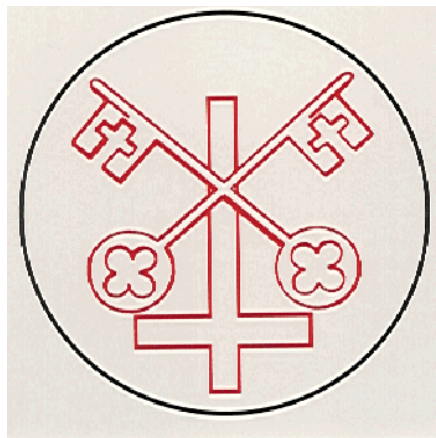


St. Peter's Episcopal Church

"A Lighthouse of Faith, Hope, and of God's Love
through Worship, Prayer, Christian Education,
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The Rev. Ephraim B. Goorahoo

Honorary Associates

Be silent, be thoughtful, and be reverent, for this is the house of the Lord. Before the service, speak to God; during the service, let God speak to you; and after the service, speak to each other.

Last Sunday after the Epiphany

YEAR B

February 11, 2018

The Rev. Steve L. Foster, Celebrant and Preacher
Mr. Eiichi Shimada, Organist and Choir Director

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

8:00AM

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Acclamation		BCP page 323
Collect for Purity		BCP page 323
Summary of the Law		BCP page 324
Gloria in Excelsis		BCP page 324
Collect of the Day		BCP page 165
Lesson:		2 Kings 2:1-12
Gradual:	Psalm 50:1-6	BCP page 654
Epistle:		2Corinthians 4:3-6
THE HOLY GOSPEL		Mark 9:2-9
The Sermon		Father Foster
The Creed		BCP page 326
Prayers of the People		Insert
The Confession		BCP page 330
The Peace		Insert

THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory		
The Great Thanksgiving		BCP page 333
<i>Eucharistic Prayer 1</i>		
Reception of Holy Communion		
The Postcommunion Prayer		BCP page 339
The Blessing and Dismissal		

Organ Prelude

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Introit:	“When morning gilds the skies”	Hymn 367
The Acclamation		BCP page 355
Collect for Purity		BCP page 355
Gloria in Excelsis		BCP page 356
Collect of the Day		BCP page 217
Lesson:		2 Kings 2:1-12
Gradual	Psalm 50:1-6	BCP page 654
Epistle:		2 Corinthians 4:3-6
Sequence:	“Christ, whose glory fills the skies”	Hymn 153
THE HOLY GOSPEL		Mark 9:2-9
The Sermon		Father Foster
The Creed		BCP page 358
Prayers of the People		Insert
The Confession		BCP page 360
The Peace		Insert

THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory		
“God of the prophets, bless the prophets’ sons”		Hymn 220
The Great Thanksgiving		BCP page 361
	<i>Eucharistic Prayer A</i>	
Reception of Holy Communion		
“Swing low, sweet chariot”		LEVAS 18
“Jesu, Joy of our desiring”		LEVAS 75
“The Lord is my light and my salvation”		LEVAS 58
“Alleluia! sing to Jesus”		Hymn 34
Postcommunion Prayer		BCP page 361
Blessing and Dismissal		
Recessional		
“O wondrous type! O vision fair”		Hymn 119

Organ Postlude

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAYS

Holy Eucharist (Rite I)	8:00 AM
Holy Eucharist (Rite II)	10:00 AM
Evensong First Sunday (October-June)	4:00 PM
Sunday school (September-June)	10:00 AM

WEEKDAYS

Wednesday Morning Prayer	9:30 AM
Mass followed by Bible Study	10:00 AM
Mass Followed by Bible Study	7:30 PM

WARDENS AND VESTRY

	<u>CLASS OF</u>
Mr. Pearson Griffith, Senior Warden	2018
Mrs. Phyllis E. H. Williams, Jr. Warden	2017
Mrs. Monica Carrington	2017
Mr. Norman Newman	2017
Mrs. Yvonne Robinson	2017
Mrs. Cynthia Craig	2018
Mrs. Sandra George	2018
Mrs. Karen Mayne-Lee	2018
Dr. Wayne Campbell	2019
Mrs. Anthea Simpson-Elcock	2019
Mr. Andrew Trotman	2019

ACOLYTE GUILD: Mr. Huxley Smith, Coordinator

ALTAR GUILD DIRECTOR: Ms. Patti Rookwood,

CHURCH SCHOOL: Ms. Hettie Powell, Superintendent

CHOIR DIRECTOR/ORGANIST: Mr. Eiichi Shimada

DAUGHTERS OF ST. PETER'S: Mrs. Lorna Evans, President

EPISCOPAL MINISTRIES OF LI: Mrs. D. Henriques, Chairperson

FELLOWSHIP COMMITTEE: Mrs. Cynthia Craig, Chairperson

LEGAL EAGLES: Mrs. M. Proberbs-Thompson, Ms. Jenny Weekes,

Co-Chairpersons

MEN'S GUILD: Dr. H. Wayne Campbell, President

PASTORAL CARE COMMITTEE: Ms. B. McDowall, Chairperson

PROPERTY COMMITTEE: Mrs. Phyllis Harris-Williams, Chairperson

ST. LUKE'S HEALTH GUILD: Mrs. Hyacinth Lopez, President

ST. PETER'S KEY: Ms. Patti Rookwood, Ms. Donalee Thomas,

Coordinators

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE: Mrs. Henrietta Kerr, Chairperson

USHERS: Mrs. Sandra George, Coordinator

YOUNG ADULTS: Mrs. Zavi Gunn, Coordinator, Justin Lowe, Pres.

YOUTH GROUP: Ms. Sharon Locker, Director,

CHALICE ASSISTANTS: Mr. George Ault, Dr. Wayne Campbell,

Mrs. Brenda Innis, Mr. Neville Maynard, Mrs. Norma Rudder,

Mr. Huxley Smith

TREASUER: Mr. Richard Connell, Sr.

PARISH SECRETARY: Mrs. Henrietta Kerr

SEXTON: Mr. José Cruz

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE LAST SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

The Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins.

In the sure knowledge that God cherishes us,
let us pray to him now.

Heavenly Father, so full of forgiveness and mercy, fill your Church to the brim with such holiness that our understanding of your ways deepens daily, and all our work and worship glorifies your name. We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael our Presiding Bishop and Primate, Lawrence, GERALYN and Daniel our own Bishops. Holy God, **release in us your praise.**

Heavenly Father, so wise and perceptive, take us to the heart of all conflicts, and give us the grace to share in the healing between factions and nations, guided by your Spirit. Holy God, **release in us your praise.**

Heavenly Father, so comforting and kind, help us to notice the needs around us, in our families, friends and colleagues, and respond to them in love. Holy God, **release in us your praise.**

Heavenly Father, so mindful of our pain, we bring to you our sisters and brothers whose joints are stiff and whose bodies cannot move freely; thank you for their courage and example; we pray that you will help their spirits to dance and fill their hearts with joy. Especially [N.] Holy God, **release in us your praise.**

Heavenly Father, so welcoming to all we commend to your everlasting keeping those who have recently died, and those who mourn their going. Holy God, **release in us your praise.**

Heavenly Father, so faithful in your promises, we thank you for the eternal 'Yes' of Christ which echoes on through lives and generations.

Merciful Father,
**accept these prayers
for the sake of your Son,
our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.**

THE PEACE

Celebrant: *The kingdom of God is justice, peace and joy inspired by the Holy Spirit.*

People: **They who thus serve Christ are acceptable to God and approved by others.**

Celebrant: *The Peace of the Lord be always with you*

People: **and also with you.**

<u>TODAY</u>	<u>Last Sunday after the Epiphany</u>
9:00 a.m.	Said Mass (Rite I)
10:00 a.m.	Sung Mass (Rite II) and Sunday school
4:00 p.m.	Classical Concert and Reception
<u>Mon., Feb. 12</u>	<u>Charles Andrews, Priest in India, 1940</u>
	No Meetings Today
<u>Tues., Feb. 13</u>	<u>Shrove Tuesday</u>
8:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist followed by Pot Luck Supper
<u>Wed., Feb. 14</u>	<u>Ash Wednesday</u>
6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes
10:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes
8:00 p.m.	Holy Eucharist and Imposition of Ashes
<u>Thurs., Feb. 15</u>	<u>Feria</u>
5:45 p.m.	Youth Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m.	Senior Choir Rehearsal
<u>Fri., Feb. 16</u>	<u>Feria</u>
8:00 p.m.	Stations of the Cross - Soup and Salad
<u>Sat., Feb. 17</u>	<u>Feria</u>
10:00 a.m.	Free Tax Preparation and Consultation
3:30 p.m.	Youth Group Meeting
<u>NEXT SUNDAY</u>	<u>The First Sunday in Lent</u>
8:00 a.m.	Said Mass (Rite I)
10:00 a.m.	Sung Mass (Rite II) and Sunday school

WELCOME TO ST. PETER'S

If you are worshipping with us today as a visitor, please know we welcome you warmly. Following the Eucharist, there is a Fellowship hour downstairs. Please join us.

SICK AND SHUT-INS

Please remember in our prayers members of our parish as well as family and friends especially: Alisha, Carol Alexander, Helen Boone, Ida Bowen, Elsie Boyce, Jennifer Brown, Lurline Brown, Verna Brown, Jada Campbell, Joan Carriman, Rufus Carriman, Natasha Cunningham, Delano Fields, Hartley Foster, Marilyn Fremantle, Yvonne Gittens, David Griffith, Dahlia Henriques, Millicent Hillman, Monica Hines-Cross, Christine Hurley, Janelle Hutchinson, Pearl, Beatrice Jerome, Floyd Johnson, Kristen Jones, Cuthbert Lewis, Celeste Lora, Jessica Lora, Nigel McLean, Sydney Miller, Linda, Anne Movel, The Rev. Canon Llewellyn, Ariayah Morgan-Mullet, Melvin Payne, Kwame Proberbs, Sonia Rankine, Clive Rodriguez, Feliberto Rodriguez, Adassa Samms, Basil Samms, Louise Schaufler, Michele Scipio, Jean Scott, Victoline Scott, Coleen Shepherd, Rawl Shepherd, Suzette Smith, George Thompson, Louisa Todd, Francine Trotman, April Tucker, Eugena Tucker, Jacqueline Watkis, Pauline Watson and Lorna Wilson.

HOLY BAPTISM

The Rite of Holy Baptism will take place at the Easter Vigil, March 31, 2018. Please speak to Fr. Foster if you are desirous of being baptized or to have a child baptized

WEEKLY INCOME

AMOUNT NEEDED FOR WEEKLY BUDGETED EXPENSES ONLY.....\$ 5,908.75
January.....28th..Pledges..\$4,831.00..Plate/Other..\$.271.00...Total.\$ 5,102.00
February.....4th..Pledges..\$4,515.00..Plate/Other..\$.291.00...Total.\$ 4,806.00
Other Income-to-date: Utilities \$505.00; Fund Raising.....Total.\$ 0,000.00
Total Attendance: 127 Average Weekly income-to-dates.....Total\$ 4,757.20

Stations of the Cross followed by Soup and Salad began on Friday, February 16th; there is a sign up sheet in the parish for those who wish to contribute Soup and Salad.

LENTEN DISCIPLINE

Lent is a penitential season when Christians focus on self-denial and their discipline of life. Traditionally, special attention has been paid in Lent to worship, the study of Scripture, fasting, prayer and almsgiving. Many persons use this season as an occasion to give up something, i.e. meat, candy etc. However, we are encourage to take on more, an extra task which can be life giving such as exercise or volunteering in a soup kitchen or pantry. Let us covenant to spend more time in the "wilderness" with Jesus. Please read your Bible and other materials such as Forward Day by Day, 2018 Lenten Meditations, attend one of the Services on Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning, and stay for Bible Study. Note that fasting should be undertaken only if health will permit. Lenten folders are available at the back of the church for special offerings.

THANK YOU

The St. Luke's Guild would like to thank all who donated eyeglasses to the recent "Used Eyeglasses Drive" 74 pairs were received and sent to Springfield Gardens Lion's Club.

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN 2018

As of February 4, we have received 81 pledges. To date, \$197,526.00 has been pledged, of which Vestry members have pledged \$43,700.00. We are still accepting pledge cards! Please remember that every pledge count, every pledge represents a commitment to St. Peter's Church and its mission; it helps to bring us closer to our goal to sustain our ministry at St. Peter's in 2018. If you have not made a pledge as yet for the Lord's work at St. Peter's Church, Rosedale, for 2018, please do so after prayerful consideration by filling out a pledge card and either put it in the offering plate or hand it to one of the Wardens or a member of the Vestry.

5 DAYS AND 4 NIGHTS VACATION TOUR

Leaving from St. Peter's on Monday August 6, 2018 and returning on Friday August 10, 2018. Trip includes Hotel Accommodations, Roundtrip, 6 Meals, tour of Niagara Falls on both New York and Canadian sides, Erie Canal one day cruise and Harriet Tubman Museum. A deposit of \$100.00 to hold reservation is now due. There are flyers in the back of the church for rates and other information. The trip is being coordinated by the Legal Eagles.

FREE TAX PREPARATIONS AND CONSULTATION

On February 17, 2018 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm, the Legal Eagles is hosting the yearly free tax preparation with IRS and tax consultation with the Legal Aid Society.

TOUR OF ITALY AND THE GREEK ISLES

Departing from JFK on July 30, 2019 and returning to JFK on August 11, 2019. Please take a flier from the back for rates and inclusions. A refundable deposit of \$50.00 is due now. Contact: legaleaglesrosedale@gmail.com and (718) 528-1356.