

St. Peter the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

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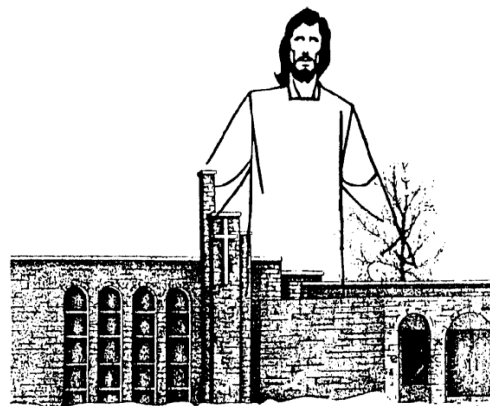
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Diocesan Order of Women

Mrs. D. Ketter

Mrs. B. Lamothe

Mrs. P. Porter



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 11:00 am

Weekday Mass Schedule

For Weekday Mass Schedule please see inside bulletin.

Reconciliation

Saturdays from 3:00 to 3:30pm; or by appointment.

By appointment only from May to August.

Eucharistic Adoration

First Wednesday of each month 9:30 am-5:00 pm.

Children's Liturgy

Each Sunday at the 9:00 am Mass from
September to June. All children (beginning from
Jr. Kindergarten) are welcome.

Welcome to St. Peter's

We warmly welcome new parishioners to our
parish. You are asked to register by completing
a registration form. Forms are available in the
Entrance or from the Parish Office.

Baptism

A program of preparation is required. Parents
are asked to contact the Parish Office prior to the
birth of their child. Adults wishing baptism are
asked to contact the Parish Office.

Marriage

Contact the Pastor at least six months prior to the
wedding. A preparation course is required.

Visitation of the Sick

If any member of your family is sick at home or in
the hospital, please call and let us know. If you
are confined to home, and would like to receive
Communion on Sunday, please call the Office
before 3:00 pm on Thursday.

Prayers for the Sick

If you or any member of your family is sick, in
distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite
you to call the Parish office to place that person
on our prayer list.



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Second Sunday of Easter- Divine Mercy – April 12, 2026

“My Lord and my God!”

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mon, Apr 13	9am	Intentions of Bob King with Prayers for Healing by Lorraine Downey
Tues, Apr 14	9am	Maria Caliciuri+ by Suzanne Lukasik
Wed, Apr 15	9am	Marlene Walter+ by Doreen Primeau
Thurs, Apr 16	9am	Dorothy Aultman+ by Louise Cazabon
Fri, Apr 17	9am	Giacinto Castrilli+ by members of the Davedi Club
Sat, Apr 18	4pm	Lily Normandeau+ by Lorraine Downey & Greg Godin Deceased Members of the Larwill+ family by Dan Clement
Sun, Apr 19	9am	All CWL members in our Diocese by the ON Provincial CWL Council
	11am	Intentions of all Parishioners by Father Francis

PRAYER LINE: *In sorrow and suffering, go straight to God with confidence, and you will be strengthened, enlightened and instructed.* If you or any member of your family, or anyone you know, is sick, in distress or experiencing troubling times, we invite you to call the Parish Office to place that person on our prayer list.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK: Len Weisflock, Victor Veltri, Shawn Prevost, Tony Saini

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:

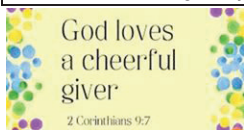
SCRIPTURE READINGS Apr 13 – Apr 19, 2026

Monday	Acts 4:23-31; John 3:1-8
Tuesday	Acts 4:32-37; John 3:7b-15
Wednesday	Acts 5:17-26; John 3:16-21
Thursday	Acts 5:27-33; John 3:31-36
Friday	Acts 5:34-42; John 6:1-15 <i>St. Kateri Tekakwitha</i>
Saturday	Acts 6:1-7; John 6:16-21
Sunday	Acts 2:14, 22b-28 1Peter 1:17-21 Luke 24:13-35 <i>Third Sunday of Easter</i>

Sunday April 5, 2026	\$3 420.75
Easter Collection	\$2 545.00
Holy Land Collection	\$785.75
Building Fund balance to date	\$41 765.32

Building Fund Goal: \$100 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!



2026 Envelopes are ready to be picked up. Please call the Church office for more information.

St Peter's is able to accept e-Transfers. Please use our email address: office@stpetertheapostle.ca when e-Transferring. Make sure to also include **a mailing address and purpose of e-Transfer** in the subject line for tax purposes.

Coffee Sunday! Sunday April 26th!

We welcome all to join us the last weekend in April after the **9am & 11am** Masses! Drop your treats off at the beginning of Mass.



SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026

Second Sunday of Easter – Divine Mercy

“Jesus came and stood among them and said, “Peace be with you.””

John 20:19 Today, the

last day of the Octave of Easter - the Gospel recounts the first and second

apparition of the Risen One to

the disciples. “The Apostle Thomas represents all of us, who were not present in the Upper Room when the Lord appeared and did not have other physical signs or apparitions from Him. We, too, struggle at times like that disciple. How can we believe that Jesus is risen, that He accompanies us and is the Lord of our life without having seen Him, without having touched Him?

The Lord is not looking for perfect Christians. A true faith knows times of comfort, zeal and enthusiasm, but also of weariness, confusion, doubt and darkness. It is better to have an imperfect but humble faith that always returns to Jesus, than a strong but presumptuous faith that makes us proud and arrogant.

And, faced with Thomas' absence and his journey (which is often also our own) what does Jesus do? Jesus does not give up. He does not get tired of us. He is not afraid of our crises, our weaknesses. He always comes back: when the doors are closed. Brothers and sisters, especially when we experience moments of weariness and crisis, the Risen Jesus wishes to return to stay with us. He only waits for us to seek Him, to call on Him, or even, like Thomas, to protest, bringing Him our needs and our unbelief. He always comes back. Why? Because He is patient and merciful. He comes to open the upper rooms of our fears and unbelief because He always wants to give us another chance. Let us promise ourselves to seek Jesus & return to His forgiveness.” Apr 24, '22



Divine Mercy Entrustment to the World



By Pope John Paul II on August 2002

"God, Merciful Father, in Your Son, Jesus Christ, You have revealed Your love and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter. We entrust to You today the destiny of the world and of every man and

woman. Bend down to us sinners, heal our weakness, conquer all evil, and grant that all the peoples of the earth may experience Your Mercy. In You, the Triune God, may they ever find the source of hope. Eternal Father, by the Passion and Resurrection of Your Son, have Mercy on us and upon the whole world! Amen."



First Communion

Please pray for our students as they receive the Sacrament of **First Communion** at St Peter's on Sunday, **April 12th @ 11am.**



Divine Mercy

Sunday: April 12th

Come Join us in celebrating the

Feast of the Divine Mercy: **St. Peter the Apostle Church, April 12th @ 3PM.** A Potluck will follow with cake and beverages. Please bring your goodies to the Church hall prior to the 3:00pm celebration. Good Friday. Booklets pertaining to the Chaplet of Divine Mercy can be found at the entrance of the Church.

The Divine Mercy Novena can be found on this site:

<https://www.thedivinemercy.org/message/devotions/novena>

THIS WEEK

Sunday April 12	11:00AM – FIRST COMMUNION 3:00PM – Divine Mercy Hour Followed by Potluck in Church Hall
Wed April 15	9:30AM – Rosary Cenacle 7:00PM – Movie: Church Hall – Drama film "Unplanned"
Thursday April 16	11:30AM – Choir Practice (11AM) 6:30PM – Choir Practice (9AM)
Friday April 17	6:30PM – Youth Choir Practice
Saturday April 18	3:00PM – CONFESSIONS

St. Peter the Apostle Youth Choir

Calling all youth, ages 8+yrs!

Join us for singing, fun, and friendship!



April 17, 2026 @ 6:30 PM

Meet new friends, and enjoy a fun evening together.
We can't wait to see you there!

Pope Leo April Prayer Intention

For Priests in Crisis

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.



The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network:

Join us monthly in praying with Pope Leo:

<https://www.popesprayer.va/praywiththepope/>



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Chrism Mass - First Episode

The team at Église Diocésaine has successfully produced two episodes of the 2026 Chrism Mass. To view the

first episode: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xI4e8NDO0yo>.

Euchre Tournament

St. Peter the Apostle Church,
April 25th

Join us for a fun evening!

Saturday, April 25, 2026

After the 4:00 PM Mass

FREE EVENT



Chili & buns provided

Come for the cards - stay for the fun!

We hope to see you there.



Movie Night: Wed. April 15th - 7PM
– St. Peter the Apostle

North Bay Right to Life invites all to a movie night. This drama film is based on the memoir of Abby Johnson, a former Planned Parenthood clinic director who became a prominent anti-abortion activist. All are welcome!



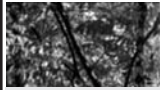
March for Life – Thursday May 14th

North Bay Right to Life / Pro-Vie has chartered a bus to attend the annual March For Life in Ottawa (Parliament Hill) on **Thursday, May 14th, 2026**. The bus will leave Northgate Shopping Centre at **7:00am** & return about **9:00pm**. All fares must be booked & paid in advance, adults **\$40.00**, students **\$10.00**. To purchase: northbayrighttolife@gmail.com
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