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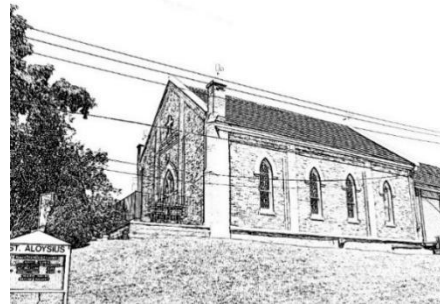


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PARISH SERVICES:

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. July 11 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Michael Boyle by Kathy Boyle & Peter Petrosioniak Holy Mass †
Sun. July 12 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.	BC FF FF	Holy Mass † Holy Mass † For the Intention of the St. Aloysius Ladies Group Holy Mass † Filipino Mass
Wed. July 8 th			NO MASS
Thurs. July 9 th			NO MASS
Fri. July 10 th			NO MASS
Sat. July 11 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Holy Mass †
Sun. July 12 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Holy Mass † 45 th Anniversary for Romeo & Riza Mendoza

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 & Deacon Bill Steenburgh

Summary of Funds Collected June 29th to July 5th

	<u>OLQP</u>	<u>St. Aloysius</u>
Offertory	\$ 1,231. ⁷⁵	\$ 1,400. ⁰⁰
Diocesan Annual Appeal	\$ 379. ⁰⁰	\$ 414. ⁰⁰
POP	\$ 230. ⁰⁰	\$ 150. ⁰⁰
Canada Helps	\$ 0. ⁰⁰	\$ 24. ⁰⁶
E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰	\$ 140. ⁰⁰

From the Desk of the Pastor...

We begin our reflection this Sunday with the fascinating reading from St. Paul's letter to the Romans. He speaks of creation as straining to give birth, as longing and struggling to be free. He is thinking of nature, but more importantly, of people throughout history, for we human beings give conscious expression to the striving that exists all around us and of which we are part. Wherever Paul looks he sees people, whether they know it or not, longing for that special freedom which comes with communion with God. This is experienced as a longing for life, for love, for meaning, for peace, for harmony and wholeness.

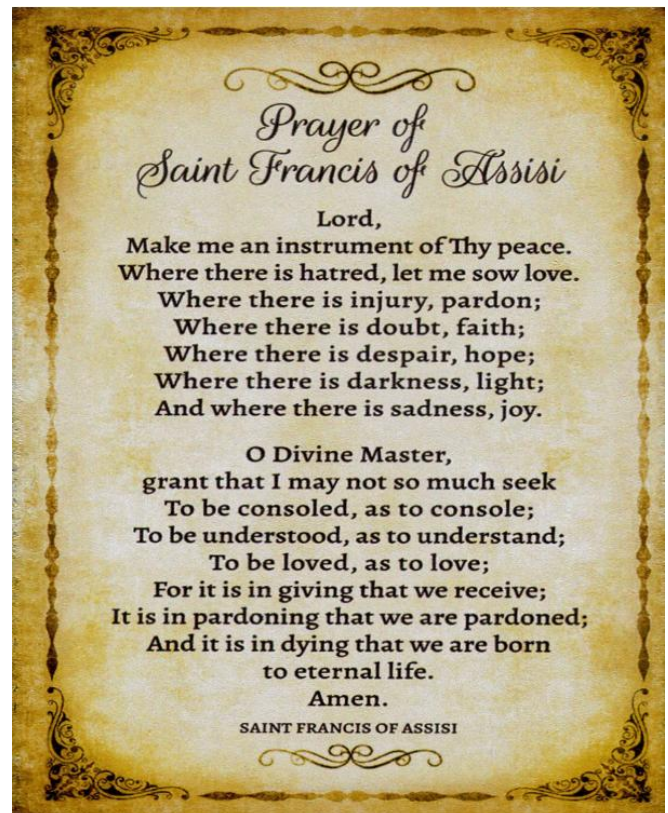
Saint Francis of Assisi stands out as a saint who felt this wonderful harmony between his soul's yearning and that of creation. Saint Bonaventure, one of his disciples, wrote in his biography of Francis: "Aroused by all things to the love of God, Francis rejoiced in all the works of the Lord's hands. As a manifestation of God, creation brought Francis great joy and took him to its life-giving principle and cause. In beautiful things Francis saw and fell in love with God who is Beauty itself and through the signs of God's presence imprinted on creation Francis followed his beloved everywhere. For Francis, all things were a ladder by which he could climb up and embrace him who alone could satisfy his heart. (Bonaventure, Life of Francis IX, 1)

But how long would man stay willing slaves of the state of moral, cultural, social and social decline in taking care of creation? How long would the fascination and distracting allurements of selfishness, money, materialism and corrupt power entice him?

The parable in the Gospel today is like a shaft of light that breaks through the darkness of our world today. It is never too late to listen. We may feel like the Jews living in exile. Nothing has worked out for us. Everything that we do continues to bring harm to God's creation. We are failures in our eyes and God's eyes. We squandered and continue to waste God's precious grace. We really don't listen to God's word. Our prayer has been formal but our heart has been distracted. Okay, says Jesus, then listen now! The soil of your mind and heart is still good. Listen now! God doesn't make things badly. So start now, and let the word come in. Listen now because you still have the ears to hear and God who is speaking to you, loves you. Whatever of the past, if you long now for the harvest of love, it will be given to you for God can create out of nothing as long as we let go of the things that hold us back from receiving His grace. Always remember that there are no places inside you or in the whole of creation where God's love does not exist. It is always crying out in your heart, and your heart is awake, responding. Seek this love and trust it.

A blessed Sunday everyone!

- Fr. Erwin



PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fr. Erwin will be away from the parish from June 16 to July 30, 2026.

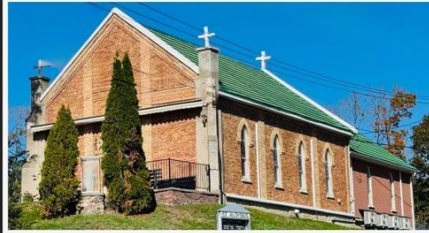
Please contact the parish office with any requests, and we will arrange blessings and services with Fr. Tony during this time.

Electronic Bulletin

We are experiencing issues with parishioners receiving the bulletin in their inboxes. Some email providers have updated their privacy policies, and the emails are being blocked. The bulletin is also available on our website each week, and paper copies are available at the back of the church.

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SUNDAY JULY 12, 2026 | 5 PM



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SUMMER CAMPAIGN

With the school year coming to an end so are all the school lunch programs, and Food drives. Families who depended on these programs will now need to rely solely on Food Banks.



There is basket at the entrance of the Church and one in the hall. Food will be collected every week starting **June 13** and continuing throughout the summer months.

We are collecting healthy snacks and nonperishable items.



Let's do our part to help end food insecurity.

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**SATURDAY,
AUGUST 8TH**

8:00 A.M. – 3:30 P.M.

ST ALOYSIUS
Parish Hall
(Rectory Basement)

OR

**SATURDAY,
AUGUST 22ND**

9:00 A.M. – 5:30 P.M.

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More information
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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: July 25th & 26th

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.



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