

Parish Notices

"Fridge Notes"

February 12, 2023 6th Sunday after the Epiphany/Sexagesima

Welcome to St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle. We are glad you are with us and look forward to meeting you. You are invited to join us for Coffee Hour after the 10.30 am service.

Sunday School Sundays from 10:30 - 11:30 in the Lower Level. **Are you new to SPSS?** Please ask a sides-person for a welcome card and place it on the offering plate.

Learn more about SPSS! Visit us online at www.stpeterstsimon.ca
St Peter & St Simon-the-Apostle - www.facebook.com/stpeterstsimons **The clergy are available** for spiritual guidance and/or pastoral care. Please contact the Church office if you would like to speak with a priest.

Stewardship We are grateful for your financial support. During the 10:30 service an offering is taken up. If you would like to sign-up for Pre-Authorized Giving (PAG), please contact the office. We encourage you to support our ministry through PAG. Thank you.

Scan and Donate

To make a donation to the Church, open up the camera on any smartphone and point it at the QR code and a web page will open to take you directly to Canada Helps' donation page for the Church of St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle. You will receive an auto-generated tax receipt emailed directly from CanadaHelps.org



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We Are Having a Pancake Supper! Please join us on Shrove Tuesday February 21, 2023

5-7 pm in the Parish Hall. A free-will offering will be gratefully accepted.

Advisory Board will meet on Wednesday, February 15 at 7 pm by Zoom.

Annual Vestry Meeting 2022

The Vestry Meeting this year will be in person only. The meeting will be held in the Parish Hall, starting at 12.15 pm on Sunday, February 26th. We will have the vestry report made available the week prior to the meeting. Thank you to all those who have submitted their vestry report to date. Those who have yet to submit their report please do so at the earliest to the parish office, office@stpeterstsimon.ca in a Word document.

Government recommendations for Covid-19 vaccine boosters: At our meeting on Feb 1, 2023, the Health & Safety working group reviewed the Ontario Government current guidelines for Covid 19 vaccine boosters. "Most people under the age of 65 are advised to get their booster six months after their last dose or following a Covid 19 infection. People at high risk of severe Covid 19 infection are strongly advised to get their booster at a three-month interval." Anyone who is over the age of 65 is considered high risk. Keeping your vaccine status up to date and wearing a mask in crowded indoor spaces continue to be the most effective ways to avoid getting Covid – and especially to avoid serious illness if you do get infected.

For more information visit the Government of Ontario website: <u>Covid-19</u> vaccines/ontario.ca

Parish Newsletter Jubilate!

The Easter *Jubilate!* is in the works! Please send news, important announcements, spiritual messages, pictures, etc. to peggyneedham@sympatico.ca. The deadline is *March* 5, but don't wait until the last minute! Share soon...or at least start planning for what you will share.

LOOKING AHEAD

Wednesday, February 22 - Ash Wednesday

11 am Sung Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes. 7.00 pm. Choral Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes.

Sunday, February 26 – First Sunday in Lent

9.15 am Holy Eucharist/10.30 am Choral Eucharist with Litany in Procession. The Vestry Meeting this year will be in person in the Parish Hall, starting at 12.15 pm.

Sunday, March 5 – Second Sunday in Lent

Services at 9.15 am and 10.30 am.

4.00 pm Ordination to the Priesthood of Jillian Ruch at St Bride's, Clarkson.

Sunday, April 2, 2023 – Palm Sunday

9.15 am Holy Eucharist

10.30 am Liturgy of the Palms, Reading of the Passion & Choral Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: The Right Reverend Peter Fenty

Retired Suffragan Bishop, York-Credit Valley.

12.00 noon Parish Lunch to follow the 10.30 service.

THIS WEEK AT SPSS...

Monday-Friday

• 3 pm to 6 pm Lower Parish Hall – Homework Club

Monday

• 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm Parish Hall – Sing Out Loud Choir

Tuesday

• 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm Nave – Altvox Choir

Wednesday

• 11 am Nave – Holy Eucharist, followed by Lunch in the Parish Hall

12:45 pm
 7 pm
 Sitting Room – Connections Meeting
 Advisory Board Meeting by Zoom

Thursday

4 pm to 5 pm
 7 pm to 9 pm
 Chapel – SJTCA Children's Choir Choir Room – SPSS Choir practice

• Saturday

• 9:30 am to 1 pm Parish Hall & Chapel – Berea Seventh Day Adventist Church

Sunday, February 19th – Last Sunday After Epiphany/Quinquagesima

• 9:15 am Choral Eucharist. In person.

• 10.30 am Nave – Choral Eucharist BCP. In person and Live stream.

Parish Hall – Coffee Hour After the 10:30 am Service

• 1:30 pm to 6:00 pm Nave & Parish Hall– San Lorenzo Ruiz Anglican Church

• 3 pm to 6 pm Chapel – Kenyan Christian Fellowship



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from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm.