



St. Alphonsus Liguori Catholic Church ■ stalphonsus.net

Are you new here? Welcome! No matter who you are or where you're from, we're so glad you've joined us. Stop by the Welcome Desk, we'd love to meet you!

June 23, 2019

MESSAGE SERIES: Live and Learn // It is said that the fool learns by experience, but at least he learns. From time to time, we have all been unproductive or counterproductive in decision-making, experienced negative thought patterns, and made poor decisions. Rather than repeating failed behaviours and thought processes, successful people are able to recognize and rise above their failures to make permanent positive decisions they'll never regret. During this series we will identify the behaviours and thought processes of successful people.

GREAT CANADIAN GIVING CHALLENGE // June is Giving Challenge month! **Every \$1 you donate this month enters St. Alphonsus Liguori Church in a draw for \$10,000...** that would give us a **huge financial boost** to continue our efforts to make **Christ known and loved in Peterborough!** When you give, you are tangibly making a difference in someone's life. You are sowing a seed into good ground. Marriages are restored, lives are healed, and people meet Jesus. There's no better investment in the world. To give, and enter us into a draw to win \$10,000, go to <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/gcgc/110993>

FAREWELL FR. CRAIG // Fr. Craig will be moving to St. Joseph's Parish in Bowmanville June 27th. We wish to thank Fr. Craig for celebrating weekday Masses with us and all the help he has given Fr. Jerry over the last few years. Please join us for a little reception after the 7PM Mass this Tuesday evening.

CAR BLESSING // Going on vacation? Next weekend, Fr. Jerry will bless vehicles after all Masses - please drive-thru *slowly* under the Portico. No accidents please 😊

TINY DISCIPLES

Tiny Disciples is a drop-off worship experience for Kids ages 2-5. Kids get the chance to have fun and learn that God loves them while their parents get some quiet time to participate in worship. Tiny Disciples runs every Sunday at the 9AM and 11AM Masses. Just follow the signs to the Tiny Disciples area or stop by the Welcome Desk to learn more.

EDGE

Edge is our ministry geared for middle school students. It's an experience geared specifically to students in grades 6 - 8, with fun games and engaging small-small-group discussion. Edge meets every Wednesday from 6:30 - 8:30PM in our Parish Hall.

KIDS CHURCH

For children in grades 1-5, we offer Kids Church, a worship experience for our younger members. How does it work? Children go to Mass with their families; after the opening prayer, they're invited to gather in a separate area for readings, a message, and a fun worship experience geared to their age. Kids Church runs every Sunday at the 9AM and 11AM Masses.

LIFETEEN

LifeTeen is our youth ministry experience open to all high school students. Teens worship, learn and grow as they get to know the Lord Jesus. Life Teen students go deeper with one another and adult mentors, and form life-long friendships. LifeTeen meets every Saturday evening following our 5PM Mass. We have a quick bite to eat, and then launch into our program for the evening.

LIFE TEEN AND EDGE // Our youth programs have officially finished for the school year but we will have summer programming beginning in July. During the summer we play games and have movie nights, etc. in a fun, faith-filled way!

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES! // Congratulations to all our grade 8 graduates from St. Alphonsus and St. Catherine's Schools. May our Lord guide and look after you on your next stage in life. God Bless!

CHURCH DIRECTORY // The 2019-2020 **Ontario Catholic Directory** is available at the Welcome Desk or Parish Office - just in time for your summer travels! For churches in our diocese check peterboroughdiocese.org or masstimes.org for churches in North America.

SUMMER CHURCH SUPPORT // Summer months provide a welcome break for the families of our parish. Please keep in mind that the bills keep coming in even when you are away. We encourage you to continue your financial support for your parish throughout the summer. Electronic giving is easy and worry free. Talk to Hanna to sign up. Leaving envelopes before you go is also an option.

PILGRIMAGE // 17 Day Pilgrimage to Holy Land, Greece, Italy, Austria, Germany and Croatia, April 13 - 29, 2020 with Fr. Jerry Tavares and Fr. Alarey Abella. Itineraries are available in the Parish Office.

WOMEN'S RETREAT EVENING // Thursday, July 4, 7 - 10PM, St. Alphonsus Liguori Church Three Keys to Your Feminine Genius. Mass, Talk by Sr. Bernadette Caron SOLI, Adoration and Confession ending with a Tea Social in the Narthex nursery.

VIANNEY FAIR // Don't miss out on this wonderful Catholic festival - beautiful grounds, swimming, children's games, Sunday Mass with the Bishop, ice cream and more! The event is Sunday Aug. 18 from 1-7pm at the McCloskey property, 2097 Heritage Line. Tickets at www.ptbovocations.ca/vianneyfair or 705-874-1871.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., June 24 8AM Adele Cowling
Tues., June 25 7PM Marilyn Martell
Wed., June 26 8AM Charles Coughlin
Thurs., June 27 7PM Larry Stubensey
Fri., June 28 8AM Catherine Brooks-Stevenson

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat., June 20 5PM - John Wiseman
Sun., June 30 9AM - Joseph Phan Am
Sun., June 30 11AM - Missa Pro Populo (for the people)

OUR TEAM

Pastor ▸ Fr. Jerry Tavares
Youth Minister ▸ Nicolas DuBonnet
Lay Pastoral Assistant ▸ Samantha Miller
Administrative Assistant ▸ Hanna Dracup
Operations ▸ Dennis McKenzie

WEEKEND WORSHIP

Saturday 5PM

Sunday 9AM*

11AM*

*Children's Ministry for ages 2 to Grade 5

RECONCILIATION

Tuesdays 6:30-6:50PM
Saturdays 3:30-4:30PM

STAY CONNECTED

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