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St. Peter's Church

2024

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THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
APRIL 28, 2024



*"Philip asked, 'Do you understand what you are reading?'
He replied, 'How can I, unless someone guides me?'"*

(Acts 8:30-31)

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER - APRIL 28, 2024

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

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

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE

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| + PROCESSIONAL HYMN | 460 ALLELUIA! SING TO JESUS | HYFRYDOL |
| | MORNING PRAYER ~ RITE ONE | |
| CONFESSION OF SIN | | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 41 |
| + INVITATORY ANTIPHON | Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed: O come, let us adore him. Alleluia. | |
| + VENITE | CHANT S-4 | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44 |
| + PSALM | | PSALM 66:1-8 |
| | ~ Children leave to go to Sunday School ~ | |
| THE FIRST LESSON | | ACTS 8:26-40 |
| + BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE | PLAINSONG WITH FAUXBOURDONS | HEALEY WILLAN |
| THE SECOND LESSON | | JOHN 14:15-21 |
| + JUBILATE DEO | JOHN FARRANT | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 45 |
| + THE APOSTLES' CREED | | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53 |
| THE PRAYERS | | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54 |
| COLLECT OF THE DAY | | SEE INSERT |
| COLLECTS | | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 56 |
| + SERMON HYMN | 510 COME, HOLY SPIRIT, HEAVENLY DOVE | SAINT AGNES |
| | SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, RECTOR | |
| OFFERTORY ANTHEM | IF YE LOVE ME | THOMAS TALLIS |
| + DOXOLOGY AND VERSE 4 OF "AMERICA" | HYMN 380 VERSE 3 AND HYMN 717 VERSE 4 | |
| THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING | | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 58 |
| CLOSING PRAYERS AND GRACE | | |
| + RECESSIONAL HYMN | 182 CHRIST IS ALIVE | TRURO |
| POSTLUDE | | |

(+ All Standing)

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the **Glory of God**
and in memory of Donald Cramer Martin
given by his wife Diana

THE FLOWERING OF THE PASCHAL CANDLE is given to the **Glory of God**
and in memory of our Pepa
given by Molly, Hannah and Henry

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Mark Lundberg and Michele Lundberg

THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER at the 10:30AM Service is Susan Smith

~ **Parish Notes** ~

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour after the 10:30AM service. 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.

Pledge Cards: Pledge cards for 2024 have been mailed out to all parishioners. If you did not receive a pledge card please call the church office. It would be greatly appreciated if you could please take a minute to complete your card and return it to the church office or place it in the offering plate during the service. Pledges can also be made on the St. Peter's website at www.stpeterschurchalbany.org by clicking on the "Get your pledge card" button. You may also call the church office and we would be more than happy to complete a card for you. Thank you to those that have promptly completed and returned their pledge card or pledged online.

Today's Organist and Choir Director: Our Assistant Music Director, Malcolm Moran, will be playing the organ and conducting the choir for the entire service today, including the prelude and postlude.

St. Peter's Scavenger Hunt and Pizza Party: Unfortunately, the Pizza Party and Scavenger Hunt that was rescheduled to today from last Sunday is being postponed again. We will let you know the new date when it is determined.

Crop Walk: Next Sunday, May 5th, St. Peter's is participating, yet again, in the John U. Miller Memorial CROP Hunger Walk in Albany, to be held Sunday, May 5, 2024. Albany's 2024 Walk will take place in person, departing at 1:30PM from St. Paul's Episcopal Church at 21 Hackett Blvd. in Albany, with registration beginning at 12:30PM. Please contact Maria Holden at msholden1@aol.com if you would like to join the St. Peter's team of walkers. If you prefer, you may walk in your own neighborhood any time during the month of May. To contribute to Albany's CROP Walk and support our team, please visit our new team web page at: <https://events.crophungerwalk.org/cropwalks/team/st-peters-episcopal-church-albany> CROP Hunger Walks are community-based walk events held in cities and towns across the US to raise funds to respond to hunger, poverty, displacement, and disaster around the globe. Twenty-five percent of the funds raised go to the host community to support local hunger fighting efforts. Hunger is one of the greatest injustices facing our world and our own community. Ending hunger is possible, and it is possible in our lifetime. Thank you for supporting the St. Peter's Team and CROP Walk 2024!

REGIONAL CONFIRMATION: Regional Confirmation will take place here at St. Peter's Church with the Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Jeremiah Williamson, on Thursday, May 16th at 7PM. St. Peter's Confirmands are Cole Cehowski, Nathan Douglas and Christopher Spath. All are invited to attend.

Archives Visits: The hours of the Church Archives are Wednesdays 9:30AM to 12:00PM (or other times as arranged). For an appointment call Connie Powell at (518)479-1318.

Beaver Cross: Beaver Cross Ministries is a ministry of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany and our mission is to Build Community in Christ. Located in Greenwich, NY Beaver Cross Ministries is a year round youth ministry program. For more information on **Sonshine Youth Retreats** and **Beaver Cross Day/Night Camp** please visit: www.beavercrossministries.org

Please remember in your prayers: Fred Buse, Inga Carpenter, Gina Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Anne deVos, Sonya, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donald Fahd, Pamela Gerfin, Donna Hershey, Fred Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Diana Martin, Kevin Mastro, Moriah, Liam, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Grant Ohlman, Donna Ohlman, Deej Patterson, Vicky Pautler, Bill Purdy, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Sherrell Smith, Susan Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Peggy Stieve, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Henry Tucker, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 4/28 ~ William Collins; 4/29 ~ Bill Chenot; 4/30 ~ Solomon Douglas; 5/1 ~ James Barnes; 5/3 ~ Mark Platek

OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 4:00 PM
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, April 28th

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

Wednesday, May 1st

12:00PM Holy Communion

Thursday, May 2nd

5:30PM - 7:00PM Full Choir Rehearsal

Schedule for St. Peter's Nine Days of Prayer

All members of our parish are invited to join in praying especially for these special intentions during our nine days of common prayer for 2024:

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| Day 1 | Friday, May 10th: | Pray for our World. |
| Day 2 | Saturday, May 11th: | Pray for Married people. |
| Day 3 | Sunday, May 12th: | Pray for the Departed and for Resurrection Hope. |
| Day 4 | Monday, May 13th: | Pray for those who Suffer and Those in any Trouble. |
| Day 5 | Tuesday, May 14th: | Pray for St. Peter's Church. |
| Day 6 | Wednesday, May 15th: | Pray for Single people and Children. |
| Day 7 | Thursday, May 16th: | Pray for the Universal Church, its members, and its mission. |
| Day 8 | Friday, May 17th: | Pray for the Nation and all in authority and service. |
| Day 9 | Saturday, May 18th: | Pray for the Coming of the Holy Spirit. |

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May God bless you for your generosity!**

