

■ ■ AROUND SAINT PETER'S

Corpus Christi (Third ShareLife Sunday) May 29, 2016

Working wonders for people in our homes and parishes...

In 2012, Nadia was brought to Street Haven's emergency shelter by the police. She was an immigrant from India and had been locked in a garage by her husband and mother-in-law for two years, rarely able to visit the two children. Upon her arrival at Street Haven, Nadia thrived. She slowly built trust with the counselors, participated in household responsibilities, and loved looking after the gardens. Her counselor set Nadia up with a lawyer and after a year of legal consultations, she received custody of her two children. Street Haven helped them find housing and Nadia and her children now live in a beautiful, safe home where they have started a new chapter in their lives.

Today is ShareLife Sunday – May 29, 2016

Thank you for your generosity. You can work wonders!

Congratulations to Fr. Yaw

Our Community has known since he arrived that Fr. Yaw Acheampong was only going to be with us for a year to help with the transition. On June 30, 2016, Fr. Yaw will become the pastor of Our Lady of Peace Parish in Etobicoke. There will be a Coffee Sunday, after the 9:00 and 11:15 AM Masses on Sunday, June 5, in the Church auditorium to thank Fr. Yaw for his time here at St. Peter's. His last Sunday here will be June 12, 2016. Congratulations to Fr. Yaw. Let us pray that the Lord will bless him in his new assignment.

Evangelization in the Square

From Pentecost Sunday, May 15 until June 12, the parish will be hosting a project of Evangelization. Members of the New Catechumenate Movement will be in front of our Church from 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM on Sunday afternoons to witness to our Catholic faith to those who pass by our Church. They will provide music and faith sharing. Please drop by and witness.

■ ■ UPCOMING EVENTS

Eucharistic Adoration in the Chapel



Eucharistic Adoration in the Centre Chapel takes place from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Mondays to Thursdays and on Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. In order for Adoration to take place, people are needed to adore the Lord while the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.

Please consider signing-up to spend an hour or more with Jesus during the week. The sign-up book is available in the Centre Chapel for those who are able to sign-up. If forty people sign-up to take an hour a week, we will be able to continue this very important time for prayer before the Lord. Please consider making time for the Lord.

St. Luke's Gospel of Mercy and Steadfast Love

A four (4) week scripture reflection program is being offered on Thursdays from 7:00-9:00 p.m. and will continue till **June 2, 2016** at the Parish Centre. Everyone is welcome.
Facilitator: Sr. Gabriel Mary Riddle, cps

St Peter's Christian Meditation Group

"Teach me, and I will be silent."

Job 6:24

Join us for silent prayer every Saturday afternoon at 3:30 in the Parish Centre.

Discover how this ancient Christian spiritual devotion can open our hearts & deepen our faith today. Beginners are welcome!

Disaster Relief – Fort McMurray Fires

Those wishing to help for the disaster relief for Fort McMurray Fires may do so in the following ways:

- Online through the Archdiocese of Toronto website: www.archtoronto.org
- By phone through the Development Office – 416-934-3411
- Through the parish, making cheques payable to:

Name of Parish-Fort McMurray Fires-Disaster Relief

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Mass for Anointing of the Sick - Sunday, June 5 at 4:00 PM

The parish will celebrate a Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the sick on Sunday, June 5th at 4:00 PM. The Sacrament of the sick can be celebrated for any person who is ill and in danger of death or elderly. The sacrament is intended to bring physical and spiritual healing to those who are seriously ill. It also asks God for the grace to accept the suffering that comes with serious illness or diminished health due to age. If this applies to you or anyone you know, please consider attending or telling others about this celebration.

Family of Faith Update

Thank you for your commitment to the Family of Faith campaign. The efforts that we make together will further the Pastoral Plan and mission of our Church. Please remember to honour the pledge that you made. As payments are made, funds will be deposited in our account to address a number of local priorities. These include:

- With the funds that we receive from our Family of Faith campaign, we will invest in the revitalization of our parish hall. Our goal is to make it a gathering space for social outreach, where we can connect and re-connect with our faith through various programs, and build community.
- Funds donated to the Family of Faith campaign have also allowed the parish to hire a youth minister. Please continue to give generously.

Parish Finances

Offering May 21-22, 2016

Envelopes: \$2344

Loose: \$680

PAG: \$354

Total: \$3378

Thank you for your support!!!

Courtyard Movie Night - Calling Volunteers!

St. Peter's Parish will be hosting three courtyard movie nights this coming summer. There will be two movies in July and one in August either being held on Friday or Saturday night. The day has still not been confirmed.

We are having a meeting for anyone who would like to volunteer to help with this event.

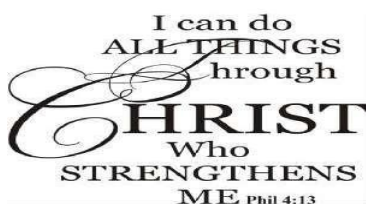
Past volunteers and new volunteers are encouraged to attend this meeting. The meeting will give you information about the tasks that will need to be completed and give you the opportunity to ask any questions that you may have.

The meeting will be held on **Saturday, June 4th, 2016 from 11-12 noon at the St. Peter's Center in the St. Paul's classroom.**

If you are unable to attend and would like to volunteer feel free to contact myself via email or phone to be added to the list or to set up a meeting to talk.

Email: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca, Alessya D'Anna

Tel. No: 416-534-4219 Ext.212



St. Peter's Paint & Wine Event, hosted by the Young Adults Ministry



Join us on Friday June 10th, 2016 for a fun night out, learn some tricks to paint like a pro and take home an amazing piece of art created by you! The workshop has a specific design/inspiration that our hired Glaze Craze representative will teach the group, however, the goal is not to have everyone paint the same cookie cutter image. The event promotes creativity and the Glaze Craze representative will assist you in altering your design, or creating your own if you prefer.

Wine and hors d'oeuvres will be served!

Date: Friday June 10th, 2016

Place: 830 Bathurst Street, Toronto ON M5R 3G1

Room: Auditorium of the Centre

Time: 7-10pm.

Tel: 416-534-4219 Parish Office or Email – Alessya D'Anna at: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca

Update your Records

Please call the parish office, 416-534-4219, if you have any changes to your mailing address, email or phone number.