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THE LEAFLET

1712 *St. Peter's Church* 2018

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*THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 16, 2018*

THEN HE ASKED THEM,

**“BUT WHO DO
YOU SAY I AM?”**

PETER REPLIED,

**“You are the
Messiah.”**

Mark 8:29

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

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

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

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	PRELUDE IN G	MENDELSSOHN
+ 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 ~		
+ OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	HERBERT SUMSION IN F	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		ISAIAH 50:4-9
THE PSALM		PSALM 116
THE EPISTLE		JAMES 2:1-5, 8-10, 14-18
+ HYMN	529 IN CHRIST THERE IS NO EAST OR WEST	MCKEE
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		MARK 8:27-38
SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR		
+ THE NICENE CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 328
THE GENERAL CONFSSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 330
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 332
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	HE, WATCHING OVER ISRAEL	MENDELSSOHN
~ Children return from Sunday School ~		
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	SUMSION	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	SUMSION	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	312 STRENGTHEN FOR SERVICE, LORD	MALABAR
COMMUNION MOTET	O LORD, INCREASE MY FAITH	LOOSEMORE
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	598 LORD CHRIST, WHEN FIRST THOU CAM'ST TO EARTH	MIT FREUDEN ZART
POSTLUDE	FUGUE IN G	MENDELSSOHN

(+ All Standing)

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the **Glory of God**
and in celebration of mothers, including Agnes R. Allen, Mary M. Schult, and Nancy B. Schult
given by Edith Allen

THE USHERS at the 8:30AM Service are Robin LaPlante 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.

Parish Picnic: Today immediately following the 10:30AM service the Annual Parish Picnic will be held at The Rectory, 8 Loudon Heights South, Loudonville, NY 12211. 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. Directions are located at the back of the church.

CHOIR STARTUP AND RECRUITMENT: Regular choir rehearsals began this past 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 Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Basses and Sundays: 9:30AM rehearsal for the 10:30AM service. We are eager to welcome boys and girls age 8 to grade 8 to join the Treble section of the choir. Please contact Neil Keen at (518)339-0137 for further information. There are also openings for singers of high school age and above.

BOOK AND BIBLE STUDY: Our Father Who Art in Heaven; Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς. Referencing Matthew 6:9-13 and *Abba: Meditations on the Lord's Prayer*, by Evelyn Underhill, Mother Sue invites you to join our Book and Bible Study on Tuesday evenings from 5PM To 6:30PM in the Vestry Room. This study will prove to enhance your understanding of the Lord's Prayer as well as deepen its spiritual significance in your life. Men and women of the parish are invited to join us. Books will be preordered; please reserve your copy as soon as possible. A donation of \$6.00 for the book is requested (with scholarships available), or you may order a Kindle copy directly from Amazon for \$.99. Other publications of Underhill's book may be used as well. This study begins this Tuesday, September 18th. For the full schedule, please refer to your September Newsletter.

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 30th during the 10:30AM service for this service.

ALPHA SERIES: Alpha is a series of sessions exploring the Christian faith, typically run over eleven weeks. Each talk looks at a different question around faith and is designed to create conversation. Alpha is run all over the globe, and everyone is welcome. St. Peter's will run the Alpha course formally in the spring. Fr. Hartt is looking for volunteers to experience the program in a somewhat accelerated form. You do not need to commit to being a discussion leader later. The talks are worthwhile in themselves. The first session will be on Wednesday, October 3rd at 6PM. If you are interested in Alpha, please let Fr. Hartt know. He will be happy to answer any questions and looks forward to being with you in experiencing Alpha.

Daughters of the King Fall Assembly: The Daughters of the King will hold their fall retreat on Saturday, October 13th from 9AM to 3:30PM at Christ the King Spiritual Life Center. The cost is \$25 including lunch. The theme: "In Your Presence there is fullness of Joy". The speaker and Celebrant will be Mother Christina Hunter. Questions: contact Jennifer Firth @ jennuz@aol.com. All women are invited to attend. Come learn more about the DOK or visit www.doknational.org.

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Abdu Aghzafi, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Georgia Sue Carlin, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nancy Dennis, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Liam, Missy, James Dykeman III, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Moriah, Bill Purdy, Barbara Richardson, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Denise Thomson, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

Birthdays: 9/17 ~ Maia Roberts; 9/20 ~ Vicky Pautler, Ashley Spath; 9/22 ~ Moses Kamyra, Mary Troiano

Anniversaries: 9/17 ~ Clark & Carol Daggett

OFFICE HOURS

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

Sunday, September 16th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily
10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School, Child Care
Annual Parish Picnic at The Rectory immediately following the 10:30AM service

Monday, September 17th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Rehearsal

Tuesday, September 18th

5:00PM Book & Bible Study

Wednesday, September 19th

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

Thursday, September 20th

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

Friday, September 21st

12:30PM Organ Concert

Transformed: An Inner Healing Conference w/Judith MacNutt:

October 19th & 20th. Christ the King Spiritual Life Center welcomes Judith MacNutt from Christian Healing Ministries as the keynote speaker for a conference dedicated to the transforming power of Jesus Christ. The conference begins Friday evening, October 19th (7PM to 9PM) and continues on Saturday, October 20th (9AM to 4PM) and includes a Healing Service at 2:30PM on Saturday afternoon. For more information (including the full schedule, to register for the conference and to make a dinner reservation) please visit: http://ctkcenter.org/page/transformed_inner_healing_conference_wjudith_macnutt

LIVE AT THE TIMES UNION: Mother Sue invites the women of the church to join us for Beth Moore's Living Proof Live at the Times Union Center in Albany on October 26, 2018 (5:00PM) and October 27, 2018 (8:30AM). The cost is \$79.00 per person unless we have a group of 10 or more (then price lowers to \$59.00 per person). Those who would like to stay afterwards may join us for a group lunch on Saturday afternoon. Please let Mother Sue know of your interest by 9/30/18. More information can be found at: <https://www.lifeway.com/en/events/living-proof-live/living-proof-live-albany>