



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

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FRIDGE NOTES • ANNOUNCEMENTS

Feast of All Saints November 3rd, 2019

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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The flowers are given to the honour glory of almighty God and in loving memory of Henry Jonas, husband of Ivaline Jonas and in thanksgiving for the ministry of Bishop Andrew and Mary Asbil visiting us today.

PRAYERS

In our prayers this week, we remember:

Anglican Communion: the Church of Bermuda (Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury).

Diocese: Bishop Andrew Asbil, Area Bishop - Kevin Robertson and the Members of the Synod of the Diocese of Toronto.

Outreach and Advocacy: St. Timothy, Agincourt; St. Timothy, North Toronto.

Our Parish: Geoffrey Sangwine, Sheila Sangwine, Pearline Saunders, Betty Scantlebury.

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 Orioux/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

Jubilate! The Advent edition of *Jubilate!*, our Parish Newsletter, will soon be available. Please submit your articles and/or photos no later than Thursday, November 14th.

TODAY'S MUSIC

The Anglican Chant Psalm tune we are singing today was composed by Eric Tanner when he was 10 years old and sang as a chorister here in this church.

CHURCH CALENDARS FOR 2020

The Church Calendars for 2020 have arrived and will be available for purchase next week following the service; two different designs are available priced at \$10.00 each. One design has paintings of churches and the other has pictures of churches.

A WORD FROM FR GEOFF

As we celebrate the Feast of All Saints today, we are delighted to welcome the Bishop of Toronto, the Right Reverend Andrew Asbil and his wife Mary for their first official visit to SPSS. We also join in celebration with Isobel Forrest who is affirming her baptismal vows through the laying on of hands in the sacrament of Confirmation, and with long-time chorister Eric Tanner who is being received into the Anglican Communion. We ask God's blessing upon each of them at this time, and as we do weekly, for Bishop Andrew in his ministry as our Diocesan Bishop and chief pastor. Please join us for a lasagna lunch following this morning's service. Thank you to Laurie Sanderson for organising the lunch today.

As we celebrate All Saints, we remember the wonderful presence and power of God in the lives of faithful down through the ages, those we have known well, others not so well and still others, perhaps not at all, but whose lives have shown something of the mystery and love of God. We give thanks especially for those who have contributed to the life and witness of this Christian community. Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

On Friday and Saturday the Synod of the Diocese will meet in Markham. The Clergy along with our Lay delegates Mary Anderson and Paul Mitchell will attend.

Geoffrey+

ST. SIMON'S SHELTER – FUNDRAISER

The October 2019 issue of the Anglican has an excellent article by Larry Krotz on two shelter refugee residents who have started to attend St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle. The Shelter fundraiser will be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday, November 7th beginning at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$75 each and are available through the shelter. The theme is a beer tasting. Music will be provided by John Sheard. We are pleased to note that once again both Tridel and the mortgage company at 555 Bloor Street East have purchased a table and tickets respectively; as have homeowners on Edgedale Road. It's great to see the community supporting shelter efforts. A silent auction will form part of the evening. If parishioners wish to make silent auction contributions

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.



SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN...

The 115th Annual Santa Claus Parade will be held Sunday, November 17th – New Parade Route
The Parade route has changed this year and will be starting at Parliament Street and heading west to Avenue Road. We will have one service on that date combined with San Lorenzo at 9:30 am. Please note that you will not be able to exit the parking lot after 11:30 am, further details will follow.



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. That day we will need 4-6 volunteers to help make up the kits. Kits will be distributed in Allan Gardens after the 10:30 service on Sunday, December 1. For more information, email SPSSOppComm@gmail.com or speak with Brooke Sales-Lee.

LOOKING AHEAD

Sunday, November 10 – All Saints Octave/Remembrance Sunday

10:30 am – Choral Matins with Remembrance Observance
4:00 pm – Requiem Eucharist in Commemoration of All Souls

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)

2nd Sunday – Choral Matins

3rd Sunday – Choral Eucharist (Traditional)

4th 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 4th

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 5th

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

2:45 pm Homework Club (Class Room)

6:00 pm Warden's Council Meeting (Sitting Room)

8:00 pm Holy Studies (Class Room)

Wednesday, November 6th

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 Strategic Planning Meeting (Sitting Room)

Thursday, November 7th

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)

3:00 pm ROTM Guitar Lessons (Sitting Room)

6:30 pm Shelter Fundraiser (Macklem Hall)

7:00 pm SPSS Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Friday, November 8th

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 9th

10:30 am Food Addicts (Garden Room F)

Sunday, November 10th – Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost, Remembrance Sunday

8:30 am Holy Eucharist *BCP*

10:30 am Choral Matins

3:00 pm Kenya Group (Garden Room F)

4:00 pm Requiem Eucharist in Commemoration of All Souls (Nave)

Readings: Hagar 1:15b – 2:9; Psalm 145:1-5, 18-22; 2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17;
Luke 20:27-38.

THIS WEEK IN THE DIOCESE

Friday, November 8th

9:00 am Diocesan Synod (Sheraton Parkway-Toronto North Hotel & Suites (600 Highway 7, Richmond Hill))

Saturday, November 9th

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PARISH MINISTRIES 2019

Clergy

Incumbent Priest.....
Assistant Curate.....
Honorary Assistant.....

The Reverend Geoffrey Sangwine
The Reverend Michael Perry
The Reverend Jennifer Matthews

Wardens

Rector’s Warden.....
People’s Warden.....
Deputy Wardens.....
Lay Delegates to Synod.....

Ted Robinson
Mary Martin
Laurie Sanderson, Vanessa Scott
Mary Anderson, Paul Mitchell

Parish Life & Discipleship

Advisory Board.....
Altar Guild.....
Director of Music.....
Honorary Assistant Organists.....
Christian Education.....
Church School.....
Envelope Secretary.....
Hospitality/Coffee Hour.....
Funerals.....
Special Events.....
Intercessors.....
Lay Anointers.....
Pastoral Care Team.....

Fran Brown
Marie Samuels-Isaac
Robin Davis
Maurice White, Johan van't Hof
Ian Corlett, Rev. Geoff Sangwine
Sileen Phillips
Paul Mitchell, Joy Quan Lee (assisting)
Fran Brown
Marie Samuels-Isaac
Laurie Sanderson
Fen Nanton
Audrey Hughes, Ted Robinson
The Reverend Jennifer Matthews

PARISH MINISTRIES 2019

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
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Stewardship.....	Moveta Nanton
Wednesday Morning Group.....	Sheila Thomas

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*“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

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