



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!

July 7, 2019

MESSAGE SERIES: All In // "The Gospel doesn't cost anything, but it demands everything. It demands that we go 'all in,' a term that simply means placing all that you have into God's hands. And that's where we get stuck... We're afraid that if we go all in that we might miss out on what this life has to offer. It's not true. The only thing you'll miss out on is everything God has to offer. And the good news is this: if you don't hold out on God, God won't hold out on you." (Mark Batterson) It may be the lazy days of summer, but we aren't meant to take a vacation from faith. God is always calling us to go all in when it comes to our faith, and indeed to our whole lives. In this whole series, we'll talk about what it means to be totally devoted to our faith, and how we can stay sold out for God. *Are you all in?*

STEUBENVILLE TORONTO // Our youth need your help going to Steubenville next weekend. They have fallen short in their fundraising. As you saw in some testimonials a few months ago, this weekend means a lot to them. It brings them even closer to God and it is encouraging to see them attending Mass which is seldom seen in many other churches. Envelopes can be found at the church doors. Thank you for supporting the next generation and keeping church alive.

SACRAMENT REGISTRATION // Please go to www.stalphonsus.net/sacraments to register for the 2019-20 preparation sessions of Reconciliation, First Communion and Confirmation. There are two options for Reconciliation and First Communion. They can be taken one after the other in the fall/winter of 2019 or winter/spring of 2020. Alternately, Reconciliation can be taken in the fall of 2019 and First Communion in the spring of 2020. There is limited enrolment for each intake so register early!

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.

DAILY MASSES // Beginning the week of July 22nd, Wednesday morning Mass at 8AM will change to 7PM. Morning Mass attendance has been declining and this will give more opportunity for those working and going to school to attend another Mass. Monday and Friday will remain at 8AM and Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday will be 7PM. We are the only city parish with evening Masses. We welcome Fr. Tony Barol who is replacing Fr. Craig to celebrate the Monday morning and Tuesday evening Masses.

60th ANNIVERSARY of ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI PARISH // This past spring, the parish was opened 60 years ago in what is now the Parish Hall. We plan to celebrate this occasion this coming fall. One of the hopes is to create a new parish photo album. If anyone can help with organizing the album and/or a celebration, please call Hanna in the office.

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.

FORMED.ORG // Looking for some interesting reading over the summer? Get unlimited access to the best Catholic content in one place - eBooks, talks, and videos in the Church today. Register at www.formed.org with the Parish code: **MT9YZ7**. *Netflix for Catholics!*

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.

VIANNEY FAIR // Sunday, August 18, 1-7PM. Last early-bird opportunity - ends July 8th! Go to www.ptbovoctions.ca/vianneyfair or call 705-874-1871. \$35/family, \$12/adult (under 12 free)

SHRINE OF ST. ANN // Pilgrimage to the Shrine of St. Ann, Cormac, ON, July 28, with Most Rev. Michael Mulhall. For info call 613-628-2020 or www.cormacpilgrimage.com.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., July 8 8AM Deceased members of
Sawchuk and St. Rose Families
Tues., July 9 7PM Monica Thompson
Wed., July 10 8AM Adele McLean
Thurs., July 11 7PM Special Intentions of Bunmi Adesanya
Fri., July 12 8AM Kevin Hutchings

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat., July 13 5PM - Harry O'Rourke
Sun., July 14 9AM - Ross McGilvray
Sun., July 14 11AM - Missa Pro Populo (for the people)

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

OUR TEAM

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

STAY CONNECTED

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