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THE LEAFLET

1712 St. Peter's Church 2023

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THE DAY OF PENTECOST: WHITSUNDAY
MAY 28, 2023



Thou art Peter & upon this rock I

and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it

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

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~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

PRELUDE	KOMM, HEILIGER GEIST (COME, HOLY SPIRIT) <i>(the choir sings vs. 1&2, congregation joins in at vs. 3)</i>	J. S. BACH
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	504 COME, HOLY GHOST, OUR SOULS INSPIRE	VENI CREATOR
OPENING ACCLAMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	MASS IN C MAJOR	BALDASSARE GALUPPI
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		ACTS 2:1-11
THE PSALM		PSALM 33:12-15, 18-22
THE EPISTLE		1 CORINTHIANS 12:4-13
+ HYMN	511 HOLY SPIRIT, EVER LIVING	ABBOT'S LEIGH
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		JOHN 20:19-23
	SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, PRIEST-IN-CHARGE	
+ 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	I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU COMFORTLESS <i>I will not leave you comfortless, I will come to you yet again: Alleluia.</i>	EVERETT TITCOMB
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	GALUPPI	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	GALUPPI	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	302 FATHER, WE THANK THEE	RENDEZ A DIEU
COMMUNION MOTET	O HOLY SPIRIT, LORD OF GRACE <i>O Holy Spirit, Lord of grace, Eternal source of love, Inflame, we pray, our inmost hearts With fire from heav'n above. As thou dost join with holiest bonds The Father and the son, So fill us all with mutual love, And knit our hearts in one.</i>	CHRISTOPHER TYE
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	225 HAIL THEE, FESTIVAL DAY	SALVE FESTA DIES
POSTLUDE	KOMM, GOTT SCHÖPFER, HEILIGER GEIST (COME GOD, CREATOR HOLY GHOST)	J. S. BACH

(+ All Standing)

THE FLOWERS ON THE MAIN ALTAR are given to the **Glory of God**
and in thanksgiving for God's many blessings

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

THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS at the 10:30AM Service are Robin LaPlante and Susan Smith

~ **Parish Notes** ~

No Coffee Hour: Due to Memorial Day Weekend, there will be no coffee hour today, Sunday, May 28th.

Thanks for filling the Freezer: A call was sent to all about filling the St. Peter's freezer to help the volunteers who create the after-service coffee hours and provide the best experience for our congregation. Thank you to all who responded and "actually filled the freezer." We have a good supply of goodies with the supplement from our weekly volunteers to see us through the spring. But don't fret, fall will follow as it always does. Thanks so much to all. And of course, thank you to the volunteers who create a great a coffee hour fellowship experience each week.

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.

Pledge Cards: Pledge cards for 2023 have been mailed out to all parishioners. If you did not receive a pledge card please call the church office. It would be greatly appreciated if you could please take a minute to complete your card and return it to the church office or place it in the offering plate during the service. Pledges can also be made on the St. Peter's website at www.stpeterschurchalbany.org by clicking on the "Get your pledge card" button. You may also call the church office and we would be more than happy to complete a card for you. Thank you to those that have promptly completed and returned their pledge card or pledged online.

Father's Day Outreach: This year for Mother's Day at the St. Francis Mission, Gail, the woman that spoke at St. Peter's a few weeks ago, made little gift bags for the all of the moms. So I decided to ask her what St. Peter's could do to help her with Father's Day bags. She asked if we would like to help with getting donations of 30 pairs of men's socks, 30 decks of playing cards and, if we have the means, some \$5 Dunkin Donuts gift cards. Therefore, I am asking you to find it your heart to help us put some smiles on the dads of the South End community. As always, I thank you for all your support with St. Peter's Outreach. Just find me before or after church to collect your donation. I will be keeping all donations in the office until I volunteer on June 17th. Blessings to all ~ Laura Saffares.

Awards Sunday and Ice Cream Social: The Sunday School Awards, Choir Awards, and Ice Cream Sundae Social will take place on Sunday, June 18th. The Awards will be presented during the 10:30AM service. The Ice Cream Sundae Social will be held immediately following the service. Please join us in celebrating our esteemed choir members, and the Sunday School teachers and children.

Summer Choir: Members of the parish are invited to join the singing of the summer choir, beginning Sunday, June 25th. We have a brief rehearsal at 9:45AM on Sundays to prepare music for the 10:30AM service. There is no audition, but the ability to follow musical notation is helpful.

Flower Memorials: During the year, our Flower Guild arranges flowers to bring beauty to our sanctuary and joy to our congregation. Those wishing to make a donation for flowers for a memorial, thanksgiving or celebration should call the Church Office to confirm available dates. During Advent, we use only greens; during Lent, the altars are bare. Other Sundays, we welcome contributions. The cost of flowers: Main Altar is \$50, St. Mark's Altar is \$35, and the Tower Altar is also \$35. All requests are payable in advance.

Please remember in your prayers: Mari Bennett, Fred Buse, Inga Carpenter, Gina Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Anne deVos, Moriah, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donna Hershey, Fred Hershey, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Diana Martin, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Liam, Sonya, Lindsay Norville, Grant Ohlman, Donna Ohlman, Deej Patterson, Vicky Pautler, Bill Purdy, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Susan Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Jordan & Christianna and their twin baby girls

Birthdays: 5/28 ~ Andrew Pugliese; 5/29 ~ Cindy Foster; 5/30 ~ Dr. Thomas Bruno, Karen Chatman; 5/31 ~ Mary Ellen Bussey; 6/1 ~ Jim Chenot, Rita O'Connell; 6/2 ~ Gina Chenot, Sean Murphy

Anniversaries: 5/28 ~ David & Annette Panzironi

OFFICE HOURS

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, May 28th

8:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon
10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School and Child Care

Thursday, June 1st

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

Beaver Cross: Beaver Cross Ministries is a ministry of the Episcopal Diocese of Albany and our mission is to Build Community in Christ. Located in Greenwich, NY Beaver Cross Ministries is a year round youth ministry program. Our focus is to be an active youth ministry with retreats and break camps during the school year and summer camp during summer break. Across our ministries, we provide youth and young adults opportunities to explore and deepen their faith through dynamic Biblical teaching, fellowship in a Christian community, and awesome camp activities; new friendships are created and old ones rekindled as Beaver Cross Campers laugh and learn together in an environment devoted to faith, friendship and fun! For more information on **Sonshine Youth Retreats** and **Beaver Cross Day/Night Camp** please visit: www.beavercrossministries.org