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THE LEAFLET

1712 St. Peter's Church 2020

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 15, 2020



The woman said to him, "Sir, you have no bucket, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water? Are you greater than our ancestor Jacob, who gave us the well, and with his sons and his flocks drank from it?" Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, but those who drink of the water that I will give them will never be thirsty. The water that I will give will become in them a spring of water gushing up to eternal life."

(John 4:11-14)

Thou art Peter & upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 15, 2020
8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY
10:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND SERMON
~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	PSALM PRELUDE, SET 1 No. 1	HERBERT HOWELLS
+ 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	<i>COLLEGIUM REGALE</i>	HERBERT HOWELLS
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		EXODUS 17:1-7
THE PSALM		PSALM 95:6-11
THE EPISTLE		ROMANS 5:1-11
+ HYMN	458 MY SONG IS LOVE UNKNOWN	LOVE UNKNOWN
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		JOHN 4:5-42
SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR		
+ THE NICENE CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 328
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	LIKE AS THE HART	HOWELLS
~ Children return from Sunday School ~		
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	HOWELLS	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	HOWELLS	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	332 O GOD, UNSEEN YET EVER NEAR	ST. FLAVIAN
COMMUNION MOTET	SICUT CERVUS	PALESTRINA
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
CLOSING PRAYER		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	690 GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH	CWM RHONDDA
POSTLUDE	CWM RHONDDA	PAUL MANZ

(+ 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 Robin LaPlante and John Sterrett

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Sherry Bishko, Moses Kamy 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.

LENTEN EVENSONG: Remaining Fridays: March 20th, 27th and April 3rd. 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.

Angels in Training: This month the Angels in Training will feed the homeless at Grace and Holy Innocents this Saturday, March 21st 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.

The Last Supper: On Sunday, March 29th 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). All are welcome to take part in this wonderful activity.

Easter Egg Coloring: On Sunday, April 5th 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!

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 5th. Suggested donation is \$25.

Chrism Mass: You are invited to attend the annual Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of All Saints on Monday, April 6th at 6PM. The clergy of the Diocese will re-affirm their ordination vows and Bishop Love will consecrate the chrism oil for our use during the coming year.

GOOD FRIDAY MUSIC: Our choir, accompanied by orchestra, will sing Bach's great *St. Matthew Passion* on Good Friday, April 10th at 1:15PM following the Noon liturgy. This Oratorio-Passion sets the biblical text of St. Matthew's Passion narrative, interspersed with hymns of the day and arias which set poetic commentary by Christian Friedrich Henrici (known as Picaner). Together they present a powerful telling of the story of Christ's Passion. There is no charge for admission, and listeners are welcome to enter and leave as their schedules permit.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt: All are welcome to join the Sunday School children on Saturday, April 11th for the annual St. Peter's Easter Egg Hunt. The festivities will begin at 11AM at the Rectory located at 8 Loudon Heights South, Loudonville, NY 12211. Please be sure to bring a basket and a friend!

PARISH SURVEY: We want to hear from you! The Vestry's Strategic Growth Committee has launched a parish survey to help us build on our strengths and build our congregation. Tell us what you love about St. Peter's Church and what you would like to see changed. The web version of the survey is available at: <http://survey.constantcontact.com/survey/a07eguoodxmk58979sd/start>. Or pick up a paper copy at the back of the Church, from your usher, or in the church office. Look for the paper version in your March newsletter. The deadline for survey responses is Friday, March 27th. We thank you for your time.

Please remember in your prayers: James Adams, Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Liam, The Rev. Thomas Burr, Inga Carpenter, Terry Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donna Hershey, Fred Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Gordon Lattey, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Vicky Pautler, Bill Purdy, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Moriah, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

Birthdays: 3/15 ~ Margaret Hartman; 3/16 ~ Bruce DiStefano; 3/21 ~ Mae Healy, Alex Reid

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 15th

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

Wednesday, March 18th

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

Thursday, March 19th

4:30PM - 6:30PM Treble Choir Rehearsal
 5:30PM - 7:00PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

Friday, March 20th

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

Saturday, March 21st

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

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 5th:

Palm Sunday
 8:30AM ~ Holy Communion Service
 10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Service

April 6th:

12:05PM ~ Noon Holy Communion

April 7th:

12:05PM ~ Noon Holy Communion

April 8th:

12:05PM ~ Noon Holy Communion

April 9th:

Maundy Thursday
 7:30PM Holy Communion ~ Stripping of the Altar

April 10th:

Good Friday
 12:00PM ~ Liturgy
 1:15PM ~ *The St. Matthew Passion* by J. S. Bach
 performed by The St. Peter's Choir with Chamber Orchestra

April 11th:

Holy Saturday
 8:00AM ~ Service
 11:00AM ~ Egg Hunt at the Rectory

April 12th:

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