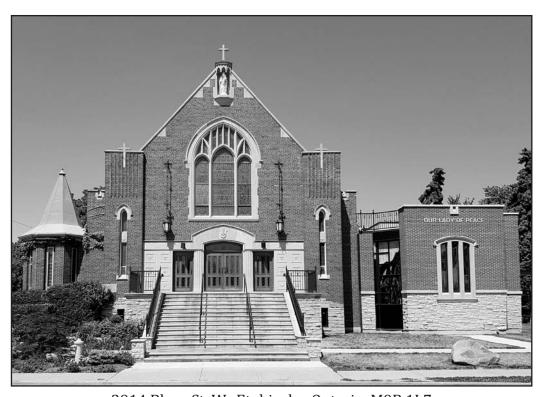
# **OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH**

## A CATHOLIC COMMUNITY IN THE HEART OF ETOBICOKE



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**PASTOR:** Fr. Yaw Acheampong

#### **Parish Office Hours:**

Mon-Fri 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

#### **Sunday Mass:**

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

#### Weekday Mass:

Tuesday to Saturday and Holidays: 9:00 a.m. First Friday of the Month: 9a.m. and 7:00p.m.

#### **Reconciliation:**

Saturday 4:15 p.m.

**Baptisms:** Every 2nd Sunday of the month. For registered parishioners. Contact the Parish Office for more information on the Baptismal Preparation process.

**Marriages:** One year in advance notice. For registered parishioners. A Marriage Course is required. No date may be set before meeting with the priest.



#### **Schools:**

Our Lady of Peace School: **416 393-5253 Fax: 416 397-6061** 70 Mattice Ave. Etobicoke, On M9B 1T6

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#### Welcome, Visitors

Our Lady of Peace Parish warmly welcomes visitors joining us for the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. Your presence here is a sign of life in our community.

We look forward to seeing you again soon!

#### **Grateful Disciples & Stewards**

# According to the Archdiocese of Toronto's Pastoral Plan

"Our parishes are spiritual homes for the faithful where we meet one another to encounter Christ...Each of us needs to be fully engaged as a disciple of Jesus, grateful for what we have received from God, and eager to share it creatively and responsibly.

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In the spirit of stewardship, OLP needs your faithful assistance in sharing your time, talent, and gifts in building up a strong community.

Please consider joining one of our ministries in the parish.

Be a cheerful steward!

#### **Volunteers Make Our Parish**

Get to know the various volunteer ministries in our parish. You are invited to consider joining any one of them with your God given talents.

Please consult the white binders placed at the back of the church for description of the various ministries and registration forms. For further information, please call the church office.

#### Care of the Sick

Please notify the Pastor to make arrangements for visits.

#### The Society of St. Vincent de Paul

For assistance, please call the **Parish Office** at **416-239-1259** and Select **Option 5** and leave your first and last name and phone number where you can be reached. Please remember our Society of St. Vincent de Paul's *neighbours in need*. Thank you for your kind donation as you leave the church today.

# From the Pastor's Desk

### Welcome Back to Our Lady of Peace

I welcome you back from your summer break. I hope that you had a joyful and restful summer. Let us continue to pray for each other and to serve our Lord in our brothers and sisters as we continue to build up our community based on the love of Christ.

Fr. Yaw

#### **Welcome Back to School**

Our Lady of Peace Parish Community welcomes the principals, staff and students of Our Lady of Peace and St. Elizabeth Schools as they begin a new school year. May God grant you all a peaceful and successful academic year.

#### **New Parishioners**

A special welcome to our new parishioners. We ask you to register. Registration forms are located at the back of the church or can be obtained from the Parish Office.

### **Update Your Records**

Please call the Parish Office 416-239-1259 if you have any changes to your mailing address, email address or phone number. Thank you!

# Sunday Collection August 25 / 26, 2018

Envelopes:	\$ 2,885.00
Loose:	\$ 265.25
PAG:	\$ 1,409.47
TOTAL:	\$ 4,559.72

Your regular offerings help to run the parish.
Thank you for your generosity.

Please Remember Our Lady of Peace In Your Will



Sep 04	Tue	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 05	Wed	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 06	Thu	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 07	Fri	9:00 AM	No Intention
Sep 07	Fri	7:00 PM	No Intention
Sep 08	Sat	9:00 AM	In Thanksgiving For
			Our Blessed Mother
Sep 08	Sat	5:00 PM	OLP Parishioners
Sep 09	Sun	9:00 AM	Intentions of
			Stuart McDougall
Sep 09	Sun	11:00 AM	+ Lorraine McCart

#### **Sacramental Preparation** First Confession & First Holy Communion

Parents and guardians who are registered parishioners of OLP are being informed about the preparation of their children for their First Confession and First Holy Communion.

#### **Some Important Dates** Tuesday, September 18, 2018 – 7 PM

Mandatory Parent/Guardian Meeting with the pastor in the church for First Confession/First Holy Communion students.

#### First Confession & First Holy Communion

#### Saturday, September 22 / Sunday, September 23

**Registration** of candidates at *any* of the Weekend Masses.

No late registrations will be accepted.

#### Saturday, September 29 / Sunday, September 30

**Enrolment** of candidates at any of the Weekend Masses.

## **Lay Pastoral Visitors Training** Saturday, September 22/29, 2018 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM - St. Ambrose Parish

782 Brown's Line, Etobicoke.

This program will prepare you to provide pastoral visits and bring Holy Communion to the sick, elderly and homebound of our parish who are unable to attend Mass. Participants are required to attend **both** sessions. To register:

Phone: 416-934-3400 Ext 523 or fax form at: http://bit.ly/workshopsTO

#### **Upcoming Events**

#### **Labour Day Holiday Monday**

Monday is the Labour Day Holiday. The parish Office will be **closed.** The office will reopen on Tuesday, September 4 at 9:30 AM

#### **First Friday Devotions**

There will be Eucharistic Adoration and Benediction at 6:30 PM followed by Mass at 7 PM on Friday, September 07, 2018.

#### **Ministry Fair**

Would you like to take a more active role in your Parish? You are all welcome to join our "Ministry Fair" that will be held on:

Saturday, September 15 / Sunday, September 16, 2018 after all the Masses in the Church Hall.

Come out and get involved!

#### **Ceremony of Recognition**

The Ceremony of Recognition will be held on the following dates: Catechists - September 15 & 16

Altar Servers - September 22 & 23

#### Visit to St. Augustine's Seminary

Altar Servers, Young Ushers and Junior Choir members trip to the Seminary will take place on Saturday, November 24, 2018. Please sign up in the Children's Sacristy.

#### **OLP's Maintenance Fund**

The next collection will take place during next weekend's Masses Saturday, September 8 and Sunday, September 9, 2018

Thank you very much for your generosity to the fund.



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