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**ST. ALOYSIUS CHURCH**

41 JOHN STREET, FENELON FALLS

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Sat. Apr 13 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Maggi Martin Dillon by Julia Demoe
Sun. Apr 14 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Mary Pollard by the Pollard Family
Wed. Apr 17 <sup>th</sup>			<b>NO MASS</b>
Thurs. Apr 18 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass
Fri. Apr 19 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass Holy Mass
Sat. Apr 20 <sup>th</sup>	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	For the People of the Parish For the People of the Parish
Sun. Apr 21 <sup>st</sup>	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Marilyn Bell by the Bell Family

**Let us remember in our prayers all who are sick**

**Bobcaygeon** – Paul Sirois, Lynn Lebel, Joseph Ehmann, Judith Dann, Helen Vozza & Barbara Gartner.

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

**Funds Collected April 1<sup>st</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

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	Canada Helps	\$ 48. <sup>12</sup>
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	Canada Helps	\$ 96. <sup>50</sup>
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**From the Desk of the Pastor...**

The gospel of this 3rd Easter Sunday talks about ghost. The two disciples who were overcome by doubts about the risen Lord, thought they were seeing a ghost when Jesus dined with them in the breaking of the bread (Lk 24,37).

Jesus tried to dispel their doubts saying: “Touch me and see that a ghost does not have flesh and bones as I do” (v. 39). What kind of body did the risen Christ have? In his article “Who Would Want to Go to Heaven?” Jim Auer writes that Christ’s glorified body was different. It was neither a ghost or a disembodied being. The Risen Lord could eat and drink, but he wasn’t limited by material objects like walls and doors. He appeared and disappeared whenever he wanted. Perhaps this is a hint of what our own risen bodies will be like.

The appearances of the Risen Lord served to bolster the drooping faith of his close followers buffeted by doubts and misgivings. “Was he really the expected Messiah?” “Did he really rise from the dead?” were the questions bugging their minds.

The disciples’ attitude represents our own at times. Yes, for us Christians believing in the Risen Lord is not very much a problem. But in PRACTICAL LIFE, our faith sometimes wavers when assailed by doubts and adversities. For instance, we pray desperately for something, say, the cure of a sickness or turn-around of a moribund business, but the response is deafening silence.

Or, we are badly hurt or misunderstood in serving the church or parish, or turned off by the bad example of a church leader, or feel bitter and resentful over a broken family and we take it against God. However, we should remember that faith is accepting God not only in good times, but also in bad. Life is like a roller coaster with its ups and downs. When some misfortune befalls us, we say, “Why me, Lord?” But when good things come, why don’t we also say, “Why me, Lord?”

It has been said that there are **three kinds of faith**: one that is without trials and temptations is childlike, one that is tested but overcome by trials is immature, one that is able to overcome adversities is ADULT faith. Which of these faiths do you have?

Fr. Luis

**OLQP**

**Food Bank:** Thank you to the Parish Family from the Food Bank for support as part of our Lenten almsgiving. This support has supplied groceries for those in need in difficult times. Our Easter baskets will be on the Sanctuary for donations in honour of the Feast and will be taken over to the Food Bank next week. Thank you for generosity and kindness.

**LIVESTREAM LINKS FOR SUNDAY MASSES FROM THE DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH**

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Starting on April 13, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=naJqZr1XUzw>



**Baby Bottle Boomerang Campaign**



**May 12, 2024 – June 16, 2024**

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Registration is **now open** for kids summer Blast Camp (formally known as Vacation Bible School - VBS). It's free and there are two locations. One is in Fenelon Falls and one in Bobcaygeon. You can also register your kids on this same site for soccer camp in Fenelon Falls. For the dates and locations please visit

<https://trentsidechurch.ca/summer-kids-programs/>

**Register your kids today as spaces are limited.**

**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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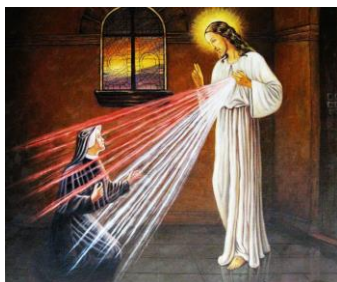
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