

# FRIDGE NOTES ANNOUNCEMENTS

# Remembrance Sunday – November 14, 2021

## Welcome to St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle.

We are glad you are with us and look forward to meeting you.

**In-person Coffee Hour** is suspended but you can join the Zoom Coffee Hour. Details are in the weekly email.

**Pastoral Care** is available for those who are sick at home or in hospital and for other spiritual needs. Please contact the office if you or someone you know is ill and or in need of spiritual care.



Assisted Hearing Devices are available from the greeters.

Sunday School is via Zoom.



- For those 7 12 years old from 10:30-11:30
- For those 12 18 years old from 1pm 2pm

Please email Sileen at kidscoordinator@yahoo.com to receive the Zoom link



New to SPSS? Please ask a sidesperson for a welcome card and place it on the offering plate.



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**Stewardship:** We appreciate your givings and remind you that to receive a tax receipt your envelope number or name & address should accompany all donations.

Please do not leave your valuables unattended.

**Pre-authorized giving** (PAG): If you would like to sign-up for PAG, please contact the office. We encourage you to support our ministry through PAG. Thank you.

We acknowledge that we are in the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of the New Credit, the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunees, 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.

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The deadline for submissions to Fridge Notes is Thursday at noon each week (send to the office).

## **Special Vestry**

On **Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm** we will be holding a **Special Vestry Meeting by Zoom**. This Special Vestry meeting is to give approval under Canon 6 for the renovation project and lease agreement with a daycare.

Please email or phone the office by noon Monday 15 November to indicate that you will be attending the Special Vestry. Background material will then be sent to you.

An Announcement from the Stewardship Committee - Joyful Giving Campaign 2021

Next week the Stewardship Committee will once again launch the annual Joyful Giving Campaign. The faithful, ongoing, and generous support of St. Peter & St. Simon-the-Apostle parishioners has sustained this community throughout these past 20 months - we are truly grateful for this steadfast loyalty. The campaign launch will provide an opportunity for you to reflect on the important ways we all can continue to be good stewards of this wonderful parish. You will be

receiving a letter and supporting documents which we hope will provide you with information on how to continue or enhance your support over the next year. Thank you!

**Faithworks Donation:** 60 jars of Paul Mitchell's jam were recently sold to parishioners and the \$300 is being donated to our Faithworks Program.



#### **FaithWorks**

This parish has faithfully contributed to the worthy causes supported by FaithWorks and the Stewardship Committee thanks parishioners for their contributions that have totaled \$3,090 over the last three years.

Funds have been raised that provide much needed support for homelessness relief; work with exprisoners, newcomers and refugees, at-risk women, children and youth, indigenous people and those impacted by HIV-AIDS.

To celebrate the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary, a generous donor from within the Diocese has offered a \$100,000 matching challenge grant for all new and increased donations. For every dollar raised over last year's amount by a parish, FaithWorks will receive an extra dollar.

FaithWorks Sunday on November 21<sup>st</sup> and an additional challenge this year is to have 100 +1% parish participation! You can view inspirational videos from participating FaithWorks Ministry Partners here: https://faithworks.ca/video-resources/

**15% of the donations are retained for our own parish outreach!** Here is the easy step to donate:

- a) Give directly to the Church and indicate on your cheque or envelope that the donation should go to FaithWorks
- b) Go to FaithWorks.ca and click on the Donating to FaithWorks menu

button. Follow the instructions. Don't forget to put our parish's name in the Comment Section!



## **Outreach/Food Ministry Working Group**

We are in the process of organising a parish working group to explore outreach ministry possibilities. A first step is to consider the ministries that are going on around us and then discern where God might be calling us to do to minister more effectively in this community. A number of people have come forward who are interested, and we are planning a meeting in the coming weeks. Please speak with Fr Geoffrey if you would like to be part of this important work of discernment.

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**Homework Club:** As we look ahead to January, we hope the Homework Club will resume. This ministry shared by SPSS, St Andrew's United and Rosedale Presbyterian provides a safe, wholesome and fun environment for local children to learn and grow. We are grateful to the Anglican Fondation for their generous support of this ministry.

#### **Events This Week**

Wednesday, November 17

- 11 am Holy Eucharist. In-person worship
- Special Vestry Meeting via Zoom at 7pm (see above)

Thursday, November 18 - Choir Practice in the Nave (evening)

## **Church Rentals**

Mondays & Fridays: Sunshine Centres in the Parish Hall, morning

Tuesdays: Altvox Choir Rehearsal in the Nave, evening

Sundays: San Lorenzo in the Nave until 2:30 pm

## **Covid Vaccinations**

The Diocese of Toronto has implemented a Covid-19 Mandatory Vaccination Policy for all Clergy, Employees and Volunteers at the church. Visit <a href="https://www.toronto.anglican.ca/news/mandatory-vaccination-policy-posted/">https://www.toronto.anglican.ca/news/mandatory-vaccination-policy-posted/</a>

for all the details. While not a requirement for attending worship services, the church strongly recommends that all eligible people get vaccinated against Covid-19.

## **Services Looking Ahead**

Sunday, November 21 - The Reign of Christ FaithWorks/Stewardship Sunday

• 10.30 am Sung Eucharist In-person worship & Live-Stream

Sunday, November 28 - Advent 1

10.30 am Choral Eucharist with the Great Litany

Sunday, December 5 – Advent 2

• 10.30 am Choral Eucharist

Sunday, December 12 - Advent 3

- 9.15 am Said Eucharist (NEW)
- 10.30 am Choral Matins
- 4 pm Festival of Lessons and Carols

Covid-19 Protocols are in effect for in-person worship services.



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