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***This Week at St. Peter's*
*Second Sunday in Lent, March 16, 2025***

Prelude	"God So Loved the World" John Stainer
Gathering Hymn #834	"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"
Scripture Readings	Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 13:31-35
Hymn of the Day #597	"My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"
Musical Offering by the Choir	"Beneath the Cross of Jesus" Arr. Kurt Kaiser
Communion Hymns:	
#613	"Thy Holy Wings"
#469	"By Your Hand You Feed Your People"
#461	"All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly"
Sending Hymn #705	"God of Grace and God of Glory"
Postlude	"Promenade" Gordon Young

Prayer of the Day: God of the covenant, in the mystery of the cross you promise everlasting life to the world. Gather all peoples into your arms, and shelter us with your mercy, that we may rejoice in the life we share in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Prayer List Update:

The grieving friends and family of: Ed Fox (3/10 L. Meyer's friend) and Stephen T. Whitehurst (2/20 P. Huey's friend).

At Home: Pat Anderson, Claudia Bellis, Richard Patterson (K. Beggs' brother-in-law).

In the Hospital: Peter Huey and Lionel Larivee (K. Beggs' friend).

In Hospice Care: Carol Peterson (Gayle Olson's mother).

Prayer requests can be given to the church office or be made online via the **Pastoral Care page on our website.**

Today's Worship Leaders

Greeters:

Ushers:

Liturgist: Jane Wordsworth

Communion Assts: Jane Wordsworth, Aline Glifort

Altar Care: Fay Sargent

AV Tech: Chris Janson

Coffee Hour: Memorial Garden Team

The worship leader sign-up form is in the narthex.

March Bread for the World: We will have our Offering of Letters for Bread for the World **TODAY, March 16**. See information about domestic and international hunger issues on the table in the narthex.

Parsonage Donations: please see the poster in the narthex for various items needed at St. Peter's new parsonage. Would you like to contribute the amount for a faucet, shower head, or lighting, which are just some of the items requested.

Parsonage Fund: Donations are being accepted. Envelopes are in the narthex, you can make a notation on your check, or you can give online using the QR code or URL link below.



On-line Donations: On-line donations: This QR Code will connect you to a variety of giving options. Simply use the camera on your phone and hold it over the QR code or copy the URL link <https://app.onechurchsoftware.com/stpeterscc/egiving> directly into your browser to give securely to St. Peter's by credit card or from your bank account. Thank you for your generosity!

Altar Flowers: We will not have altar flowers during Lent. The 2025 Altar Flower Calendar is on the sacristy door. Lots of dates are available!

Loaves & Fishes Pantry: The wish list for the pantry this week includes any taco making supplies or kits, but any BYGO items are greatly appreciated. Thanks for caring!



Lenten Challenge: Pastor and Barbara Dennis once again ask the congregation to join them in bolstering the food pantry at St. Peter's. Two of the Lenten season disciplines are fasting and acts of love. This Lenten season, Pastor and Barbara will shop with an eye on "Buy one, get one free" or "Buy one and get another one at a reduced price." The free or reduced-price item will then be shared with the food bank. In fact, they plan to set aside funds to simply donate "both" items. Will you join us?

Easter Flower Orders are accepted through **Palm Sunday, April 13.** Tulips are \$13 and lilies are \$20. The sign-up sheet and flower envelopes are on the bulletin board across from the mailboxes.

The Word in Season Devotions for April, May and June are available in large print or pocket size on the table in the narthex Please feel free to take one home with you.

Wednesday at Noon Lenten Services: Please join us during Lent for a short service in the sanctuary.

FYI: Our ministry administrator Susan will be out of the office on March 20, 25, 26, and 27. She will return to the office on March 31.

Adult Bible Study: Jay Tichenor and Stewart Pattison will be holding a four-week class on four Sundays beginning on **March 23** and ending on April 13 (Palm Sunday) starting 15 minutes after worship ends. This class will be held in the Luther Room and will last for one hour. The theme is "Gifts of Aging." There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the narthex so we will know how many plan to attend.

St. Mary of Magdala Church will be celebrating mass during Lent on Thursdays at **10 am** in the St. Mary of Magdala office on the lower level. All are welcome to attend!

Author event with co-authors Terry Farish and Lochlan Sharma on their book Go Home at the Brewster Ladies' Library, 1822 Main St, Brewster, on **April 22 from 5:30-6:30 pm**. The book explores the relationship of an immigrant and his family with neighbors whose lives seem to be disrupted by his presence. Book can be purchased from www.belongingbookscapecod.com. See the poster on the kiosk.

St. Peter's Office Hours:
Tuesday through Thursday from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

SUNDAY, March 16—Home Communion Sunday

9:30 am Worship / Live Stream, Sanctuary
Dulcimer Festival, Albany, NY

MONDAY, March 17—St. Patrick's Day

12:30 pm Monomoy Bridge, Fellowship Hall
1:00 pm Loaves & Fish Pantry (open until 3:00 pm)
4:30 pm SPLC @ Faith Family Kitchen
6:00 pm Men's AWOL, Luther Room

TUESDAY, March 18

8:40 am Sojourners, Parking Lot
11:00 am Bell Choir, Sanctuary
12:30 pm Monomoy Bridge, Fellowship Hall
1:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting, Conference Room
2:00 pm Choir, Sanctuary
2:00 pm Broad Reach Grief Group, Luther Room
3:30 pm Loaves & Fish Pantry (open until 5:00 pm)

WEDNESDAY, March 19

12:00 pm Lenten Service, Sanctuary
12:30 pm Loaves & Fish Pantry (open until 2:30 pm)
1:00 pm Kathy's Bridge, Fellowship Hall

THURSDAY, March 20

1:30 am Sacred Sorrow Meeting, Luther Room

FRIDAY, March 21—First Day of Spring

10:00 am Loaves & Fish (open until 12:00 pm)
12:30 pm Monomoy Bridge, Fellowship Hall
1:30 pm Prayer Shawl Meeting, Luther Room

SATURDAY, March 22

4:00 pm SMMC Worship, Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY, March 23

9:30 am Worship / Live Stream, Sanctuary
11:15 am Adult Bible Study, Luther Room