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June 5, 2022  
 Pentecost

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**Are you new here? Welcome!**  
 No matter who you are or where you're from, we're so glad you've joined us.

**LORD'S DAY MASS**  
**SATURDAY: 4PM**  
**SUNDAY: 9AM & 11AM**

**WEEKDAY MASS**  
 See Mass times inside

**CONFESSIONS**  
 Saturday 3:00PM until 3:45PM

**BAPTISM**  
 Parents seeking baptism for their children should approach the Parish Office.

**MARRIAGE**  
 Couples seeking the Sacrament of Marriage must meet Fr. Jerry at least one year prior to a desired date.

**HOLY ANOINTING OF THE SICK**  
 Contact the Parish Office as soon as possible.

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC?**  
 Want to learn more about the Catholic Faith? Interested in receiving the Sacraments? Contact the Parish Office.

*"You are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession."*  
 - St. Peter the Apostle, 1 Peter 2:9

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## Pentecost ✠ June 5, 2022

*Welcome to St. Peter the Apostle!*

If this is your first time at church, or your first time in a long time, we're so glad you're here! We exist to carry out the mission of Jesus Christ; make disciples of all nations. If we can be of any assistance to you, please don't hesitate to call on us.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Wednesday, June 8  
6:00PM Intentions of Lou McLeod's (90th Birthday)

Thursday, June 9  
*Lakeland 10AM For the Residents*  
*Belvedere 11AM For the Residents*

Friday, June 10  
12:10PM + Phyllis Ertel

### THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Saturday, June 11  
4:00PM Intentions of Fr. Peter Lukow

Sunday, June 5  
9:00AM Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)  
11:00AM Intentions of Lou McLeod

## TODAYS READINGS

1st Reading: Acts 2:1-11

2nd Reading: 1 Cor. 12:3-7,12-13

Gospel: John 20:19-23

## LET US PRAY



### For the sick

Jane Blayney, Michael Cassidy, John Cunningham, Katie Hunkin, Lisa Galea, Ralph Grisdale, Anne Keenan, Lynda Kingsland, Fr. Bill Moloney, Maureen O'Grady.

► New prayer requests are in **bold type**. To have a person added to our prayer list, please contact the Parish Office. The person's name will remain on the prayer list for **four weeks**.

### For the deceased

Jim Gibson

**Want to offer the gift of a Mass?**  
Contact the Parish Office.

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

**Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created. And You shall renew the face of the earth.**

**O God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit, did instruct the hearts of the faithful, grant that by the same Holy Spirit we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations, Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.**

**MINISTERING AT MASS //** We are filled with the Holy Spirit through the sacraments of the Church. God touches us and enters into us in a profound way, just like in that upper room at Pentecost. That first powerful movement of the Spirit led to a Church that grew and flourished and remains alive today.

### How is the Spirit calling you to serve?

We're always looking for Lectors (Readers), Greeters, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Ushers/Hosts, Musicians, Servers and more. Especially as things are returning to normal, please pray about how you can your gifts to serve your parish family.

**WELCOME //** Over the past few weeks we've seen many new and returning parishioners! We're so happy to welcome you to St. Peter the Apostle.

- **If you're new**, please register at the Office, we'd like to officially welcome you.
- **If you're returning**, feel free to check in with the Office to ensure we have all your current information.
- **If you're a 'summer only' parishioner**, we're happy to involve you in the life of the parish. We have ministry opportunities both here at the Parish and at Killbear Park (Lectors, Communion Ministers, Altar Servers...) Just contact us at the Office and we'll plug you in.

**PAPAL VISIT TO CANADA //** Earlier, the Vatican formally announced that Pope Francis will travel to Canada from July 24-29. The historic visit, focused on Indigenous healing and reconciliation, will be the fourth papal journey to Canada and the first since Saint John Paul II's visit in 2002.

The trip is intended to be a followup to the Pope's apology offered on April 1st. But this visit from our pope won't be the end of our efforts for truth and reconciliation.

The Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops announced a nation-wide collective financial commitment in the amount of \$30 million dollars to support healing and reconciliation initiatives for residential school survivors, their families, their communities and our Church. Our own diocese has agreed to pledge the sum of \$400,000.

Our Parish is happy to contribute to these efforts for truth and reconciliation. A new group is being formed to address these issues and to see how we can grow through this process. Those interested in assisting (especially those with an indigenous, First Nations or Metis background) are encouraged to reach out to our pastor.

**OFFER THE GIFT OF THE MASS //** Would you like to offer a Mass for the repose of the soul of a deceased loved one, or for the intentions of a friend or family member who is going through a difficult time? If you are unable to come to the office during office hours, you can use envelopes located in the Narthex, fill out your information, leave them in the collection basket or the mailslot at the Rectory and the office will be in contact with you. Mass Intentions are still just \$20 and make a great gift.

**LOOKING AHEAD:** June 25/26 we celebrate First Communion and Confirmation.

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## Pentecost - Come Holy Spirit!

This weekend, as we celebrate Pentecost, we mark the birthday of the Christian community, our Church. Though culture, circumstance, and surroundings remove us from that fearful assembly receiving God's Spirit for the first time in human history, we're very much the same as them. We're called, just as they were, to gather ourselves together, delight in the nourishment that comes from Sacrament and community, and then to allow that strength and joy to drive us out into the world, where we act and exist in ways that draw more people to what we've found in friendship with God. The Spirit calls us to this life, strengthens us for it, and reminds and guides us along the way. It's because of the Spirit that we can have the confidence we do in our discipleship. The Church is many things, but at her core she is a vessel for God's Spirit, poured forth into this world. That's why we pray, again and again: Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of the faithful, kindle in them the fire of your love.