



St. Peter's Episcopal Church

South Windsor, Connecticut

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Our answering machine is operative 24 hours

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THE MISSION STATEMENT OF ST. PETER'S CHURCH

*Our mission is to meet people where they are on their faith journey
and help them move closer to Christ.*

The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost, July 12, 2026

Welcome to St. Peter's; we're glad you're here! Please take advantage of the few minutes before the music begins to prepare for the service by collecting your thoughts in prayer.

Holy Eucharist Rite II

(8:00 service omits music)

Call to Worship – *Spirit of the living God*

SB-37

Ministry Of The Word

*Processional – *O Spirit of Life, O Spirit of God*

Hymnal-505

*Acclamation

The Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 355

*Gloria – S-280

p. 356

*Collect of the Day (*contemporary said in unison*)

See Insert

The Book of Genesis 25:19-34

See Insert

Psalm 119:105-112 *Lucerna pedibus meis*

See Insert/BCP p. 772

Paul's Letter to the Romans 8:1-11

See Insert

*Gradual Hymn – *Blessed Jesus, at thy word* (stanzas 1-2)

Hymnal-440

*The Gospel of Matthew 13:1-9,18-33

See Insert

*Gradual Hymn – *Blessed Jesus, at thy word* (stanza 3)

Hymnal-440

Sermon

The Very Reverend Anne Fraley

*The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

*Prayers of the People Form V

p. 389

The Confession

p. 360

*The Peace

p. 360

The Holy Communion

The Offertory – *Let it be said of us*

SB-31

*Doxology

Hymnal 380 v. 3

*Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

*Sanctus – S-125

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The Lord's Prayer

p. 364

The Distribution of Communion

Hymn after Communion – *Holy Spirit*

SB-38

Post Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

Announcements

Blessing

*Recessional – *Lord, make us servants of your peace*

Hymnal 593

Dismissal

For your convenience:

Guests & Visitors Welcome!
We invite you to fill out the visitor card located on the back of each pew and make yourself known to our clergy and parishioners.

Communion is open to all baptized Christians. To receive communion please stand at the altar rail; to receive a blessing rather than communion please cross your arms over your chest.

For everyone's safety, please do not kneel at the altar rail to receive communion.

Gluten free wafers are available; please make your need known to the Priest.

**Please stand if you are able.*

Please support those affected by the earthquakes in Venezuela

Episcopal Relief & Development is working closely with partners to support people affected by the Venezuela Earthquakes. The International Disaster Fund is an important tool for responding to immediate needs and supporting long-term recovery. St. Peter’s will send a combined donation to ERD. If you would like to donate, please use the giving envelopes, making sure to note your name and that your gift is intended for the Venezuela relief collection.

Don’t forget **altar flowers!** Summer is a great time to honor or remember someone through flower donations for our altar. You can sign up on the green sheet in the short hallway, call or email the office, or arrange for it on our website.

Summer is also a great time to share flowers from your garden. If you wish to donate some of your flowers for the altar please get in touch with Barbara Hoff or contact the office.

While you’re out grocery shopping, please remember our ongoing need to **keep the little free pantry and the food box in the Narthex well-stocked.** The South Windsor Food Bank suggests items such as canned or boxed pasta, canned chicken or tuna, canned fruit, pasta sauce, granola bars, crackers, cereal, cooking oil, condiments, baking mixes, peanut butter, and jelly. Personal care items are also greatly appreciated, including soap, shampoo, toothpaste, feminine hygiene products, and household cleaning supplies. All donations are delivered regularly to the South Windsor Food Bank.

Please note: The South Windsor Food Bank accepts fresh produce. If you have an abundance from your garden **you may take it directly there.** Do not leave it in our food box because it may spoil before someone from here takes it with the rest of the donated food.

Heads up: SPOT is planning a Back to School Supply Drive. We are waiting to hear back from the Town about a list of items needed and a time line. We will have a short turnaround time so please be ready!

Summer is a busy time for most of us and it is easy to fall behind. But please **don’t forget to keep up with your pledge!** Remember our parish’s financial obligations do not go away.

The **men** will meet for breakfast **tomorrow morning, Monday, July 13th, at 7:00am** in the Red Cabin in SW. You’re welcome to join them.

The Little Pantry in the front of the Church is used often and, therefore, frequently empty. Please help by putting items directly in the pantry. Thank you. This week’s suggestions: Condiments, Granola Bars, and Peanut Butter.

Thanksgiving: for St. Peter’s Church and all the blessings shared here.

This week we pray for the Ministry of our Accompanists; for parish members, particularly the Malone family, Robert & Susan McBeth, and Thomas & Valerie Morelli. We also pray in thanksgiving for Molly Frank, Laura Ostrowski, Danny O’Connell, Kari Davis, Victoria Ostrowski, and Sue Grenier, who celebrate their birthdays this week, and we offer further prayers of thanksgiving as Greg & Melissa Frank celebrate their anniversary this week.

PRAYER REQUESTS: the Richards and the Rayner families, Shirley, Pat Hatala, Laura Kluberanz, Louie Sandrick, Michele, Lorretta, Pam, Erika, James, and Matt Brown; for those being treated for cancer, especially Lynn Fulbright, Zanie Devereaux, Paula Stolas, Russ Hamilton, Sally, Barbara Wolf, and Amber; and those committed to our ongoing prayers: Gretchen Rehberg, Paddy Rooney, Jerry Freeland, Craig, Tom, Gail, Marci, Mary Johnson, Herlinde Muir, Brett Bennett, Andrea Newberry, Jimmy Forno, Lucy Horwitz, Lois Piela, Tom Urgo, Jason Ward, Mark Gilje, Johnny Wolf, Jane Perrin, Ray Sapula, Ken, Tim Wolf, Rodger, Lynn and Helen Reagan, Matt Dillon, Michelle, John Moran, Mark Moran, Kirk, Travis, Hal, Kerrie, Anya Houlroyd and Robbi Lyn Skipper, Barbara, and Fred Wood. For our Armed Forces serving at home and abroad and their families, especially Richard Nuñez, Jr., Melissa Kell, and Kenneth Fraley, Jr.



Readings for next Sunday, July 19th: Genesis 28:10-19a; Psalm 139:1-11, 22-23; Romans 8:12-25; Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Serving	Today 8am	Today 9am	Next Week 8am	Next Week 9am
Ushers:	B. Hartley	G. Malone	L. Eaton	G. Malone
Lectors:	D. Bennett	B. Hoff	B. Hartley	T. Fornuto
Intercessors:	D. Bennett	T. Fornuto	B. Hartley	D. Fornuto
E. Minister:	D. Indomenico	A. Hubeny	D. Bennett	L. Pile
Tech Team:		D.Nanci		D. Hubeny
Counters:	Eaton/Pile		Hoff/Ober	
Coffee Hour:	The Hubenys		Fornuto/Pile	