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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.*

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Sat. Nov 7th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Holy Mass †
Sun. Nov 8th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † Mary Ann Meaghen by Mike & Lucy McPherson Holy Mass † For the Deceased Members of the Laviolette Family by Dan & Joann † For the Intentions of Giovanna DiSerio by Ryan Edge
Wed. Nov 11th	1:00 p.m.	BC	Holy Mass † For the Deceased Members of the Laviolette Family by Dan & Joann
Thurs. Nov 12th	***8:30 a.m.***	FF	Holy Mass † For the Intentions of the St. Aloysius Ladies Group
Fri. Nov 13th	9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Holy Mass †
Sat. Nov 14th	4:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	FF BC	Holy Mass † Debbie Hale by Sharon Smith Holy Mass †
Sun. Nov 15th	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	BC FF	Holy Mass † For the Living & Deceased Members of the Callaghan Family Holy Mass † For the Deceased Members of the Bodkin & Tertone Family by Dan & Joann

Let us remember in Our Prayers all who are Sick

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Summary of Funds Collected Oct. 26th to Nov. 1st

	OLQP	St. Aloysius
Offertory	$ 1,525.00	$ 1,448.20
Canada Helps	$ 0.00	$ 0.00
E-transfer	$ 0.00	$ 100.00
POP	$ 180.00	$ 120.00

From the Desk of the Pastor…

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

My name is Rev. Fr. Dr. Michael Obinna Okafor, JP, a Catholic priest from the Diocese of Okigwe, Imo State, Nigeria. It is with great joy and gratitude to God that I introduce myself to you as I begin this beautiful chapter of my priestly ministry here in the Diocese of Peterborough, Canada.

I was ordained a Catholic priest on September 22, 2012, and for the past fourteen years, the priesthood has been an extraordinary journey of faith, service, sacrifice and God's amazing grace.

My academic journey has included studies in Philosophy, Theology and Religious Studies. Beyond the classroom, I have always believed that the greatest education a priest receives comes from listening to God's people, sharing their joys, comforting them in sorrow and walking with them in faith.

Before coming to Canada, I served in various pastoral assignments in Nigeria, most recently as Rector of St. Mary's Metropolitan Parish, Amuzi, Obowo and Dean of Obowo West Deanery. Those years were filled with unforgettable experiences in evangelization, spiritual formation, community development, youth empowerment and charitable outreach.

I am also passionate about writing, education and helping people discover their God-given potential. One of my publications is titled Ability in Disability, reflecting my conviction that every human being possesses dignity, purpose and something valuable to offer.

Who is Fr. Michael beyond the altar?

I am a simple, cheerful, approachable priest who loves prayer, music, reading, humour and meaningful conversations. I believe that holiness and happiness can walk together. After all, a smiling Christian can sometimes preach a more powerful sermon than a thousand words!

Coming from Nigeria to Canada has been an exciting experience. Although our cultures, weather and accents may differ, our faith in Jesus Christ unites us as one family. And while I am still adjusting to the Canadian weather, I am already enjoying the warmth of your hospitality!

My pastoral philosophy is simple: A priest is not sent to be served but to serve, not merely to occupy a position but to make a positive difference in people's lives.

I look forward to praying with you, listening to you, learning from you, laughing with you and working together to build vibrant, welcoming and Christ-centred parish communities.

As we begin this journey together, I ask for your prayers, patience, friendship and cooperation.

Let us grow together in faith, hope and love. The best chapters of our parish story are still ahead of us!

May God bless you and your families,

Rev. Fr. Dr. Michael Obinna Okafor, JP

Your brother and servant in Christ

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Living With Christ Sunday - Missals 2026-2027 Missals are now available at the back of the Church. The cost is $5.00 each, please leave payment in the designated area at the back of the Church.

Christmas Carol Concert - St. Aloysius and Our Lady Queen of Peace will be participating in the interchurches Christmas Carol concert which will take place the afternoon of Sunday December 6th at Fenelon Falls United Church. We are looking for people who love to sing and/or can play a musical instrument to represent our churches. Practices will take place from mid November at St. Aloysius after 11:00 Mass. Please email Sharron McGrath *smemcgrath@gmail.com* or Bob Degrosbois *robertdegrosbois@hotmail.com*.

Fenelon Falls Association of Churches Events

Neurogenerative Art – Come out and try something new! Enjoy a relaxing and creative afternoon exploring neurogenerative art. No previous experience is necessary, and all supplies will be provided. Monday, November 23rd, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Immanuel Community Church. Everyone is welcome!

Tinsel & Tears Service – On Sunday November 29th at 2:00 p.m. at Immanuel Community Church everyone Everyone is warmly invited to attend this ecumenical service, followed by fellowship and light refreshments. This special service offers comfort, hope and companionship to anyone experiencing loneliness, health challenges, grief, devastation or financial hardship. All are welcome to come together in prayer, reflection and fellowship during the Christmas season.

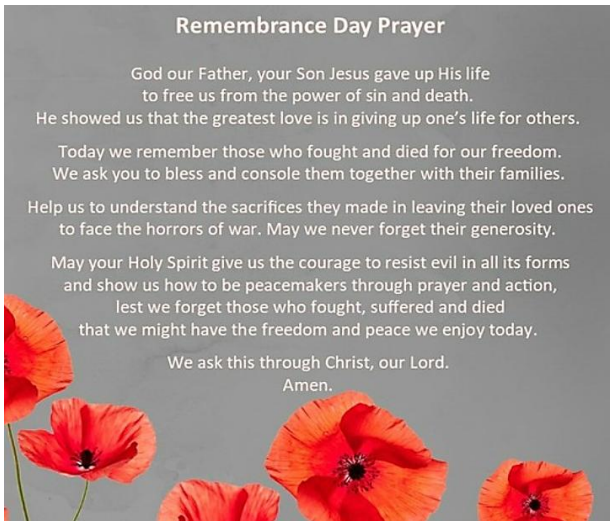
Free Hot Meals – Meals are offered every Monday & Wednesday at the Salvation Army in Fenelon Falls from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. If you need support, please come enjoy a hot meal served by our amazing volunteers at 42 Bond St. W. in Fenelon Falls.

Friday Soup Lunch – Fenelon Immanuel Community Church offers free soup lunch every Friday 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. A different soup is made each week. Please come out and join us at 20 Bond St. E., Fenelon Falls.

From the Diocese of Peterborough

Job Opportunity: St. John the Evangelist Church and Parish is looking for a Parish Bookkeeper and Administrative Assistant. The Parish Bookkeeper and Administrative Assistant support the parish by maintaining accurate financial records and coordinating the day-to-day administrative operations of the parish office. This dual role requires accuracy, discretion, confidentiality, strong organizational skills, and a commitment to serving the mission of the Roman Catholic Church. Please send your resume and a brief cover letter to office@stjohskirkfield.ca. Closing Date to submit resumes: November 12, 2026

Diocesan Website Updated: Explore the homepage of the website to learn about news around the Diocese and generally - "what's happening." Click "read the story" or "read more," to keep up with local events and news. LINK: News & Announcements – Roman Catholic Diocese of Peterborough





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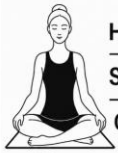
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