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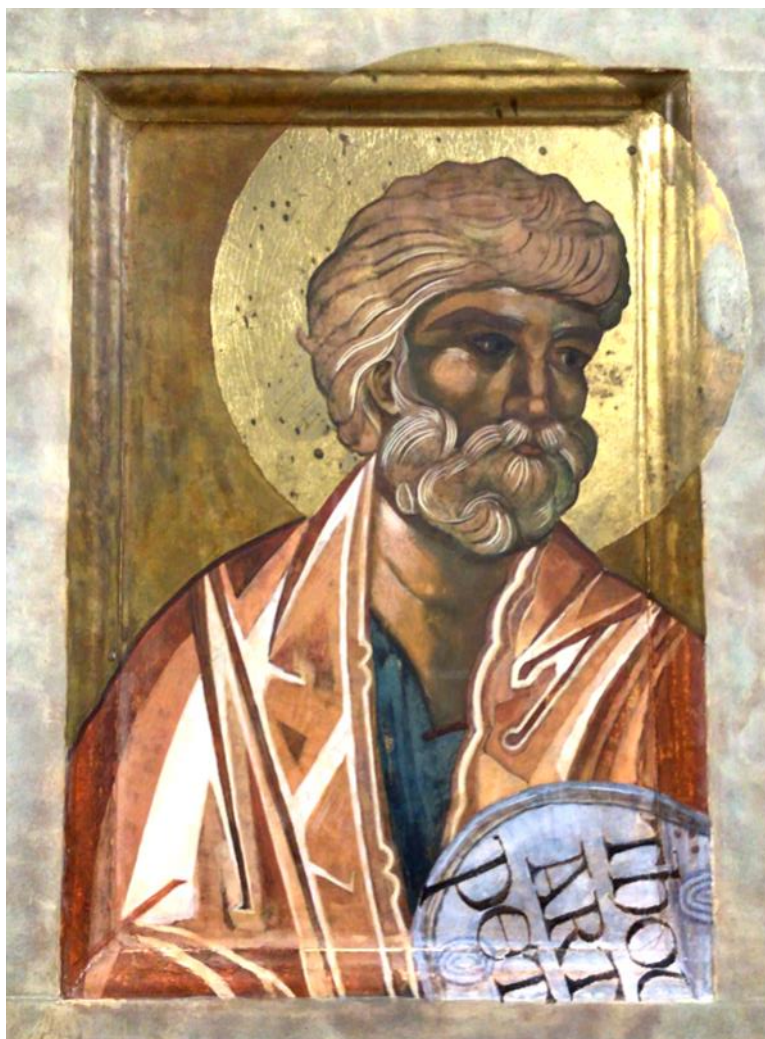
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St. Peter's Church

2024

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*THE CONFESSION OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE
JANUARY 21, 2024*



Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

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

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~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	ANDANTE, OP. 4, NO. 4	G. F. HANDEL
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	518 CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE FOUNDATION	WESTMINSTER ABBEY
OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	HAROLD DARKE IN F	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		ACTS 4:8-13
THE PSALM		PSALM 23
THE EPISTLE		1 PETER 5:1-4
+ HYMN	231 BY ALL YOUR SAINTS STILL STRIVING <i>(verse 2 is found on the next page ~ see Confession of St. Peter)</i>	KING'S LYNN
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		MATTHEW 16:13-19
	SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, RECTOR	
+ THE NICENE CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 327
THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 328
THE GENERAL CONFESSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 330
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 332
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	TU ES PETRUS	HANS-LEO HASSLER
	~ Children return from Sunday School ~	
+ 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	321 MY GOD, THY TABLE NOW IS SPREAD	ROCKINGHAM
COMMUNION MOTET	OS JUSTI	ANTON BRUCKNER
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	525 THE CHURCH'S ONE FOUNDATION	AURELIA
POSTLUDE	FUGUE IN C MAJOR, BWV 545	J. S. BACH

(+ All Standing)

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

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are John Davis, Robin LaPlante and Samuel Hartt
THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER at the 10:30AM Service is Mark Lundberg

~ **Parish Notes** ~

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour in the Pumpelly Room 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. 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.

Confirmation Classes: Confirmation classes continue every Sunday morning at 9:30AM to prepare interested parishioners for Confirmation, which is "the rite in which we express a mature commitment to Christ, and receive strength from the Holy Spirit through prayer and the laying on of hands by a bishop" (BCP, page 860). Regional Confirmation is scheduled for Thursday, May 16, 2024 here at St. Peter's Church. Candidates for Confirmation must be baptized and aged at least 13 by that date. Alternative preparation times could be arranged, and adults are welcome. For more information, reach out to Mtr. Christina in person or email her at: [**priest@stpeterschurchalbany.org**](mailto:priest@stpeterschurchalbany.org)

Annual Parish Meeting: On Sunday, January 28th the Annual Parish Meeting will be held immediately following the 10:30AM service. Food will be available and the singing of hymns will be added to this year's meeting.

Prayer Service: On Friday, February 2nd at 5PM there will be a service of prayers and meditation, including a candlelit procession, to celebrate The Presentation of Jesus Christ our Lord in the Temple. The said service will be held in St. Mark's Chapel. All are welcome to attend.

SHROVE TUESDAY: Our annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper will be held on Tuesday, February 13th from 5PM to 6:30PM. Volunteers are needed to cook and should arrive by 4PM. Many other volunteers are needed for clean-up so that the Parish Hall can be ready by 7PM for the arrival of the men from the Overflow Shelter. If you have any questions or are volunteering to cook, please contact Janice Chenot at (518)786-1070.

Vestry Nominations:

The Vestry has nominated the following parish members to serve on the Vestry:

Jim Chenot will be running for his 3rd two-year term as Sr. Warden. He is running to fill his present seat.

Maria Holden is running for her 2nd three-year vestry term. She is running to fill her present seat.

Christie Gordon will be running for her 1st three-year vestry term.
She is running to fill the seat formerly held by Malcolm Moran who stepped down
as he can no longer serve on the vestry as he is now a paid employee of the church.

William O. Pettit, III will be running for his 1st three-year vestry term.
He is running to fill the seat formerly held by Ashley Closson.

Other nominations must be submitted to the church office in writing
by Wednesday, January 24th in order to appear on the ballot.

Please remember in your prayers: Mari Bennett, Fred Buse, Inga Carpenter, Gina Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Anne deVos, Liam, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donald Fahd, Donna Hershey, Fred Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Diana Martin, Kevin Mastro, Moriah, Ed Murphy, Sonya, 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, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 1/21 ~ Cathy Connors; 1/22 ~ Ava Cehowski; 1/24 ~ Laura Stedman; 1/25 ~ Annette Panzironi; 1/27 ~ Arlene Moran

Anniversaries: 1/22 ~ Gavin & Jennifer Clark

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Deborah Spath.....Jr. Warden
George Scala.....Treasurer
Christie Gordon.....Clerk

Pete Benson, Ashley Closson,
Sharon DeBonis, Samuel Hartt,
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Mark Lundberg, and Jeff Russom

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DIOCESE OF ALBANY**

The Rev. Jeremiah Williamson,
Bishop Elect

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, January 21st ~ *The Confession of St. Peter the Apostle (transferred)*

8:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon
9:30AM Confirmation Class
10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School and Child Care

Wednesday, January 24th

12:05PM Noonday Prayer
12:30PM Lectionary Lunch

Thursday, January 25th

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

ANNUAL MEETING SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 28TH

Child care will be available during the Meeting.

9:20AM: Polls Open (at the conclusion of the 8:30AM Eucharist)
Annual Reports Available (beginning at 9:30AM)

11:45AM: Tea and Sandwiches available
(at the conclusion of the 10:30AM service).

12:00PM: First Hymn
Priest’s Annual Address

12:15PM: Polls Cklose
Second Hymn
Treasurer’s Report

12:30PM: Third Hymn
Senior Warden welcomes questions/comments
from parishioners

12:45PM: Fourth Hymn
Election Results
Bishop’s Consecration Winners
Blessing and Adjournment
Closing Hymn

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