



14th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
July 5, 2009

A WARM WELCOME TO
ST. PETER'S PARISH
ROMAN CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Rev. Jessimar Cavan Tapia,
the Pastor of St. Peter's Parish, and
Mr. Bob Birch, Deacon, welcome all
newcomers and visitors to our parish
community.

On behalf of all our parish ministry
leaders, Father Jessi encourages your
active participation in our community
worship.

OUR PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

To promote the love and compassion that
Jesus Christ showed to all people, of every
creed, with a special emphasis on the needs
of the poor and the underprivileged.

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MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday at **5:00 p.m.** --- fulfills
Sunday Obligation
Sunday at **9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.**

Last Sunday of every month: Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.
No Mass on Mondays.

No Mass on a Tuesday after a long weekend holiday.
Regular Weekday Mass on **Tuesdays, Thursdays &
Fridays at 8:30 a.m. and on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m.**

FIRST FRIDAY MASS: 8:30 a.m.

FIRST SATURDAY MASS: 9:00 a.m.

LEGION OF MARY PRAYER MEETING:

- MONDAYS at 7:00 p.m.

CENACLE PRAYER:

- THURSDAYS at 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

ADORATION: 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. on Fridays

CONFESSIONS: by appointment before Sunday Masses
First Fridays at 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

BAPTISMS: 4:15 p.m. on Saturdays

10:30 a.m. on Sundays

No Baptisms on last weekend of the month as it is our parish
monthly socials: **October to June.**

For more information kindly call our office
at 613-733-1553.

MARRIAGE: Kindly give us at least 6 months notice.

A Marriage Preparation Course is required
after the Pastor's approval.



Prayer for Vocations

Lord God,
in every generation you have provided
shepherds after your own heart & spiritual
fathers for the family of the Church.

Hear us in our day as we beg you:

"Do not leave us orphans!

Send us the Holy Spirit!"

Stir up in the hearts of those whom you have
chosen to be priests an awareness of your call
& the courage to say, "Let it be done to me
according to your word."

By your Spirit, mould them in the heart of Mary
to be the image of your Son, faithful stewards
of your grace. Shape them into zealous
apostles, who will preach the Gospel
with boldness, celebrate the Eucharist
with reverence and be living signs of your love
for all people.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS & CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 4

9:00 a.m. First Saturday Mass

- Devotion to the Blessed Virgin
- For the soul of Harvie Meuse
by Toribia Jimenez

5:00 p.m. Mass

- For World Peace
- For Vocations to the priesthood, diaconate
& religious life.
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

Sunday, July 5

9:30 a.m. Mass

- For Conversion of hearts of Kealey Family
by Josephene Kealey
- For Father Jessi's Intention by Gaetana Nicolo
- For Vocations to the priesthood, diaconate
& religious life.
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

11:30 a.m. Mass

- For the soul of Harvie Meuse
by Juanita Peate & Family
- For Vocations to the priesthood, diaconate
& religious life.
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

Monday, July 6

--- no 8:30 a.m. Mass ----

+ NO WEEKDAY MASSES
on Tuesday until Thursday +
July 7- 9, 2009

Friday, July 10

8:30 a.m. Mass

- For Vocations

9:00 a.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
10:00 a.m. Benediction

6:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsals

Saturday, July 11

2:00 p.m. Wedding: *Jacques Jean Normand*
and
Lynn Pommerville

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. PARISH CONFESSIONS:

If anyone wants to go to confession or the Sacrament of Reconciliation, feel free to see the priest at the office on 2nd floor 30 minutes before weekend Masses. On a First Friday of the month, confession is heard 30 minutes before the 8:30 a.m. Mass.

2. No Weekday Masses this week on Tuesday until Thursday, July 7-9.

There will be Mass on Friday, July 10 at 8:30 a.m.

3. Pope Benedict's Prayer Intentions for July ---

General: That the Christians of the Middle East may live their faith in full freedom and be an instrument of peace and reconciliation.

Missionary: That the Church may be the seed and nucleus of a humanity reconciled and reunited in God's one and only family, thanks to the testimony of all the faithful in every country of the world.

4. PRAYERS: Ongoing prayers requested for Fr. Gerald Gahagan and for Fr. Bob Bedard, CC, who has recently moved to Carling View Manor.

5. Father Jessimar's New Mailing Address effective August 1, 2009:

Rev. Jessimar C. Tapia
828 Taradale Drive
Nepean, Ontario K2J 5P4

www.saintandrewparish.ca

Please pray for God's healing:

Lucy Phan, Augusto Romano, Emilie Joinette, Lise Martin, Louise Jarvis, Fr. Bob Bedard, Wilf Medland, Marian Smith, Marguerite Pelham, Lucie Tran, Emmanuel, Michel, Jean-Marie Meres Weche, and Ameria Rebiei.

Please send an e-mail to our office if you know of someone who is sick and needs to be prayed for:
stpeters@inbox.com

OTHER ARCHDIOCESAN ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SIPL FOCUS SESSION: "The General Instruction of the Roman Missal: A Valuable Pastoral and Catechetical Tool". Saint Paul University, Room 1124, Sat., July 11, 9:30 – 11:30 a.m. Led by Rev. Bill Burke. Looking at the rich pastoral and catechetical perspectives found in the GIRM. All welcome. Info: (theology@ustpaul.ca); (613-236-1393, ext. 2247).

135TH ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO STE-ANNE-DE-BEAUPRÉ & CAP-DE-LA-MADELEINE:
With Archbishop Terrence Prendergast, S.J. August 8 – 9, 2009. Info: Mike Budge (613-224-8110). Organized by Shrine/Sanctuaire Ste-Anne-de Beaupré.

SHEPHERDS OF GOOD HOPE NEEDS VOLUNTEERS: Volunteers are needed to help as service providers. Volunteers must be 18 years of age, and are asked to commit to one shift (4 hrs) per week in one program. Info: (613-789-8210 x228): (ann@shepherdsogoodhope.com).

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER UNIVERSITY: Offers programs by distance education for adults seeking faith formation for personal and professional development. Diploma in Ministry; Certificate in Lay Ministry; Certificate in Spirituality; Come Let Us Worship: A course in liturgical foundations; Diploma in Assisted Living: Human Care & Community. Info: (1-877-867-5562); (diplomainministry@stfx.ca); (www.stfx.ca/academic/continuinged/ministry.html).

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

Are you critical towards others, especially those close to you? The most severe critics are often people very familiar to us, a member of our family, a relative, or neighbor we rub shoulders with on a regular basis. Jesus faced a severe testing when he returned to his home town, not simply as the carpenter's son, but now as a rabbi with disciples. It would have been customary for Jesus to go to the synagogue each week during the Sabbath, and when his turn came, to read from the scriptures during the Sabbath service. His hometown folks listened with rapt attention on this occasion because they had heard about the miracles he had performed in other towns. What sign would he do in his hometown? Jesus startled them with a seeming rebuke that no prophet or servant of God can receive honor among his own people. The people of Nazareth *took offense at him* and refused to listen to what he had to say. They despised his preaching because he was a workingman, a carpenter, a mere layman and they despised him because of his family. How familiarity can breed mistaken contempt. Jesus could do no mighty works in their midst because they were closed and disbelieving towards him. If people have come together to hate and to refuse to understand, then they will see no other point of view than their own and they will refuse to love and accept others. Do you easily take offense at others?

The word "gospel" literally means "good news". Isaiah had prophesied that the Messiah would come in the power of the Holy Spirit to bring freedom to those oppressed by sin and evil (see Isaiah 61:1-2). Jesus came to set people free from the worst tyranny possible – the tyranny of slavery to sin and the fear of death, and the destruction of both body and soul. God's power alone can save us from emptiness and poverty of spirit, from confusion and error, and from the fear of death and hopelessness. The gospel of salvation is "good news" for us today. Do you know the joy and freedom of the gospel?

"Lord Jesus, you are the fulfillment of all our hopes and desires. Your Spirit brings us grace, truth, life, and freedom. Fill me with the joy of the gospel and inflame my heart with love and zeal for you and for your will."



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AN INVITATION:

If you are visiting our church today,
know that we are honored by your
presence.

Our parish serves the needs of the
community in many different ways.
We offer preparation for sacraments,
children's liturgy, social activities,
assistance to those in difficulty,
and comfort to the sick and those
who mourn a loss.

If we can be of service to you,
do not hesitate to call on us.

BEQUESTS AND WILLS:

In your kindness,
please remember St. Peter's Parish
in your bequests and wills. If anyone
wishes to make such a bequest in their
Will, the following clause may be included
or added to a will or added by codicil:

***"I give devise and bequeath the sum
of \$..... to St. Peter's Parish,
Ottawa, to be used for the benefit of
the Parish and its pastoral works."***

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.