



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

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## FRIDGE NOTES • ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2019

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*WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT WE ARE IN THE TRADITIONAL TERRITORY OF THE MISSISSAUGAS OF THE NEW CREDIT, THE ANISHINAABE, THE HAUDENOSAUNEEES, AND THE HURON-WENDAT, ON WHOSE LAND, AND BY WHOSE WATER WE GATHER TO TALK, LISTEN, LEARN, WORSHIP, SHARE AND HEAL TOGETHER IN THE NAME OF OUR CREATOR, THE HOLY ONE OF BLESSING.*

*"THE EARTH IS THE LORD'S, AND ALL THAT IS IN IT,  
THE WORLD AND ALL WHO DWELL THEREIN."  
PSALM 24.1 (BAS P.732)*

**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.



*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 Reformed Episcopal Church of Spain (Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury).

**Diocese:** Bishop Andrew Asbil, Area Bishop - Kevin Robertson and Bishop Peter Fenty.

**Outreach and Advocacy:** Trinity, Aurora; Trinity, Barrie; Trinity, Bradford.

**Our Parish:** Glenna Sims-Bonk, Kevin Sinclair, Robert Sloan, Miriam Smart.

**Home-bound:** Myron Armstrong/Gail Birnie/Nancy Byers/Cintra Cassidy/Glenna Charles/Ann Duff/Charlotte Graham/Lawrine Griffith/ Helen Inglis/ Marie Lewis/Joseph McIninch/Denise Orieux/George Petricko/Lissett Powell/Lucy Simons/Lois Totton/Lila Vamosi/Pam Young.

**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 one of the Clergy.

## PARISH NEWS

**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.

**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.

**Reminder please do** not leave your personal belongings unattended, keep them with you at all times.

**Envelope Numbers** Please assist our Counting Team by recording your envelope number on all contributions. Thank-you.

**Parish Records** Please help us to keep our Parish Records up to date by ensuring that the office has your current information (e-mail, address, phone number) on file. Thank-you

**Fridge Notes** Please note that when placing an announcement in Fridge Notes, the weekly cut-off time is Wednesday at noon. Thank-you.

## JUBILATE!

**The Advent edition of *Jubilate!*** our Parish Newsletter, will soon be available; the publication date will be November 24<sup>th</sup>.

## ADVISORY BOARD

**Advisory Board** will meet this Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the Class Room.

## TODAY'S MUSIC

**A quick note about the music today:** both prelude and postlude are connected to Gloucester Cathedral, which is one reason I picked them today, as I was lucky enough to play there on the tour last August. Herbert Sumsion was organist there from 1928 to 1968, while Herbert Howells was organ scholar under Sumsion's predecessor, Herbert Brewer a decade before. (Herbert was a popular name then, I guess). So, both of these pieces, judging by their date of composition was composed on the instrument I was fortunate to play. It was built originally in 1663, and expanded over the years. It is physically beautiful, sitting high on the rood screen, with painted pipes, and an exceptional sound decay of about six seconds. It is thunderous majesty.

I played two other pieces of Howells there, one dedicated to Sumsion, and quickly came to understand why Howells had written what he had, given the instrument on which he wrote the music I played. I had a brilliant evening practicing there for two and a half hours late into evening, by myself. The vergers had trusted me with the key to the cathedral to lock it up when I was done, and the chance to explore all its 'voices' with no one there (except King Edward II in his tomb down below), was a glorious privilege. Unfortunately, I had forgotten which door was the way out (all of them were bolted with massive medieval black steel bolts) and for about half an hour, I thought I was to spend the night there. When I found the exit door finally, I looked back at the cathedral and its wondrous stained glass, and I was filled with the sense of 'surely, the Lord is in this place'. *Johan*

## SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN... TODAY

**The 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Santa Claus Parade will be held today, Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup>** – The Parade route has changed this year and will be starting at Parliament Street and heading west to Avenue Road. Please note that you will not be able to exit the parking lot after 11:30 am.



## JOYFUL GIVING CAMPAIGN - UPDATE FROM STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

**Please be reminded that Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup> is Commitment Sunday** at St. Peter and St. Simon's. The Intention Form and the Pre-Authorized Giving Form (PAG) that all parishioners received along with the Narrative Snapshot, should be filled in and placed on the collection plate at either the 8:30 am or 10:30 am service. You can also bring the forms in and leave them in the church office. If you require any further information or have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the church office or Moveta Nanton, chair of the Stewardship Committee. Any member of the clergy can also answer any questions you may have.

## CHRISTMAS MARKET

**Please join us! Bring your friends!** Twelve vendors are offering unique gifts at affordable prices, plus, our own baking, jams, jellies and crafts. There will be a children's corner, a café along with Christmas music to get us in the spirit! The Raffle will be held at 2:00 pm; purchase your tickets soon for the many wonderful prizes.



## BAKED GOODS FOR CHRISTMAS MARKET

**We are looking for baked goods** especially cookies and squares for the sale, if you are able to contribute baked goods, please contact Fran or Betty. Please deliver the baking to the church on Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup> or before 10:00 am on Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.

## SANDWICHES FOR CHRISTMAS MARKET - VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED

**Sandwiches for our Christmas Market November 30<sup>th</sup>** The following people have volunteered to make sandwiches to sell at the market: Carl, Ian, Alan, Yvonne, Spencer, Larry, May, Alison, Mary, Margie, Colin, Sheila, and Robin. If your name isn't on the list and you are willing to make a loaf of sandwiches or if you have any questions, please speak with Laurie Sanderson. It is important that the sandwiches be at the church before or by 10:00 am on the morning of November 30<sup>th</sup>. Laurie is also looking for people to help serve the lunch, if you are able to assist, please contact Laurie Sanderson. The coffee will need to be started by 8:30 AM and the food will be served until the close of the market. Please help with this initiative.

## ANNUAL WINTER SURVIVAL KIT DRIVE

**Help us help our most vulnerable neighbours.** Each year we put together kits of essentials to survive the winter for those who are street involved in our neighbourhood. This year we are asking for: Lip Balm, Travel size hand/body lotion, Deodorant, Face/hand wipes, Toothpaste and brush, Men's socks (new), Adult mittens/gloves, Adult winter hat, Hand/foot warmers.

Our goal is to create 50 kits with these items. We will collect items in the bin at the back of the church until Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup> and will require 4-6 volunteers on that date to help make up the kits. Distribution will be in Allan Gardens after the 10:30 service on Sunday, December 1. For more information, email [SPSSOppComm@gmail.com](mailto:SPSSOppComm@gmail.com) or speak with Brooke Sales-Lee.

## LOOKING AHEAD

**Sunday, November 24, 2019 – The Reign of Christ**

Stewardship Commitment Sunday

**Saturday, November 30, 2019**

10:00 am – 4:00 pm - SPSS Christmas Market

**Sunday, December 1, 2019 – Advent 1**

4:00 pm – Advent Lessons and Carols

**Sunday, December 15 – Advent 3**

4:00 pm – Kids' Musical: *Once Upon a Starry Midnight*

**Sunday, December 22 – Advent 4**

4:00 pm Lessons & Carols for Christmas

## JOIN US FOR WORSHIP

**Sunday 8:30 am** – Holy Eucharist

**Sunday 10:30 am** – Choral Service

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

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday** – Choral Matins

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday** – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday** – Choral Eucharist (Contemporary)

**Sunday Evensong** – As Announced

**Wednesdays 11:00 am** – Holy Eucharist with Anointing

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

## THIS WEEK AT ST PETER AND ST SIMONS

**Monday, November 18<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am Gerrard Resource Center/Daycare (Garden Room F)

2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)

4:00 pm Yoga (Sitting Room)

**Tuesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am Gerrard Resource Center/Daycare (Garden Room F)

2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)

8:00 pm Holy Studies (Class Room)

**Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am Gerrard Resource Center/Daycare (Garden Room F)

11:00 am Taylor Sutherland Piano (Chapel)

11:00 am Holy Eucharist with Anointing (Nave)

2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)

7:00 pm Tai Chi (Macklem Hall)

7:00 pm Advisory Board (Class Room)

**Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup>**

8:30 am Gerrard Resource Center/Daycare (Garden Room F)  
10:00 am Taylor Sutherland Piano (Chapel)  
2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)  
3:00 pm ROTM Choir (Nave)  
5:00 pm ROTM Guitar Lessons (Sitting Room)  
7:00 pm SPSS Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

**Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>**

8:30 am Gerrard Resource Center/Daycare (Garden Room F)  
1:00 pm Taylor Sutherland Piano (Chapel)  
2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)

**Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>**

10:30 am Food Addicts (Garden Room F)  
2:00 pm CREW (Sitting Room)

**Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup> – Last Sunday after Pentecost: The Reign of Christ**

8:30 am Holy Eucharist *BCP*  
10:30 am Choral Eucharist (Contemporary)  
3:00 pm Kenya Group (Garden Room F)

**Readings:** *Jeremiah 23:1-6; Psalm 46 or Canticle 19a (Luke 1:68-79);  
Colossians 1:11-20; Luke 23:33-43.*

**PARISH MINISTRIES 2019**

**Clergy**

Incumbent Priest..... The Reverend Canon Geoffrey Sangwine  
Assistant Curate..... The Reverend Michael Perry  
Honorary Assistant..... The Reverend Jennifer Matthews

**Wardens**

Rector’s Warden..... Ted Robinson  
People’s Warden..... Mary Martin  
Deputy Wardens..... Laurie Sanderson, Vanessa Scott  
Lay Delegates to Synod..... Mary Anderson, Paul Mitchell

**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

## PARISH MINISTRIES 2019

Intercessors.....	Fen Nanton
Lay Anointers.....	Audrey Hughes, Ted Robinson
Pastoral Care Team.....	The Reverend Jennifer Matthews
Library.....	Carol Peck
Newsletter.....	Peggy Needham
Opportunities Committee.....	Brooke Sales Lee
Property.....	Colin Bird, Spencer Higgins
Readers.....	Daphne Harris
Refugee Committee.....	Ted Robinson and Paul Faulkner
Servers.....	Fen Nanton
Sides-people.....	Vincent Wong
Stewardship.....	Moveta Nanton
Wednesday Morning Group.....	Sheila Thomas



*“St Peter and St Simon’s has glorious Anglican music,  
welcoming and inclusive fellowship,  
faith-based and committed outreach,  
and is a kind and caring community”.*  
*Nancy Nourse, Parishioner*

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### **Questions?**

Please speak to a sidesperson, Fr. Geoff Sangwine or The Reverend Michael Perry about services and events, or visit us online at [www.stpeterstsimon.ca](http://www.stpeterstsimon.ca)