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St. Peter's Church

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*THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 11, 2016*



“Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it?”

(Luke 15:4)

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

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

10:30 A.M. ~ MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE **ALLEGRO (SONATA V)** **J. S. BACH**

+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN **410 PRAISE, MY SOUL, THE KING OF HEAVEN** **LAUDA ANIMA**

CHILDREN'S HOMILY

~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~

MORNING PRAYER ~ RITE ONE

CONFESSION OF SIN **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 41**

+ VENITE **CHANT S-4** **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44**

+ PSALM **PSALM 51:1-18**

THE FIRST LESSON **EXODUS 32:1, 7-14**

+ BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE **CHANT S-184** **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 49**

(CHILDREN LEAVE TO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL)

THE SECOND LESSON **LUKE 15:1-10**

+ JUBILATE DEO **C. V. STANFORD IN B** **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 45**

+ THE APOSTLES' CREED **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53**

THE PRAYERS AND GRACE **PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54**

+ SERMON HYMN **529 IN CHRIST THERE IS NO EAST OR WEST** **MCKEE**

SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR

OFFERTORY ANTHEM **LOCUS ISTE** **ANTON BRUCKNER**

+ DOXOLOGY AND VERSE 4 OF "AMERICA" **HYMN 380 ~ VERSE 3 AND HYMN 717 ~ VERSE 4**

CLOSING PRAYERS AND BENEDICTION

+ RECESSIONAL HYMN **423 IMMORTAL, INVISIBLE, GOD ONLY WISE** **ST. DENIO**

POSTLUDE **SCHERZO IN E** **EUGENE GIGOUT**

(+ All Standing)

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the **Glory of God**
and in memory of Leon Lincoln given by Fred Lincoln

THE USHERS at the 8:30AM Service are Bernie Burnell and John Davis

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are William Collins, Kevin Creagan, Jack Ratzel and Jeff Russom

~ **Parish Notes** ~

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

Coffee Hour Volunteers: Volunteers are needed for coffee hour following both the 8:30AM and 10:30AM services. To volunteer for coffee hour following the 10:30AM service please insert your name on the new sign-up board or call Carly Crewell at 956-4166. To volunteer for the 8:30AM coffee hour please contact Michele Vennard at 274-4989 or at m.vennard@albany.org. Help is always needed with set-up and clean up as well as volunteering to bake something.

Choir Open House: Come to the Choir Room today following the 10:30AM service for some refreshments, and learn more about the Choir and Music Program. Whether you might be interested in joining the choir, have a question about the music program, or just want to check out the Choir Room, you are invited to join us at our Open House.

CHOIR STARTUP: Regular choir rehearsals will resume this week on the following schedule: Mondays: 5PM to 6:15PM for Trebles, Thursdays: 5PM to 6:30PM for Trebles and 5:30PM to 7PM for the Adult Choristers, and Sundays: 9:30AM rehearsal for the 10:30AM service. We are in for an exciting and active musical season. We are eager to welcome new choristers to the choir and particularly urge boys and girls age 8 to grade 8 to join the Treble section of the choir. Please contact Neil Keen for more information at stpmus@gmail.com or at 339-0137.

Prayer Pretzels/Sunday School Registration: Today Sunday School registration will take place and the children will be busy making prayer pretzels. Please take a moment to stop upstairs to complete a registration card for your child(ren).

Blessing of the Backpacks: Today we invite the youth of St. Peter's to bring their backpacks to church to be blessed for the new school year. This will happen during the 10:30AM service.

Backpacks & Supplies for Back-to-School: Every year the Sunday School collects backpacks (new or lightly used) and back-to-school supplies to be donated to the children at Grace and Holy Innocents. Please pick up an extra backpack, notebook, pack of pens or pencils, loose leaf paper, or markers and place the items in the bushel baskets located in the Pumpelly Room or in the Sunday School rooms. Please have these supplies and backpacks to church by today, Sunday, September 11th as they will be delivered to Grace and Holy Innocents on Saturday, September 17th. Thank you for your support, your donations are greatly appreciated.

Outreach Committee and Vestry Meetings: These September meetings will be held this Tuesday, September 13th. Outreach Committee will meet at 4:30PM and Vestry will meet at 5:15PM.

ANGELS IN TRAINING: This month the Angels in Training will feed the homeless at Grace and Holy Innocents this Saturday, September 17th from 11AM to 1PM. We are in desperate need of helping hands! Please consider helping for these 2 hours and give back to those less fortunate.

Daughters of the King: The first DOK meeting this year will be held next Sunday, September 18th at 9:35AM in the vestry room. All Daughters, and women of the parish interested in learning about the Daughters, are invited to attend. We will be updating our prayer list and also developing plans for the next DOK Discernment Class and planning the Fall Prayer Walk.

Parish Picnic: The annual parish picnic will be held at The Rectory, 8 Loudon Heights South, next Sunday, September 18th following the 10:30AM service. Chicken, hot dogs, hamburgers and beverages will be provided. Please bring a dish to pass for the meal or a dessert. A free will offering will be taken with a suggested donation of \$10.00 per family.

YOUTH SUNDAY: Youth Sunday returns this month and will continue to be held on the last Sunday of each month. Please join us on Sunday, September 25th during the 10:30AM service for this service.

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

Birthdays: 9/11 ~ Claudia Bruno, George Saide; 9/12 ~ Kimberly Spath; 9/13 ~ Kevin Cehowski;
9/14 ~ Lesli Hardwick, Morgen Schupp, Clairanne Wengraf; 9/15 ~ Pat Shortall

Anniversaries: 9/14 ~ Harry & Nancy Guest; 9/17 ~ Clark & Carol Daggett

OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 5:00 PM
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, September 11th

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

Monday, September 12th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Rehearsal

Tuesday, September 13th

4:30PM Outreach Committee Meeting
5:15PM Vestry Meeting

Wednesday, September 14th

8:45AM Top of the Hill
12:05PM Holy Communion

Thursday, September 15th

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

Friday, September 16th

12:30PM Organ Concert

Saturday, September 17th

11:00AM - 1:00PM Angels in Training at Grace and Holy Innocents

First Holy Communion: Baptized individuals wishing to prepare to receive their First Holy Communion are invited to attend preparatory classes beginning Sunday, September 25th following the 10:30AM service. The group will meet for three consecutive weeks (9/25, 10/2, 10/9), and prepare to receive their First Holy Communion on All Saints Sunday, November 6th during the 10:30AM service. Please call the church office to let us know you (or your child) would like to take part in this class. For those seeking Holy Baptism, please speak to Fr. Hartt or Mother Sue.

Bible Symposium & Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham: This year's Bible Symposium will be on Saturday, September 24th from 9AM until 3PM at The Cathedral of All Saints, 62 South Swan Street, Albany, NY 12210. The speaker this year will be the Very Rev. Dr. John Behr, Dean and Professor of Patristics at St. Vladimirs Orthodox Seminary. The cost for the Bible Symposium is \$20, and you can register at brownpapertickets.com. Following the Bible Symposium, at 3PM, there will be an ecumenical celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham. Fr. John Behr will be preaching at this service. This celebration is free. No registration is required. All are invited to attend the service, whether you attend the Bible Symposium or not.