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Sat. May 11 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Jim Ehmann by Bonnie Ehmann & Family
Sun. May 12 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Dato Chan Kit Sin by Fabian & Patricia Wong
Wed. May 15 th	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass
Thurs. May 16 th	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass
Fri. May 17 th	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass Holy Mass
Sat. May 18 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	
Sun. May 19 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Deceased Members of the Byrne Family by Marty & Philomena Childs Holy Mass † Nick, Catherine & Carri Doria by the Doria 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 29th to May 5th, 2024

OLQP	Sunday Offertory	\$ 1,190. ⁰⁰
	Canada Helps	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	PAP	\$ 310. ⁰⁰
St. Aloysius	Sunday Offertory	\$ 3,206. ⁸⁰
	Canada Helps	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	PAP	\$ 265. ⁰⁰

From the Desk of the Pastor...

This Sunday is the Feast of the Ascension. It is the day that commemorates the rising of the Lord Jesus into Heaven and the entrance of His risen body into the eternal glory of Paradise.

When it was time for Jesus to return to the Father, He took His disciples up on a mountain and gave them His final instructions (Lk 24:50-53). He had been preparing them for three years by what He said and did. His first words showed who He knew He was: "All power in heaven and on earth has been given to Me" (Mt 28:18).

Before His ascension, Jesus entrusted to the leaders He had chosen and to all those who would become part of His body over the course of the centuries a share in that power and a share in His mission: Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you" (Mt 28:19-20).

Thus, Jesus' departure and ascension into heaven was both an end and a beginning. For although it ended His physical presence, it marked a beginning of Jesus' presence with His apostles and disciples in a new way. When He spoke to them of His impending departure from this world, He also made clear to His followers that they would not be doing the ministry of spreading the gospel on their own. His very last words to His followers in Matthew's gospel were, "And remember, I am with you always, till the end of time" (Mt 28:20).

His apostles are called to be witnesses of His saving death and His glorious resurrection. His ascension is a call for us to continually make Him present by allowing ourselves to become a living "Jesus" to other people. Our task is to proclaim God's gift of salvation to our homes, offices, schools and work areas.

Jesus intends God's love and gift of salvation not just for a chosen few, but for all who are willing to accept God's words and be transformed by them. All of us believers have been given a share in this task – to be heralds of the good news and ambassadors for Jesus Christ, the Saviour of the world.

In this task of evangelization, we have the power of His Holy Spirit in us, with us and through us.

Happy Feast day of the Ascension to all!

- Fr. Luis



**Prayer for
Ascension Sunday**

Risen Jesus,
help us to begin
living eternal life today.
Help us to know
your presence with us now,
even as we anticipate
the joy of heaven.
Teach us to live this life
in a way that draws us
into eternal life with you.
Amen.

OLQP:

Food Bank - As a result of the Fire in Bobcaygeon the Food Bank has been open each day this week, an unprecedented need. The residents are completely homeless and in order to help the Community Foundation of Kawartha Lakes has been set up, backed up by a committee of local organizations. Cheques made out to the Foundation can be left, with Bobcaygeon Fire in the memo box, at the Residence at 60 West St; food at the Food Bank. Our Parish Family has always been generous to all in need. Thank you.

Come celebrate with us, Fenelon Falls 150th Anniversary

**FREE
EVENT**



On July 21st, 2024, at St. Aloysius Parish parking lot
from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

The St. Aloysius Ladies Group & Knights of Columbus
invite you to join them for free hamburgers, hotdogs,
desserts, coffee and juice.



Also enjoy Face Painting & Games.



Community volunteer hours are available to anyone able to
assist with face painting/games.
Donations will be accepted at the event.

Happy Mother's Day

Prayer of Blessing of Mothers on Mother's Day

Loving God,
as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children,
as you watch over your Church.
Bless these women,
that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers.
Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.
Grant that we, their sons and daughters,
May honor them always
with a spirit of profound respect.
Grant this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Book of Blessings

LIVESTREAM LINKS FOR SUNDAY MASSES FROM THE DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Starting on May 11, 2024, at 5:00 p.m.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FT4oVEgP3pc>



Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre

Baby Bottle Boomerang Campaign



May 12, 2024 – June 16, 2024

The KLPC's annual Baby Bottle Fundraiser runs from
Mother's Day to Father's Day.

Choose to fill up a bottle available at your church or call the
Centre for one (705-878-8527) or fill our virtual bottle on
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FRIDAY MAY 31st, 2024

6:30 p.m. at OLQP

Cost: \$20.⁰⁰ per person

Tickets go on sale at the back of the churches after mass.

May 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.

For the formation of religious and seminarians

We pray that religious women and men, and seminarians, grow in their own vocations through their human, pastoral, spiritual and community formation, leading them to be credible witnesses to the Gospel.

Lord God, we pray for our priests and seminarians.

We ask for Your blessing as they serve Your people and the Church.

May they be faithful and bold in sharing Your Word and ministering to those in need.

We ask that You give them understanding, courage and a great love for You and others.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

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Happy Ascension Day!

When he had led them out to the vicinity
of Bethany, he lifted up his hands and
blessed them.

While he was blessing them, he left them
and was taken up into heaven.

Luke 24: 50-51 NIV

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