



the **Church**  
of **St Peter** and  
**St Simon-the-Apostle**

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**FRIDGE NOTES • ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany – Vestry Sunday**  
**February 24, 2019**

**Welcome** *We are glad you are with us and look forward to meeting you after the liturgy.*

**Coffee Hour takes place** after the 10:30 am service. Please join us, and if you would like more information about our parish life please speak with our priest or one of the greeters.

**Pastoral Care** is available for the home-bound parishioners, those in hospital and for other spiritual needs. Please contact the office if you or someone you know would like a visit from one of our Lay Pastoral Visitors or Father Geoffrey Sangwine.



*Assisted Hearing Devices are available from the sidespersons and stewards.*



*Sunday School takes place during the 10:30 am service. Children will gather at the font during the opening hymn.*



*New to SPSS? Please fill out a welcome card, available in the pews, and place it on the offering plate.*



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## PRAYERS

**In our prayers this week, we remember:**

**Anglican Communion:** The Anglican Church of Central America

**Diocese:** Bishop Andrew Asbil, Area Bishop - Kevin Robertson,  
Mississauga Deanery

**Outreach and Advocacy:**

Huron Cluster Ministry, Church of the Incarnation, Flemington Park  
Ministry

**Our Parish:** Vernita Theobalds, Aldene Thomas, Sheila Thomas, Lois Totton

**Home-bound:** Byron Armstrong/Gail Birnie/Inez V. Burt/Nancy Byers/Cintra Cassidy/Ann  
Duff/Charlotte Graham/Lorraine Griffith/Norma Kenny/Cynthia Olivierre/Denise  
Orieux/George Petricko/Lucy Simons/Lois Totton/Lila Vamosi/Gladys Worledge-  
Burke/Pam Young.



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**We appreciate your givings** and remind you that in order to receive a tax receipt your envelope number or name & address should accompany all donations. Also, please do not leave your valuables unattended.

**Pre-authorized giving (PAG)** forms are available at the back of the church and in the pews. We encourage you to support the church through PAG. Thank you for your support.

**Dancercize** – Join us Wednesdays in the Parish Hall at 12:30 pm for an hour of dancing. Free. Everyone welcome. For information, please speak to Carol Peck or email [ctpeck35@hotmail.com](mailto:ctpeck35@hotmail.com), or call the church office.

**Our Parish Newsletter, *Jubilate!***

Please submit articles by **March 3rd** for inclusion in the Holy Week and Easter issue.

**Altar Flowers** If you are interested in dedicating flowers for the altar, there are Sundays available on May 19, June 2, 9, 23, and 30. Please speak with Barbara Towe.

## CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH

**Black History Month Display and Celebration.**

Today, there is a display highlighting the history of the Black community in Canada. Please take a moment after the 10:30am Service to view the display and enjoy the Coffee Hour and refreshments.

## LOOKING AHEAD

**World Day of Prayer** – This year the service comes from Slovenia. Join us at 11 am on Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup> at St. Paul's Anglican Church, 227 Bloor Street East. No parking is available. You could park at SPSS and walk west to St. Paul's. A light lunch will be served after the service. Contact Fran (416-504-5885) or Sheila (416-921-2593) for further information.

**Epiphany Scripture Study** - Tuesday, March 19, 26, April 2, 9

### *Meeting Jesus in the Gospel of Luke - Part II*

For St Luke the Evangelist, Jesus is the centre point of God's movement in history and the clearest revelation of God's purposes for all of humanity. The Sunday Gospels this year are from Luke. All are welcome to join us as we read and discuss this marvellous account of the Good News of Jesus Christ. Join us for:

Light Supper (6:15 pm)      Study (7:00 pm)      Compline (8:30 pm)

**Bishop Kevin Robertson** invites you to the 2019 **Supporting Parish Leaders Workshop** in York-Scarborough. Please join us on Saturday, March 23, 2019 at the Church of St. Andrew, Scarborough for this half-day workshop. This event is open to all churchwardens, deputy churchwardens, parish admins, treasurers, administrative staff and clergy.



**Diocese of Toronto**  
Anglican Church of Canada

**Sunday Forum:** *Legal challenges in applying for refugee status in Canada*

Sunday March 31, 2019 from 12:30 to 2:00 pm (coffee will be served)

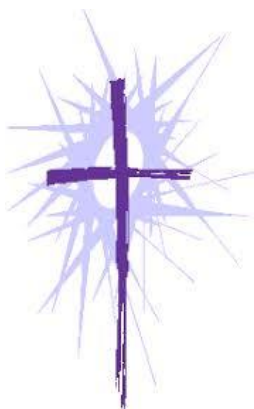
Location: SPSS Parish Hall

Speaker, Paul VanderVennen, is a lawyer in Toronto who works with refugee claimants. He is a friend of Diane Marshall, and is currently representing one of our parishioners in an appeal of a recent decision rejecting this person's refugee claim.

### **Good news!**

We just heard from Mohammed that his father Jomard Al-Bayati has been accepted by Canada. He is scheduled for a medical this week and will arrive here late spring to early summer. More news to follow as soon as we receive it.

SPSS Refugee Committee



## **LENT & EASTER**

### **Wednesday, March 6**

7 pm - Ash Wednesday Service

### **Sunday, March 17 4 pm**

A Service of Readings, Music and Prayer for Lent

### **Sunday, March 24**

4 pm - Choral Evensong

### **Sunday, April 14 - Palm Sunday**

Services at 8:30 and 10:30 am

4 pm – Stainer's *Crucifixion*

### **Thursday, April 18 – Maundy Thursday**

7:30 pm - Maundy Thursday Liturgy

### **Friday April 19 - Good Friday**

8 am Ecumenical Walk, 11 am Solemn Liturgy

### **Saturday, April 20 – Easter Eve**

8 pm Vigil

### **Sunday, April 21 - Easter Day**

Services at 8:30 am and 10:30 am

Bishop Kevin Robertson – Celebrant & Preacher

## **Walking With Jesus To The Cross With Ignatius Of Loyola As Our Guide At St James Cathedral**

**Wednesday, March 13; Wednesday March 27; Wednesday, April 10**

**6:00pm Service**

**6:30pm Light Supper**

**7:00pm Lecture**

Presented by Dr. Ruth Brown, Spiritual Formation and Prayer Ministries Director for InterVarsity Christian Fellowship of Canada.

This interactive Lenten series will offer participants the opportunity to learn about the life and work of Ignatius of Loyola, explore his Spiritual Exercises experientially in the gathered community and individually, and examine reflective questions which may lead to greater inner freedom and intimacy with Jesus.

### **Wednesday, March 13 Introduction, Motivation and Life Purpose**

In this first session participants will be introduced to the life and work of Ignatius of Loyola. We will explore his understanding of motivation and vocation and explore our own sense of what draws or repels us in our Christian walk and experience. We will use John 13-19 as our scriptural guide to the cross.

### **Wednesday, March 27 Gospel Meditation – Experiencing Intimacy with Jesus**

During this second session participants will gain an overview of the Ignatian method of gospel meditation. We will have opportunity to practice this with a passage from the gospel of John during our session and share with others some of what God is revealing in our meditation and/or reading.

### **Wednesday, April 10 Spiritual Freedom – Exploring Attachments and Discernment**

In this final session participants will consider Ignatian methods for recognizing unhealthy attachments and discerning paths to greater spiritual freedom in our relationship with God and others. Jesus' example of his life, death and resurrection will resource this conversation.

## PARISH MINISTRIES 2019

### Clergy

Incumbent Priest	The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine
Honorary Assistant	The Reverend Jennifer Matthews

### Wardens

Rector's Warden	Paul Faulkner
People's Warden	Mary Martin
Deputies	Moveta Nanton, Christopher Ashby

### Parish Life & Discipleship

Advisory Board	Fran Brown
Altar Guild	Marie Samuels-Isaac
Director of Music	Robin Davis
Honorary Assistant Organists	Maurice White, Johan van t' Hof
Christian Education	Ian Corlett, Rev. Geoff Sangwine
Church School	Sileen Phillips
Envelope Secretary	Paul Mitchell, Joy Quan Lee (assisting)
Hospitality/Coffee Hour	Fran Brown
Funerals	Marie Samuels-Isaac
Special Events	Laurie Sanderson
Intercessors	Fen Nanton
Lay Anointers	Audrey Hughes, Diane Marshall
Lay Pastoral Care Visitor	The Reverend Jennifer Matthews
Library	Carol Peck
Newsletter	Peggy Needham
Opportunities Committee	Brooke Sales-Lee
Property	Colin Bird, Spencer Higgins
Readers	Geoffrey Sangwine
Refugee Committee	Ted Robinson
Servers	Fen Nanton
Sides-people	Vincent Wong
Stewardship	Moveta Nanton
Wednesday Morning Group	Sheila Thomas

**JOIN US FOR WORSHIP**

**Sunday 8:30am** – Holy Eucharist

**Sunday 10:30 am** – Worship Service

**1st Sunday** – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

**2nd Sunday** – Choral Matins

**3rd Sunday** – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

**4th Sunday** – Choral Eucharist (Contemporary)

**Sunday Evensong** – As Announced

**Last Tuesday of the Month** – Candlelight Evening Prayer

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER & ST. SIMON**

**Tuesday, February 26**

No Evening Prayer this week.

**Wednesday, February 27**

11 am Holy Eucharist with Anointing for Healing

**Sunday, March 3: Last Sunday After Epiphany**

8:30 am Holy Eucharist - *BCP*

10:30 am Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

*Readings: Isaiah 55.10-13; Psalm 92.1-4, 11-14; 1 Corinthians 15.51-58; Luke 6.39-49*

**Wednesday, March 6: Ash Wednesday**

7 pm - Ash Wednesday Service

**Tuesdays in Lent: Candlelight Evening Prayer**

Tuesday March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9, 16 (with The Way of the Cross)

## KEY CONTACTS

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### **Questions?**

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