Saints Peter & Paul - June 29, 2014
As the Church, we rejoice today in the fidelity of Simon Peter and Paul who boldly proclaimed the Risen Christ and laid down their lives for the Gospel message. Through their courage and commitment, the Gospel has been proclaimed before all nations. Their lives remind us of our apostolic roots.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF**
**June 30 - July 6, 2014**

**MONDAY:** June 30 - No Mass  
(We pray for Deacon Charles Stevens)

**TUESDAY:** July 1 - No Mass  
(We Pray for Mrs. Colleen Hanley, Coordinator of Youth Ministry)

**WEDNESDAY:** July 2  
(We Pray for Rev. Daniel Chui, C.S.B.)
- St. Boniface Church - 7:00 pm  
  Int. of Lorne Regier - Ursula Regier & Family  
  Int. of Francis & Doreen Hartman & Family - Ray & Janice  
  Int. of Clarence & Joan Regier  
    - Anthony & Monique Hartman & Family

**THURSDAY:** July 3
(We Pray for Deacon Roy Brothers)
- St. Peter’s Church - 8:30 am  
  Devotions to St. Joseph & St. Andre  
  +Catherine Van Aaken - The Van Aaken Family  
  +Joe Petrinac - Tony & Cathy LaPorte
- Bluewater Resthome - 3:30 pm  
  +Tony Rau - Darl & Tillie Rau  
  +Alphonse Jeffrey - Mary Ann Quesnel

**FRIDAY:** July 4 - First Friday  
(We Pray for Rev. Andrew Dwyer)
- St. Boniface Church - 9:15 am  
  “12 Hour Adoration - 8:00 am - 8:00 pm”  
  For a Special Intention  
    - Francis & Doreen Hartman & Family  
    - Anthony & Monique Hartman & Family  
  Int. of Anne Harburn  
  Int. of Doreen Regier - Martha Overholt & Family

**SATURDAY:** July 5
(We Pray for Rev. Frank O’Connor)
- St. Peter’s Church - 3:00 pm  
  “Wedding of Nicholas VanderBurgt & Megan Carnochan”
- St. Peter’s Church - 5:00 pm  
  Sacrament of Reconciliation - 4:15 - 4:45 pm

**SUNDAY:** July 6
(We Pray for Rev. Festus Komolafe)
- St. Boniface Church—9:00 am  
- St. Peter’s Church—10:30 am

**Good-Bye Father Graham & David**
We wish Father Graham and David all the best as they leave to begin their new duties at the newly clustered parishes in St. Thomas. Please continue to keep Father Graham and David in your prayers.

**Parish “Potluck” BBQ Farwell Party**
Please join us *this Sunday June 29 beginning at 3:30 pm* for a “Potluck” BBQ Farwell Party for Father Graham and David at St. Boniface School.

**Welcome Social for Father Matt George**
There will be a welcome social for Fr. Matt after the 10:30 am Mass on Sunday, July 6th at St. Peter’s Church for all parishioners from both parishes to give Fr. Matt a warm welcome!

**Biography of Father Matt George**
Father Matt was born and raised in Delhi. He is the youngest in his family. Fr. Matt was ordained in 1996 and has served as an Associate in Wallaceburg & London. He was Pastor in Maidstone, Tillsonburg, Watson Lake (Yukon Territory) and most recently he was filling in for the pastor of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Windsor. He was involved in Scouting as a youth for 10 years and still enjoys camping and many outdoor activities. Fr. Matt was a former chaplain for the Catholic Rural Life Conference and remains passionately involved with food, agricultural and social justice issues. He enjoys working closely with the local CWL, Knights of Columbus and Cursillo communities. Father Matt is tired of moving around and is looking forward to staying in one place for a good, long time!!!

**Office Hours**
The office will be closed on Tuesday, July 1 for the Canada Day holiday.
Congratulations to Our First Communicants Last Weekend at St. Boniface Church  

Children’s Liturgy at St. Boniface Church  
As another school year comes to an end, so does the children’s liturgy program at St. Boniface Parish. Thanks to all who helped and supported our program. We will resume again after labour day and are always looking for new volunteers. Erin Pennings & Alicia Lobb

Thursday Morning Adult Bible Study  
Come join us - as we study the significance and power of God’s Word at Thursday Morning Adult Bible Study 9 am to 10:30 am in St. Peter’s Church Hall, St. Joseph, Ontario. This adult bible study is geared to fit into a busy lifestyle as there is no homework and because each week’s study is non-dependent on the other weeks, it is possible to miss a week and not be left behind. Materials provided. No cost to participants. Dates: July 10, 17, 24, 31 and August 7, 14.

Youth Group Fun Day  
This year’s fun day is July 2, 2014. The cost of $30 will include East Park Water Park, and 2 choices from a list of activities in the park. The event is open to siblings and friends of the youth group but our members come first. There is still a limited number of seats available, if you would like to join the Youth Group at East Park please call one of the leaders ASAP to check for availability on the bus. First come, first serve. Should a student’s family face financial difficulty with the $30 cost please contact Lori at the Church office. We need parent/student volunteers for the success of this event. Please consider volunteering. For more information call Lynette Graham at 519-238-2946 or Lora-Lea Paulger at 519-236-7845. Look forward to a lot of fun!

Prayer List  
Please remember in your prayers the members of our parish family suffering from illness, Joyce Waller, Roxanne Rau, Louise Merner, Reese Lessen, Steven Wild-Denys, Emily DePaepe, and Harold Dietrich.

Congratulations!!!  
Congratulations and our prayerful wishes to Jacob Cooke & Mackenzie Moir who were married at St. Peter’s Church this weekend.

Vacation Bible School  
What: SonTreasure Island  
When: July 7 - 11, 2014 (Monday - Friday) 8:45 am - 12 pm  
Who/Where: Children ages Kindergarten through grade 6, at the Zurich Mennonite Church. Youth (grades 7 - 10) at St. Boniface Church. A nursery is also available during the week at the Zurich Mennonite Church.

***Registration can be done online, at www.zurichvbs.ca**  
We are also looking for volunteers to help out in every age category, as well as other important areas of the ministry. If anyone is interested in volunteering their time at any point during the week, they can sign-up on the website, or send an email to vbs@kingsfieldcommon.ca. If anyone has any questions, they can contact April Eilers at 519-236-9921.

St. Andre Healing Garden Fund Raising Raffle  
Draws will be held on August 9, 2014. Three items are offered per ticket: a stone lighthouse, a framed cross-stitch and a dinner for four prepared by Fr. Graham. Ticket price is $5.00. Purchasers have the option of choosing which prize they would like to win by indicating on the ticket &/or placing it in the corresponding box. Tickets will be available at each Church after Mass and at the Church office. We are looking for volunteers who would like to sell some tickets. Please call the office.

The Word Among Us  
We once again have The Word Among Us for the months of July/August available at the back of both churches. Cost: $2/each.

The Promise  
A musical pageant on “The Life of Christ”. Ontario’s finest outdoor passion play seen by over 60,000 people since 1995. Presented at the Forest Amphitheatre - July 4-6 and July 11-13. Gate Opens at 7:30 pm, performance starts at 8:30 pm. Tickets are available at the gate and online. For further information or to order tickets visit their website at www.forestcommunitytheatre.ca.

Married Singles Lifestyle  
The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. This program has helped 10’s of 1000’s of couples experiencing difficulty at all levels of marital distress from disillusionment to deep misery. For confidential information about, or to register for the upcoming program beginning with a weekend on August 8, 9 and 10, 2014, call 1-800-705-6356.
Please Support These Local Businesses That Support Our Parish

Events at a glance.....

- **Farwell Party for Fr. Graham & David** - Sunday, June 29 at 3:30 pm at St. Boniface School
- **Youth Group East Park Trip** - Wednesday, July 2
- **First Friday & 12 Hour Adoration** - Friday, July 4 at St. Boniface Church
- **Welcome Social for Fr. Matt George** - Sunday, July 6 following the 10:30 am Mass at St. Peter’s
- **Vacation Bible School** - July 7 - 11 at the Zurich Mennonite Church (Kdg to grade 6) & St. Boniface Church (grades 7 - 10)
- **Thursday Morning Adult Bible Study** - Thursday, July 10 following the 8:30 am Mass in St. Peter’s Church Hall
- **Thursday Morning Adult Bible Study** - Thursday, July 17 following the 8:30 am Mass in St. Peter’s Church Hall

Show your love for your parish by remembering to include your parish in your will.
St. Boniface and St. Peter Churches

Weekend Masses
Sat 5:00 pm  St. Peter (mid April to mid October)
            St. Boniface (mid October to mid April)
Sun 9:00 am  St. Boniface
           10:30 am  St. Peter

Pastoral Staff:
Pastor: Fr. Graham Keep
Seminarian Intern: David Johnston
Secretary: Lori LaPorte
Office Hours:
Tuesday - Thursday
8:30 am – 3:30 pm
Friday - 8:30 am - noon

Parish Organizations
Parish Advisory Council: A combined council meets every month to discuss and plan pastoral initiatives and practical functioning of the parish. If you have suggestions please consider contacting one of the members.
Youth Ministry: Youth from grades 5 to 8 gather regularly for fun, faith and friendship. See the website for information.
Children’s Liturgy of the Word: Every Sunday at both the 9:00 am and 10:30 am masses.
Catholic Cemeteries: We have the privilege of having cemeteries associated with St Peter and St. Boniface Churches. Information can be found on the website.
Other Organizations: Catholic Women’s Leagues, Knights of Columbus and others.

Website
Our website is regularly updated. There is a monthly calendar of events, important information and great pictures.
www.bluewater.dionet.ca

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MISSION STATEMENT
And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:18-20 (NRSV, Catholic edition)

Celebrating Our Faith
Baptism
Please contact the office as you await the birth of your child or while you are awaiting adoption.
Reconciliation
God sent His Son so that we might be saved! Experience God’s healing through the sacrament of reconciliation before Mass on Saturday 4:15 pm - 4:45 pm or by appointment.
Marriages
The sacrament of marriage is a beautiful expression of God’s love for the world! Minimum six months notice is required during which time the engaged couple must attend a Marriage Preparation Course.
Sacrament of the Sick
If you know of a person who is in hospital, or who is homebound because of illness and is desiring the sacrament of the sick, contact the office to make arrangements.
Bluewater Nursing Home
A weekly mass is offered on Thursdays at 3:30 pm in the chapel. All are welcome.
Devotions
St. Joseph and Saint André - Thursday after the 8:30 am mass - St. Peter’s.
Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Wednesday after the 7:00 pm mass - St. Boniface.
Every first Friday at St. Boniface Church there is exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm—come be transformed by the healing power of Jesus.