

Parish Notices “Fridge Notes”

Palm Sunday: April 2, 2023



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.

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 therein is, the world and all who dwell therein." Psalm 24.1.

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

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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



SERVICES

Sundays

9.15 am

Weekly Holy Eucharist (in the Chapel of Holy Spirit)

10.30 am

1st and 3rd Sundays Choral Eucharist – Traditional BCP Rite

2nd Sunday

Choral Matins

4th Sunday

Choral Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite

Evensong

As Announced

Wednesdays

11.00 am

Weekly Sung Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite

PARISH NOTICES

Jubilate! The Holy Week/Easter 2023 issue of our parish newsletter is now live! Read it online or pick up a copy at the church this Sunday!

Health & Safety Committee: If anyone is trained in First Aid and CPR and would like to join a team of First Aid Responders, please contact Ted Robinson at ted55robinson@gmail.com or call the office, 416-923-8414.

Connections in Action! Beginning in April from 10am to noon, the Clubbhouse Men's Shelter will be meeting in the Church Hall for coffee and fellowship. We expect up to 15 people. The Connections Group is asking for gently used board games and playing cards, puzzles and magazines for use at this time. Please bring them on Sunday. We also need 2 volunteers to help supervise. Please contact the church office if you can assist on Tuesdays. Thank you for supporting this neighbourhood connection.

Ticket for April 16th MESSIAH CONCERT are on Sale: You may reserve ticket(s) at the church office and pay at the door (cash or cheque please). Also, tickets can be purchased in person via cash or cheque on Sunday mornings in the Narthex after the service. You can purchase tickets on-line using a credit card via eventbrite.ca, the link is:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/handels-messiah-parts-ii-iii-tickets-554436282847>

Please contact Robin Davis if you have any questions, 905-409-6121.

Ordination of SPSS curate 2023-2024, Abraham Thomas: *Sunday April 30th* at St Jame's Cathedral , 4:30 pm, followed by a reception at SPSS Parish Hall

From the Rector

We are delighted to welcome the Right Reverend Peter Fenty to SPSS today as our Celebrant and Preacher. Raised, educated and ordained in Barbados, Father Peter came to Canada initially to serve in the Diocese of Montreal. He and his family came up to Toronto when he was appointed Incumbent of St Joseph of Nazareth, Bramalea. Peter became the Executive Assistant to Archbishop Finlay, serving as Archdeacon of York until he was elected to episcopal ministry. Bishop Peter served as the Suffragan Bishop of York Simcoe until his retirement two years ago. Peter is often invited to celebrate and preach in parishes across the diocese. He and his family attend St Joseph of Nazareth parish. Please join us for a lunch following the service today.

At our last Caribbean night, we raised funds to support Codrington College. This week I received a lovely letter from the principal of the college which is copied here.

Geoffrey+

Letter of appreciation from Codrington College



Codrington College

9th March 2023

The Reverend Canon Geoffrey Sangwine
Rector
The Church of St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle
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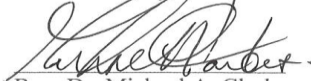
Greetings Canon Sangwine

I write to acknowledge receipt and to express my sincere thanks on behalf of the Staff and Students of Codrington College for your generous donation towards the College.

Please express our gratitude to the congregation at The Church of St Peter and St Simon-the-Apostle for holding our College in their thoughts and prayers and be assured that we would keep you and your congregation in our prayers. If at any time you think of visiting our area please do not hesitate to reach out and let us know you will be here in order that we can share with you the hospitality of our College. We wish you and your congregation God's continued blessing on your ministry and witness to the Gospel.

Once again, I say thank you and may God's face continually shine upon you and your congregation.

Yours sincerely in Christ


Rev. Dr. Michael A. Clarke
Principal

LOOKING AHEAD

Advisory Board - Next Meeting: April 19th at 7 pm. Venue TBA.

HOLY WEEK

Tuesday, April 4, 2023 – Tuesday in Holy Week

7.00 pm Holy Eucharist and Stations of the Cross

Wednesday, April 5, 2023 – Wednesday in Holy Week

11.00 am Sung Eucharist

7.00 pm Way of the Cross

Thursday, April 6, 2023 – Maundy Thursday

7.00 pm Sung Eucharist & Foot Washing – BAS

Friday, April 7, 2023 – Good Friday

8.00 am Ecumenical Good Friday Walk – Starting at Our Lady of Lourdes (Sherbourne St.)

11.00 am Solemn Liturgy of the Passion – BCP & BAS

Saturday, April 8, 2023 – Holy Saturday/Easter Eve

9.00 pm The Great Vigil of Easter – BAS – at St Bartholomew's, Regent Park

Sunday, April 9, 2023 – Easter Day

9.15 am Holy Eucharist

10.30 am Festal Eucharist - BCP



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