



St. Peter's Church  
IN THE GREAT VALLEY

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1700

# THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

APRIL 6, 2025 — 10:00 AM

HOLY EUCHARIST: RITE TWO

*Welcome! It is our wish that you feel at home in this place, and that you experience God's presence in heart, mind, and spirit.  
In this leaflet the words to be said by all are **bolded**.*

## THE WORD OF GOD

**Voluntary** *Air in C minor*

*Johann Sebastian Bach*

*Throughout the season of Lent a brief period of silence will follow the Voluntary.*

**Hymn 610** *Lord, whose love in humble service*

*Blaenhafren*

## Opening Acclamation

*The people standing, the Presider says*

Blessed be the God of our salvation:

*People* **Who bears our burdens and forgives our sins.**

## The Decalogue

*Presider* Hear the commandments of God to God's people:

I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.

You shall have no other gods but me.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not make for yourself any idol.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Honor your father and your mother.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not commit murder.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not commit adultery.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not steal.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not be a false witness.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

*People* **Amen. Lord have mercy.**

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

## **The Confession of Sin**

*Deacon* Let us confess our sins to God.

*Silence may be kept.*

*People* **God of all mercy,  
we confess that we have sinned against you,  
opposing your will in our lives.  
We have denied your goodness in each other,  
in ourselves, and in the world you have created.  
We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done,  
and the evil done on our behalf.  
Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ,  
that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.**

*Presider* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

## **Hymnal S-86 Kyrie Eleison**

David Hurd

**Kyrie eleison.  
Christe eleison.  
Kyrie eleison.**

## The Collect of the Day

*Presider* God be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Presider* Let us pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## The First Lesson

Isaiah 43:16-21

Thus says the Lord, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honor me the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for myself so that they might declare my praise.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

## Psalm 126

*In convertendo*



1 When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion, \*  
then were we like those who dream.

2 Then was our mouth filled with laughter, \*  
and our tongue with shouts of joy.

3 Then they said among the nations, \*  
"The Lord has done great things for them."

**Refrain**

- 4 The Lord has done great things for us, \*  
and we are glad indeed. **Refrain**
- 5 Restore our fortunes, O Lord, \*  
like the watercourses of the Negev.
- 6 Those who sowed with tears \*  
will reap with songs of joy.
- 7 Those who go out weeping, carrying the seed, \*  
will come again with joy, shouldering their sheaves. **Refrain**

## **The Second Lesson**

Philippians 3:4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God**

**Hymn 382** *King of Glory, King of Peace*

*General Seminary*

## **The Holy Gospel**

John:12:1-8

*Deacon*    The Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to John.

*People*    **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

*Deacon*    The Gospel of our Savior.

*People*    **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

## **The Sermon**

The Rev. Ned Sherrill

## **The Nicene Creed**

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,  
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.

Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven:

by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.

On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.  
Amen.

## **The Prayers of the People**

*Intercessor* In this holy season of Lent, we are called to a journey of self-examination, repentance, and prayer following the example of Jesus our Savior. Let us in our prayers offer to God the yearnings of our hearts.

We pray for the whole church, all leaders, and ministers, and all the holy people of God; especially Sean our Presiding Bishop; Daniel our Bishop; and Abigail and Jeff our Clergy. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

**In you is our help and strength.**

We pray for our nation, for all the nations of the earth, and for all who govern and judge; especially our governor, president, and the leaders of all the nations. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

**In you is our help and strength.**

We pray for those who are in harm's way and places of danger; those who willingly risk their lives; particularly for those serving in the armed services, and all first responders. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

**In you is our help and strength.**

We pray for those who hunger, those who thirst, those who cry out for justice, those who live under the threat of terror, and those without a place to lay their head. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

**In you is our help and strength.**

We pray for those who are ill, those in pain, those under stress, and those who are lonely; especially those named in our parish prayer list. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

**In you is our help and strength.**

We pray for those who have died, and who have entered into the land of eternal Light and your abiding peace, especially Anke Keltz and Mathew Carey Hudson for whom our altar memorials are given. We lift our eyes to the hills, O God.

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## **The Peace**

*Presider* The peace of Christ be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

## **Welcome and Announcements**



## **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

*This is the Lord's supper: God's feast for all of God's people. There is always an abundance here and a place for you.*

*You are invited and encouraged to feast at God's table. Please let the priest know if you would like a gluten-free wafer.*

*If you do not wish to receive communion, you may cross your arms over your chest and receive a blessing.*

## **The Offertory Anthem    Thee We Adore**

*Adoro Te*, arr. T. Frederick Candlyn

Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour, thee  
who in thy sacrament art pleased to be;  
both flesh and spirit in thy presence fail,  
yet here thy presence we devoutly hail.

O blest memorial of our dying Lord,  
who living bread to us doth here afford;  
O may our souls for ever feed on thee,  
and thou, O Christ, for ever precious be.

Fountain of goodness, Jesu, Lord and God,  
cleanse us, unclean, with thy most cleansing blood;  
increase our faith and love, that we may know  
the hope and peace which from thy presence flow.

O Christ, whom now beneath a veil we see,  
what we thirst for soon our portion be:  
to gaze on thee unveiled, and see thy face,  
the vision of thy glory and thy grace.

*Thomas Aquinas / James Russell Woodford*

## The Doxology

Hymn 43, *The Eighth Tune*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

## The Great Thanksgiving

*Eucharistic Prayer 1*

*Presider* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Presider* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Presider* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

It is truly right, and good and joyful, to give you thanks, all-holy God, source of life and fountain of mercy.

*Here, a Proper Preface is said on all Sundays as appointed.*

Therefore, joining with Angels and Archangels and with the faithful of every generation, we lift our voices with all creation as we sing:

## Hymnal S-124 *Sanctus*

David Hurd

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

*The Presider continues*

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of the universe and giver of life. You formed us in your own image and called us to dwell in your infinite love. You gave the world into our care that we might be your faithful stewards and show forth your bountiful grace. But we failed to honor your image in one another and in ourselves; we would not see your goodness in the world around us; and so we violated your creation, abused one another, and rejected your love. Yet you never ceased to care for us, and prepared the way of salvation for all people. Through Abraham and Sarah you called us into covenant with you. You delivered us from slavery, sustained us in the wilderness, and raised up prophets to renew your promise of salvation.



Then, in the fullness of time, you sent your eternal Word, made mortal flesh in Jesus. Born into the human family, and dwelling among us, he revealed your glory. Giving himself freely to death on the cross, he triumphed over evil, opening the way of freedom and life.

On the night before he died for us, Our Savior Jesus Christ took bread, and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his friends, and said: "Take, eat: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

As supper was ending, Jesus took the cup of wine, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is poured out for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Presider and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*The Presider continues*

Remembering his death and resurrection, we now present to you from your creation this bread and this wine. By your Holy Spirit may they be for us the Body and Blood of our Savior Jesus Christ. Grant that we who share these gifts may be filled with the Holy Spirit and live as Christ's Body in the world. Bring us into the everlasting heritage of your daughters and sons, that with Peter and all your saints, past, present, and yet to come, we may praise your Name for ever.

Through Christ and with Christ and in Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, to you be honor, glory, and praise, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

## **The Lord's Prayer**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name,**

**thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread.**

**And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## The Breaking of the Bread

*The Presider breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*A period of silence is kept.*

Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**Therefore let us keep the feast.**

*Facing the people, the Presider says the following Invitation*

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

## Hymnal S-161 *Agnus Dei*

David Hurd

Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: have mercy on us.  
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world: grant us peace.

## Communion Motet *Ave verum Corpus*

Julie Ferris

*Ave, verum corpus natum  
de Maria Virgine:  
vere passum, immolatum  
in cruce pro homine:  
cuius latus perforatum  
fluxit aqua et sanguine:  
esto nobis praegustatum,  
in mortis examine.  
O dulcis, O pie,  
O Jesu Fili Mariae.  
Miserere mei. Amen.*

Hail the true body, born  
of the Virgin Mary:  
You who truly suffered and were sacrificed  
on the cross for the sake of humankind.  
From whose pierced flank  
flowed water and blood:  
Be a foretaste for us  
in the trial of death.  
O sweet, O merciful,  
O Jesus, Son of Mary.  
Have mercy on me. Amen.

## The Post-Communion Prayer

*Presider and People*

God of abundance, you have fed us with the bread of life and cup of salvation;  
you have united us with Christ and one another; and you have made us one with  
all your people in heaven and on earth. Now send us forth in the power of your  
Spirit, that we may proclaim your redeeming love to the world and continue for  
ever in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

## Solemn Prayer over the People

*The Presider prays over the People.*

Look with compassion, O Lord, upon this your people; that, rightly observing this holy season, they may learn to know you more fully, and to serve you with a more perfect will; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Hymn 555** *Lead on, O King eternal*

*Lancashire*

## The Dismissal

*Deacon* Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

**Postlude** *Fugue in E minor*

*Johann Sebastian Bach*

*We are sent forth to be Christ's blessing in the world.*

*Please join us for refreshments in the gathering space following the service.*

*At 11:20 the Reverend Jeff Moretzsohn will lead walking the Stations of the Cross in the worship space.*

# ST. PETER'S CHURCH IN THE GREAT VALLEY PRAYER LIST

APRIL 6, 2025

**In the power of the Spirit who joins our prayer to Christ's enduring intercession, we pray for the sick, the suffering, and all who stand in need, especially for these individuals and their families:** Laurie Sasko, Bruce Dovey, Katherine Wersen, Randy, Tom Kellogg, Charlene Hanbury, Jim Egan, Beatrice Jordan, Liz and Bill Andersen, Evan, Will Dusinberre, Megan Broghan, Jan Muck, Diana, Ava, Dabi, Luca, Gabe, Lorrie and John, Mary and Peter Kreek, Tom Briar, George, Karen Stewart, Matt, Bill Patterson, Patricia Patterson, Tony Allen, William, John Loftus, Penny and Alan, Wendy Schifflin, Evan, Martha Nelson, Jocelyn, Caitlin Grove, Karen Pecora, Steve Schwartzberg, Ruth Farley, Matt Meyers, Ellen Hopeck, Hannah McCormick, Hal Kulp, Kristin, Alysse Cooper, Sam, Robin Jones, Mike Tryciecky, Gail and Larry Malcolm, the family of Janice Rackovan, Doris Rolston, Leonard Mainiero, Peter Kreek, Lynda Rebarchak, Erin Goseer Mitchell, Audrey Mitchell Carruthers, Cannutte Russell, Jack Johns, Lisa Johns, Aslynn Satterfield, Patty Mayrhofer, Kathy Liberato

**For these other concerns:** For the needs of others throughout our country and the world; for our nation and for all nations, that we may live in unity, peace, and concord; for justice and peace, and respect for the dignity of every human being; for all immigrants, refugees, and pilgrims from around the world, that they may be welcomed in our midst and be treated with fairness, dignity, and respect; for wise and just leaders; for those serving in the armed forces; for wounded warriors; for those whom we see as enemies and those who see us as enemies; for our visitors and guests and all those seeking a church home; for those seeking employment; for those who are poor, hungry, lonely, oppressed or in prison; for all those in places of war and genocide, especially in the Middle East, Ukraine, and Sudan; and for all those suffering as a result of gun violence and natural disasters.

**Altar Memorials:** Anke Keltz given by Mr. Bill Keltz, and Mathew Carey Hudson given by his family

**Parish Life Cycle of Prayer:** St. Peter's Preschool

**Outreach Cycle of Prayer:** American Red Cross

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** Iglesia Anglicana de Chile

## **This Week at Saint Peter's Church**

### **SUNDAY, APRIL 6:** Fifth Sunday in Lent

- 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II – bank barn
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School bank barn, lower level
- 11:20 a.m. Stations of the cross – bank barn

*Hospitality follows the service*

### **MONDAY, APRIL 7**

- 11:00 a.m. Staff meeting
- 3:00 p.m. Echo Lake Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Final Lenten Popcorn Theology – via Zoom

### **TUESDAY, APRIL 8**

- 7:00 p.m. Finance Commission – via Zoom

### **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9**

- 10:00 a.m. Bible Study – via Zoom
- 6 - 7:30 p.m. Final Lenten Soup Supper - parish hall, historic church

### **THURSDAY, APRIL 10**

- 10:30 a.m. Praying the Prayer List– via Zoom
- 9:15 p.m. Compline – via Facebook and YouTube

### **FRIDAY, APRIL 11**

- 8:00 a.m. Gathering of Men – via Zoom

### **SUNDAY, APRIL 13:** Palm Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite I – historic church
- 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist – Enriching Our Worship – bank barn
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday school – bank barn, lower level
- 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist Rite II – historic church\*
- 4:00 p.m. Evensong and concert – bank barn

*Hospitality follows each service*

\* The asterisk indicates which service will be live streamed each week.

## ST. PETER'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME** to the Reverend Ned Sherrill who is serving as our preacher and celebrant today while our rector is away. Please be sure to introduce yourself and welcome him to St. Peter's.

**NURSERY CARE** is available in the nursery near the elevator on the lower level of the barn. Our youngest worshippers are welcome to join us or you may choose for them to be cared for in the nursery by our wonderful team.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** takes place at 9:00 a.m. Children may go to the classrooms in the lower level of the barn when they arrive. They will return to the church service at the time of the Peace. Please contact Seretha Curry to learn more.

**POPCORN THEOLOGY LENTEN SERIES – CONCLAVE (2024)** Join us on Monday, April 7th at 6 pm for the fifth and final film in our 2025 Lenten Series titled "Faith & Duty". **Conclave**, starring Ralph Fiennes, Stanley Tucci, and John Lithgow, is a thought-provoking papal drama that delivers edge-of-your-seat suspense. If new to Popcorn Theology, simply watch the film on your favorite streaming service or by DVD and then join the meeting via Zoom to discuss the moral, ethical, spiritual, and cinematic aspects of the film. The Zoom link will be mailed to the parish email list on Sunday, April 6th. For more information, contact Mark Nestlehutt [mark.nestlehutt@gmail.com](mailto:mark.nestlehutt@gmail.com) or Steve Ockenden [steveock@verizon.net](mailto:steveock@verizon.net). All are welcome!

**EASTER JOY FOR DARBY MISSION** Thank you to so many who have filled 40 grocery bags with non-perishable foods that will be shared with families served by Darby Mission for their Easter dinners. Roasting chickens will be added to the bags and delivered to Darby Mission on Good Friday. All filled bags are needed by Sunday, April 6th. If you still have your bag, please Contact Betsy Comstock ([bcomstock50@gmail.com](mailto:bcomstock50@gmail.com), 484-639-4849) or Cathy Terlescki ([jterlescki@aol.com](mailto:jterlescki@aol.com), 610-805-6864)

**DIRECTORY UPDATE** At the annual parish meeting on May 4, updated church directories will be available. Please let the parish office know if there are significant changes in your personal/household information: name(s), address(es), phone number(s), additional children. The information is taken directly from Realm, so check your listing and notify Rachel, parish administrator, of necessary changes at 610-644-2261 or [parishadministrator@stpetersgv.org](mailto:parishadministrator@stpetersgv.org). Thank you.

**DUE DATE FOR EASTER ALTAR MEMORIALS** is Monday, April 14, not April 18. My apologies for the date change.

**ONE QUIET HOUR** Watch will be kept at the altar of repose in the historic church until noon on Good Friday. Parishioners have the opportunity for quiet, prayer and meditation while keeping watch following the Maundy Thursday liturgy. Please sign-up on the link in Keynotes or contact the church office for your chosen hour. Deacon Jeff Moretzsohn will be in the church throughout the full evening and night to provide security.

**LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS:** Wednesday, April 9. Simple supper from 6:00-6:30p.m. Program from 6:30-7:30p.m. Parish Hall, historic church. "The Lost Art of Kindness: Civility as a Christian Calling" A ChurchNext video offering with Bishop Mariann Edgar Budde: "Episcopal Bishop Mariann Budde explores the idea of civility as a Christian calling by delving into the powerful theme of kindness, as exemplified in both the Hebrew Scriptures and Christian teachings. In exploring biblical stories, Bishop Budde introduces the deeper spiritual principles behind acts of kindness. Being kind, however, doesn't mean abandoning our principles. **Volunteers are needed** to bring soup and/or bread. Information and signup sheets are located in the barn and historic church, where you can sign up for one or more dates. For questions on soup & bread contributions, contact Michael Smith at [msmithcando@gmail.com](mailto:msmithcando@gmail.com), or tel: 813-943-3796. Additional information in Keynotes.

**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** Our striking Stations of the Cross, featuring etchings by Jauneth Skinner, will be hanging in the barn throughout Lent. Booklets are available to guide you through on your own. Today, **Sunday, April 6**, following coffee hour our deacon, The Reverend Jeff Moretzsohn, will lead a group to walk them together.

**CHOIR RESIDENCY IN NORWICH** Our choirs will be engaged in singing a week-long choral residency July 19-26, 2026 at Norwich Cathedral. If you are interested in joining in this choral pilgrimage, speak to Steven Patchel or any choir member. Flyers are also available with more information.

**APRIL IS CEREAL/OATMEAL MONTH** Shopping Cart food ministry - You provide direct support to our friends at CYWA in Coatesville. Any questions please call the office (610-644-2261) THANK YOU !!!

**BIBLE STUDY** takes place on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. via Zoom. If you would like to participate, please contact Jeff at [jeff@stpetersgv.org](mailto:jeff@stpetersgv.org) or Abigail at [abigail@stpetersgv.org](mailto:abigail@stpetersgv.org) for the necessary details.

**PRAYER GROUP** Join us on Thursdays via Zoom as we pray through the parish prayer list. Please contact Deacon Jeff for more information at [jeff@stpetersgv.org](mailto:jeff@stpetersgv.org).

**THURSDAY NIGHT COMPLINE** Our clergy, Abigail and Jeff, join together with the Reverend Chris Exley to pray Compline on Thursdays. During the season of Lent the service is available via Facebook or YouTube at 9:15 p.m. You are welcome to join them for this simple, meditative, end of day prayer service.

**THE GATHERING OF MEN** Please join Rod Platt every Friday at 8:00 a.m. via Zoom or in person on the first Friday of the month in the historic church. All men in the parish are invited. If you would like to join this group, please contact Rod to receive the Zoom link. He is listed in the parish directory or contact the parish office at 610-644-2261.



## **Please join us for Holy Week and Easter at St. Peter's Church in the Great Valley**

*Palm Sunday, April 13*

Morning services at 8:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., and 11:15 a.m.

4:00 p.m. Evensong and Concert - bank barn

*Maundy Thursday, April 17*

7:30 p.m. liturgy - historic church

*Watch*

9:00 p.m. Thursday - 12:00 p.m. Friday - historic church

*Good Friday, April 18*

12:00 p.m. liturgy - historic church

### **Easter Day, April 20**

*The Great Vigil of Easter*

6:00 a.m. - historic church

Brunch follows - parish hall of the historic church

*Family Easter Eucharist*

9:00 a.m. Family Eucharist - barn with brass and timpani

Egg hunt follows

*Festal Easter Eucharist*

11:15 a.m - historic church with brass\*

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## MINISTERS OF THE LITURGY

**Altar Guild:** Marcia McIlvain  
**Acolyte:** Wyatt Fant  
**Greeter:** Linda Huggler  
**Ushers:** Steve Ockenden, Roger Tellefsen  
**Sound:** Eric Stoltz  
**Hospitality:** Edelblute/Allen family

**Flower Guild:** Linda Huggler  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Duncan Kraig, Gail Malcolm  
**Intercessor:** Melissa Shaner  
**Readers:** Steve Ockenden, Mary Anne Morgan  
**Verger:** Gail Malcom

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