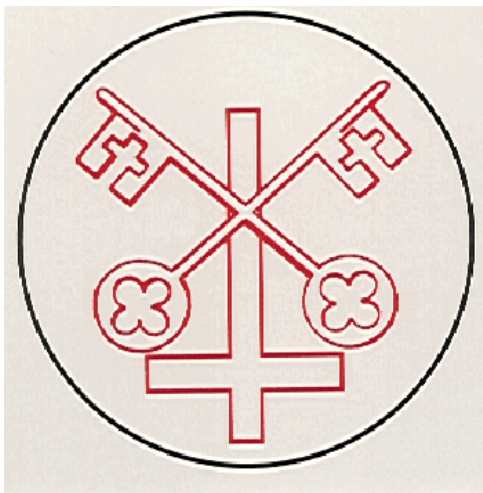


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"A Lighthouse of Faith, Hope, and of God's Love
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Be silent, be thoughtful, and be reverent, for this is the house of the Lord. Before the service, speak to God; during the service, let God speak to you; and after the service, speak to each other.

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

YEAR B

February 18, 2018

The Rev. Steve L. Foster, Celebrant and Preacher

THE HOLY EUCHARIST

8:00AM

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

The Acclamation	BCP page 319
The Decalogue	BCP page 317
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The Collect of the Day	BCP page 166
The Collect for Lent	BCP page 166
Lesson:	Genesis 9:8-17
Gradual: Psalm 25:1-9	BCP page 614
Epistle:	1 Peter 3:18-22
THE HOLY GOSPEL:	Mark 1:9-15
Sermon	Father Foster
The Nicene Creed	BCP page 327

Prayers of the People

Insert

The Peace

Insert

THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory

The Great Thanksgiving

BCP page 333

(Eucharistic Prayer I)

The Reception of Holy Communion

The Postcommunion Prayer

BCP page 339

The Blessing and Dismiss

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

Organ Prelude**THE LITURGY OF THE WORD**

The Great Litany	BCP page 148
Introit: “The glory of these forty days”	Hymn 61
The Acclamation	BCP page 319
The Decalogue	BCP page 317
The Confession	BCP page 320
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The Collect for Lent	BCP page 166
Lesson:	Genesis 9:8-17
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Epistle:	1 Peter 3:18-22
Sequence “O Love, of God , how strong and true”	*Hymn 455
THE HOLY GOSPEL:	Mark 1:9-15
Sermon	Rev. Shayla Johnson
The Nicene Creed	BCP page 327

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THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

The Offertory	
“O love, how deep, how broad, how high”	Hymn 344
The Great Thanksgiving	BCP page 340
<i>(Eucharistic Prayer II)</i>	
Reception of Holy Communion	
“Now let us all with one accord”	*Hymn 147
“Yield not to temptation”	LEVAS 170
“Farther Along”	LEVAS 187
“We are often tossed and driv’n”	LEVAS 207
The Postcommunion Prayer	BCP page 339
The Blessing and Dismissal	
Recessional “Lead us heav’nly Father, lead us”	Hymn 567
Organ Postlude	

*Hymnal 1982

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

SUNDAYS

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

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

CLASS OF

Mr. Pearson Griffith, Senior Warden	2018
Mrs. Phyllis E. H. Williams, Jr. Warden	2017
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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

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CHOIR DIRECTOR/ORGANIST: Mr. Eiichi Shimada

DAUGHTERS OF ST. PETER'S: Mrs. Evelyn Irving, President

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

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YOUTH GROUP: Ms. Sharon Locker, Director, Theo Robinson, Pres.

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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

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

*After his Baptism Jesus is led by the Spirit into the wilderness
before returning to proclaim God's kingdom.*

As we begin this season of Lent, let us move off into the desert to communicate with our God. We pray for Justin, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Michael, our Presiding Bishop and Primate, Lawrence, GERALYN and Daniel our own Bishops.

Lord God, we come with all our muddled priorities, and conflicting agendas, to be made whole as the Body of Christ; to renounce evil so as to be equipped to announce the kingdom of peace. With our God: **all things are possible.**

Lord God, we come with the world's clamor ringing in our ears, with comfort zones beckoning us, but the pain of injustice refusing to be shut out. We come for the world's healing and for an end to all lying and deceit. With our God: **all things are possible.**

Lord God, we come with the demands of home, family, work and expectations warring in us for space and attention. We come on behalf of those too busy or too exhausted to pray; that our daily lives may be washed in your peace, ordered in holiness and lit up with your joy. With our God: **all things are possible.**

Lord God, we come with the needs and sorrows, pain and suffering of our brothers and sisters all over the world, who are aching – physically, emotionally or spiritually; especially [N.] we come to ask your comfort and healing love. With our God: **all things are possible.**

Lord God, we come to realign our lives in the context of your eternity, and to commend to your love our own loved ones who have passed through earthly death to the life which has no ending. With our God: **all things are possible.**

Lord God, we come with thankfulness for the gift of life, and for the call to holiness. Give us the grace to respond to your calling.

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.

TODAY The First Sunday in Lent

9:00 a.m. Said Mass (Rite I)
 10:00 a.m. Sung Mass (Rite II) and Sunday school
 1:00 p.m. Monthly Vestry Meeting

Mon., Feb. 19 Feria

No Meetings Today

Tues., Feb. 20 Frederick Douglas, Prophetic Witness, 1895

8:00 p.m. 244th Street Block Assoc. Meeting

Wed., Feb. 21 John Newman, Priest and Theologian, 1890

7:30 p.m. Lenten Deanery Service

Thurs., Feb. 22 Eric Liddell, Missionary to China, 1945

5:45 p.m. Youth Choir Rehearsal
 7:00 p.m. Senior Choir Rehearsal

Fri., Feb. 23 Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr of Smyrna, 156 W

8:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross - Soup and Salad
 St. Luke's Guild Meeting

Sat., Feb. 24 St. Matthias the Apostle

10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

NEXT SUNDAY The Second Sunday in Lent

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.

WEEKLY INCOME

AMOUNT NEEDED FOR WEEKLY BUDGETED EXPENSES ONLY.....\$ 5,908.75
 February....4th..Pledges..\$4,515.00..Plate/Other..\$.291.00...Total.\$ 4,806.00
 February....11th..Pledges..\$3,375.00..Plate/Other..\$.255.00...Total.\$ 3,630.00
 Other Income-to-date: Utilities \$505.00; Fund Raising.....Total.\$ 0,000.00

CANDLES

The Candles burn today to the Greater Glory of God and in Thanksgiving for Agnes Matheson's father, Matthew Fortune, who is celebrating his 97th birthday.

JAMAICA DEANERY LENTEN SERVICE

Theme 'Called to be the People of God'. The first service will be held on Wednesday, February 21 at St. Gabriel's, Hollis at 196-10 Woodhull Avenue, Hollis, NY 11423. The preacher is Father Darryl James. All Services will be Holy Eucharist, beginning at 7:30pm.

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.

PLEDGES TO THE WORK OF THE LORD AT ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ROSEDALE

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. Pledge cards are available in the rack.

St. Peter's Key Newsletter would like to publish your Good News!

Do you have a recent or upcoming special date that you would like to share? A Wedding Anniversary? Graduation? Retirement? Birthday? If you would like your special date included in the Key Newsletter, please email your name and special occasion to stpeterskey@gmail.com. The deadline for submissions is Wednesday, February 28th.

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.

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. YOUR NEXT PAYMENT FOR NIAGARA TOUR IS DUE.

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. ALL DOWN PAYMENTS IS NOW DUE. Please pick up your payment plan. Contact: legaleaglesrosedale@gmail.com and (718)528-1356.

On Fridays during the Lenten season we will have Stations of the Cross at 8:00pm followed by discussion and soup and salad in the parish hall. There is a sign up sheet in the parish hall for those who wish to contribute soup and/or salad.