

■ ■ AROUND SAINT PETER'S



Thank YOU!

Thank you to all who helped to make our Christmas celebrations so beautiful through music, service, donations and decorations. Thank you also to the many parishioners for your Christmas cards, gifts and food to Fr. Michael and the St. Peter's staff during the Christmas season.

New Year Blessings!

May God be with you and your family through this New Year 2022 and fill your lives with comfort, love and cheer. May this day and the days ahead, hold many blessings for you and yours. Happy and a Healthy New Year!
~ Fr. Michael and the parish staff~

New Year Mass Schedule 2022

New Year's Eve, Friday, December 31, 2021

5:00 p.m. - Mass

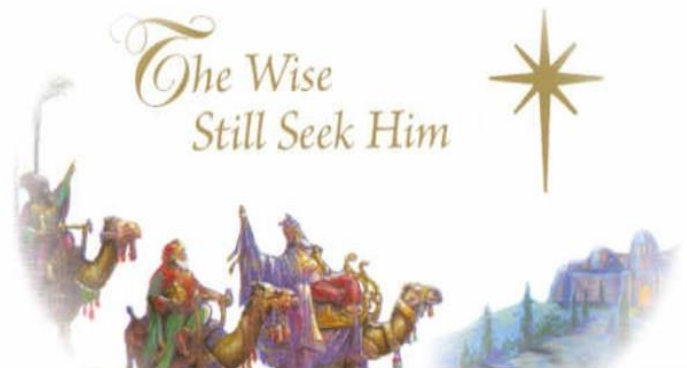
(No 8:00 AM Mass on Dec. 31)

New Year's Day, Saturday, January 1, 2022

9:00 a.m. - Mass

11:15 a.m. - Mass

(No 5:00 PM Mass on Jan. 1)



Office Schedule during New Year

Saturday, January 1 – Closed

Sunday, January 2 - Closed

Monday, January 3 – Closed. Mass will be at 10:00 am in the Church

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service 2022 – Sunday, January 23, 2022, at 4 p.m.

This year's theme is, "We saw the star in the East, and we came to worship him" (Mt.2:2)

The Annual Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service for the Greater Toronto Area will be held at **Holy Trinity Armenian Apostolic Orthodox Church**, 920 Progress Avenue, Scarborough on Sunday January 23, 2022, at 4.00 p.m. All are welcome to attend in person or watch the livestream on Facebook at the link, <https://bit.ly/3DAaxca>. For details, please see the poster at the link, <https://bit.ly/3rNvdLd>.

Join His Eminence Cardinal Thomas Collins and a wide representation of Christian leaders to pray for the restoration of full visible unity willed by Jesus Christ for the Church. The homilist is Rev. Archpriest Fr. Zareh Zargarian (Vicar of the Armenian Diocese of Canada and Parish Priest of Holy Trinity Armenian Church, Toronto). This event is sponsored by the Archdiocese of Toronto's Office for Promoting Christian Unity & Religious Relations with Judaism and the Greater Toronto Area of Council of Christian Churches.

“Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you! For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the Lord will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn.”

- Isaiah 60:1-3



**MAINTAIN PHYSICAL DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES
MASKS OR FACE COVERINGS ARE MANDATORY**



PLEASE REMEMBER ST. PETER'S IN YOUR WILL

January 1-2, 2022

2022 Offertory Envelopes

Offering Envelopes for 2022 are available at the back of the church along with the Pre-Authorized Giving Plan Form (PAG). Instructions are on the form. The boxed sets have been organized alphabetically. Please make sure to pick up only the box with your name on it. Kindly refrain from touching boxes belonging to others. Maintain social distancing. **PLEASE DO NOT USE THE 2022 ENVELOPES UNTIL THE NEW YEAR BEGINS**

2022 Mass Intentions

Parish is now accepting 2022 Mass Intentions for all weekday Masses at 8 AM (Monday-Friday) and weekend Masses Saturday 5 PM, Sunday 9:00 AM and 11:15 AM. Offering: For announced date \$20 per Mass and for Unannounced date \$10 per Mass. The parish has been given permission to celebrate Mass with multiple intentions every ***Thursday at the 8:00 am Mass.*** To avoid crowds in the office during the pandemic you are asked to call and make an appointment for your visit (416-534-4219)

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Winter clothing for Winter Welcome Table

The parish is collecting clean winter coats, sweaters and winter clothing for distribution among those who attend the Winter Welcome Table for a warm meal. Toiletries and unused socks are also in great demand. Please donate in the boxes at the doors of the Church. Thank you. Much appreciated.

Synod on Synodality

Pope Francis has launched the Synod on Synodality: a two-year global process of listening to the faithful that will help the Church reflect on how we can do God's will in the world today. The comments of the faithful will ultimately be discussed at a meeting of the bishops in the Vatican in 2023. To learn more about the Synod on Synodality and to share your thoughts, please visit:

www.archtoronto.org/synodality

Church Bulletin Advertising

Liturgical Publications will be setting up the advertisements for our church bulletin. The advertising will begin in February 2022 and supports the bulletin service. Please support the bulletin and advertise your product or service. Call Liturgical Publications at 905-624-4422.



Celebration of Marriage Mass February 13, 2022 at 2:30 p.m.

As part of Marriage Sunday 2022 celebrations, Bishop Robert Kasun, CSB, will preside at a special Mass to honour married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or 60+) in 2022. The Mass will take place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 13 at St. Michael's Cathedral Basilica (65 Bond Street, Toronto). Due to social distancing measures, cathedral attendance is limited to pre-registered couples celebrating milestone wedding anniversaries and a maximum of one guest per celebrant couple. Registration is now open. Given the limited attendance at the cathedral, we encourage milestone celebrants to register early. Those who are not able to register may join the celebration via livestream Mass here:

www.stmichaelscathedral.com/live

The broadcast will begin at 2:15 p.m. Please visit

www.archtoronto.org/marriage-to-register

