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St. Peter's Church

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*THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
SEPTEMBER 8, 2019*

# The Cost of Discipleship

Luke 14:25-35



Thou art Peter and upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

**THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ SEPTEMBER 8, 2019**

**8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY**

**10:30 A.M. ~ MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON**

**~ Sunday School and Child Care ~**

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**PRELUDE**

**FANTASIE IN E-FLAT (CON MOTO)**

**C. SAINT-SAËNS**

**+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN**

**408 SING PRAISE TO GOD WHO REIGNS ABOVE**

**MIT FREUDEN ZART**

**CHILDREN'S HOMILY**

**~ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily ~**

**MORNING PRAYER ~ RITE ONE**

**CONFESSION OF SIN**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 41**

**+ VENITE**

**CHANT S-4**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44**

**+ PSALM**

**PSALM 1**

**THE FIRST LESSON**

**DEUTERONOMY 30:15-20**

**~ THE CHILDREN LEAVE TO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL AFTER THE FIRST LESSON ~**

**+ BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE**

**CHANT S-184**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 49**

**THE SECOND LESSON**

**LUKE 14:25-33**

**+ JUBILATE DEO**

**JOHN IRELAND IN C**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 45**

**+ THE APOSTLES' CREED**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53**

**THE PRAYERS AND GRACE**

**PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54**

**+ SERMON HYMN**

**656 BLEST ARE THE PURE IN HEART**

**FRANCONIA**

**SERMON ~ THE REV. SUSAN WALDRON, ASSOCIATE RECTOR**

**OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

**HE, WATCHING OVER ISRAEL**

**FELIX MENDELSSOHN**

**+ DOXOLOGY AND VERSE 4 OF "AMERICA"**

**HYMN 380 ~ VERSE 3 AND HYMN 717 ~ VERSE 4**

**CLOSING PRAYERS AND BENEDICTION**

**+ RECESSIONAL HYMN**

**376 JOYFUL, JOYFUL, WE ADORE THEE**

**HYMN TO JOY**

**POSTLUDE**

**FANTASIE IN E-FLAT (ALLEGRO MOLTO E CON FUOCO) C. SAINT-SAËNS**

**(+ All Standing)**

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*THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR* are given to the **Glory of God**  
and in memory of Leon Lincoln given by Fred Lincoln

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THE USHERS at the 8:30AM Service are Bernie Burnell and Clark Daggett

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are William Collins, Kevin Creagan and Jeff Russom

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~ Parish Notes ~

**Coffee Hour:** Please join us for coffee hour after the 8:30AM and 10:30AM Services. All are welcome.

**COFFEE HOUR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** We are looking for volunteers to help with Coffee Hour following the 10:30AM service. This is a very well loved and cherished time for our parishioners to gather and enjoy each other's company, but it cannot run without some helping hands! Anyone interested, please contact Caitlin Cehowski at [caitlin.cehowski@gmail.com](mailto:caitlin.cehowski@gmail.com) or at 518-669-3095. The hope is to get a few **regular volunteers to create a rotating schedule** beginning in October! Anyone interested in helping with the 8:30AM coffee hour can contact Michele Vennard at [mlvennard@gmail.com](mailto:mlvennard@gmail.com) or at 518-274-4989.

**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.

**CATHEDRAL'S HOMECOMING CELEBRATION:** Please See Insert - Please note that the RSVP date on the insert has been extended to tomorrow, Monday, September 9th.

**Blessing of the Backpacks:** Today we invite the youth of St. Peter's to bring their backpacks to church to be blessed for the new school year. This will happen during the 10:30AM service.

**Prayer Pretzels/Sunday School Registration:** Today 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).

**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 21st. Thank you for your support, your donations are greatly appreciated.

**Daughters of the King:** Our September DOK Meeting will be held today after the 10:30AM service in the Vestry room. We will continue, where we left off, with the review of Chapter 7 of the study guide. Also, we will need to update our prayer list and discuss a meeting date/time that works consistently for our DOK monthly meetings.

**CHOIR STARTUP AND RECRUITMENT:** Regular choir rehearsals will resume this week on the following schedule: Thursdays: 5PM to 6:30PM for Trebles and 5:30PM to 7PM for Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Basses and Sundays: 9:30AM rehearsal for the 10:30AM service. We are eager to welcome boys and girls age 8 to grade 8 to join the Treble section of the choir. Please contact Neil Keen at (518)339-0137 for further information. There are also openings for singers of high school age and above.

**Outreach Committee and Vestry Meetings:** These September meetings will be held this Tuesday, September 10th. Outreach Committee will meet at 4PM and Vestry will meet at 5:15PM.

**Women's Book and Bible Study:** Please join the women of the church as we read and reflect on *Sensible Shoes, A Story About the Spiritual Journey* by Sharon Garlough Brown. We read one chapter weekly and gather on Tuesday evenings at 5PM in the vestry room to discuss the material and spiritual guidance/ practices. We do not meet this week due to the Vestry Meeting. Our next gathering will be next Tuesday, September 17th.

**Please remember in your prayers:** Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, The Rev. Thomas Burr, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, James Dykeman III, Moriah, Donna Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Gordon Lattey, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Bill Purdy, Liam, Missy, Barbara Richardson, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Denise Thomson, Carol Tripp, Jimmy Troiano, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

**Birthdays:** 9/8 ~ Patricia Roohan; 9/11 ~ Claudia Bruno; 9/12 ~ Kimberly Spath; 9/14 ~ Clairanne Wengraf

**Anniversaries:** 9/14 ~ Harry & Nancy Guest

### OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 5:00 PM  
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Daniel Herzog, Bishop

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### **Sunday, September 8th**

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily  
10:30AM Morning Prayer and Sermon, Sunday School, Child Care  
11:45AM DOK Meeting

#### **Monday, September 9th**

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Supplementary Rehearsal

#### **Tuesday, September 10th**

4:00PM Outreach Committee Meeting  
5:15PM Vestry Meeting

#### **Wednesday, September 11th**

8:45AM Top of the Hill  
12:05PM Holy Communion

#### **Thursday, September 12th**

5:00PM - 6:30PM Treble Rehearsal  
5:30PM - 7:00PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

#### **Friday, September 13th**

12:30PM Organ Concert

**ANGELS IN TRAINING:** This month the Angels in Training will feed the homeless at Grace and Holy Innocents on Saturday, September 21st 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.

**Parish Picnic:** The annual parish picnic will be held at The Rectory on Sunday, September 22nd 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.

**YOUTH SUNDAY:** Youth Sunday resumes this month and will continue to be held on the last Sunday of each month. Please join us on Sunday, September 29th during the 10:30AM service for this service.

**Alpha Course:** The Alpha Course will be offered on Sunday afternoons following the 10:30AM service, beginning on Sunday, September 29th. Please watch for additional details and pray about attending and inviting a friend. Alpha is a great introduction to the Christian faith and church as well as for those wishing to deepen their faith.