

## Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church

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Dear Parishioners of Our Lady of Fatima,

I ask for your prayers. Last Saturday, I suffered a mild stroke and have been in the hospital since that time. I am now home and feeling better but, I have a long road of recovery ahead of me.

I will not be able to celebrate Mass or be in the office for the time being. The parish remains in the "Good Hands of the Lord", and our Parochial Vicar, Rev. Edward A. Okpu will be overseeing the needs of the parish along with the Deacons and staff of Our Lady of Fatima Church. He will continue to serve our church with Rev. John Trambley, assisting when he can.

I respectfully request that parishioners not call or visit the priest's rectory. You may contact the Parish Office at 505-265-5868 to receive updates on my condition.

I look forward to a full recovery and serving Our Lady of Fatima Catholic and Church and School as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Fr. Stephen Schultz

Very Rev. Stephen Schultz, Pastor