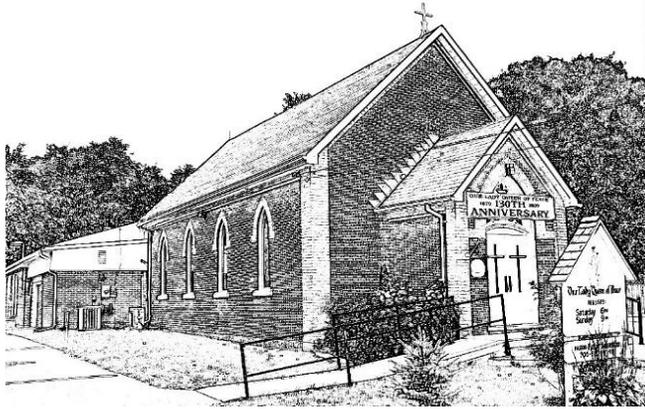


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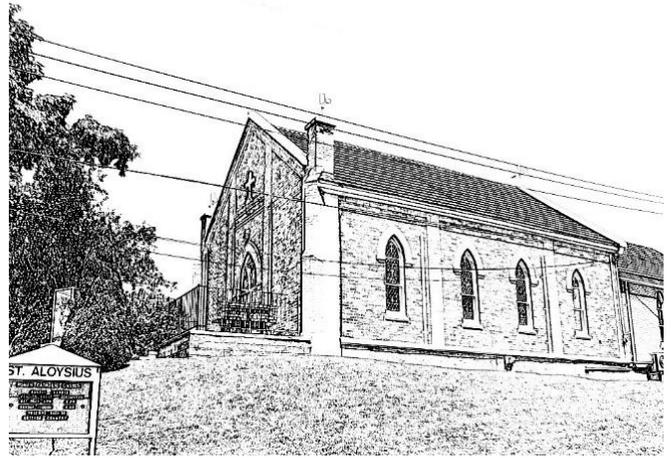


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Sun. Apr 28 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	
Wed. May 1 st			Holy Mass
Thurs. May 2 nd	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass
Fri. May 3 rd	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass Holy Mass
Sat. May 4 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	
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Let us remember in our prayers all who are sick

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OLQP	Sunday Offertory	\$ 762.75
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	PAP	\$ 355.00

From the Desk of the Pastor...

In today’s Gospel (Jn. 15, 1-8) Jesus tells His disciples, “Remain in me, as I remain in you.” This is the secret of perseverance and endurance: To remain in God, no matter what. Whatever “mysteries” we go through in life, if we hold on to the Lord, we will continue to live, grow and, yes, bear fruit.

It is easy to hold on to the Lord in joyful, glorious and light moments, but all the more we should hold on to Him on our sorrowful moments. In fact, there’s only the Lord to really hold on to at such moments. Instead of letting go of God, we must hold on to Him and not succumb to misery, despair and hopelessness.

It is not enough to just exist. We must grow and persist. Yes, we must remain in God and bear fruit. We must not just be living branches. We must be fruit-bearing branches. For those who are still alive and who perhaps are living abundant lives, the question remains: Am I living a fruitful life? Have others benefitted from my life?

Ask anyone who has been “pruned,” and he/she will tell you how difficult it is to accept it in the beginning. “Why?” “Why me?” “Why now?” These are the questions that are usually raised, and many times, there are no answers. Right away, anyway. And so, one can put up a fight and say “Unfair!” or one can stay still and say, “OK, Lord, I trust you. Prune me!” The sooner we say the latter, the sooner the healing and the moving on.

Mary, the Mother of Jesus and our Mother, is our example and inspiration in how she handled the so many “pruning’s” she went through. She remained focused on the Lord and on her mission through it all. The secret of her equanimity was her ability, readiness and willingness to place everything in God’s heart. “Thy will be done” is not the prayer of a weakling. It is the prayer of a son/daughter who has come to terms with his/her humanity, and has come to accept God as God Almighty and a Father who is filled with love, wisdom and mercy.

God Bless,

Fr. Luis

St. Aloysius:

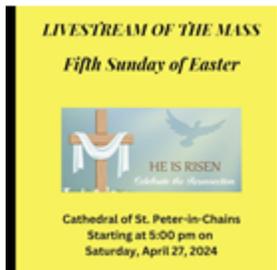
Fenelon Falls 150th Celebration: Please mark your calendars and save the date to join us at St Aloysius Parish at 12:00 p.m. (after 11 a.m. mass) on Sunday July 21st for a BBQ to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of Fenelon Falls. There will be hamburgers, hotdogs, drinks, and a summer treat. Note we are looking for high school students from our parishes to **volunteer** for face painting which will have community hours associated with the time...please email the church office at office@staloyusfenelonfalls.ca to submit your name if you would like to volunteer – we are taking names now until the celebration. Looking forward to hearing from you!

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April 2024 Prayer Intentions: FOR THE ROLE OF WOMEN

The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network has released the list of prayer intentions set by Pope Francis for the year 2024. Each month, Pope Francis asks Catholics around the world to pray for a specific intention.

Let us pray that the dignity and worth of women be recognized in every culture, and for an end to the discrimination they face in various parts of the world.

Good and gracious God,
please bless women all over the world.

It is a beautiful gift to be a woman,
but it doesn't come without challenges.

Please help all women persevere through these challenges
so they can be the person God created them to be.

May all women set this world ablaze with love for You.

In Your Name, I pray. Amen.

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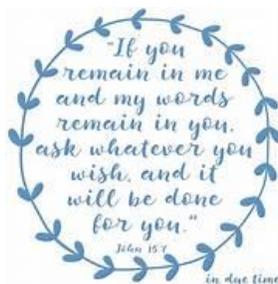
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