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THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST AUGUST 6, 2017



"Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem."

(Luke 9:28-31)





THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ~ AUGUST 6, 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	Arioso	J. S. BACH
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	137 O WONDROUS TYPE! O VISION FAIR	WAREHAM
+ OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	S-202	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		Exodus 34:29-35
THE PSALM		PSALM 99:5-9
THE EPISTLE		2 PETER 1:13-21
+ HYMN	7 CHRIST, WHOSE GLORY FILLS THE SKIES	RATISBON
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		LUKE 9:28-36
	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 CONFESSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 330
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 332
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	LAUDATE NOMEN DOMINI	CHRISTOPHER TYE
+ 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	383 FAIREST LORD JESUS	ST. ELIZABETH
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	616 HAIL TO THE LORD'S ANOINTED	WOODBIRD
POSTLUDE	FANTASIA	J. PACHELBEL
	(+ 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 8:30AM Service are Clark Daggett and Fred Lincoln
THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Sharon DeBonis, Julie Hotmer Drao, George Saide and Catherine Schunk

~ 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.

Guest Organist: Today we welcome back Bill Moll as our guest organist. Bill will be here through Sunday, August 27th while Neil is taking some much needed vacation time.

Daughters of the King: The August DOK meeting will be held next Sunday, August 13th in the Vestry room immediately following the 10:30AM service.

ST. PETER'S ANGELS: Last Sunday the Angels played back to back games in round 2 of the semi-finals. They won both games against Viper with final scores of 16-4 and 12-6 and have advanced to the finals. Today they play at 4:30PM at Ridgefield Park. They will play whichever team wins the 3PM game (either Tops in Bottoms or the Eagles). We hope you will come out and cheer them on.

ANGELS IN TRAINING: This month the Angels in Training will feed the homeless at Grace and Holy Innocents on Saturday, August 19th from 11AM to 1PM. We are in desperate need of helping hands! Please consider helping for these 2 hours and give back to those less fortunate.

Backpacks & Supplies for Back-to-School: Every year the Sunday School collects backpacks (new or lightly used) and back-to-school supplies to be donated to the children at Grace and Holy Innocents. Please pick up an extra backpack, notebook, pack of pens or pencils, loose leaf paper, or markers and place the items in the bushel baskets located in the Pumpelly Room or in the Sunday School rooms. These supplies and backpacks will be delivered to Grace and Holy Innocents on Saturday, September 16th. Thank you for your support, your donations are greatly appreciated.

Prayer Pretzels/Sunday School Registration: On Sunday, September 17th Sunday School registration will take place and the children will be busy making prayer pretzels. Please take a moment to stop upstairs to complete a registration card for your child(ren).

Parish Picnic: The annual parish picnic will be held at The Rectory, 8 Loudon Heights South, on Sunday, September 24th following the 10:30AM service. 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.

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: 8/7 ~ Diana Martin, Raymond Phoenix, Molly Russom, Hannah Tucker; 8/8 ~ Mary Bon; 8/9 ~ John Smithies: 8/11 ~ Doris P. Fischer-Malesardi

Anniversaries: 8/6 ~ Bill & Gina Chenot

OFFICE HOURS

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

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William Love, Bishop Daniel Herzog, Bishop

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, August 6th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily

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

Tuesday, August 8th

1:00PM Friends of St. Peter's

Wednesday, August 9th 8:45AM Top of the Hill

12:05PM Holy Communion

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 broken-hearted. 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.

Bible Symposium & Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham: The Bible Symposium for 2017 will be held on Saturday, October 14th at The Cathedral of All Saints, 62 S. Swan Street, Albany NY 12210. The speaker this year is The Rev. Dr. Michael Cover, an Episcopal priest and Assistant Professor of Ancient Christianity and Judaism at Marquette University, and a frequent contributor to The Living Church. The title of Fr. Cover's presentation is Not as Orphans: Praying and Preaching with the Saints of Scripture. Doors will open at 8:30AM. The presentation will begin at 9AM and end at 2:30PM. The cost for the day is \$20. Coffee and pastries in the morning and lunch are included. Come and listen to a respected scholar help us understand the Scriptures! Following the Bible Symposium, at **3PM** there will be an ecumenical celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham. The celebration will be a service of prayer and healing. The Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham in England draws pilgrims from many different Christian traditions. It is a place of both physical and spiritual healing. This festival is an opportunity for Christians of all traditions to come together and celebrate the unity we share in Christ Jesus, and to experience healing of our own wounds, as well as wounds of division in the Body of Christ. This celebration is free. No registration is required. All are invited to attend the service, whether you attend the Bible Symposium or not.