

ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI R.C. CHURCH

SEPTEMBER 13, 2026 | 24th 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 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

Tuesday - Thursday

10AM - 12Noon, 1:00 - 3:00PM

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

PASTORAL TEAM

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www.peterboroughdiocese.org

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St. Catherine Elementary 705-742-6109

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WELCOME TO ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI

St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish is a movement that exists to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ, to make disciples of all nations. As Roman Catholics, we seek to honour our faith tradition by authentically and creatively presenting it to our community in Peterborough. We are thrilled you have visited and/or joined us.

MASS INTENTIONS

24th Week in Ordinary Time

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

6:00PM † Vern and Marg Keating by Dorothy King

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

6:00PM Special Intentions of Monica Lavoie

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

6:00PM † Ted Kornblum by Shelly and Charlie Murphy

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

6:00PM † Faustino and Cecilia Adesanya
& Charles and Victoria Ajie
by Dominic and Catherine Adesanya

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

9:00AM † Paul Scott by Deb Marino

WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

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

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

9:00AM † Carl Moher by Ruthie Moher and Family

11:00AM † Ruben John Mendoza by Justo, Mom and Dad

The **Sanctuary Candle** will be lit the week of **September 12-18** for the success of programs at St. Alphonsus Church



St. Alphonsus Liguori Parish
PETERBOROUGH

**Our
SUNShine
Adoration**

 **This Friday
after 9 am Mass**

**Young Families
are Welcome!**


"Let the children
come to me."
Mark 10:14

All Are Welcome!

1st RECONCILIATION & 1st COMMUNION CONFIRMATION

SACRAMENT PREP 2026/27

If you have children in grades 2 and up for
1st Reconciliation and 1st Communion
or grades 7 and up for Confirmation *please*

Register and view the schedules on the website at
stalphonsus.net/sacraments.

1st Reconciliation/1st Communion

meet scheduled Tuesdays, 6:30-8pm

Confirmation

meet scheduled Wednesdays 6:30-8pm

Please let family and friends know!



KICK OFF SUNDAY!

Today! SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 13th

12 noon to 2:30pm

Dunk Tank

Bouncy Castle

Cotton Candy

CWL drinks and treats

Entertainment by

Rhythm and Grace, the Duketow Family

**K of C BBQ (burgers and hot dogs will be
cooked until they are gone - don't wait!)**

Fun for everyone!

Come and check it out

*Let's have fun kicking off the new year of
programs and meetings.*



PETERBOROUGH PRO-LIFE, LIFE CHAIN

Sunday, October 4 from 2 - 3pm. Meet at Sacred Heart Church beginning at 1:30pm to pick up a sign and go stand with others in silent protest along Lansdowne St. between George and Park Sts. Prayers for Life afterwards at Sacred Heart Church. www.peterboroughprolife.ca or call Elizabeth 705-292-7056 for more info.



BECOMING CATHOLIC

We welcome all adults who have

never been baptized,

baptized in another Christian denomination,

baptized Catholic and wish to receive

the rest of their sacraments

Classes begin weekly October 5th on Monday evenings
(except long weekends and holidays)

Contact the parish office for more information.



LA VERNA MINISTRIES

For upcoming programs and events please check [facebook.com/Capuchins.ca](https://www.facebook.com/Capuchins.ca), call 705-243-9131 or email laverna@capuchins.ca Located at 820 Frank St.

ONE WITH GOD COMMUNITY

There will be a prayer meeting as a continuation of the Alpha Program this month on the 3rd **Friday, September 18 at 6:30pm** in the upper Parish Hall.

MEN'S VOCATIONAL DISCERNMENT OPPORTUNITY

November 20-22, St. Benedict Abbey, Saint-Benoit-du-Lac, Quebec. Cost is \$80 for the weekend. We will coordinate rides and drive down the Friday morning and return the Sunday night. For questions contact coordinator: marykatelong210@gmail.com Registration form: <https://forms.gle/DjHzfqnuXQ75hHK8>

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2027 - SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA!

JOIN US! The Diocese of Sault Ste. Marie is inviting all **Catholic young adults aged 18-39** to participate in our **Pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea for World Youth Day 2027 from August 1-13, 2027 led by Fr. Daniel Muscolino.** For prices, dates, itinerary, requirements and application plus visit to Tokyo, Japan visit: bit.ly/wyd27.

Deadline to apply is September 25, 2026.



NEEDS OF THE CANADIAN CHURCH The annual collection for the Needs of the Church in Canada will be held on **September 26/27.** The Collection supports the shared mission of the Church in Canada and helps the Bishops carry out together pastoral work that serves dioceses, e-parches and the faithful across the country.

MEETINGS/GATHERINGS

Senior's Faith Cafe: 1st Tuesday of month, 10am, Church
SSVDP: 2nd Tuesday of month, 2pm, Redemptorist Room
Divine Mercy Program: 3rd Tuesday, 2:30pm, Church
Catalyst: Highschoolers, Tuesdays, starting Sept.22nd
CWL: 2nd Wednesday of month, 6:45pm, Parish Hall
K of C: 3rd Wednesday of month 7pm, Parish Hall
Moms,Love,Coffee playgroup: 9:30am Thursdays, Hall
Adoration: 1st Friday of month, 9:30am, Church
SONShine Family Adoration: 3rd Friday 9:30am, Church
Gospel Reflection: 9:30am every Friday (except 1st one)
CLUB 316: Gr. 608, every Friday beginning Sept. 25

LIFEWATER FUNDRAISING CONCERT

Monday, September 21, 7 - 8:30pm

Showplace Performance Centre, Cogeco Studio

Performances by **Foley's Celtic Pub Band,**
The Crooked Archers and **Pressure Point** & more!

Lifewater Canada, founded in 1995, has been providing safe drinking water, improved sanitation, and hygiene education to communities around the world. Over 11 million people have been impacted by our work to date.

Admission by donation at the door or online at

www.showplace.org.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP RETURNS

St. Paul's is once again offering GriefShare, a caring, confidential support group for adults who are grieving the death of a family member or friend.

The 13-week program **begins Monday, September 14th**, and will meet weekly from 1:30-3:00pm to December 7th. Meetings will be at the church located within The Mount Community Centre, 1545 Monaghan Rd. Cost is \$35 which covers the cost of a workbook. To register visit find.griefshare.org/groups/294900 or for more info, office@stpaulspeterborough.ca, 705-745-1411.

SPAGHETTI SUPPER & MEN-IN-BLACK CONCERT

Wednesday, September 30, supper 5:30pm St. Mary's School, concert 7pm St. Mary's Church, Lindsay

Come enjoy a great supper and listen to the clergy of our diocese sing and entertain!

Supper only: \$20, Concert only: \$25, Both: \$40

Children under 12 free for both

Proceeds to repair the church steeple and cross.

Tickets: Glenda 705-340-5357, Gloria 705-324-2290

or email or e-transfer to LindsayCWL27@gmail.com

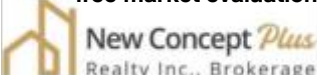
CAMPUS MINISTRY

Peterborough Campus Ministry exists to accompany students at Trent University and Fleming College into a personal and life-giving relationship with **Jesus Christ**, who is "the **Way**, the **Truth**, and the **Life**" (Jn 14:6). If you are a post-secondary student and are looking to deepen your faith, join a vibrant community of students and young adults, or are simply curious about Catholicism and the Catholic Church, then you belong in our chaplaincy!

Visit ptbocampusministry.ca, and register to join our contact list. On behalf of Fr. Adam, the Chaplain, & our team, we look forward to welcoming you to our chaplaincy!

THANK YOU FOR HELPING TO KEEP YOUR PARISH THRIVING! Ways to give:

- **Pre-authorized giving** - forms available on the website or in the parish office
- **E-transfer** - to office@stalphonsus.net. Please put what funds are for in comment section. No security question
- **Giving online** - give a one-time or scheduled ongoing donations using your credit/debit card.
Go to <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/36768> or click on the 'Make A Gift' button on the church website
- **Offertory envelopes** - for a box of traditional envelopes, please contact the office or pick up a box in the Narthex. Make sure to put your name and address on the first few.

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