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Cemetery	Mike Byrne	705-887-6376

Fenelon Falls

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Father Fenelon Council 10878

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

Sat. July 5 th	4:00 p.m.	FF	Holy Mass † For the Intentions of Maureen Kitscha by Kathy Boyle & Peter Petrosioniak
	6:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
Sun. July 6 th	9:00 a.m.	BC	Holy Mass † For the Intentions of Jeff Armstrong by Dan & Joann Laviolette
	11:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass †
Wed. July 9 th	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
Thurs. July 10 th	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass †
Fri. July 11 th	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass †
	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
Sat. July 12 th	4:00 p.m.	FF	Holy Mass †
	6:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
Sun. June 13 th	9:00 a.m.	BC	Holy Mass †
	11:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass †

**Let us remember in Our Prayers
all who are Sick**

Bobcaygeon – Paul Sirois, Lynn Lebel, Joseph Ehmann, Judith Dann, Helen Vozza, Barbara Gartner, Joan Carnevale, Jeff Armstrong, Jose Foot & Giacomo Ames Brunello

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

Summary of Funds Collected Juen 23rd to 29th, 2025

OLQP	Sunday Offertory	\$ 1,291. ⁴⁵
	Canada Helps	\$ 96. ⁵⁰
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	PAP	\$ 230. ⁰⁰
St. Aloysius	Sunday Offertory	\$ 1,332. ⁴⁵
	Canada Helps	\$ 96. ²⁵
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	PAP	\$ 265. ⁰⁰

From the Desk of the Pastor...

As we reflect on the Liturgy this week and today we are caught up with the joy and excitement of the call to discipleship. It can lead to a truly enthusiastic response as we realize and experience the marvelous deeds GOD works as Jesus' disciples (including us) go out in His name and proclaim the GOOD News. We are also reminded that the reason for celebrating is not the miraculous events that are being experienced, but rather the relationships that they signify.

A comparison might be useful. Last July 1st, we celebrated Canada Day. People gathered to watch parade, fireworks display, shows, parties and celebrate it with pomp and joy. Yet the celebration itself was really not what the holiday is all about. The festivities were just the ways we express the meaning behind the celebration of Canada Day. Our celebration should lead us to a better relationship with God who keeps our Land glorious and free.

In a similar way, the deeds that are done in the name of the Lord Jesus, even though they may seem spectacular, are not (or at least should not be) the reason for our joy. The freedom as redeemed individuals and our relationship to the Lord Jesus and His Father through the presence of their Holy Spirit in our lives is what should be at the centre of our joy. And as Paul describes, we must continue to boast in the cross (and resurrection) of Jesus. We are called to be crucified to be compassionate and suffer with those whom we are called to serve as we are united with Jesus who has redeemed us and them.

Happy Canada Day!

- Fr. Erwin

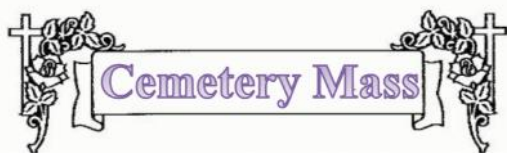
WELCOME FR. ERWIN

Thank you to everyone who attended Fr. Erwin's first official weekend as Pastor of St. Aloysius & Our Lady Queen of Peace. We continue to pray for Fr. Erwin and all priests that they may continue to bring the word and the sacraments of salvation to God's holy people.



**Let us pray for all good and faithful priests
who dedicate themselves to their people with
generosity and unknown sacrifices.**

- Pope Francis



Cemetery Mass

All of us over the years have lost people that we love, and it is our hope that some day we will be reunited with our loved ones. This hope isn't in vain, because it is rooted in the resurrection of Jesus, Our Lord, and thus we have a relationship with all those who have gone before us. The Catechism of the Catholic Church in par. 958, reminds us of our obligation to have "great respect for the dead" and our duty to "pray for the dead so that they may be relieved of their sins" and thus our prayers aid those in purgatory (1032). It reminds us that "our prayer for the dead is capable of not only helping them but also of making their intercessions for us effective."

To aid all of us in praying for the souls of our dearly departed we are having a Cemetery Mass in our parish cemetery at 13 Bulmer's Road, Fenelon Falls, on

Sunday July 27th, 2025 at 10:00 a.m.

This Mass will replace the 9:00 a.m. Mass in Bobcaygeon and 11:00 a.m. Mass in Fenelon Falls. That Sunday there will be a special envelope provided for a collection to help provide for the maintenance of our cemetery so as to care for the resting place of our parishioners. Our prayers that day are a sign of our love and our commitment to our faith and the virtue of hope.

We hope to see you all there...WEATHER PERMITTING.

Please bring your lawn chairs with you.



We cordially invite you to
celebrate the

25TH ANNIVERSARY

of the ordination of

Rev. Mr. Sean Gallagher

SUNDAY ★ 20 JULY ★ AT 11AM

at St. Aloysius, Roman Catholic Church

41 John St. Fenelon Falls K0M 1N0

Mass will begin at 11am with reception to follow

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Pilgrimage to the Cathedral of St. Peter-in-Chains

Saturday

19 July 2025

doors will open at 9:30 AM

- Tour of the church, including the crypt
- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
- Confessions
- Mass at 12:00 PM
- Potluck lunch in K of C Hall
- coffee, tea & sweets provided

Plenary Indulgence

- Make a pilgrimage to your cathedral
- Make a sacramental Confession
- and be detached from all sin
- Receive Holy Communion
- Pray for the intentions of Pope Leo

* Bobcaygeon — Our Lady Queen of Peace
Cardiff — Our Lady of Lourdes
Downsview — St. Luke
Fenelon Falls — St. Aloysius
Hawthorn — Our Lady of Mount Carmel
Kirkcaldy — St. Patrick
Kirkcaldy — St. John the Evangelist
Lakefield — St. Paul the Apostle
Lindsay — Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Norwood — St. Paul



PILGRIMAGE BUS TO MARTYR SHRINE SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

As part of the Diocesan Jubilee Celebrations, a bus has been reserved for the Diocesan pilgrimage of the Martyr Shrine **September 20, 2025**. Bus will leave St. Mary's Church, Lindsay at 7:15am and depart Midland at 3:00 pm.

Only 47 tickets are available.

Tickets can be purchased at St. Mary's Parish Office, cash or cheque. Tickets cost:

- Children ages 0-14, free
- Children ages 15-18, \$10
- Adults, early bird \$30, after August 19 \$40.

Tickets are available at the parish office.

Please bring your own meals for the day.

Pope Leo XIV's Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

(released June 2025)

Lord, I come to your tender heart today, to you who have words that set my heart ablaze, to you who pour out compassion on the little ones and the poor, on those who suffer, and on all human miseries.

I desire to know you more, to contemplate you in the Gospel, to be with you and learn from you and from the charity with which you allowed yourself to be touched by all forms of poverty. You showed us the Father's love by loving us without measure with your divine and human heart.

Grant all your children the grace of encountering you. Change, shape, and transform our plans, so that we seek only you in every circumstance: in prayer, in work, in encounters, and in our daily routine.

From this encounter, send us out on mission, a mission of compassion for the world in which you are the source from which all consolation flows. Amen.



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