

## ■ ■ AROUND SAINT PETER'S

### St. Peter's Parish Annual Fall Fair- October 14 & 15, 2017 THIS WEEKEND

*Where:* 840 Bathurst Street, Church Auditorium

*When:* Saturday October 14, 2017

*Time:* 11:00 AM- 7:00 PM

*When:* Sunday October 15, 2017

*Time:* 10:00 AM- 8:00 PM



### First Confession, First Communion and Confirmation Preparation for 2017-2018

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 18 from 2:00 to 3:00 pm in the Centre or Tuesday, November 21 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 Wednesday, October 18 from 7:00 to 8:00 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.

### Come & See Weekend, November 3 to 5, 2017 at St. Augustine's Seminary

Come & See Weekend for men 17 years and older, will take place at the St. Augustine's Seminary from Friday, November 3 at 7 p.m. to Sunday, November 5, until 1:30 p.m. This weekend offers a way for men to discern a possible call to priesthood at our seminary. We encourage you to promote this in your parishes, connect with men who would make good candidates and contact us with their names. Thank you in advance for your generosity as we work together to build a culture of vocations. Registration can be done online at [www.vocationstoronto.ca](http://www.vocationstoronto.ca). For more information, please call us at 416-968-0997 or email: [vocations@archtoronto.org](mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org)

### World Mission Sunday Special Collection, Oct. 21-22

There will be a second collection next weekend of Oct. 21-22 for the Evangelization of the Nations, otherwise known as "World Mission Sunday". This is a worldwide collection for the missionary church. World Mission Sunday is our opportunity to assist Catholic communities in need throughout the world. Thank you for your support of this important work.

### Winter Welcome Table Orientation Meeting

Winter welcome table is returning.....the program to feed the homeless and marginalized of the inner city..primarily in the annex area....will start again on November 6. All interested volunteers are asked to attend an Orientation meeting on Wednesday, October 25, at 7:00 PM in the auditorium of St. Peter's church (door under archway entry). All enquiries should be sent to Marie Parise at 416-531-3846.

### Pipe Organ talk & Demo

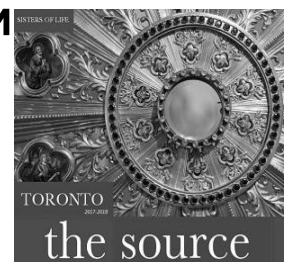
What characteristics of the pipe organ make it especially suitable for supporting the primary musical instruments of the liturgy: our voices? Why did the Second Vatican Council teach that the organ "is to be held in high esteem"?

Join our organist Mr. Lee in the church for a 1-hour talk and demonstration on our 90-year-old Casavant organ at EITHER (a) 7:45pm on Nov 1 (All Saints), after the evening mass OR (b) 6pm on Nov 2 (All Souls), before the evening mass.

### The Source - Sisters of Life- Saturday, October 21, from 7- 9 PM

The Sisters of Life will be hosting a special Holy Hour of thanksgiving to God for their **10 year anniversary** in Toronto here in our Church on Saturday, October 21 from 7 - 9 PM Featuring: Holy Hour, Testimonies of Grace, Music led by the Sisters. No Social. Confession will also be available.

*"Jesus is the source; It is from him that divine life in man finds its beginning. To have this life, we need only to approach him and remain in him. All of us wish to drink from the divine Heart, which is the source of life and holiness."* ~ Pope St. John Paul II



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### Please Get Involved

The parish invites parishioners to consider getting involved in different ministries. The parish needs Eucharistic Ministers.

Please consider attending workshop that will be held in the Church:

Eucharistic Ministers - Saturday, October 21, 2 PM - 3 PM

Please call the parish office at 416-534-4219 to register.

### Reflection series on "Psalms" - Thursdays, Oct. 12 until Nov. 9

A five (5) week program on the **PSALMS** starting Thursday, October 12 until November 9 in the St. Paul's room at the Centre from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. facilitated by Sr. Gabriel Riddle cps.

Everyone welcome! Please bring your **Bibles**. "The Book of Psalms can teach people how to pray; it is the "prayer book" par excellence of the believer. It brings to the forefront the grandeur of God's merciful action in our lives". (Pope Francis)

### Legion of Mary

The legion of Mary is sponsoring a Marian pilgrimage to our Lady of Fatima Shrine, Lewiston, New York and our Lady of Victory Basilica, Lakawana, New York, on November 18, 2017. Cost \$45.00. If interested please call Luz at 416-925-9825

### Parish Finances

**Offering Oct. 7-8, 2017**

Envelopes: \$2831

Loose: \$683

PAG: \$402

Total: \$3916

Capital Campaign: \$1519.20

Thank you for your support!!

### 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.

### Central region celebration of 175th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Toronto



You are invited to celebrate the **175th anniversary of the Archdiocese of Toronto** with His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins, Archbishop of Toronto, and His Excellency Bishop Robert Kasun to commemorate this historic milestone in our central region.

This invitation is open to all Central region parishes, to join us at Mass and a reception – so we can together celebrate the 175 years of faith, fellowship and prayer!

**Celebration for the Central region:**

**Date:** Thursday, October 19, 2017 – 7 p.m.

**Venue:** Blessed Trinity Parish, Toronto

**Address:** 3220 Bayview Ave. (north of Finch Ave.)

All Central region parishioners are invited, so please do come and celebrate this blessed event with us! See you there!

### Rosary Making

The Legion of Mary will be holding a "Rosary Making Workshop" on Saturday, October 21, at 10 AM - 2 PM at the Centre in the St. Paul's room. Materials will be provided. Everyone is invited. Come with your friends.

### 2018 Mass Intentions

St. Peter's Parish is now accepting 2018 Mass Intentions for parish weekday Masses (Monday-Friday) and weekend Masses.

Offering: For announced date \$20 per Mass and for Unannounced date \$10 per Mass. An unannounced Mass intention may be sent to priests outside the parish to be celebrated in the near future. Due to the large number of requests for Masses, the parish has been given permission to celebrate Mass with multiple intentions every **Thursday at the 12:10 pm Mass**. As this is something which requires special permission from the Bishop, the parish cannot accept multiple intentions on other days.

### New Beginnings - Bereavement Ministry Support Group

A six (6) week bereavement ministry support group will be starting at St. Peter's (ministry centre) starting on Tuesday, October 31 to December 5, from 1:00 - 3:00p.m. If you or someone you know is dealing with the loss of a loved one and would like to join this group, please register at the parish office (416-534-4219) Group facilitator: Sr. Gabriel M. Riddle cps

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