

## Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima Home Visitation

The Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be available for home visitation throughout this year and then into 2017. As you spend time with Our Lady, your prayers are united with all families praying for our parish and other intentions including the fruitful and spiritual success of the Centenary anniversary of the apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima. You can enter your intentions into the book of intentions which travels with the statue. Just fill out the form below to bring the statue of Our Lady into your home for a week. Feel free to specify any special date such as birthdays or anniversaries. If you have any questions, please contact your parish administrator/parish priest.

Home Visitation Procedure: Pick up the statue from the sacristy on a Sunday at Mass. Place her in a prominent place in your home. Offer prayers, especially the Holy Rosary, light a candle or place flowers in her honour, or just notice her presence in your home that week and lovingly turn to her with some small prayer, Our Lady of Fatima pray for my family, Our Lady of Fatima protect my children, Our Lady of Fatima help me in my work etc. Review the included materials on the story and message of Fatima. Enter your intentions to be prayed for by all and by the next home. Return the statue to the church on Saturday or Sunday ready for the next home.

Why a statue of Our Lady in our homes? As Our Lord is about to die upon the cross for our eternal salvation, he entrusted his mother to St John and St John to his mother and "from that moment, he took her to his home." The idea of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue Program began in 1946 when some Portuguese youth carried the Fatima statue from town to town. People gathered to pray and many miracles occurred, inspiring devotion and fervour. The response to this was so great that 2 large official statues began travelling the world. They are still visiting the faithful today.

Pilgrim Virgin Statue Sign Up-
Name :
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Would you be willing to be a member of a Fatima prayer group with a monthly meeting Yes/No?
Are you interested in coming on the
National Pilgrimage to Fatima in July 2017
Yes/No?



Our Lady of Fatima, Pray for us.
Please bless our homes and families.