



# #ELOOP

## St. Alphonse Liguori Catholic Church

### September 29, 2024 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### MASS TIMES

##### Saturday

4:00PM

##### Sunday

9:00AM, 11:00AM

*The 11AM Mass is streamed LIVE on our YouTube channel and is available on demand*

##### Monday to Thursday 6:00PM

(Tuesday evening Mass followed by Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena)

##### Friday 9:00AM

#### CONFESSIONS

Tuesdays 5:15 - 5:45PM

Saturdays 3:00 - 3:45PM

First Friday 9:30 - 10:30AM (during Adoration)

#### OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday

10AM - 12Noon, 1 - 3PM

#### BAPTISMS AND MARRIAGE

Contact the parish office

#### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

One hour following First Friday Mass in Church

##### Blessed Sacrament Chapel

**Open Monday to Friday 9:00AM - 9:00PM**

Call Mary Ellen, 705-917-1637

to schedule a weekly commitment

Call Renata, 905-321-3384 for substitute

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#### DIOCESAN WEBSITE

[www.peterboroughdiocese.org](http://www.peterboroughdiocese.org)

Most Reverend Bishop Daniel Miehm

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St. Catherine Elementary 705-742-6109

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## 26th Week in Ordinary Time

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

6:00PM Special Intentions of Folu Adesanya  
by Mom and Dad

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1

6:00PM † Kevin O'Brien  
by KofC Bishop Marrocco Assembly 0882

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2

6:00PM † Audrey Baker by Teresa Moore & Family

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

6:00PM Living and Deceased members of SSVDP  
by St. Alphonsus Liguori SVDP

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

9:00AM † Fr. Damian Smullen

### WEEKEND MASSES

#### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

4:00PM Missa Pro Populo (for the people)

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

9:00AM † Lawrence Allen Stubensey  
by Christine Stubensey

11:00AM † Helen Movinsky  
by Voytek and Zofia Orzechowski

### DEDICATION of the SANCTUARY CANDLE

September 28 - October 4 intentions of  
Folu Adesanya. Requested by Mom and Dad.

### SACRAMENT PREP

**Registration is closing soon.** Schedules and information for this fall's **Reconciliation/First Communion and Confirmation** preparation can still be found at [www.stalphonsus.net/sacraments](http://www.stalphonsus.net/sacraments).

### FIRST FRIDAY MASS, OCTOBER 4th

Mass at 9:00am followed by an hour of Adoration.

Mass at 6:00pm celebrated by Capuchins in honour of the Feast Day of St. Francis of Assisi.

### RECEIVING COMMUNION

If you find it difficult to come forward to receive Communion, please stand in your spot and a priest or minister will come to you when the congregation has received. Better yet, let someone know when you come in.

### LOW GLUTEN HOSTS

If you require a low gluten host, please proceed to the outside aisle by the wall on the choir side of the church. The priest/minister there has a pyx with the low gluten. Just mention to the minister your request.

*'I hunger for the bread of God, the flesh of Jesus Christ...; I long to drink of his blood, the gift of unending love.'* - St. Ignatius of Antioch

### HOSTS NEEDED

The city and area parishes are working together to have a one day retreat, **October 19th**, for all the students who are participating in Confirmation preparation. They have asked Net Ministries to facilitate the retreat. Our own Samantha and Zy Miller were missionaries with Net several years ago. Part of the Net program is finding hosts for the missionaries to stay with while in each particular community. If you could possibly help with accommodations and meals, or need more detailed information, please let Hanna know in the parish office. The dates are **Thursday, October 17 - Sunday, October 21**. At least 2 will stay with each host to protect both the missionaries and hosts. They have their own bedding and toiletries.

## Seniors' FAITH CAFE

### WELCOME BACK!

**Tuesday, October 1st, Mass 10:00am**

Program and lunch at Parish Hall 10:30am

Lunch provided by Royal Gardens

Don't miss it! Tell your friends.

Looking forward to some great times, fellowship, fun and good food!



## OKTOBERFEST

**OCTOBER 26th, Doors open at 6pm**

**ST. ALPHONSUS PARISH HALL**

German beer tasting, dinner and dessert, bar, best costume contest, games, prizes and more!

**Tickets: \$40.** Ask a Knight or CWL member for tickets or stop by the parish office. **DEADLINE** for ticket sales is **October 12th** for caterer.

**All Welcome! COME JOIN THE FUN!!**

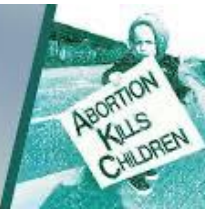
**DON'T FORGET THE MINISTRY FAIR THIS WEEKEND!**



# LIFE CHAIN

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2024

Join thousands across Canada standing against abortion in a peaceful, prayerful demonstration!



**Sunday, October 6 from 2 - 3 pm.**

Arrive to pick up signs at **Sacred Heart Church** at 1:30-1:45 pm and proceed to Lansdowne St. Silent prayerful witness.

Adoration and prayer to follow afterwards in the church. For more info call 705-772-1579 or visit [www.peterboroughprolife.ca](http://www.peterboroughprolife.ca)



If you have:

- **never been baptized,**
- **baptized in another Christian denomination,**
- **baptized Catholic and wish to receive Communion and Confirmation.**

Call the office. Classes begin in October.

## TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION DAY

Will be held on **Monday, September 30** and it will be remembered at our **6:00pm Mass**. If you would like further information about the work that has been accomplished, visit the diocesan website at:

<https://www.peterboroughdiocese.org/en/about-us/truth-and-reconciliation.aspx>

**LA VERNA** 810 Frank St. - For more information about programs/retreats/events call 705-243-9131 or check [laverna@capuchins.ca](mailto:laverna@capuchins.ca) and [facebook.com/capuchins.ca](https://www.facebook.com/capuchins.ca)

### A FRANCISCAN TRIDUUM,

**October 2nd, 1-7pm** - Blessing of the Animals, La Verna Bring your pets to the side yard surrounded by the hedge off Western Ave. (Corner Frank and Western)

**October 3rd, 6:30pm** - Transitus Service, St. Alphonsus Remembering the death of St. Francis of Assisi

**October 4th, 6pm** - Feast day of St. Francis of Assisi, Mass at 6:00pm at St. Alphonsus

## PROJECT RACHEL

Women suffering after abortion need support. If this is your pain, or the grief of someone you know, consider the upcoming Project Rachel retreat at St. Mary's Refuge, November 8 - 10. For more info, contact us through our confidential phone line at 289-691-6840 or email [ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org](mailto:ProjectRachel@stmarysrefuge.org) or visit [stmarysrefuge.org/rachel](http://stmarysrefuge.org/rachel)

## St. Martin's CWL COUNTRY BAZAAR

St. Martin's Parish Hall, Ennismore, Oct. 19th, 10am-2pm Admission: \$2, Light lunch/tea room: \$5. Raffle table, children's area, preserves, baking, locally made products.

## MEETINGS/GATHERINGS

Senior's Faith Cafe: 1st Tuesday, 10:00am Church/Hall  
 SVDP: 2nd Tuesday, 2:00pm, Redemptorist Room  
 Divine Mercy: 3rd Tuesday, 2:30pm, Church  
 Moms, Love, Coffee playgroup: 9:30 every Wed, Parish Hall  
 CWL: 2nd Wednesday, 6:45pm, Parish Hall  
 K of C: 3rd Wednesday, 7:00pm, Parish Hall  
 Adoration: 1st Friday of month, 9:30am Church (1 hour)  
 Family Adoration: 3rd Friday, 9:30am, Church (1 hour)  
 Young Adults (YAM): 4th Friday, 6:30pm, Redemptorist Rm  
 Gospel Reflection: 9:30am every Friday (except 1st one)  
 Charismatic Prayer Group: 2:30pm every Saturday  
 Redemptorist Room

## RESOURCES

Lots of free programming. Inspiration for all ages. Search St. Alphonsus Liguori Peterborough to start your free account.



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*"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."*

**- Matthew 6:21**

**Give thanks to Christ, and thank you for supporting your parish.**

- **Electronic Giving:** Pre-Authorized forms available on the website or in the parish office.
- **E-Transfer:** send to email address [office@stalphonsus.net](mailto:office@stalphonsus.net). Please put what funds are for in comment section.
- **Giving online:** Give a one-time or scheduled ongoing donations using your credit card. Go to <https://www.canadahelps.org/give>
- **Text-to-donate:** Text the word: **give** to **(833) 965-2707** to get set up for text giving.
- **Offertory Envelopes:** For a box of traditional envelopes, please contact the office and we'll get a box ready for you.

## SERVICE FOR SENIORS

**Tuesday, October 15th**, Grade 12 students from St. Peter Catholic Secondary School will be offering their services to help seniors (outdoors only)  
 They will: Do volunteer work - cleaning yards, etc  
 Engage in conversation  
 Assist our Seniors in the community  
 If interested in having their help, please contact through 705-745-1358 or email Chaplain Rico at [rfuerzas@pvnccdsb.on.ca](mailto:rfuerzas@pvnccdsb.on.ca). It's a tradition!



# SAINT VINCENT de PAUL FOOD PANTRY

SVDP is always in need of food for their Food Pantry located at Bethune and Murray Streets. You can drop non-perishable food off here at the church in the Holy Family Room just inside the main door. Monetary donations are also gladly accepted. Just put in an envelope with your name and address and drop it in the collection basket. All is most graciously appreciated.

# Telecare Distress Centre of Peterborough

is recruiting telephone volunteers. Telecare offers nonjudgemental active listening to worried, overwhelmed and lonely callers. For information about volunteer training and to apply, please visit [www.telecarepeterborough.org](http://www.telecarepeterborough.org). The next 50 hour training for new volunteers begins **October 3rd, 2024**.

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