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Fenelon Falls

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Sat. May 4 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	For the People of the Parish For the People of the Parish
Sun. May 5 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	
Wed. May 8 th	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass
Thurs. May 9 th	9:00 a.m.	FF	Holy Mass † Ross Abbott by Karen Abbott
Fri. May 10 th	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass NO MASS
Sat. May 11 th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	
Sun. May 12 th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	

Let us remember in our prayers all who are sick

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

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

Funds Collected April 22nd to 28th, 2024

OLQP	Sunday Offertory	\$ 806. ⁰⁰
	Canada Helps	\$ 96. ⁵⁰
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
St. Aloysius	Sunday Offertory	\$ 820. ⁰⁰
	Canada Helps	\$ 0. ⁰⁰
	E-transfer	\$ 0. ⁰⁰

From the Desk of the Pastor...

Today's Gospel reading gives us two models of personal relationship with Jesus: As a servant and as a friend. At any given point in our faith journey, one of these two models is predominant. Either we see our relationship with Him mainly in terms of master-servant or in terms of friend-friend.

"This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. You are My friends if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you" (Jn 15:12-15).

Traditional spirituality in the church has followed the master-servant model. Jesus is seen more as a Master to be feared, respected and obeyed than as a Friend to love in intimacy and familiarity. Today, Jesus challenges us to rethink our relationship with Him because, evidently, He himself prefers to relate with us, His disciples, as friend to friend rather than as master to servant.

"You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide; so that whatever you ask the Father in My name, He may give it to you. This I command you, to love one another." (Jn 14:16-17)

Since Jesus decided to consider us as His friends despite our unworthiness, then we should not fix our gaze on ourselves and ask, "Who am I Lord, that You should love me?" Rather we should fix our gaze on Him and ask, "Who are You Lord, that You love me so?"

Jesus calls us to move beyond the infant stage, the servant-master relationship, and go to the adult stage, the friend-friend way of relating to him. This will change the way we pray to God and the way we practice our faith. We shall begin to experience more peace and joy in our lives, as people do who are in love.

Let's pray that we grow in God's love.

Blessings to you,

Fr. Luis



**Novena
to the
Holy Spirit**

May 10 – 18, 2024

The Easter season culminates on Pentecost Sunday, May 19th, 2024.

Christians have prepared for Pentecost for over 2000 years by joining together for nine days of prayer. This first Novena was instituted when Jesus instructed the Apostles, "And I myself will send upon you what my Father has promised. But you must wait in the city until the power from above comes down upon you" (Luke 23: 49). As we prepare for the Solemnity of Pentecost, we invite you to pray this Novena for the intentions of the Diocese.

Paper copies are available at the back of the church.

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!

LIVESTREAM LINKS FOR SUNDAY MASSES FROM THE DIOCESE OF PETERBOROUGH

SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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May 12, 2024 – June 16, 2024

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Money donated will be used to continue our outreach programs to our clients at the Centre.

Thank you for all your support.

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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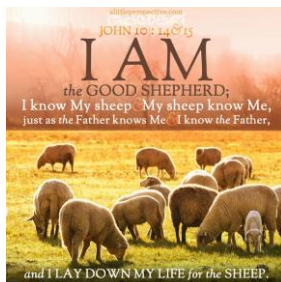
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