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'You are Peter, and on this rock I will build my Church.' *Matthew 16-18*

Come to Worship – Leave to Serve January 10, 2021

LECTIONARY FOR TODAY, – January 10th--The Baptism of The Lord: GENESIS 1:1-5: PSALM 29: ACTS 19:1-7: MARK 1:4-11

COLLECT: Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit, keep your children, born of water and the Spirit, faithful to their calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS: God of life and freedom, we celebrate the revelation of Jesus as the Christ who makes all creation new. Accept all we offer you this day and make us new in him, who is Lord for ever and ever.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION: Gracious God, lover of all, by this sacrament you make us one family in Christ your Son, one in the sharing of his body and blood, one in the communion of his Spirit. Help us to grow in love for one another and come to the full maturity of the Body of Christ. We ask this in his name.

Lectionary for Next Sunday, Second Sunday after Epiphany: 1 SAMUEL 3:1-10 (11-20); PSALM 139:1-5, 12-17; 1 CORINTHIANS 6:12-20; JOHN 1:43-51

The Rt. Rev. Samuel V. Rose Bishop: Rector: The Reverend Bill Strong Parish Deacon: The Reverend Dr. Bonnie Morgan Honourary Assistant: The Reverend Irving Letto Organist/Choir Director Elizabeth Brumm Parish Wardens Ralph Drover and Albert Morgan Raymond Gregory Treasurer: Office Administrator: Jack Morgan

Church Calendars now Available

We now have a supply of 2020 Church Calendars with pictures portraying activities in past years. \$10.00 each. Please visit the office to pick up your copy.

Hymns for 10:30 Service

Opening: (#3) Morning Has Broken

Gradual: (#657) Loving Spirit
Offering: (#619) Fairest Lord Jesus

Communion: (#59) Table of the World (Choir) Closing: (#560) God, whose Almighty Word

You Purchased 36 Goats Bahahahahahaha

A big shout out to the Parishioners of St. Peter's who provided sufficient funds to purchase 36 goats through the Anglican Church's Primates World Relief and Development Fund. These animals will find their way to needy families in underdeveloped countries. Just look below at the difference you will make:

A PWRDF Goat Success Story

Through a food security program that was matched by Global Affairs Canada, Mwamedi received a pair of goats, and his life changed immediately. The nanny goat produces milk daily. The Maigas consume one litre and sell the surplus milk to people in a neighbouring village. This steady income allows the family to pay school fees for the children, and to buy drugs and food staples to enrich their diet. Once his goats had bred, Mwamedi passed the first baby goat on to another family in need, as is the practice in the program. Passing it on not only benefits one family, it benefits whole villages and beyond. Mwamedi now has six goats. The five nannies produce up to four litres of milk a day. *Source: PWRDF*

Choir Practice

Choir practice will take place each Thursday evening at *6:30pm*. under the direction of Choir director, Elizabeth Brumm. Returning and new members welcome.

Message from St. Peter's Treasurer

Church Family and friends,

As many of you know, I am currently hospitalized awaiting heart surgery which is scheduled for Monday morning.

I have written many messages for the weekly bulletin since COVID-19 became a part of our everyday lives and would like to continue these

communications now and during my recovery, though I will be absent from Church activities for a while.

This worldwide pandemic has created anguish for many, and Church's are no exception. Once again, and I cannot say it enough, on behalf of Rev. Bill, wardens Ralph and Albert and all Vestry members how grateful and humbled we all are with your continued financial support of your Church. I have faith that we will come out of the difficulties of COVID stronger than ever. Our best is yet to come! And I know, you all share my thoughts on this matter.

As previously reported, we ended 2020 will all bills paid and have started the new year with a positive bank balance. We would not have done this without you, the parishioners, and supporters of St. Peter's.

So, once again, I extend my sincere thanks to one and all and look forward to seeing and worshipping with you soon. May God continue to bless each one of you.

Sincerely, Raymond Gregory. Treasurer

This week we are praying for:

All Church Leaders, especially +Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; +Linda, Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada; +Ronald, Metropolitan of the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada, +Sam, our Bishop, Bonnie+, our Deacon, Irving+, our Honourary Assistant, and Bill+, our Rector.

In the Anglican/Lutheran Cycle of Prayer— ACC-Dr. Andrea Mann, Director, and the staff of Global Relations; Ryan Weston, Lead Animator, Public Witness for Social and Ecological Justice. ELCIC-Rev. Douglas Reble, Rev. Adam Snook. Rev. Christine Morrow-Wolfe, Assistants to the Bishop, and the staff of the Eastern Synod.

In the Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, Anglican Military Ordinariates-Cdr. The Rev. Canon Jennifer Gosse, Maj. The Rev. Dennis Newhook, LCdr. The Rev. Beverly Kean-Newhook, Lt. (N) The Rev. John Hounsell Drover, Maj. The Rev. Canon Shawn Samson (Reserve), Capt. The Rev. Canon Kris Gosse (Reserve); The Clergy and Parishioners in the Parish of The Ascension, Mt. Pearl, The Rev. David Burrows, Rector and The Rev. Lynn Courage, Assistant.

We pray for those who are sick or otherwise in need, especially: Rodney Andrews, Brian Gosse, Deneal Haines, Glenys O'Brien, Lucy Thistle, Mary Bussey, Payton Best, Robert Moulton, Yvonne Lawlor, Geraldine Piercey, Murdoch Peddle, Sylvia Gillespie-Miller, Norman Tibbo, George Moore, John Butters, Steven & Chris Dawe, Vasili Flogeras, Alan Drover, George Morgan,

Joan Petten, Michael Andrews, Harriett Morgan, Marina MacDonald, Theresa Ralph, Gerald Ralph and Janet Andrews.



Our Sincere Condolences

Our prayers and thoughts go out to the family of the late *Annie Rowsell*, former St. Peter's Parishioner who passed away on Saturday, January 9th Mrs. Rowsell is cousin to Ruth Crews and Barbara Rideout.

"Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon her"

This week's bulletin is given to the glory of God in loving memory of:

All loved ones of St. Peter's family who have gone before us.

