

Fridge Notes • Announcements January 21, 2018

Welcome to St. Peter & St. Simon If you are a newcomer, visiting for the first time or a parishioner we are glad you are with us and look forward to meeting you after the liturgy.

Church school takes place during the 10:30 am service. Children will gather at the font during the opening hymn.

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. You can also fill out the information form in the pew and give it to a sides-person, or put it on the offering plate.

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; this is a great way to support our ministry. If you have any questions, please speak to one of the Wardens. Thank you for your support.

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.

Jubilate! Newsletter Please address all articles, pictures and letters to the editor to peggyneedham@sympatico.ca before the deadline which is January 28.

Vestry Report Please submit Vestry report no later than February 14, 2018

Readings next week January 28, 2018 Holy Eucharist (Contemporary)

Old Testament *Deuteronomy* 18.15–20

Epistle 1 Corinthians 8.1–13

Holy Gospel *Mark* 1.21–28

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER & ST. SIMON

Tuesday, January 23: Stewardship Meeting 7 pm

Wednesday, January 24: Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

11 am – Holy Eucharist with Anointing for Healing (in the Chapel)

7 pm – Advisory Board Meeting 7 pm

Thursday, January 25: Holy Land Pilgrimage Meeting 7 pm

Sunday, January 28: Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

8:30 am Holy Eucharist celebrated from The BCP

9:30 am Coffee & Conversation discussing the readings of the day.

10:30 am Holy Eucharist (Contemporary)

Looking Ahead: February 4-15: Pilgrimage to Holy Land

Wednesday, February 14: Solemn Eucharist & Imposition of Ashes 7 pm

Sunday, February 25: Annual Vestry

Sunday, March 4: Lent 3 Choir Evensong 4 pm

Sunday, March 18: Lent 5 A Lenten Meditation through Music, Readings and Prayer.

Last Tuesday of the Month: Candlelight Evening Prayer Service 6 pm

Today, as we celebrate the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, we are participating with annual pulpit exchange and welcome our guest preacher The Rev'd Neil Young. Father Geoff is preaching at Rosedale Presbyterian Church.

The Reverend Neil Young has served United Churches in South Saskatchewan, Northern Ontario, Midwestern Ontario, and for 16 years in Mississauga. He came to St. Andrew's United Church in summer 2015.

His wife, Kate, is a United Church minister, and serves a congregation in Oakville. They have 3 daughters and 2 grandsons--both under a year old.

He collects ancient coins and Bible printings from the 1500s, and wields a flintlock as a Grenadier of the King's Royal Regiment of New York (Loyalist, 1777-1784)

Church School An essential focus for us in 2018 is growing our Sunday Church School for children. I am inviting those interested in the spiritual formation of our children to a meeting on Sunday, February 18th at 12:30 pm here at the Church. Parents with young children and people willing to serve on a team of teachers are encouraged to join us. Please RSVP to Vanessa in the office: office@stsimons.ca or 416-923-8714 ext. 201. Also, don't hesitate to speak with me if you have any questions. Thank you. *Geoffrey+*

SPSS Corporation At the first meeting of Corporation in 2018, the following celebratory dates were brought forth:

Shrove Sunday: February 11th Parish BBQ: June 17th

Black History: February 18th Caribbean Night: September 29th

Spring Fair: May 12th Patronal: November 4th

We will be speaking to people to help chair or assist with some of the above. If you would like to chair or assist, please let one of the Wardens know.

Paul Faulkner, Mary Martin

On Being Christian: Leading To The Waters Of Baptism

January 25 – March 31 Thursday Nights 5:30-7:30pm Cathedral Centre (65 Church St.)

What is Christianity about and what does it mean to be a Christian? This course is intended as preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism and for Confirmation and Reception into the Anglican Communion. The Catechism class is an open and affirming space (LGBTQ+ friendly). There is no cost for attendance. This course is accessible to people who have no background knowledge of Christianity, or those who want to go deeper in their faith. Expectations: participants will commit to attending meetings, prepare food for one of the meetings, complete their weekly Biblical and Rowan Williams readings, bring their questions to the next meeting, and engage the group. To register contact Lisa Scapillato in the Dean's office at lscapillato@stjamescathedral.ca

Anglican 101 Learn about the History, Music, and Worship of the Anglican Church of Canada. Newcomers will find the series an engaging introduction to Anglicanism. It will also serve as an opportunity to make a connection with the clergy and build community with other new members of the faith. Not-sonewcomers are also welcome to attend and discover more about the practices and traditions of their faith. Each lecture is lead by a member of the Cathedral team.

Mondays 6:00-8:30pm Cathedral Centre (65 Church St.) Monday January 29 "History" with Dean Andrew Asbil Monday February 5 "Music" with Director of Music Robert Busiakiewicz Monday February 12 "Worship" with Vicar Louise Peters Please RSVP to Lisa Scapillato in the Dean's office: lscapillato@stjamescathedral.ca Looking For A Nanny We are looking for an enthusiastic, energetic, and reliable nanny to look after our three fun-loving boys aged 8, 6, and 9 months for four, possibly five days per week. Duties would include local school drop off/pick up for the older boys and caring for the baby during the day. In addition, nanny would take boys to after school activities, help with homework, and take baby to playgroups during school hours. Role would also include light household duties. Previous experience and references required. Drivers licence and availability to work occasional weekends/babysit in the evening an asset.

If interested, please call Amanda Innes. 416-407-1686

In your prayers this week, please remember . . .

Anglican Cycle: The Church of Bangladesh Diocesan Cycle: Canadian Council of Churches Kevin, Bishop. Colin Johnson, Archbishop

Outreach and Advocacy Cycle: Christ Church, St. James, its refugee sponsorship, food pantry, and support of Stonegate Community Ecumenical Ministry; and for Christ Church Scarborough Village, its weekly Deacon's Cupboard emergency food bank, monthly community lunches, participation in Operation Backpack, Woolly Tree for winter accessories, and free income tax return preparation.

Parish Prayer Cycle: Esmee Hooper, Lorna Howell & Linus Smith, Audrey Hughes, Margie Huycke

St. Peter and St. Simon-the-Apostle

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Services 8:30 am Service Holy Eucharist (BCP)

10:30 am

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

Incumbent The Rev'd Geoffrey Sangwine, *ext* 202; incumbent@stsimons.ca Residence: 647-342-5889

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