

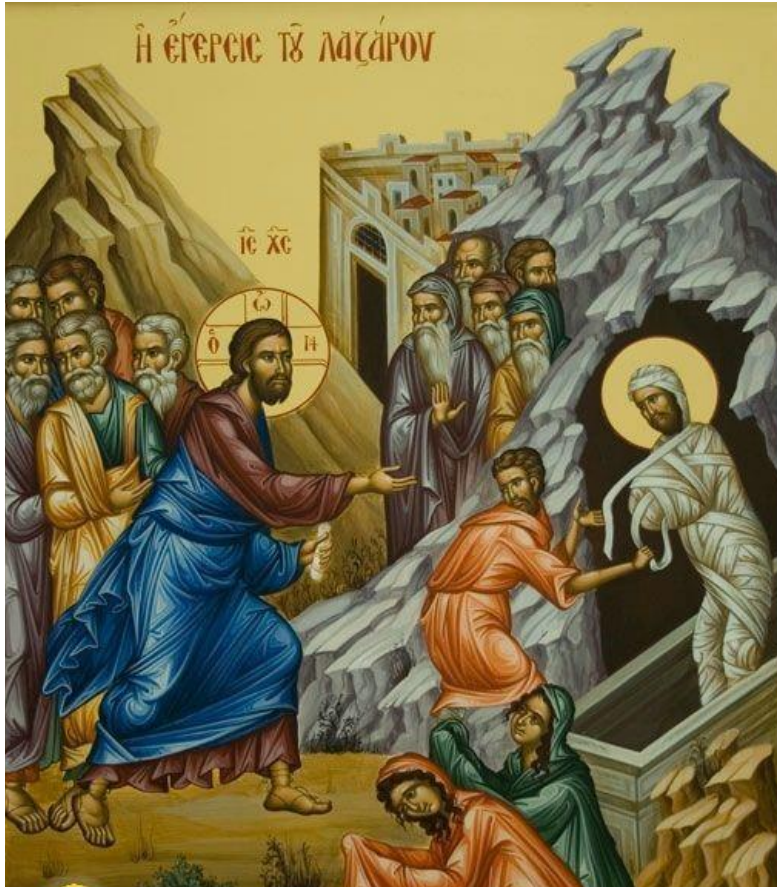
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THE LEAFLET

1712 St. Peter's Church 2020

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THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 29, 2020



Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

(John 11:44)

Thou art Peter & upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 29, 2020
8:30 A.M. SERVICE ~ SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
10:30 A.M. SERVICE ~ SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
~ Sunday School and Child Care are Suspended until Further Notice ~

PRELUDE

+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN

+ PENITENTIAL ORDER *Celebrant:* **Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins.**
People: **His mercy endureth for ever.**

THE DECALOGUE

PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 317

GENERAL CONFESSION

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ABSOLUTION

PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 321

+ KYRIE ELEISON

PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324

COLLECT OF THE DAY

SEE INSERT

FIRST LESSON

EZEKIEL 37:1-14

PSALM

PSALM 130

THE EPISTLE

ROMANS 6:16-23

+ THE HOLY GOSPEL

JOHN 11:1-44

SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR

+ THE NICENE CREED

PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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THE PEACE

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OFFERTORY HYMN

SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS

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PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

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AGNUS DEI

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PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

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CLOSING PRAYER

+ RECESSIONAL HYMN

(+ All Standing)

***IN THE TRADITIONAL OBSERVANCE OF LENT
THERE WILL NOT BE ANY FLOWERS OR GREENS PLACED ON ANY OF THE ALTARS***

ALL CHURCH SERVICES ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

~ Parish Notes ~

Governor's Mandate 3/20/20: Due to the new public health mandates, we have closed both the Church Office and the Church until the restrictions are lifted. The closure began at the close of business on Friday, March 20th. The parish answering machine continues to be checked daily for pastoral emergencies. Please continue to check the St. Peter's Website and Facebook Page for updates. May the Lord protect and keep you, Fr. Hartt+

Newcomers: If you are interested in receiving more information about St. Peter's Church or if you would like to be added to the church directory please feel free to call the church office.

Lectionary Readings: Today's Lectionary Insert was mailed out to all parishioners and is also available on the church's website at: www.stpeterschurchalbany.org. Click on "Info Center", and then "Readings" and then today's date.

Morning and Evening Prayer Videos: Please visit the St. Peter's Facebook page for a daily Morning Prayer video with Mtr. Sue and a daily Evening Prayer video with Fr. Hartt. You can also access the church's Facebook Page through the St. Peter's website's home page.

Prayer Book and Bible at Home. Family Devotions are a great comfort. Our Tradition encourages the use of the Prayer Book and Bible in this way. The Service of Morning Prayer begins on page 41. You can also go online to hear a spoken Daily Office at: <https://www.missionstclare.com/english/spoken/spoken.html>

WEBCAST SERVICES: The Episcopal Diocese of Albany webcasts a Sunday Service of Holy Communion with Sermon. Please access these services from the Diocese at <https://albanyepiscopaldiocese.org/> Please scroll down to the section called "MEDIA" and click on "Worship Video" for the particular date.

Resources for Home Worship: The Episcopal Diocese wants to encourage you to worship from home while this health crisis unfolds and to do so they have compiled a resource list for you. By no means does this list provide all available resources, but it does give you a number of options to guide you in your home worship. You may also reach out to your parish clergy for ideas and suggestions. These resources can be found on the Albany Diocese's website at: <https://albanyepiscopaldiocese.org/worship-resources-during-covid-19-pandemic/>

LENTEN EVENSONG: The remaining Lenten Evensong service has been cancelled.

The Last Supper: The Last Supper for the Sunday School children, originally scheduled for today, is cancelled.

Easter Egg Coloring: We will keep you updated as to whether or not the Easter Egg Coloring will take place next Sunday, April 5th.

Easter Lily Requests: Due to the uncertainty of our Easter Sunday Services taking place, we are no longer accepting Easter Lily requests and donations. Should it be determined that we will remain closed through Easter Sunday, we will return all checks to those that have sent in donations, unless otherwise indicated.

Chrism Mass: The Chrism Mass originally scheduled for Monday, April 6th at 6PM has been cancelled.

GOOD FRIDAY MUSIC: Tentatively, 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 Picander). 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: Tentatively, 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: Thank you to all those that completed the parish survey.

Please remember in your prayers: James Adams, Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Liam, Fred Buse, The Rev. Thomas Burr, Inga Carpenter, Terry Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Moriah, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donna 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, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

Birthdays: 3/29 ~ Kathryn Ehrhardt; 3/30 ~ Clark Daggett, Bailey LaPlante; 4/1 ~ Robin Pugliese;
4/2 ~ Matthew Clark, Ted Jennings, Nancy McKenna

Anniversaries: 3/29 ~ Jim & Barbara Adams

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 29th

No Church Services, Sunday School, or Child Care

Wednesday, April 1st

No Top of the Hill
No Holy Communion Noon Service

Thursday, April 2nd

No Choir Rehearsals

Friday, April 3rd

No Organ Concert
No Lenten Evensong

TENTATIVE 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