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1712 St. Peter's Church 2017

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 19, 2017



Paul's Letter to the Romans

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

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8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY

10:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND SERMON

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	ADAGIO IN E	FRANK BRIDGE
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	523 GLORIOUS THINGS OF THEE ARE SPOKEN	ABBOT'S LEIGH
CHILDREN'S HOMILY		
~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~		
+ PENITENTIAL ORDER: RITE ONE	<i>Celebrant:</i> Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins. <i>People:</i> His mercy endureth for ever.	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 319
THE DECALOGUE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 317
GENERAL CONFESSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 320
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 321
KYRIE ELEISON	HAROLD DARKE IN F	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		EXODUS 17:1-7
THE PSALM		PSALM 95
THE EPISTLE		ROMANS 5:1-11
+ HYMN	458 MY SONG IS LOVE UNKNOWN	LOVE UNKNOWN
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		JOHN 4:5-26, 39-42
SERMON ~ THE REV. SUSAN WALDRON, ASSOCIATE RECTOR		
,+ THE NICENE CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 328
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	SICUT CERVUS	PALESTRINA
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	DARKE	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	DARKE	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	343 SHEPHERD OF SOULS	ST. AGNES
COMMUNION MOTET	HIDE NOT THOU THY FACE FROM US, O LORD	RICHARD FARRANT
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
CLOSING PRAYER		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	690 GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH	CWM RHONDDA
POSTLUDE	O LAMB OF GOD, MOST HOLY	J. S. BACH

(+ All Standing)

IN THE TRADITIONAL OBSERVANCE OF LENT
THERE WILL NOT BE ANY FLOWERS OR GREENS PLACED ON ANY OF THE ALTARS

THE USHERS at the 8:30AM Service are Clark Daggett or Fred Lincoln and John Sterrett

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Sherry Bishko, Moses Kamya and Frank Spath

~ **Parish Notes** ~

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour after the 8:30AM and 10:30AM Services. All are welcome.

Newcomers: If you are interested in receiving more information about St. Peter's Church please feel free to call the church office or fill out an information card that is located in your pew. If you would like to be added to the church directory please call the church office.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: The women continue reading and discussing *Hearts of Fire: Eight Women of the Underground Church and their Stories of Costly Faith* on Tuesday afternoons from 3PM to 4PM in the Pumpelly Room.

CO-ED DISCOVERY BIBLE STUDY: This Co-Ed Bible Study continues to meet on Wednesday evenings from 6PM to 7PM in the Vestry room. Tea and coffee are served. All are welcome.

LENTEN EVENSONG: Fridays: March 24th, 31st and April 7th. Please join us for our Lenten Evensong services which are held every Friday evening during Lent beginning at 5:45PM. We invite you to conclude your work week with this opportunity for worship and reflection.

Easter Lily Requests: Parishioners and friends wishing to place lilies on the altar at Easter to honor, show thanks, or remember loved ones are asked to complete the enclosed form and return it to the church office with your donation no later than Palm Sunday, April 9th. Suggested donation is \$25.

SOUP SAMPLER SUNDAY: Next Sunday, March 26th, the Outreach Committee will be hosting a Soup Sampler. Cups and bowls of homemade soup will be for sale. The proceeds will benefit the Homeless Action Committee (serving the homeless in Albany, NY). If you are able to help by making soup, please contact Judy Burns at 441-7538. Thank you Judy for, again, coordinating this event.

The Last Supper: On Sunday, April 2nd during the 10:30AM service the Sunday School will reenact the Last Supper. This will include the story of Jesus and his disciples, washing of our feet and taking part in the Most Holy Bread and Wine (juice). Please come and take part in this wonderful activity. All are welcome to join.

Lenten Quiet Day: Lenten Quiet Day will be held on Sunday, April 2nd after church, co-led by Fr. Hartt and Mtr. Sue. Please join them in the 2nd floor Parish Hall for lunch immediately following the 10:30AM service and then a series of meditations in the sanctuary afterwards. The day will end (after Evening Prayer) at 3:30PM. Thank you to the Daughters for providing the luncheon items.

Easter Egg Coloring: On Sunday, April 9th the Sunday School children will be coloring Easter eggs during the 10:30AM service. Please allow them to dress in "old clothes" - but just in case, there will be a small number of smocks available. We hope all of the children will join in this fun event!

Hats Off to England: Our Annual Spring Tea will be held on Sunday, April 23rd in the Parish Hall immediately following the 10:30AM service. Each year this event raises funds for a worthy cause, with this year's proceeds to benefit the choir's trip to Chichester England this summer, hence our theme "Hats Off to England"! Please see Judy Burns if you can help donate sandwiches or baked items, or sponsor a gift basket for the raffle.

ART & VINTAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, May 19th and 20th. While you are spring cleaning in these next few months please keep this sale in mind as we welcome your donations of housewares, artwork, nice linens, collectibles, china, silver & other choice items. Donations may be dropped off at church starting May 1st. Pick up services are also available. Please contact Maria Holden at msholden1@aol.com or 755-5337 if you have any questions. All proceeds support the Choir's trip to Chichester Cathedral this summer. More information is listed in your March Cornerstone Newsletter. Other details to follow in the upcoming months.

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Morris Daly, Nancy Dennis, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, James Dykeman III, Mike Higgins, Liam, Luke, Doreen Johnson, Ashley Labib, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Melissa Mintz, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Vicky Pautler, Moriah, Barbara Richardson, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Denine White, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 3/21 ~ Mae Healy, Alex Reid; 3/23 ~ Jared Russom; 3/24 ~ Catherine Gabriels; 3/25 ~ Matthew Bender, Ariana Saffares

Anniversaries: 3/25 ~ James & Monica Barnes

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 19th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily
10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School, Child Care

Monday, March 20th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, March 21st

1:00PM Friends of St. Peter's
3:00PM Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, March 22nd

8:45AM Top of the Hill
12:05PM Noon Service
6:00PM Discovery Bible Study

Thursday, March 23rd

5:00PM - 6:30PM Treble Choir Rehearsal
5:30PM - 7:00PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

Friday, March 24th

12:30PM Organ Concert
5:45PM Lenten Evensong

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 9th:

Palm Sunday

8:30AM Holy Communion Service
10:30AM Choral Holy Communion Service

April 10th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 11th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 12th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 13th:

Maundy Thursday

7:30PM Holy Communion ~ Stripping of the Altar

April 14th:

Good Friday

12:00PM Liturgy

**1:00PM ~ *The Passion according to St. Matthew* by J. S. Bach
performed by The St. Peter's Choir with Chamber Orchestra**

April 15th:

Holy Saturday

8:00AM Service

11:00AM Egg Hunt at the Rectory

April 16th:

Easter Sunday

8:30AM and 10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Services