

Please Pray For The Church & its Leaders: Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop; Greg Brewer, our Bishop; the Diocese of Honduras, our companion diocese; Peter Tepper, our Rector; Jonnette DeMarsico, our Deacon

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer: The Church in the Province of the West Indies.
In the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Church of the Holy Child & St. James Church, Ormond Beach. **St. Peter's Cycle of Prayer:** Hospitality Ministry

Governmental Authorities: Joe Biden, President; Justin Trudeau, Canadian Prime Minister; Andrés Manuel López Obrador, President of Mexico; Ron DeSantis, Governor; the Congress, Courts, Legislators & Governments of New Smyrna Beach, Oak Hill, Edgewater & Port Orange

Those in the Military: Shaun Withers, Pam Ellison, Cole Savas, Jesse Davis, Oscar Mendozoa, Brandon Nash, Missy Lund, Mitchell Nass, Tristan Mullen, Evan Valdyke, Wesley Valdyke, Luke Adams, Mason Adams, John Blood, Steven Heebner, Daniel McMillan, Luke Fairweather

Those in the Mission Field: Tom & Jennifer Frakes, Mike & Kim Miller, Pastor Manno. **Those in prison:** Joel, Crosley, Charlie

Those Who Suffer: Tom M, Ted & Shoni, Gina & Tom, Mark, Sue Ross, Chris H., Marilyn, Jim Whitlow, Leann Williams, Frank Bullard, Ellen Lingo, Patricia L. Nitika, Brenda Owens, Dan & Liz V., Bonnie, Barbara, Cindy, Megan, Donald, Nancy Moja, Cinder Dior, Bruce Armstrong, Nancy Spencer, Bessie, Bill, Paul & Megan, Lillian Tangen, Irene, Jim Savino, Lou Gehrig, Debbie Frakes, Dave M. Norma R., Bart D., Dianne M., Phillip Nibiski, Tom Ragan, Josh, Kerry, Jack, Marlene Duerr Fedderson, Michael & Marie Ladley, Barbara Soldwedel, Lori S., Katie A., Aurelia, Shannon, Crosby, Gavin, Fredrick Behrend, Jan, Penny G., Tom R, Jack Diepersloot, Mike

Those with Extended Suffering: Nancy O., Phil E., Steve, Michael Wentz, Eleanor Nygren, Darlene Duerr Engles, Walt D., Ingrid's Granddaughter, Paula G., Laura Routh, Jennifer, Fr. David MacDonald, Judy D., Jim W., Tom, Richard J., Ann Smith, Brenda Mares, Jeremy, Jeanine Deane, Jennifer Stitch, Harry Flynn, Sandy Thornton, Becky Routh, Kat B., Justin N., Danny B., Carolyn, Janice Mears, Carol Spinelli & family, Amanda, Tammie, Jo, Cindy, Ashleigh, Janet, Sharon H., Connor S. Melissa M., Jim Sager, "Poppi Dick" McMullen, Pat Brown, Dave M., Pegge G.

Happy Birthday ~ Jacquie Longacre, Patricia Socha, Pat Polderman, Alice Jackson

Happy Anniversary ~ Kirk & Janie Kennedy, Stan & Wendy Dippel, Ed & Kathy Schroeder, Stephen & Tennis Wright, Ernie & Roz Bennett, Paul & Arlene Heidrich, John & Laurie Lander, Bernie & Beth Jensen

St. Peter's Vestry

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This Week at St. Peter the Fisherman

Sunday – 5/21

- 8:30 a.m. – **Holy Eucharist Service** (without music)
- 10:30 a.m. – **Holy Eucharist Service**
- 10:15 a.m. – **Sunday School for Children**
(Down in the Parish House! Kids join their parents during the Peace)
- 11:45 a.m. – **Choir Practice** (In the conference room! Come make a joyful noise.)
- **6 p.m. – Beach Service with Communion** (Back on the Sand!
Down at Bethune Beach! Bring your beach chairs and a friend!)

Monday – 5/22 – (8 – 1 p.m. Office Hours)

- 9 a.m. – **Flower Guild**

Tuesday – 5/23 – (8 – 1 p.m. Office Hours)

- **9:30 – 11 a.m. – Staff Meeting**
- 6 p.m. – **Adult Evening Bible Study**

Wednesday – 5/24 – (8 – 1 p.m. Office Hours)

- 10 a.m. – **Holy Eucharist Service** (without music)
- 11 a.m. – **Bible Study with Fr. Peter**
- 7 p.m. **Alcoholics Anonymous** (starting at 6:30 with coffee on back deck)

Thursday – 5/25 – (8 – 1 p.m. Office Hours)

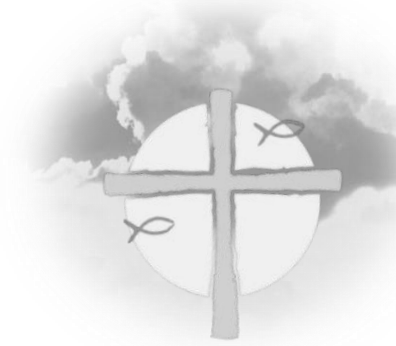
Friday – 5/26 – (8 – 1 p.m. Office Hours)

Saturday – 5/27

- 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. – **Flower Guild**
- 7 p.m. – **Alcoholics Anonymous** (starting at 6:30 with coffee on back deck)

Sunday – 5/28 – Pentecost Sunday – wear red with us!

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*Rev. Peter Tepper, Rector &
Rev. Jonnette DeMarsico, Deacon*

Ascension Sunday

5/21/2023

The Holy Eucharist: Rite II - 8:30 & 10:30 Services



Opening Hymn – “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” Hymnal 450 (see insert)

Alleluia, Christ is Risen!

The Lord is Risen indeed, Alleluia!

Collect for Purity & Gloria

BCP pg. 355

The Collect of the Day

Grant, we pray, Almighty God, that as we believe your only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into heaven, so we may also in heart and mind there ascend, and with him continually dwell; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Liturgy of The Word

The First Reading

Acts 1:1-11

In the first book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus did and taught from the beginning until the day when he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles whom he had chosen. After his suffering he presented himself alive to them by many convincing proofs, appearing to them during forty days and speaking about the kingdom of God. While staying with them, he ordered them not to leave Jerusalem, but to wait there for the promise of the Father. "This," he said, "is what you have heard from me; for John baptized with water, but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now." So when they had come together, they asked him, "Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?" He replied, "It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up toward heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up toward heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven." *The word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.*



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Psalm 47

- 1 Clap your hands, all you peoples; *
shout to God with a cry of joy.
- 2 For the Lord Most High is to be feared; *
he is the great King over all the earth.
- 3 He subdues the peoples under us, *
and the nations under our feet.
- 4 He chooses our inheritance for us, *
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.
- 5 God has gone up with a shout, *
the Lord with the sound of the ram's-horn.
- 6 Sing praises to God, sing praises; *
sing praises to our King, sing praises.
- 7 For God is King of all the earth; *
sing praises with all your skill.
- 8 God reigns over the nations; *
God sits upon his holy throne.
- 9 The nobles of the peoples have gathered together *
with the people of the God of Abraham.
- 10 The rulers of the earth belong to God, *
and he is highly exalted.

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.*

The Second Reading

Ephesians 1:15-23

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all. *The Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.*

Sequence Hymn - "Lord Enthroned in Heavenly Splendor" Hymnal 307

The Gospel Reading

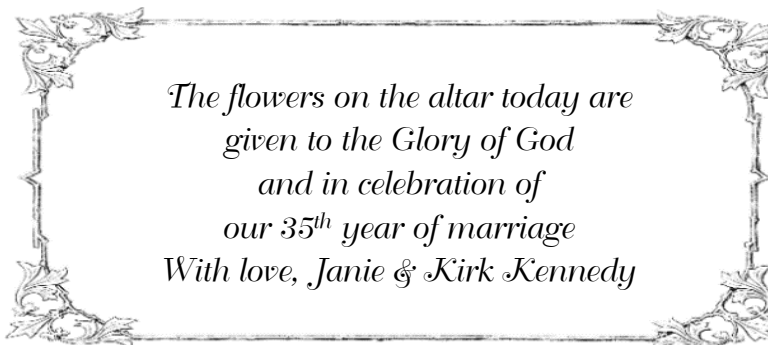
Luke 24:44-53

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to Luke. Glory to you Lord Christ. Jesus said to his disciples, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you-- that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And see, I am sending upon you what my Father promised; so stay here in the city until you have been clothed with power from on high." Then he led them out as far as Bethany, and, lifting up his hands, he blessed them. While he was blessing them, he withdrew from them and was carried up into heaven. And they worshiped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy; and they were continually in the temple blessing God. *The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

Sermon Fr. Peter Tepper, Rector
 Nicene Creed BCP pg. 358
 Prayers of the People & Confession – **Form IV** BCP pg. 388 & 360
 The Peace & Welcome
 Offertory

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Holy Communion – **Eucharistic Prayer A** BCP pg. 361
 The Lord's Prayer & The Breaking of the Bread
 Distribution of Elements (Hymnal 336, 483, 603
for lyrics to Communion Hymns see insert)
To receive the Bread, hold out your hands palms up. The minister will place the bread into your hands. You may then consume it, or, alternatively, dip it into the wine. Gluten free is available, please let the minister know. If you do not feel comfortable or are unable to receive communion we would be delighted to pray a prayer of blessing over you.
 Post Communion Prayer BCP pg. 365
 The Blessing
 Closing Hymn – "Crown Him with Many Crowns" Hymnal 494 (see insert)



Thank you to our Hospitality Ministry for putting together such a wonderful Mother's Day Tea last Sunday! Would you like to be involved in our next event or help out with our Coffee Hour? Please contact Chef Sue Flynn at 386-426-2298!

Calling All Men! – It's time to resurrect St. Peter's Men's Group! If you are interested in becoming an active participant of our Men's Group, please email Chip Witt at chipwitt118@gmail.com If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 407-832-4601. Faithfully, Chip Witt, Jr. Warden

NEEDED: A detail-oriented individual to **coordinate drivers and persons who need a ride to services, 8:30 and 10:30 Sundays.** If this sounds like YOUR ministry and you would like to be involved, **please contact Deacon Jonnette at jonnette@sptfnb.org!**

Take a moment to stop by the **Altar Flower Dedication board** at the back of the church to **sign up for a special Sunday!** Whether you'd like to celebrate a loved one's birthday or special occasion in your life, please put "Altar Flowers" in the memo of your check. Dedication verbiage can be included with your check or sent to katie@sptfnb.org by email by the Wednesday prior to your Sunday.

Scripture Readings for Pentecost Sunday, May 28th

Acts 2:1-21
 Psalm 104:25-35, 37
 1 Corinthians 12:3b-13
 John 20:19-23

