

will build my Church





St. Peter's Church 1712 2017

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THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST JULY 16, 2017



"So shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and succeed in the thing for which I sent it". Thus says the Lord.





THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ JULY 16, 2017 8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY 10:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND SERMON

~ Summer Sunday School and Child Care ~

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Prelude	LIEBSTER JESU, WIR SIND HIER	J. S. BACH							
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	388 O WORSHIP THE KING	HANOVER							
+ OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323							
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	S-202	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324							
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT							
THE FIRST LESSON		Isaiah 55:1-5, 10-13							
THE PSALM		PSALM 65:9-14							
THE EPISTLE		ROMANS 8:9-17							
+ HYMN	632 O CHRIST, THE WORD INCARNATE	MUNICH							
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		МАТТНЕМ 13:1-9, 18-23							
SERMON ~ THE REV. SUSAN WALDRON, ASSOCIATE 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	MAGNIFICAT	HENRY LOOSEMORE							
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	S-114	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334							
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334							
AGNUS DEI	S-158	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337							
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337							
COMMUNION HYMN	440 Blessed Jesus, at thy word	LIEBSTER JESU							
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339							
THE BLESSING									
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	376 JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE	HYMN TO JOY							
POSTLUDE	PRELUDE IN E MINOR (played by Silas Strich)	J. S. BACH							

+ (All Standing)

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the Glory of God and in memory of my father, Augustine O. Allen given by Edith Allen

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 Kamya and Frank Spath

~ Parish Notes ~

Coffee Hour: For the summer months coffee hour will not be held after the 8:30AM service, but all are welcome to join us for coffee hour after the 10:30AM service. The 8:30AM coffee hour will resume in the fall.

Coffee Hour Volunteers: New coffee hour volunteers are always welcome to join us in this stewardship program that is so appreciated by our members. Anyone interested in helping with the 8:30AM coffee hour can contact Michele Vennard at mvennard@albany.org or at 518-274-4989. Those interested in helping with the 10:30AM coffee hour may sign-up on the easel located at the entrance to the Pumpelly room.

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.

Child Care/Sunday School: Child care and summer Sunday School will continue all summer. Please bring the children upstairs to the air conditioned rooms for a short lesson and a snack.

Summer Choir: Members of the parish are invited to join the summer choir. They rehearse on Sunday mornings at 9:45AM to prepare music for the 10:30AM service. No previous experience is required, but the ability to follow music notation is helpful. Contact organist Neil Keen through the church office for more information.

Friday Noontime Concerts: St. Peter's Friday Organ Concerts will not be offered during the summer months but will resume in September.

Friends of St. Peter's: The Friends of St. Peter's meet on Tuesdays at 1PM in the Pumpelly Room for "chit-chat" while they visit with each other and enjoy light refreshments. Feel free to come and spend some "chit-chat" time with them. For more information, please call Carly Crewell at (518) 956-4166.

England Choir Tour: This Thursday, July 20th a bus will depart from St. Peter's Church, taking 35 members of our choir, along with some family members, to begin the trip to England. After a weekend in the London area, we will head to Chichester for a week's residency at the cathedral there. We will be taking on the duties of the cathedral choir, singing daily evensong services and three services on Sunday, July 30th. Although the music schedule is intense, we will have the opportunity to visit sites in London, Windsor, Portsmouth, Brighton and the Isle of Wight. We return on the evening of Monday, July 31st. The Choir is excited about our trip and are very grateful for the support of the parish which makes such an experience possible. We are especially grateful to be able to offer this experience to the young people in our choir. We will do our best to represent St. Peter's Church well.

Women's Retreat: Do you ever need encouragement? Are you constantly critiquing yourself for your mistakes? Do you look like you've got it all together, while inside you're a wreck? Then come to the Healing a Woman's Soul (HAWS) women's retreat entitled *I'm OK and I'm on the way* being held on **September 8th & 9th**, where you will get help to heal from emotional abuse. The retreat is overnight Friday through Saturday after supper. The retreat will explore God's vision for healing the brokenhearted. The retreat will be held at the Dominican Retreat Center. Light refreshments will be offered Friday night. Cost is \$120 per person, and limited scholarships are available. Please call (518) 439-8574 or contact the HAWS office at 68 S. Swan St., Albany, NY 12210.

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Morris Daly, Nancy Dennis, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, James Dykeman III, Moriah, Christie Gordon, Liam, Mike Higgins, Doreen Johnson, Ashley Labib, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Melissa Mintz, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Luke, Vicky Pautler, Barbara Richardson, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Denise Thomson, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Denine White, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 7/16 ~ David Pugliese; 7/17 ~ Sharon DeBonis, Neil Keen, Judith McIlduff; 7/19 ~ Kevin Cehowski, Jordan Chenot; 7/20 ~ Donna Hershey; 7/21 ~ Katherine Massie; 7/22 ~ James Adams III, Katie Baltich

Anniversaries: 7/16 ~ Bruce DiStefano & Sarah Elmendorf

OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 am ~ 5:00 pm Telephone: 518-434-3502 Fax: 518-462-4419

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, July 16th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily

10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Summer Sunday School, Child Care

Tuesday, July 18th

1:00PM Friends of St. Peter's

Wednesday, July 19th

8:45AM Top of the Hill

12:05PM Holy Communion

Thursday, July 20th 11:00AM The choir leaves for England

The Angels played a double header last Sunday and won both games. They now stand at 6 wins and 2 losses. Today they play at 6PM at Mullen's Park.

2017 ST. PETER'S ANGELS SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

April 23rd	Sunday	4:30PM	@	Mullen's	Won	20-0
April 30th	Sunday	1:30PM	@	Mullen's	Lost	12-7
May 21st	Sunday	12:00PM	@	Mullen's	Won	14-13
June 4th	Sunday	4:30PM	@	Fireman's	Won	21-1
June 11th	Sunday	3:00PM	@	Fireman's	Lost	15-10
June 11th	Sunday	4:30PM	@	Fireman's	Won	14-4
July 9th	Sunday	12:00PM	@	Mullen's	Won	26-6
July 9th	Sunday	1:30PM	@	Mullen's	Won	21-6
July 16th	Sunday	6:00PM	@	Mullen's	(Tops in Bottoms)	
July 23rd	Sunday	6:00PM	@	Mullen's	(518 E	Ballers)

Games will be played at either Mullen's Park located at 35 North First Street, Albany, NY 12204, Ridgefield Park located at 316 Partridge Street, Albany, NY 12208 or at Fireman's Field located at 20 Moore Street, Albany, NY 12202. Directions are available on the website. Please type in your browser http://www.softball-24-7.com/ESS-SundaySoftball/. On the website, we are listed as St. Peter's Angels. To check on rainouts call 269-1293.