

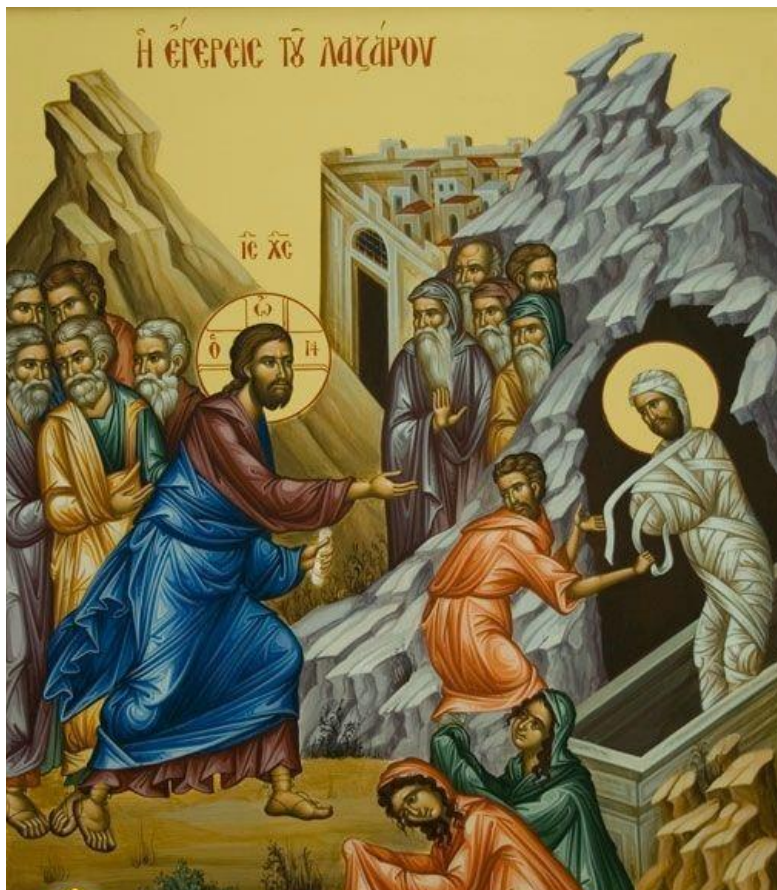
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THE LEAFLET

1712 St. Peter's Church 2023

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THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT
MARCH 26, 2023



Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

(John 11:44)

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

Thou art Peter & upon this rock I

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 26, 2023

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

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

~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	O LAMM GOTTES (O LAMB OF GOD) ALLE MENSCHEN MÜSSEN STERBEN (ALL MORTALS MUST DIE)	J. S. BACH
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	653 DEAR LORD AND FATHER	REPTON
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-5	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44
+ PSALM		PSALM 130
THE FIRST LESSON		EZEKIEL 37:1-14
+ BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE	T. F. H. CANDLYN	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 49
	~ Children leave to go to Sunday School ~	
THE SECOND LESSON		JOHN 11:17-44
+ BENEDICTUS	CHANT S-193	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 90
+ THE APOSTLES' CREED		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53
THE PRAYERS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54
+ SERMON HYMN	474 WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS	ROCKINGHAM
	SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, PRIEST-IN-CHARGE	
OFFERTORY ANTHEM	WHEN DAVID HEARD <i>When David heard that Absalom was slain He went up into his chamber over the gate and wept, and thus he said: my son, my son, O Absalom my son, would God I had died for thee! (2 Sam 18:33)</i>	THOMAS TOMKINS
+ DOXOLOGY	HYMN 380 ~ VERSE 3	
THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 58
CLOSING PRAYER AND BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	699 JESUS, LOVER OF MY SOUL	ABERYSTWYTH
POSTLUDE	JESUS CHRISTUS, UNSER HEILAND (JESUS CHRIST, OUR SAVIOR)	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 USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are Mark Lundberg and Michele Lundberg

THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER at the 10:30AM Service is Susan Smith

~ 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.

The Last Supper: Today 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.

SOUP SAMPLER SUNDAY: Today the Outreach Committee is 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. This year's Soup Sampler will benefit the Overflow Shelter here at St. Peter's Church.

ANGELS IN TRAINING VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Due to the Easter Egg Hunt and the Angels in Training falling on the same day at the same time, Laura Saffares will not be able to participate in feeding the needy. Therefore, she is looking for some volunteers to help the Angels in Training at the St. Francis Mission on Saturday, April 8th from 11AM to 1PM. We thank you, in advance, for your help.

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.

Easter Egg Coloring: Next 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 next Sunday, 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.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt: All are welcome to join the Sunday School children on Saturday, April 8th 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!

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: 3/28 ~ Jennifer Powell; 3/30 ~ Clark Daggett, Bailey LaPlante; 3/31 ~ Charles Bender; 4/1 ~ Robin Pugliese

Anniversaries: 3/29 ~ Jim & Barbara Adams (20th)

OFFICE HOURS

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, March 26th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon

10:30AM Morning Prayer and Sermon, Sunday School and Child Care

11:45AM Soup Sampler Sunday in the Parish Hall

11:45AM Lenten Lunch with Mark's Gospel

Thursday, March 30th

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

Friday, March 31st

8:30AM Morning Prayer with coffee

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. We'll gather after the 10:30AM service in the Meeting Room on the second floor of the Guild House.

Final Study Class

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 with Child Care