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PARISH SERVICES:

Holy Mass:

Please refer to Page 2 of the Bulletin for mass time details.

Confessions:

Available 30 minutes prior to mass or after each mass.

Sacraments:

Please contact the Office regarding First Communion, First Reconciliation, Anointing of the Sick, Baptisms or Marriages



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Father Fenelon Council 10878

Contact Nick Kapular 905-622-4969 or
Dennis Callaghan 705-879-6684

Sat. May 16 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † In Memory of our Wedding Anniversary by Pam Guzzi Holy Mass †
Sun. May 17 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Hugh Laviolette by Joanna & Dan Laviolette Holy Mass † Deceased Members of the Byrne Family by Marty & Philomena Childs
Wed. May 20 th	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
Thurs. May 21 st	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass †
Fri. May 22 nd	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Holy Mass †
Sat. May 23 rd	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Michael Galezo by Erica Detrieue Holy Mass †
Sun. May 24 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Wayne Nesbit by Angela Nesbit Holy Mass †

Let us remember in Our Prayers all who are Sick

Bobcaygeon – Paul Sirois, Lynn Lebel, Joseph Ehmann, Helen Vozza, Barbara Gartner, Joan & Maurice Carnevale, Jeff Armstrong, Jose Foot, Judith & Bill Dann, Mary Riley, Allan Visneskie

Fenelon Falls – P. McKeaveney, Pat Howards, Patrick White, Bob Smith, Erica Dutrieue, James T, Jim Saigeon & Deacon Bill Steenburgh

Summary of Funds Collected May 4th to 10th

	OLQP	St. Aloysius
Offertory	\$ 1053. ¹⁵	\$ 1,207. ⁶⁵
Papal Charities	\$ 369. ⁰⁰	\$ 386. ¹⁵
Canada Helps	\$ 216. ¹³	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰	\$ 0. ⁰⁰

From the Desk of the Pastor...

This Sunday is the Ascension of Jesus. It marks a pivotal transition in our faith-shifting from the physical presence of Christ in one geographic location to His spiritual presence everywhere through His followers. It isn't just a "departure"; it is an empowerment.

The Ascension serves as the bridge between the Resurrection and Pentecost. Jesus takes His place as King of the Universe. He is no longer bound by time or space. He enters the heavenly sanctuary to advocate for us before the Father. He hands His mission to the Church. As St. Teresa of Avila famously said, "Christ has no body now but yours."

In our first reading today, the Apostles were rebuked by the angels for staring into the sky. Just like them, we often do the same when we wait for a "perfect sign" before helping someone. When we put emphasis on abstract contents of our faith while ignoring the person in front of us. And when we long for the "good old days" of faith rather than engaging with today's challenges.

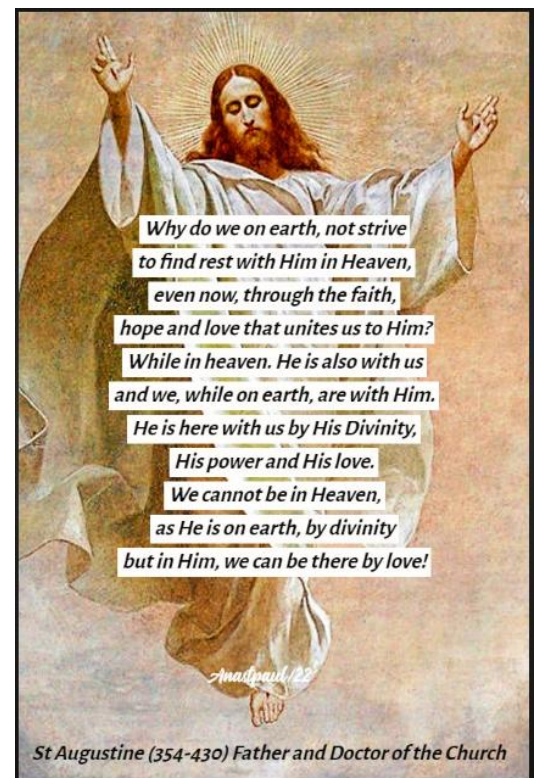
Often, it is the people who challenge our comfort that poses great obstacles for our proclamation of the Ascension. These are the people who have hurt us or hold opposing worldviews, a lonely neighbour or the person we tend to overlook in our daily encounter, and sometimes it is ourselves.

Proclaiming the Gospel doesn't always mean preaching. In the context of the Ascension, it means making our Lord who is now invisible visible to others. The true challenge of preaching the Ascension is being "fully there" for others in an age of distraction, living with a sense of hope that suggests "this world is not all there is," and addressing the physical needs of others so that their hearts are open to hear the true message.

Always remember that Jesus didn't go away, He went up so that He could be near to everyone, all at once. Our job is no longer to look for Him in the clouds, but to recognize Him in the stranger and the least of our brothers and sisters.

A blessed Ascension Sunday everyone!

- Fr. Erwin



May Is the Month of Mary



5 Ways to Honour Mother Mary THIS MAY

- 1. PRAY THE ROSARY**
Pray the Rosary each day. It is a simple and powerful way to grow closer to Mary.
- 2. CREATE A MARIAN PRAYER SPACE**
Set up a special place at home with an image or statue of Mary, flowers, and a candle for prayer and reflection.
- 3. ATTEND MASS OR A MARIAN DEVOTION**
Participate in Mass or join in Marian devotions such as the Rosary, May Crowning, or prayer services.
- 4. PRACTICE MARY'S VIRTUES**
Follow Mary's example of humility, kindness, patience, faith, and obedience in your daily life.
- 5. PERFORM ACTS OF CHARITY IN MARY'S HONOUR**
Show love and compassion to others through acts of service, kindness, and generosity.

With Mary,
LET US GROW CLOSER TO JESUS.

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WILL BE HOSTING A YARD SALE

Saturday, June 13, 2026
7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Rectory Parking Lot
41 John St., Fenelon Falls



The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a **Yard Sale** and are gratefully accepting donations of gently used items that are **clean, reusable, and resalable.**

Please note: We are unable to accept:

- mattresses, upholstered furniture,
- infant car seats, or clothing.

For more information or to arrange drop-off:
Dennis Callaghan 705-879-6684 or
Dan Lavolette 905-767-8273

WAYS TO DONATE TO THE PARISHES

- **Offertory Envelopes**
You may place your donation in the collection basket at mass or drop it off at the Parish Office.
- **Preauthorized Payments**
Contact the office for a simple form to set up recurring monthly donation.
- **E-transfers**
Use your Churches email to set up an interac e-transfer
office@staloyusiusfenelonfalls.ca
office@ladyqueenofpeacebobcaygeon.ca
- **Canada Helps**
Use one of the links below to make a payment directly to the Church.

Our Lady Queen of Peace:
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/48026>
St. Aloysius:
<https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/48211>
- **Estate Planning & Bequests**
Review the information through the link.
<https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/life-and-faith/estate-planning.aspx>

Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre

Mother's Day to... **Baby Bottle Boomerang**

May 10 - June 21, 2026

Ways to donate:

- Take and return a bottle from/to your church or KLPC 241 Kent Street West, Lindsay
- E-transfer to info@klpcentre.ca and indicate "BBB" and the name of your church
- Call Sue at 705-878-8527

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PRAYER FOR PEACE

Gracious Lord, in times of uncertainty and fear, I seek your peace that transcends circumstances. Help me trust in your plan and find security in your promises. Quiet my anxious thoughts and fill my heart with your peace that guards my mind and soul. I surrender my worries to you, knowing that you are in control. In Jesus' name, I pray. Amen.

Support Our Parishes' Monthly Collection

CORNERSTONE CAMPAIGN

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED THE COLLECTION FOR THE CORNERSTONE CAMPAIGN TO DATE.

Funds raised will support the maintenance and improvement of our church buildings, with all proceeds going directly toward essential repairs and upgrades at both parishes. We invite you to prayerfully consider making a monthly contribution to help keep our churches welcoming, safe, and beautiful places of worship for years to come.

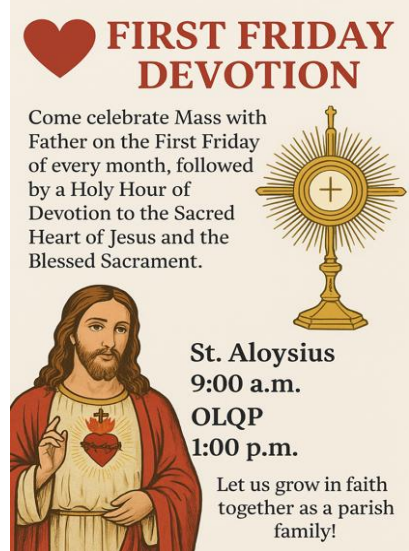
Next Collection Date: May 30th & 31st

Let us work together to preserve our faith communities — every gift makes a difference.

Add your donation to the collection basket using the green envelopes provided at each parish. Include your personal information to receive a donation receipt.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTION

Come celebrate Mass with Father on the First Friday of every month, followed by a Holy Hour of Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Blessed Sacrament.



St. Aloysius
9:00 a.m.
OLQP
1:00 p.m.

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