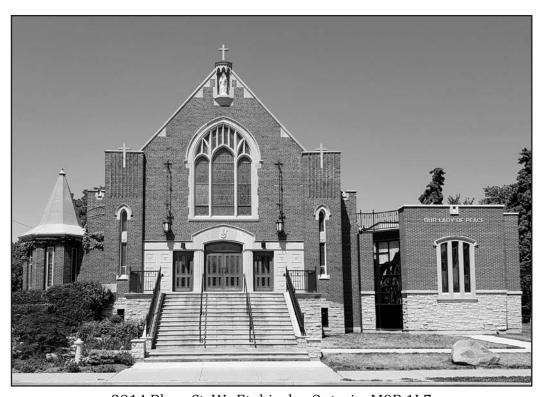
# **OUR LADY OF PEACE PARISH**

## 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. This is the spirit of deep stewardship".

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

Stewardship is a way of life.

#### **Stewards Make Our Parish**

As baptized people we are called to use our God-given gifts to live out our baptismal promises as disciples and stewards. There are many ways of acting out on our baptismal commitment to fulfill our roles as stewards. You may consider responding to your baptismal call by becoming one of the ministers in the various ministries we have in the parish. Please see the two white binders at the back of the church describing all the various ministries with registration forms.

Please consider joining one of the ministries as a steward to help bring vitality into the community.

Be a cheerful and grateful steward!

#### 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.

#### **Stations of the Cross**

Every Friday during Lent at **6:30 PM** followed by Mass at **7:00 PM** 

#### **Mass with The Anointing of the Sick**

On **Sunday, March 24, 2019** at **4:00 PM**, the parish will celebrate Mass for the **Third Sunday of Lent** with the celebration of the Sacrament of the *Anointing of the Sick*. The Anointing of the Sick can be celebrated for any person who is physically or spiritually unwell and also those who have grown weak under the burden of years. The Sacrament is intended to bring healing of body and soul to those who receive it. It also asks God for the grace to accept the suffering that comes with illness or diminished health due to age.

This Mass also fulfils Sunday's obligation.

You can receive the Holy Eucharist at this Mass if you happen to attend Mass in the morning.

## St ShareLife

First Collection takes place next weekend Saturday, March 30 and Sunday, March 31. Thank you for supporting the campaign.

#### **ShareLife Agency Presentation**

Speaker: Mrs. Angie Carboni,
St. Bernadette's Family Resource Centre
St. Bernadette's integrates children, youth and adults with developmental and/or physical challenges, such as autism, Down's syndrome, cerebral palsy and blindness, with their able peers. Parent relief programs and support groups are available to help care givers better face the challenges they encounter.

#### **Workshop for Eucharistic Ministers**

Will take place on Saturday, March 30, 2019 at 10:00 AM in the church.

Please make an effort to attend.

#### The Spirit of Stewardship

"Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." (1 Peter 4:10)

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Mar 26	Tue	9:00 AM	+ Gilcarlos Pavao
			+ Maria Dos Anjos-Pavao
Mar 27	Wed	9:00 AM	All Souls
Mar 28	Thu	9:00 AM	+ George Bronze
Mar 29	Fri	9:00 AM	No Announced Mass
Mar 29	Fri	7:00 PM	Special Intention for a
			Parishioner
Mar 30	Sat	9:00 AM	For Ordained Ministers
Mar 30	Sat	5:00 PM	+ John Holowczak
Mar 31	Sun	9:00 AM	+ Michele Lista
Mar 31	Sun	11:00 AM	Parishioners of OLP

#### <u>Sacramental Preparation</u> <u>First Holy Communion</u>

Classes continue with Children's Liturgy at the 11:00 AM Mass. Candidates and at least one parent/guardian are expected to attend the 11:00 AM Mass as part of their preparation to receive First Holy Communion. Candidates in <u>Group 1</u> with their parents / guardians will do the Presentation of the Gifts on March 31, 2019 at the 11:00 AM Mass. Please make use of the reserved pews at the front of the church.

#### **Confirmation**

Lessons continue on **Tuesday, March 26 at 5:30** in the church. **Please Be Punctual!** 

# <u>Celebration of the Sacraments</u> <u>First Holy Communion</u> <u>Group 1</u>

All last names that begin with A starting from Adjei to names beginning with M (Misterka) Sunday, May 26, 2019 at 11:00 AM

#### Group 2

All last names that begin with M starting from Mitropoulos to names beginning with Z (Zia) Sunday, June 02, 2019 at 11:00 AM Please note that your child must be in the group allocated to him/her.

#### **Confirmation**

Will be celebrated on **Pentecost Sunday**, **June 09, 2019** at **4:00 PM** in the church.

## Sunday Collection March 16 / 17, 2019

Envelopes:	\$ 3,882.50
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PAG:	\$ 1,349.80
TOTAL:	\$ 5,539.05

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#### Formation & Training Day for Lectors

Saturday, March 30, 2019 - 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

St. Peter's Parish

100 Bainbridge Ave, Woodbridge.
The workshop is free but we ask that you bring your own lunch.

Register: http://bit.ly/MarchReaders-OFD
Email: rspellacy@archtoronto.org
Phone: 416-934-3400 Ext 525

#### Vocations

The Lord is kind and merciful and calls us to proclaim His Name. Consider service in the priesthood or consecrated life. If you think God is calling you, to be a priest, religious or deacon, contact:

Fr. Chris Lemieux, Director of Vocations, Archdiocese of Toronto.

Phone: **416-968-0997.**Email: <a href="mailto:vocations@archtoronto.org">vocations@archtoronto.org</a>
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