AROUND SAINT PETER'S

St. Peter's Parish Annual Fall Fair- October 1 &2

Where: 840 Bathurst Street, Church Auditorium
When***: Saturday October 1, 2016***
Time: 11:00 AM- 7:00 PM
When: ***Sunday October 2, 2016***
Time: 10:00 AM- 8:00 PM

What is the Fall Fair? A community event with amazing food, great books, tasty desserts, chance to win fun prizes, flea market- hidden treasures and exciting entertainment.
Donating for the Fall Fair: If you have items you would like to donate to the Fall Fair, we're accepting donations of - books, CDs, videos, VHS, small appliances. Please note, NO damaged goods, clothes, furniture and large appliances.
All items will be accepted at the Parish Centre, during office hours, beginning Monday August 25th, 2016. For more details contact Bryce Krochter at 416-531-5422
***Funds raised will be used for*:** Winter Welcome Table and fixes needed at St. Peter's Parish.

Fall Fair Volunteers Needed!

The Fall Fair community is looking for volunteers to help in various roles before, during and after the fair. If you're interested in volunteering for this year's Fall Fair, feel free to contact Bryce Krochter at 416-531-5422 or email reception@stpeterstoronto.ca

Bake Table, Help Needed!

We're looking for bakers and/ or volunteers to lead the bake table. If you're interested in volunteering for this table please contact Bryce Krochter at 416-531-5422 or email reception@stpeterstoronto.ca
For those who can donate baked goods please bring them directly to the Fall Fair baked table on either Saturday October 1 or Sunday October 2.
Thank you in advance for your contributions!

First Confession, First Communion and Confirmation Preparation for 2016-2017

Parents of children who are in grade two or older are invited to have their children prepare to celebrate the Sacraments of First Confession and First Communion at the parish. There will be a parent meeting for all parents interested in enrolling their children in this programme on either Saturday, November 5 from 2:00 to 3:00 pm in the Centre or Wednesday, November 9 from 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Centre.

Parents of children in grade seven or older are invited to have their children prepare to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation at the parish. There will be a parent meeting for all parents interested in enrolling their children in this programme on either Tuesday, October 18 from 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Centre or Saturday, October 22 from 2:00 to 3:00 pm. in the Centre.

Sacramental preparation is to take place in the parish that the parents are attending on Sunday with their children, not at the school the children attend. If you would like more information about this, please call Father Michael at 416-534-4219, ext. 211.

37th Annual Cardinal's Dinner - November 10, 2016

Date: Thursday, November 10, 2016
Time: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Venue: Metro Toronto Convention Centre
The Cardinal's dinner is a fund raising event which raises hundreds of thousands of dollars to support Catholic Charities. The parish would like to send a group to this event. Tickets are $190 per person. If you would like to buy a ticket or two for our parish table, please call the parish office at:
416-534-4219 to book as soon as possible latest by end of September.

Please Get Involved

The parish invites parishioners to consider getting involved in different ministries. The parish needs Ushers and Ministers of Hospitality, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Altar Servers. Please consider attending workshops in the Church for:
New Altar Servers -Sunday, September 25 at 1 - 2 PM
Ushers and Ministers of Hospitality - Saturday, October 8, at 2 PM - 3 PM
Lectors - Saturday, October 15, at 2 PM - 3 PM
Eucharistic Ministers - Saturday, October 22, 2 PM - 3 PM
Please call the parish office at 416-534-4219 to register.

Children's Liturgy workshop - Saturday, September 17, 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

The parish needs catechists to help with the Children's Liturgy at the 11:15 am Sunday Mass. If you are a parent, teacher or aspiring or retired teacher who would like to help, we need you. Those who help with the children's liturgy must be willing to submit a police background check in keeping with the Archdiocese's vulnerable person's policy. Please call the parish office at 416-534-4219 to register for the workshop on Saturday, September 17 from 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM in the Church.

Coffee Hour - September 24-25

We will be having Coffee Hour on Saturday, September 24, after 5 PM Mass and on Sunday, September 25, after the 9 AM and 11:15 AM Masses in the Church Auditorium. Please join us for refreshments and good company.

Eucharistic Adoration 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. . Please consider making time for the Lord.

Interested in the Catholic faith?

Would like to join the Catholic Church?
Then register for this year's R.C.I.A. program!
Starting Tuesday evening, September 13, 2016 from 7:15 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. in the Parish Centre. The R.C.I.A. program here at St. Peter's invites all non-Catholics who are interested in learning about our Catholic faith. The program will meet weekly on Tuesday evening at 7:15 p.m. The participants in the R.C.I.A. program are called Catechumens, or Candidates. A Catechumen is one who has never been baptized and is considering becoming a Catholic. A Candidate is someone who has been previously baptized in a Christian denomination other than Catholic. Father Jim Casper and Mr. Peter Williamson will be the coordinators this year. Please pray for the success of this year's R.C.I.A. program. Please call to register with Fr. Michael at 416-534-4219.

Parish Finances

Offering September 3-4, 2016

Envelopes:	$2545
Loose:	$882
PAG:	$314
Total:	$3741

Maintenance Collection:$1557
Thank you for your support

Rededication of St. Michael's Cathedral

You are invited to join in celebrating the rededication of St. Michael's Cathedral at two FREE public events in September:
- Mass and street party – Friday, September 30, 12 p.m. First-come, first-seated event.
- Sacred Music Concert featuring St. Michael's Choir School – Friday, September 30, 7 p.m. Free event with tickets available online in September on a first-come, first-served basis. Link for tickets will go live September 6: https://cathedralconcert.eventbrite.ca. You must reserve a ticket to attend this event.

We look forward to celebrating this important milestone together as an archdiocesan community!

Humanitarian Relief – Italian Earthquake

Those wishing to help 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 – Italian Earthquake – Humanitarian Relief
(Parishes are asked to gather funds and send one parish cheque to the Development Office, made out to Archdiocese of Toronto – Italian Earthquake.)
We offer our prayers for the victims of this natural disaster and those who have been displaced. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to help those in crisis in Italy.