



January 1, 2021

St Faustina Parish will continue to meet the needs of our Community during this phase of the lockdown as follows:

- We will celebrate a live-streamed Mass without a congregation at 4:00 pm on Saturday in the Church. This Mass will then be uploaded to our [St Faustina Youtube Channel](#).
- Beginning on Sunday January 3, 2021, we will celebrate **8:30am, 9:45am and 11:00am Masses each Sunday**. These will be Drive-In Masses held in the parking lot of the church. All attendees are to remain in their vehicles.
- You **MUST “Signup”** in order to attend Mass and **“Check-In”** to confirm your attendance. This is to ensure that we have a list of all attendees in case further action is needed as per Public Health requirements.
- For those who have watched our **Youtube Mass**, Holy Communion will be distributed from Noon until 12:30 pm on Sunday at the front doors of the church.

In order to be responsible citizens and to respect all human life, we will need to follow the recommendations issued by the Ottawa Office of Public Health and the Ontario Ministry of Health.

1. If you or any member of your household is sick with flu-like symptoms please stay home and get tested. If you are supposed to be in quarantine please respect those guidelines and remain home.
2. It is recommended that you take your temperature if possible before coming to ensure it is normal.
3. Since we are using an outdoor space on Sunday mornings for Drive-In services we need to ensure 2 metre/6feet space between vehicles.
4. All attendees are to remain in their vehicles.
5. The Holy Eucharist (Communion) will be distributed at your vehicle.
6. There will be limited access to the washrooms. Please ensure "everyone" uses the facilities before leaving home. Mass will be about 45 minutes long.
7. **St Faustina Parish** adopts a policy to ensure that no member of the public is permitted to enter or remain in the public areas of the main body of the church unless **he or she is wearing a Mask in a manner that covers their nose, mouth and chin**. For exceptions see “SFP Policy regarding face masks”. We ask people to bring their own masks.

8. If entering the church for any reason, everyone is to use the hand sanitizer provided at the doors.
9. A household consists of everyone living at the same address. Members of the same household do not need to social distance from each other.
10. Different households are required to social distance by remaining 6ft / 2 metres apart.
11. The 4:00 pm Saturday Mass has been reduced to a skeleton staff. A Signup will not be made available.
12. The above conditions must be adhered to so that we can continue to celebrate the Mass as a community.

We cannot overlook the reasons for being cautious in our approach. We need all of our members to remain healthy in mind, body and spirit, during this most unusual time in our lives.

We thank you for your patience and cooperation in adhering to these guidelines.