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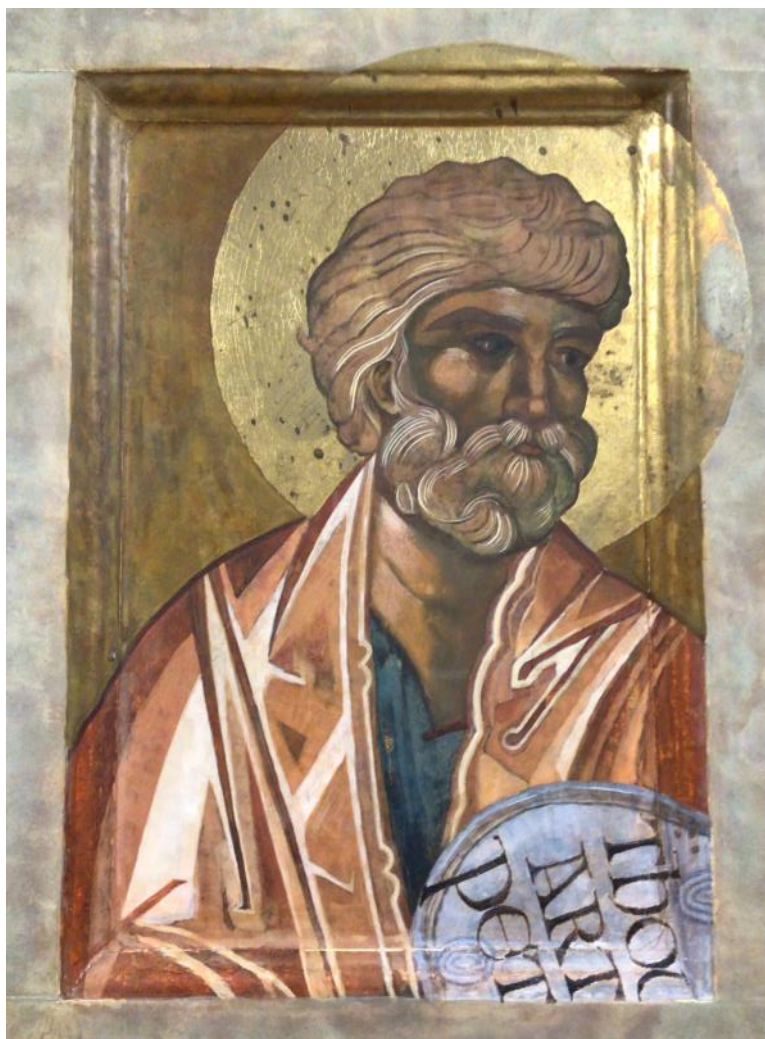
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*THE CONFESSION OF ST. PETER THE APOSTLE
JANUARY 19, 2025*



Thou art Peter and 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	PRELUDE IN G, OP. 37	FELIX MENDELSSOHN
+ PROCESSIONAL HYMN	518 CHRIST IS MADE THE SURE FOUNDATION	WESTMINSTER ABBEY
	~ CHILDREN’S ABCs BIBLE MEMORY CHALLENGE ~	
OPENING AFFIRMATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 323
+ GLORIA IN EXCELSIS	HAROLD DARKE IN F	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 324
COLLECT FOR THE DAY		SEE INSERT
THE FIRST LESSON		ACTS 4:8-13
THE PSALM		PSALM 23
THE EPISTLE		1 PETER 5:1-4
+ HYMN	231 BY ALL YOUR SAINTS STILL STRIVING <i>(verse 2 is found on the next page ~ see Confession of St. Peter)</i>	KING’S LYNN
+ THE HOLY GOSPEL		MATTHEW 16:13-19
	SERMON ~ THE REV. CHRISTINA HUNTER, RECTOR	
+ 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	TU ES PETRUS	G.P. DA PALESTRINA
+ SANCTUS/BENEDICTUS	DARKE	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
PRAYER OF CONSECRATION		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 334
AGNUS DEI	DARKE	PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 337
COMMUNION HYMN	318 HERE, O MY LORD	NYACK
COMMUNION MOTET	OS JUSTI	ANTON BRUCKNER
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 339
THE BLESSING		
+ RECESSIONAL HYMN	525 THE CHURCH’S ONE FOUNDATION	AURELIA
POSTLUDE	PLACARE CHRISTE SERVULIS	MARCEL DUPRÉ

(+ All Standing)

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

THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are John Davis, Robin LaPlante and Samuel Hartt
THE LAY EUCHARISTIC MINISTER at the 10:30AM Service is Mark Lundberg

~ **Parish Notes** ~

ABCs Bible Memory Challenge: This week's ABCs Bible Memory Challenge verse is:
"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding." (**Proverbs 3:5**) For more information about this "Memory Challenge" please see your September Newsletter for all the details.

Coffee Hour: Please join us for coffee hour in the Pumpelly Room following the 10:30AM service. All are welcome. Thanks to all who have made coffee hour so enjoyable the past few months. Well now it's time to fill up the calendar for January - March 2025. There is sign up sheet in the kitchen - Please don't be shy and help is always available. For more information please contact Michele Vennard at (518)858-0525 or email her at mlvennard@gmail.com.

Pledge Cards: Pledge cards for 2025 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. 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.

Rock and Root Hikers POSTPONED: Due to the impending snowstorm, our hike scheduled for today is being postponed until February. The Rock and Root Hikers will now take on a winter Peebles Island hike on Sunday, February 16th at 1:30PM. Contact Mtr. Christina at (518)423-4891 with questions.

Vestry Nominations: The Vestry has nominated four parish members to serve on the Vestry - three Vestry members and one for Jr. Warden. Their names will appear on the ballot next Sunday. Other nominations for Vestry must be submitted to the church office in writing by this Wednesday, January 22nd in order to appear on the ballot.

Annual Parish Meeting: Next Sunday, January 26th the Annual Parish Meeting will be held at 12PM noon. A Hymn Sing and Tea are two features of our Annual Meeting. We're asking parishioners to submit their favorite hymns -- with one or two sentences about why it's a favorite -- by completing the enclosed form or by sending an email to: priest@stpeterschurchalbany.org. The day of the meeting, four hymns will be selected at random and sung. The meeting schedule is located on the back page of this leaflet.

Child AITs (Acolytes in Training): Any child aged 7 or older is eligible to become an AIT (Acolyte in Training) at St. Peter's. Acolytes assist in age-appropriate tasks during Holy Communion services that include assisting Lay Eucharistic Ministers and the priest at the altar, helping with the offering, and carrying processional candles. Interested? Contact Mtr. Christina at: priest@stpeterschurchalbany.org.

Please remember in your prayers: Fred Buse, Inga Carpenter, Gina Chenot, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Carol Daggett, Sonya, Morris Daly, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Donald Fahd, Andrew Farrington, Pamela Gerfin, Donna Hershey, Liam, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Diana Martin, Kevin Mastro, Moriah, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Janet O'Connell, Donna Ohlman, Grant Ohlman, DeeJ Patterson, Vicky Pautler, John (JP) Powell, Bill Purdy, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Susan Smith, Carol Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Carol Tripp, Christina Wright.

Birthdays: 1/20 ~ Susan Clas; 1/21 ~ Cathy Connors; 1/22 ~ Ava Cehowski; 1/24 ~ Laura Stedman; 1/25 ~ Annette Panzironi

Anniversaries: 1/22 ~ Gavin & Jennifer Clark (25th)

OFFICE HOURS

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 4:00 PM
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DIOCESE OF ALBANY**
The Rt. Rev. Jeremiah Williamson

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, January 19th ~ *The Confession of St. Peter the Apostle (transferred)*

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

Monday, January 20th ~ *Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (observed)*

Office Closed

Tuesday, January 21st

4:00PM - 5:00PM Treble Rehearsal

Wednesday, January 22nd

12:05PM Noonday Prayer

Thursday, January 23rd

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

ANNUAL MEETING SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH

Child care will be available during the Meeting.

9:20AM: Polls Open (at the conclusion of the 8:30AM Eucharist)
Annual Reports Available (beginning at 9:30AM)
11:45AM: Tea and Sandwiches available
(at the conclusion of the 10:30AM service).
12:00PM: First Hymn
Rector's Annual Address
12:15PM: Polls Close
Second Hymn
Treasurer's Report
12:30PM: Third Hymn
Senior Warden welcomes questions/comments
from parishioners
12:45PM: Fourth Hymn
Election Results
Blessing and Adjournment
Closing Hymn

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