

St. Peter the Apostle Roman Catholic Church

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Deacon M. Ketter

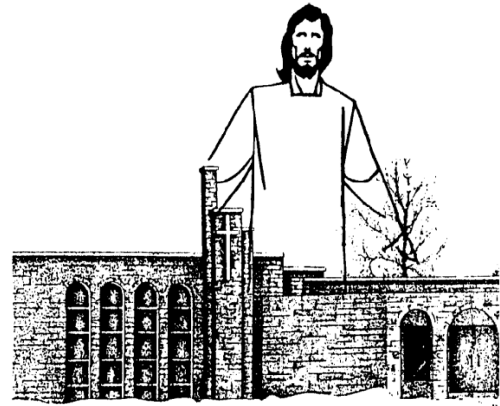
Deacon A. Lamothe

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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.

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

Saturday from 3:00 - 3:30pm; or by appointment.

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.



PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR SPONSORS



Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time – November 17, 2024

“Let us prepare for God’s coming!”

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mon, Nov 18	9am	Vic Pettella+ by Pat Porter
Tues, Nov 19	9am	Helen Bourdon+ by Giacinto & Barbara Castrilli
Wed, Nov 20	9am	Paul Donnelly+ by Nancy Tremblay
Thurs, Nov 21	9am	Maureen Tallon+ by Suzanne Lukasik
Fri, Nov 22	9am	John Van Oosten+ by Nancy Tremblay
Sat, Nov 23	4pm	Marisa Amendola+ by Fernando & family Rocco Venditti+ by Mike & Delma Ketter David Wolfe-Parise+ by the family
Sun, Nov 24	9am	Bert & Norma Miller+ by John & Anna Tremblay Deceased members of the Celebre family+ by Tony & Pina Celebre Swineetha Perera+ by Sita & Rita
	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: Emile Campsall

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED:

SCRIPTURE READINGS Nov18 – Nov 24, 2024	
Monday	Revelation 1:1-4; 2:1-5a; Luke 18:35-43
Tuesday	Revelation 3:1-6,14-22; Luke 19:1-10
Wednesday	Revelation 4:1-11; Luke 19:11-28
Thursday	Revelation 5:1-10; Luke 19:41-44 <i>The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
Friday	Revelation 10:8-11; Luke 19:45-48 <i>St. Cecilia</i>
Saturday	Revelation 11:4-12; Luke 20:27-40
Sunday	Daniel 7:13-14 Revelation 1:5-8 John 18:33b-37 <i>World Day Youth Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe</i>

Sunday November 3, 2024 \$2 201.05

Building Fund balance to date \$178 544.03

Building Fund Goal: \$200 000

Thank you for your generous contributions!

Sunday Missal 2024-2025

Sunday Missals are for sale at the Church Office. They are \$5 each.

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 (for example, memorial donation) in the subject line so that an appropriate tax receipt will be issued.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Then they will see ‘the Son of Man coming in clouds’ with great power and glory...” Mk 13:26

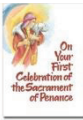


The Lord then invites us to hope - for precisely in that moment of utter darkness, the Son of Man will come (cf. v. 26).

“Today’s pain and tomorrow’s hope.

The World Day of the Poor which we are celebrating asks us not to turn aside, not to be afraid to take a close look at the suffering of those most vulnerable. However, amid the groans of our painful history, a future of salvation is beginning to blossom. As Christians we are asked to nurture tomorrow’s hope by healing today’s pain. All of us have a wounded heart. The two are linked: if you do not work to heal today’s pain, it will be hard to have hope for tomorrow. Today it is as if the Church is saying: “Stop and sow hope amid poverty. Draw near to the poor and sow hope”.

How lovely, evangelical and youthful is a Church ready to go out from herself and, like Jesus, proclaim good news to the poor (cf. Lk 4:18). A Church that sows hope is young. A prophetic Church that, by her presence, says to the broken-hearted and the outcast of the world, “Take heart, the Lord is near. From your pain, hope can arise”. Brothers and sisters, let us bring this outlook of hope to our world. Let us bring it with tenderness to the poor, with closeness, with compassion, without judging them, for we will be judged. For there, with them, with the poor, is Jesus; because there, in them, is Jesus, who awaits us.” Nov 14, 2021



First Reconciliation

This Sunday is our fourth and last session prior to the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Please join us this Sunday November 17th during the 9am Mass.

Both parents and children must attend the 9am Masses. *Please keep our candidates in your prayers. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be celebrated at St Peter's on **Wed, Nov 20, 2024 @ 6pm.***

THIS WEEK

Sunday Nov 17 9:00AM First Reconciliation - LESSON #4

Monday Nov 18 6:00PM – First Reconciliation Practice

Tuesday Nov 19 6PM-8PM - Alpha (Parish Hall)

**Wednesday Nov 20 9:30AM – Rosary Cenacle
6:00PM – First Reconciliation**

**Thursday Nov 21 1:30PM – Choir Practice (11AM)
6:30PM – Choir Practice (9AM)**

Friday Nov 22 6:30PM – Youth Choir

**Saturday Nov 23 11AM – Group Baptism (Schools)
3:00-3:30PM – Confession**

CWL News It's that time of year again! Membership renewals are due. Cost is \$35, payable by cash or cheque (St. Peter's CWL). Please place in an envelope marked CWL along with your name, address, telephone number and email address. Your membership in the League gives you a chance to make a difference through faith-based actions and form lifelong friendships.

Our Christmas Luncheon and Service Pin Presentation will be held **Wednesday, December 11th at 11:30 am** in the hall followed by a delicious luncheon and some Christmas carols. Tickets are \$10 / person. Please call for tickets: Christine @ (705-303-3808). Members are welcome to bring a guest!



The St. Peter's Giving Tree

The Giving Tree will arrive on **Sunday December 3rd**. Please take a gift tag home with you! After purchasing the gift, bring your unwrapped gift with the gift tag back to the Church during a weekend Mass or to the parish office during the week. Deadline for gifts is **Friday, December 15th**.



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Jubilee of 2025: Tue, Dec 24, 2024 – Wed, Dec 24, 2025 Did you know? The

official mobile app for the Holy Year 2025, "Iubilaeum25", is available for download!

Pope Francis – November Prayer Intention

For Anyone Who Has Lost a Child

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.



29th Turkey Dinner (take out only)

St. Peter the Apostle Church

Sunday December 1st - 4:30pm to 6:30pm

Be a part of this event! Sign up on the Turkey Dinner Board. This is a great way to meet your fellow parishioners. Not available on Sunday? We need help on Friday and Saturday, too. Sign up now and be part of the action! Tickets are now on sale: **Tickets are \$18 for one ticket & \$30 for two tickets**



Children's Christmas Party – Dec 8th @ 2pm

St. Peter the Apostle Church

All are invited for Christmas fun & games

Food will be provided

All are Welcome!

Sponsored by the St. Peter's Knights of Columbus



2024 Advent Mission:

Carol of Nine Lessons

Please join us for an evening of scripture readings and hymns! **What better way to prepare our hearts for Christmas!**

Mission Date:

Sunday December 15th @ 6:30pm

St. Peter the Apostle Church

The evening will conclude with a social in the Hall.

Invite a friend!

We look forward to spending the evening with you!



St. Peter the Apostle Youth Choir

Calling all youth, ages 8+yrs!

Join us for singing, fun, and friendship!

November 22nd @ 6:30 PM

Meet new friends, and enjoy a fun evening together.

We will be singing Christmas carols!

Special Treat: Once a month, we'll have a fun activity!

We can't wait to see you there!



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General Meetings:

1st Wednesday of each month - 6:30pm

Information: Mike Maunsell
705-475-9295 Financial Secretary



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