

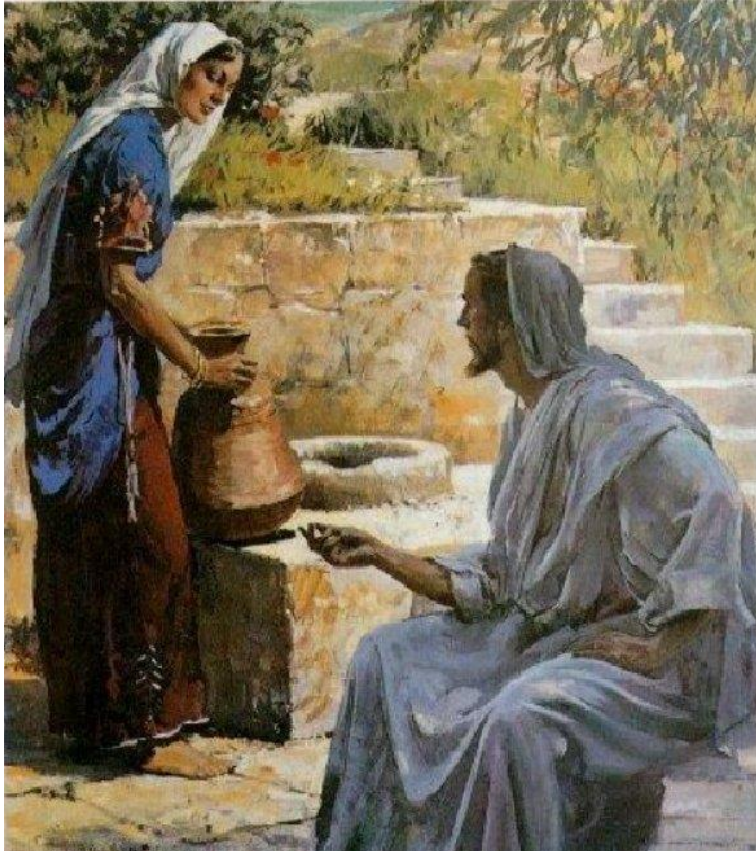
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1712 St. Peter's Church 2023

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THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 12, 2023



*“Jesus came to a Samaritan city called Sychar,
near the plot of ground that Jacob had given to his son Joseph.
Jacob’s well was there, and Jesus, tired out by his journey,
was sitting by the well. It was about noon.”*

(John 4:5-6)

Thou art Peter & upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 12, 2023

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

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

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	AN WASSERFLÜSSEN BABYLON (BY THE WATERS OF BABYLON PS. 137)	J. S. BACH
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	414 GOD, MY KING, THY MIGHT CONFESSING	STUTTGART
OPENING SENTENCE		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 38
CONFESSION OF SIN		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 41
+ INVITATORY ANTIPHON	The Lord is full of compassion and mercy; O come, let us adore him.	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 43
+ VENITE	CHANT S-4	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44
+ PSALM		PSALM 95
THE FIRST LESSON		EXODUS 17:1-7
+ BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE	PLAINSONG WITH FAUXBOURDONS	HEALEY WILLAN
	~ Children leave to go to Sunday School ~	
THE SECOND LESSON		JOHN 4:5-26, 39-42
+ BENEDICTUS	CHANT S-193	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 90
+ THE APOSTLES' CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53
THE PRAYERS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54
+ SERMON HYMN	700 O LOVE THAT CASTS OUT FEAR	MOSELEY
	SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, PRIEST-IN-CHARGE	
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	WASH ME THOROUGHLY	SAMUEL SEBASTIAN WESLEY
	<i>Wash me thoroughly from my wickedness, and forgive me all my sin. For I acknowledge my faults, and my sin is ever before me. Psalm 51.2-3</i>	
+ DOXOLOGY	HYMN 380 ~ VERSE 3	
THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 58
CLOSING PRAYER AND BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	657 LOVE DIVINE, ALL LOVES EXCELLING	HYFRYDOL
POSTLUDE	FESTIVAL VOLUNTARY	FLOR PEETERS

(+ All Standing)

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

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are William Collins, Kevin Creagan and Jeff Russom
THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER at the 10:30AM Service is Judy Burns

~ Parish Notes ~

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour after the 10:30AM service. All are welcome.

St. Peter's Coffee Hour: Thank you to the many volunteers who have stepped up to take us through the fall and winter with joyful and delicious coffee hours that have truly brought us together as the St. Peter's family. Now it's time to finish out the season with volunteers for April through mid June with 6/18 being the last coffee hour until fall. There will be a sign-up sheet in the kitchen/Pumpelly Room. Please consider becoming part of the team! Something new – I would like to encourage the bakers among us to "Fill Our Freezer". Bakers rejoice! We would enjoy new goodies by some superior bakers. There will be a sign-up list in the kitchen to enter your donation so we can keep good track. For further information please contact Michele Vennard at (518)274-4989 or (518)858-0525(cell) or email her at mlvennard@gmail.com.

FRIDAY MORNING PRAYER WITH COFFEE: Join Mtr. Christina at 8:30AM Fridays in Lent in saying Morning Prayer in her office. Coffee will be provided. This is a relaxed way to learn the ins and outs of saying Prayer Book offices at home or in a small group setting.

ANGELS IN TRAINING: This month the Angels in Training will feed the homeless at St. Francis Mission this Saturday, March 18th from 11AM to 1PM. Please consider helping for these 2 hours and give back to those less fortunate.

Vestry Meeting: The March Vestry Meeting will be held this Tuesday, March 14th at 5:15PM in the Meeting Room on the second floor of the Guild House.

SOUP SAMPLER SUNDAY: On Sunday, March 26th the Outreach Committee will be hosting Soup Sampler Sunday following the 10:30AM service in the Parish Hall. Bowls of soup along with bread and butter will be available for purchase. Come join us and stay and eat or take some to-go. Please bring your favorite soup to share and your appetite as well! A sign-up sheet is located in the Pumpelly Room to let us know who will be bringing soup and what kind of soup you will be bringing. This year's Soup Sampler will benefit the Overflow Shelter here at St. Peter's Church.

The Last Supper: On Sunday, March 26th 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 2nd 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 2nd. Suggested donation is \$25.

PASSION AND LAMENT - GOOD FRIDAY MUSIC: On Good Friday, April 7th at 1:15 PM following the Noon service, the St. Peter's Choir accompanied by orchestra will present **PASSION AND LAMENT**, a program of musical selections interwoven with The Seven Last Words of Christ. The music will include works of J.S. Bach, Handel, Greene, Casals, and Walton. All are welcome to attend as your schedule allows, free of charge.

Volunteers are needed for Carly's Cards: Please assist with Carly's Cards and choose one month to prepare cards to be mailed by the St. Peter's Church office. As a volunteer you will not be responsible for monetary donations, only a few hours once a month to complete the cards and place the mailing address labels on them, including return labels. A schedule of when the cards are to be returned to the church office for mailing will be given to you along with the list and the labels. Thank you for taking your time to volunteer. Please contact Susan Smith with questions or to volunteer: Gpleasant49@gmail.com or (518) 505-6051.

Please remember in your prayers: Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Fred Buse, Inga Carpenter, Gina Chenot, Sonya, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, James Dykeman, Donna Hershey, Fred Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Diana Martin, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Liam, Donna Ohlman, Grant Ohlman, Deej Patterson, Vicky Pautler, Bill Purdy, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Moriah, Susan Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 3/12 ~ Christy Fish, Jacob New; 3/14 ~ Janice Chenot; 3/15 ~ Margaret Hartman; 3/16 ~ Bruce DiStefano

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 12th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon
10:30AM Morning Prayer and Sermon, Sunday School and Child Care
11:45AM Lenten Lunch with Mark's Gospel

Tuesday, March 14th

5:15PM Vestry Meeting

Thursday, March 16th

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

Friday, March 17th

8:30AM Morning Prayer with coffee

Saturday, March 18th

11:00AM - 1:00PM Angels in Training at St. Francis Mission

Sunday Lenten Lunches with Mark's Gospel: Grab a cup of soup and journey with our Lord on Sundays for this Lenten Bible study of the Passion Narrative in Mark's Gospel. Mtr. Christina will lead this 5-part weekly study. A simple lunch of soup and bread will be available each week - signups to help with food will be in the Pumpelly Room. We'll gather after the 10:30AM service in the Meeting Room on the second floor of the Guild House.

Remaining Study Schedule:

Lent 3 (March 12th): Gethsemane and Arrest (Mark 14:32-65)
Lent 4 (March 19th): Denied and Condemned (Mark 14:66-15:20)
Lent 5 (March 26th): Crucifixion, Death, and Burial (Mark 15:21-47)

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

April 2nd: Palm Sunday

8:30AM ~ Holy Communion Service
10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Service

April 6th: Maundy Thursday

7:30PM ~ Holy Communion w/ Stripping of the Altars

April 7th: Good Friday

12:00PM ~ Liturgy w/ Communion from reserved sacrament
1:15PM ~ **PASSION AND LAMENT** - a musical program presented by the St. Peter's choir with orchestra.

April 8th: Holy Saturday

8:30AM ~ Liturgy
11:00AM ~ Egg Hunt at the Rectory

April 9th: Easter Sunday

8:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Service
10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Service