



## ***FRIDGE NOTES: Parish Announcements*** **September 21, 2025**

Welcome to St Peter and St Simon's, especially if you are visiting us.  
Please join us for refreshments in the Parish hall following the 10.30 am service.

### **Announcements**

#### **Hymn Note for *Alleluia! Sing to Jesus* (CP # 374)**

This hymn for Ascensiontide was originally titled "Redemption by the Precious Blood." It is based on Revelation 5:9. Written by William Chatterton Dix (1837-98), it was published in his *Altar Songs* (1867). The son of a surgeon, Dix was born in Bristol. He was the head of a marine insurance company in Glasgow, but writing was his favourite pastime. A devout Anglican, he published four volumes of his own hymns and translated hymns from Greek and Abyssinian. Dix is well known for his Christmastide carols, including "What Child is This."

HYFRYDOL ("good cheer" in Welsh) was written about 1830 by Hugh Rowland Pritchard (1811-87), and it was published in an 1844 compilation of his melodies. Pritchard was born in North Wales and spent most of his life there. In later life, he worked at a flannel factory in Holywell. He was the grandson of the famous bard Rowland Huw. Gifted with a good voice, Pritchard was well known as a choir director. This hymn tune first appeared with English words in *The English Hymnal* (1906).

*Submitted by, Diane Way*

**Next Advisory Board Meeting** | Will take place on Wednesday October 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm

**SPSS Website** | For all your parish news and events, please visit our website:

<https://stpeterstsimon.ca/>

**Chair Exercise Program** | The SPSS chair exercise program will start up again on **Thursdays at 11 am** (immediately following the Crafting Circle). Join us for fun and easy chair exercises, mild cardio and some ballet barre moves that are sure to strengthen your upper body, legs and balance! Stay for bag lunch fellowship - tea provided. For more information please contact Stephanie Woodside at [swoodside27@gmail.com](mailto:swoodside27@gmail.com).



**Mistletoe Market** | We are pleased to announce that our annual Mistletoe Market will once again take place on Saturday, ***November 29th 10 am to 2 pm.***

We will have an expanded bake sale, arts and crafts featuring our regular and new vendors.

There will also be an SPSS craft table.

**\*NEW this year:** we are transforming our “Treasures” into a “VINTAGE” sale. Only the best vintage decor items and porcelains, as well as superior costume jewelry, and gently worn, excellent condition high-end clothing.

All proceeds from the event will go towards our outreach ministries.

For more information, please contact the church office: 416-923-8714 option 3.



**Caribbean Night on September 27th** | The SPSS annual Caribbean Night to raise funds for Codrington College and the Homework Club will be held this year on *Saturday September 27th at 6:30pm.*

Tickets are \$40 and are available as follows:

\*Fen Nanton 416-493-2805

\*Church Office 416-923-8714

\*Tickets will also be sold after the 10:30am Sunday services starting August 17, 2025.

**ATTEND THIS WONDERFUL FUNCTION AND ENJOY CARIBBEAN CUISINE AND MUSIC WITH YOUR FAVOURITE FOLKS.**



# 2025 CARIBBEAN NIGHT

**DINNER, ENTERTAINMENT  
AND MUSIC BY DJ**

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27, 6:30 P.M.**  
**CHURCH OF ST. PETER AND ST. SIMON.**  
**525 BLOOR ST. EAST, TORONTO.**

**TICKETS \$40.00**

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### **CLERGY, WARDENS & STAFF**

Incumbent	The Reverend Canon Geoffrey Sangwine, option 1; <a href="mailto:incumbent@stpeterstsimon.ca">incumbent@stpeterstsimon.ca</a> ; Mobile: 416.720.2099
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<b>Church Office Hours</b>	Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 9:30 am to 5:30 pm.

### **SERVICES**

#### **Sundays**

9.00am	Weekly Holy Eucharist (BCP) - In the Chapel of Holy Spirit)
10.30 am	1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sundays Choral Eucharist – Traditional BCP Rite
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	Choral Matins (unless announced)
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	Choral Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday & Evensong	As Announced

#### **Wednesdays**

11.00 am	Weekly Eucharist – Contemporary BAS Rite
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We acknowledge that in gathering to worship Almighty God, we are in the traditional territory of many First Nations peoples including the Mississaugas of the New Credit, the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunees, and the Huron-Wendat.

"The earth is the Lord's, and all that therein is, the world and all who dwell therein." Psalm 24.1