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St. Peter's Church

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THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
APRIL 17, 2016



*May the God of hope fill us with all joy and peace
in believing through the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

(Romans 15:13)

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER ~ APRIL 17, 2016
8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY
10:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION, BAPTISM AND SERMON
~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	PRELUDE ON ST. COLUMBA	HEALEY WILLAN
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	495 HAIL, THOU ONCE DESPISED JESUS	IN BABILONE
	CHILDREN'S HOMILY	
	~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~	
OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 299
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	HAROLD DARKE IN F	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		ACTS 13:15-16, 26-39
THE PSALM		PSALM 23
THE EPISTLE		REVELATION 7:9-17
+ HYMN	645 THE KING OF LOVE	ST. COLUMBA
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		JOHN 10:22-30
	SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR	
	THE PRESENTATION OF CADENCE AMELIA EVANS	
THE QUESTIONS OF THE PARENTS, THE GODPARENTS & THE CONGREGATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGES 302-303
THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT		PRAYER BOOK, PAGES 304-305
THE PRAYERS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGES 305-306
THE BLESSING OF THE WATER OF BAPTISM		PRAYER BOOK, PAGES 306-307
THE BAPTISM		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 307
PRAYERS, CHRISMATION & RECEPTION OF THE NEWLY BAPTIZED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 308
THE PEACE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 308
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	PSALM 23	FRANZ SCHUBERT
	~ Children return from Sunday School ~	
	HOLY COMMUNION	
EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER 1		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 333
+ 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	307 LORD, ENTHRONED IN HEAVENLY SPLENDOR	BRYN CALFARIA
COMMUNION MOTET	LEAD ME, LORD	S. S. WESLEY
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	708 SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US	SICILIAN MARINERS
POSTLUDE	TOCCATA IN G	THEODORE DUBOIS
	(+ALL STANDING)	

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the **Glory of God**
and in thanksgiving for today's baptism

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 Kamyra 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.

Spring Tea Cancelled: The Annual Spring Tea, originally scheduled for today, has been cancelled for this year, but will return in 2017.

Frozen Gourmet Fundraiser: The choir is embarking on a frozen gourmet fundraiser for their trip to Chichester in 2017. We are looking for donations of homemade foods such as casseroles, breads, soups, cookies, quiches, pies, hors d'oeuvres, stews, etc. (pre-frozen) that will be for sale to the congregation each Sunday during the coffee hour. Please label your donation with the ingredients, the number it will serve, heating instructions and a suggested price. Place in the freezer in the kitchen near the Pumpelly Room and let Diana Martin know of your donation. For sale today we have (2) lasagnas, (3) 1 qt. containers of vichyssoise, and 3 dozen snicker doodle cookies. Please see Diana Martin in the Pumpelly Room during coffee hour to make your purchases.

Organ Concert and Pre-Concert Reception: This Friday, April 22nd at 7:30PM, our former organ scholar and chorister, Vaughn Mauren, will perform a concert here at St. Peter's. Please join us at **6:30PM** for a special wine and cheese **Pre-Concert Reception** featuring Four Fat Fowl's St. Stephen, a handcrafted triple cream cheese, in the Pumpelly Room. Suggested donation for the evening events is \$20.

Regional Food Bank Volunteers: Volunteers are needed on Sunday, April 24th for the Regional Food Bank located off Route 7, on Albany Shaker Road. We need about 10 volunteers to help out from 1PM to 3PM. Please ask a friend to join us in helping the community. For more information, please call Laura Saffares at 368-4284.

St. Peter's Angels Softball Team: The Angels' 10th season begins next Sunday, April 24th. Games will still be played only on Sunday afternoons, and again this year they're part of the Empire State Sunday Softball League. Anyone interested in playing should contact Pete Benson at 269-1293. The game fields and schedule will be posted as soon as they are finalized.

Crop Walk: The 2016 Albany CROP Hunger Walk is on Sunday, May 1st at 1:30PM. CROP Hunger Walks help to support the overall ministry of Church World Service, especially grassroots, hunger-fighting development efforts around the world. CROP Hunger Walks also help to provide food and water, as well as resources that empower people to meet their own needs. Please think about joining and/or sponsoring the St. Peter's Team! It's a lot of fun and an amazing cause. If you would like a walker packet or would like to sponsor a St. Peter's walker, please see Maria Holden, our St. Peter's Recruiter. You can also register for the walk and/or donate to the St. Peter's Team on our team page at: <https://www.crophungerwalk.org/albanyny/Team/View/20068/St-Peters-Episcopal-Church>.

Ascension Day Evensong: Please join us as we celebrate the fullness of the Easter Season with Ascension Day Choral Evensong on Thursday, May 5th at 7:30PM.

National Day of Prayer: The Annual National Day of Prayer will be held on Thursday, May 5th. The Albany event takes place at The Cathedral of All Saints beginning with a Concert of Prayer at 11AM followed by a Government Prayer Service at 12PM. Please join us in prayer for our nation and its leaders. For more information please visit: praycapitalregion.org.

Youth Summer Camp: The 52nd year of Beaver Cross Ministries Overnight and Day Camp is presently receiving registrations. For more information and to register online please visit www.beavercrosscamps.org.

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Thomas Barquinero, 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, Bill Jeffery, 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: 4/17 ~ Claire Bender, Michael Moran; 4/18 ~ Terry Flannery; 4/20 ~ Michele Vennard; 4/22 ~ Laura Grill; 4/23 ~ Laura Saffares

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, April 17th

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

Monday, April 18th

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

Wednesday, April 20th

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

Thursday, April 21st

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

Friday, April 22nd

12:30PM Organ Concert
6:30PM Pre-Concert Wine and Cheese Reception
7:30PM Organ Concert featuring Vaughn Mauren

Fiber Tour and Book Sale: St. Mary's on-the-Hill, a part of The Sisters of St. Mary, will again be participating in the Washington County Fiber Tour this year. They invite everyone to visit the farm at 242 Cloister Way, Greenwich, NY 12834, overlooking Christ the King Spiritual Life Center, anytime on Saturday and Sunday, April 23rd and 24th, from 10AM until 4PM. See the Sisters' award-winning cashmere goats - with many newborn goat kids - and their new Great Pyrenees puppy. Shop in the sisters' sales tent, see cart goat demonstrations on Saturday, meet the youth of the newly formed Cashmere Kids 4-H Club, and more. The tour is free. The Sisters will also hold a Book Sale during the Tour Weekend of books culled from Barry House and convent libraries - including fiction, history, biography and secular titles as well as extra copies of theological books. The hours for the book sale are the same as those of the fiber tour.

Volunteers for the Fiber Tour: Volunteers are also needed during the Fiber Tour Weekend, Saturday, April 23rd and Sunday, April 24th, to help with tasks as varied as directing car traffic, helping in the Check-in Center and Sales Tent, giving chapel tours, and helping with the book sale. Please call (518)692-3028 to offer a couple of hours to help with the large number of persons who come to see the goats and may meet Christ for the first time through a chance encounter with you!

Field Goods Coupons: Any new, first-time customers wishing to sign-up for the **Field Goods** Fresh Foods Program can obtain a \$5 off coupon from the church office. Please see your monthly newsletter for more information on **Field Goods**.