seen through the eyes of her who was closest to the Lord. In this way the unfathomable riches of these mysteries are unfolded." **Pope Paul VI**

"If you say the Holy Rosary every day, with a spirit of faith and love, our Lady will make sure she leads you very far along her Son's path." **Saint Josemaria Escriva**





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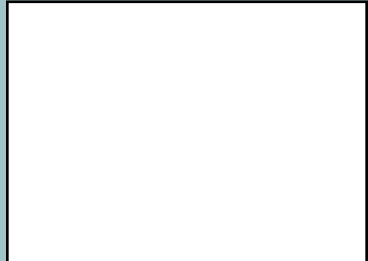
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