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THE LEAFLET

1712 St. Peter's Church 2019

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 24, 2019



The Parable of the Fig Tree

Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 24, 2019
8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY
10:30 A.M. ~ MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON
~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	AN WASSERFLUSSEN BABYLON, BWV 653	J. S. BACH
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	387 WE SING OF GOD, THE MIGHTY SOURCE	MAGDALEN COLLEGE
CHILDREN'S HOMILY		
~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~		
+ PENITENTIAL ORDER: RITE ONE	<i>Celebrant:</i> Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins; <i>People:</i> His mercy endureth for ever.	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 319
THE DECALOGUE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 317
GENERAL CONFESSION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 320
ABSOLUTION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 321
+ INVITATORY ANTIPHON	The Lord is full of compassion and mercy; O come, let us adore him.	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 43
+ VENITE	CHANT S-5	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44
+ PSALM		PSALM 103:1-11
THE FIRST LESSON		1 CORINTHIANS 10:1-13
~ THE CHILDREN LEAVE TO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL ~		
+ BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE	PLAINSONG WITH FAUXBOURDONS	N. KEEN
THE SECOND LESSON		LUKE 13:1-9
+ BENEDICTUS	CHANT S-193	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 50
+ THE APOSTLES' CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53
THE PRAYERS AND GRACE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54
+ SERMON HYMN	669 COMMIT THOU ALL THAT GRIEVES THEE	PASSION CHORALE
SERMON ~ THE REV. SUSAN WALDRON, ASSOCIATE RECTOR		
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	SICUT CERVUS	PALESTRINA
+ DOXOLOGY	HYMN 380 ~ VERSE 3	
CLOSING PRAYER		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	699 JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL	ABERYSTWYTH
POSTLUDE	O LAMM GOTTES UNSCHULDIG, BWV 656	J. S. BACH

(+ All Standing)

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

THE USHER at the 8:30AM Service is Fred Lincoln

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Chris Grill, Mark Lundberg and Michele Lundberg

~ **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.

ALPHA COURSE: The Alpha Course 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 spring Alpha Course continues to meet every Wednesday evening from 6PM to 7:30PM in the Pumpelly Room. The course will run through May 29th. We hope you will consider joining us.

LENTEN EVENSONG: Remaining Fridays: March 29th, April 5th and 12th. Please join us for our Lenten Evensong services which are held every Friday evening during Lent beginning at 5:45PM. We invite you to conclude your work week with this opportunity for worship and reflection.

The Last Supper: On Sunday, April 7th during the 10:30AM service the Sunday School will reenact the Last Supper. This will include the story of Jesus and his disciples, washing of our feet and taking part in the Most Holy Bread and Wine (juice). All are welcome to take part in this wonderful activity.

Easter Egg Coloring: On Sunday, April 14th the Sunday School children will be coloring Easter eggs during the 10:30AM service. Please allow them to dress in "old clothes" - but just in case, there will be a small number of smocks available. We hope all of the children will join in this fun event!

Easter Lily Requests: Parishioners and friends wishing to place lilies on the altar at Easter to honor, show thanks, or remember loved ones are asked to complete the enclosed form and return it to the church office with your donation no later than Palm Sunday, April 14th. Suggested donation is \$25.

Chrism Mass: You are invited to attend the annual Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of All Saints on Monday, April 15th at 6PM. The clergy of the Diocese will re-affirm their ordination vows and Bishop Love will consecrate the chrism oil for our use during the coming year.

GOOD FRIDAY MUSIC: Following the Noon service on Good Friday, April 19th, the choir will sing the *Brockes Passion* by G. F. Handel, accompanied by a chamber orchestra. The full title of *Brockes Passion* is *Der für die Sünde der Welt gemarterte und sterbende Jesus* ("The Story of Jesus, Suffering and Dying for the Sins of the World"). The Choir will sing an English language version of the Brockes Passion, edited to fit the context of our Good Friday observance.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt: All are welcome to join the Sunday School children on Saturday, April 20th 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!

Annual Spring Tea: Our Annual Spring Tea will be held on Sunday, April 28th in the Parish Hall immediately following the 10:30AM service. Each year this event raises funds for a worthy cause, with this year's proceeds to benefit the Beaver Cross Summer Camp Scholarship Program. Please see Judy Burns if you can help donate sandwiches or baked items, or sponsor a gift basket for the raffle.

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

Birthdays: 3/24 ~ Catherine Gabriels; 3/25 ~ Ariana Saffares; 3/27 ~ Emma Marlay-Wright; 3/28 ~ Jennifer Powell;
3/29 ~ Kathryn Ehrhardt; 3/30 ~ Clark Daggett, Bailey LaPlante

Anniversaries: 3/25 ~ James & Monica Barnes; 3/29 ~ Jim & Barbara Adams

OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 5:00 PM

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 24th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily

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

Monday, March 25th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Make-up Rehearsal

Wednesday, March 27th

8:45AM Top of the Hill

12:05PM Holy Communion

6:00PM Alpha Course

Thursday, March 28th

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

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

Friday, March 29th

12:30PM Organ Concert

5:45PM Lenten Evensong

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 14th:

Palm Sunday

8:30AM Holy Communion Service

10:30AM Choral Holy Communion Service

April 15th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 16th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 17th:

12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

April 18th:

Maundy Thursday

7:30PM Holy Communion ~ Stripping of the Altar

April 19th:

Good Friday

12:00PM Liturgy

1:15PM ~ *The Passion of Christ* by G. F. Handel

performed by The St. Peter's Choir with Chamber Orchestra

April 20th:

Holy Saturday

8:00AM Service

11:00AM Egg Hunt at the Rectory

April 21st:

Easter Sunday

8:30AM and 10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Services