



3rd SUNDAY IN LENT
March 15, 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.

PARISH ADDRESS: 1640 Heatherington Road
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PARISH WEBSITE: www.stpetersparish.ca

E-MAIL: stpeters@inbox.com

PHONE: (613) 733-1553 **FAX:** (613) 733-7183

SCHOOL: Prince of Peace School (613) 731-4733
(Elementary School – Kindergarten to Grade 6)

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: 15 mins. before weekend Masses

BAPTISMS: 4:15 p.m. on Saturdays

10:30 a.m. on Sundays

For info. kindly call our office at 613-733-1553.

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

MARRIAGE: Kindly give us at least 6 months notice.

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



Prayer for Vocations

Loving God,
you call all who believe in you
to grow perfect in love
by following in the footsteps
of Christ your Son.
Call from among us more men
and women who will serve you
as priests, deacons and religious.
By their way of life,
may they provide a convincing sign
of your Kingdom for the Church
and the whole world.
We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS & CHURCH SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 14

5:00 p.m. Mass

- For the soul of Cecile Pelland by Fr. Jessi & parishioners
- For the soul of Marcel Phan by the Phan Family
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

Sunday, March 15

9:30 a.m. Mass

- For the soul of Cecile Pelland by Fr. Jessi & parishioners
- For the soul of Dr. Joseph Kattackal by the Kattackal Family
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

11:30 a.m. Mass

- For the soul of Cecile Pelland by Fr. Jessi & parishioners
- For healing of Marian Smith by Don & Mary Smith
- For Parishioners' Intentions living & deceased

Monday, March 16

- no 8:30 a.m. Mass -

7:00 p.m. Legion of Mary (Prayer Meeting)

Tuesday, March 17

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

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

10:30 a.m. MASS at St. Patrick's Basilica

Wednesday, March 18

9:30 a.m. Mass – For World Peace

Thursday, March 19

**8:30 a.m. Mass – For the souls of Willy Waslicka
& Genick Wcislicki Westlake by John & Danka**

Friday, March 20

8:30 a.m. Mass

- For Vocations

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

10:00 a.m. Benediction

7:00 p.m. Lenten Stations of the Cross (church)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. LENTEN STATIONS OF THE CROSS:

Please join us for our Lenten Stations of the Cross every Friday during Lent at 7:00 p.m. here in our church.

2. Thank you for your Pennies for Life!

Campaign Life Coalition thanks you, St. Peter's parishioners, for your very generous donation of **\$ 648.65** to the pennies for Life Campaign 2008!

3. VATICAN CITY, MARCH 2, 2009 (Zenit.org)

The 2009 Pontifical Yearbook recorded that the number of Catholics worldwide increased by 1.4% from 2006-2007, just over the world population growth, which in the same period increased by 1.1%. Priestly vocations also grew, though less (0.4%), but with notable differences between the continents: While Europe is witnessing a recession, Africa and Asia are experiencing an increase in vocations.

4. QUO VADIS meeting of men discerning the call to priesthood will be gathering next on Friday, March 20, 6:15 p.m. at St. Theresa's (95 Somerset W.). Fr. Lindsay Harrison will be speaking. All priests are also welcome to attend. More info. Fr. Tim McCauley (613-738-5025, ext. 218).

5. SUFFERING: 8 CLICHES THAT PEOPLE USE – BUT DO THEY WORK?

"There's a reason for everything."... "This must be my cross."... "God is trying to tell me something."... "God will not ask anything of you beyond your strength."... Sound familiar? We put these and other maxims to the test. Sat., March 21, 9:30 - 11:30 am. St. Maurice Church. Presenter: Fr. Mark Slatter, Director of Adult Faith Development. Bring a notepad, your questions and your comments. All are welcome!

Please pray for God's healing: Lucy Phan, Augusto Romano, Genevieve Arden, Emilie Joinette Julia Aquino, Lise Martin, Louise Jarvis, Karen Slywchuk, & Fr. Bob Bedard.

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

ST. PETER'S PARISH
ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT:
As of December 31, 2008

COLLECTIONS ---

Revenue:

Collections	90,520.66	
Clergy Support	8,691.68	
Masses – Parish Share	1,290.00	
Bulletin Proceeds	950.00	
Parochial Org.	7,288.55	
GST Refunds/Other Refunds	2,219.05	
Interest on Loan Fund	7,374.53	
Bake Sale	438.95	
Initial Offering(Envelopes)	455.50	
Miscellaneous	607.31	
Total General Revenue		\$119,836.23

Expenses:

Gross Salaries and Stipends	43,706.00	
Employer's Contribution	8,003.30	
Cult & Pastoral Works	14,814.44	
Food/Room Board	4,800.00	
Office Supplies, Telephone, etc...	3,643.77	
Heating and Electricity	7,781.53	
Taxes, Insurance & Water	4,899.83	
Interest, Bank Charges	816.50	
Diocesan Admin. Taxes	15,993.00	
Parochial Organization	5,375.49	
Miscellaneous	5,772.66	
Maintenance – church/rectory	6,853.73	
Payroll Expense	900.00	
Inventory Assets (Chairs, Tables)	1,397.68	
Total General Expenses		\$124,757.93

+ Cult & Pastoral Works --- include other priests' and deacon's stipends, church altar needs (parishioners' envelopes, Sunday Missals, religious books, materials for Baptisms, altar supplies such as [candles, hosts, wine], priest and deacon's retreat or study days, Sunday Socials).

+ Parochial Organizations --- include funds transferred to Social Action Account.

+ Miscellaneous – includes debit memos, petty cash replenishment, labour fees and maintenance / reimbursements.

ST. PETER'S PARISH
SOCIAL ACTION - ANNUAL REPORT:
As of December 31, 2008

RECEIPTS:

Bank Balance as of Jan. 01/08	2,107.80	
Roger's Independent Tapes (receipts) collected	330.00	
Transferred - 12/08 from Operating	2,539.87	
Transferred -12/31 from Operating	2,123.91	
Total		7,101.58

DISBURSEMENTS:

Donation to the Food Bank	2,400.00	
Christmas Exchange	500.00	
Pastoral Works	964.84	
		3,864.84

**REVENUE AFTER
DISBURSEMENTS:**

Bank Balance as of Dec 31/08	<u>3,236.74</u>	
		7,101.58

Special Collection for 2008 amounting to \$3, 355.50 will reflect in 2009 Annual Report.

Fr. Jessimar, Deacon Bob
and all the members of the

Parish Pastoral Teams
&
Parish Stewardship Committee

thank all parishioners
for your kind support
to the needs of our parish!

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.