

Reverend Fr. Oliver Weseka

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An Introduction of our new Pastor

- Fr. Oliver Weseka was born and raised in Kitale, Kenya in a countryside home of 3 girls, 4 boys, and his parents. His mother is now deceased, but his father and three siblings are alive.
- Following High School, he spent some time as a volunteer elementary teacher.
- Fr. Oliver was not baptized as an infant, but was baptized a little later in life, which led to his formation for the Priesthood and his ordination on February 14th, 2009 (on Valentine's Day, which is celebrated in Kenya as well).
- He eventually accepted an assignment in Canada and arrived in 2019.
- Since then, Fr. Oliver has been assigned to Trenton, Lansdowne and Rockport, Perth and now here in Chesterville and South Mountain.
- As for hobbies, he enjoys golf, cycling and what the rest of the world calls football (which we know as soccer).
- Fr. Oliver is also involved in a special "Mission Appeal" program aimed toward 3rd World Churches. Once a year, in Toronto, a selected 3rd World Church representative presents a request for funding and is challenged to defend their need.
- Finally, a central theme that Fr. Oliver likes to express is that he is a strong believer in the building of a "Team Spirit" within the Parish Communities. He looks forward to working with all Parishioners.