

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 Parish Hall.

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 or see the directory on the back page.

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	1 st and 3 rd Sundays Choral Eucharist – Traditional BCP Rite	
2 nd Sunday	Choral Matins	
4 th Sunday	Choral Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite	
Evensong	As Announced	
Wednesdays		
11.00 am	Weekly Sung Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite	

A WORD from the RECTOR

As noted last week, I am away today visiting my family in Calgary. It has been a number years since I was there and I am hugely grateful to have this opportunity. Many thanks to Father Michael for looking after the services her at SPSS.

Deacon Abraham is leading Morning Prayer at St Andrew's, Scarborough today. Their Incumbent, Fr Donald Butler, is on his mini-sabbatical and due to the clergy shortage had difficulty finding coverage. It is great that we can help by having Abraham go to lead their service today. Also, thank you to Larry Krotz and all those who participated in Doors Open this weekend.

This afternoon at 2.30 pm the Reverend Christopher Dangpilen will be inducted as the Incumbent of San Lorenzo Ruiz after seven years of serving as Priest-in-Charge. Congratulations to Fr Chris and their community for this new important step in their ministry together. Fr Michael is preaching at the Induction service.

On this Feast of Pentecost and on the road that is before us, may we be renewed in faith through the power Holy Spirit.

Geoffrey+

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Father Chris' Induction as Incumbent of San Lorenzo Ruiz: This afternoon at 2:30 PM.

NEW PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING FORM (PAG): If you are already on pre-authorized givings or will like to enroll in PAG please fill out the new form from Kindred Credit Union that is available at the church. If you need a copy emailed to you please email <u>office@stpeterstsimon.ca</u> to request the form. Thank you to those who have filled out the new PAG forms.

Altar Flowers: Donations are requested for flowers for the altar. Date available is *June 4th*. Please contact Sheila Thomas (416-921-2593) if you wish to donate flowers.

Readers & Prayers of the People. We are seeking more people to be part of this ministry that is integral to our worship. Please speak with me if you are interested.

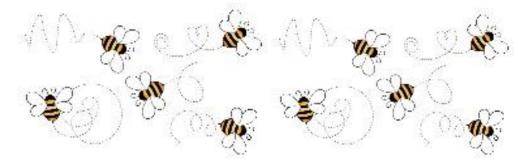
Congregational Hymn Sing: If you enjoy singing, join us! Hymn singing in the Nave at *1pm on Wednesday May 31st*.

LOOKING AHEAD....

Doors Open Toronto at SPSS: Saturday May 27th between 1:30pm to 5:30pm, and Sunday May 28th between 12:30pm to 2:30 pm.

Bible BBQ is back! Mark your calendars – Bible BBQs are back on Tuesdays this June. Fr Greg and Fr Geoff are excited to resume this popular time of community building and learning. The first session will be held in the backyard at the St Jude's Rectory (18 Howarth Ave), weather permitting, on *Tuesday June 6 starting at 5:30pm*. The theme this year: *Faith on Fire*!

SPSS GARDENS: This spring the Garden Committee has applied for a grant for a pollinator garden through Bees for Peace. This garden will be planted in Spring 2024, on the south side of the church property under the large stained -glass windows. In the meantime, our present gardens are being assessed for needs and the Garden Committee is planning a Gardening Day in June. Whether you are a digger, a planter or unsure we need your help to maintain our beautiful property and keep it environmentally friendly and welcoming. Please consider this as a one-day work event or a monthly offering to turn on the hoses. Please contact Fran through the church office if you can help out. High school students are encouraged to fill in their community hours this way also. Google Bees for Peace and enjoy the latest newsletter to be informed about our pollinator garden. Thank you. Fran



Sunday School News: Steeple Chase *June 10th 2023*. Calling all families for a fun-filled day you don't want to miss! Friendly competition, fellowship and prizes. Please see the link for more information and to register:

https://scarboroughsteeplechase.homesteadcloud.com/



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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.