



St. Peter's Episcopal Church

South Windsor, Connecticut

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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 Fifth Sunday in Lent, March 22, 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— *Holy Spirit*

SB-38

Ministry Of The Word

*Processional – *Hail thou once despised Jesus*

Hymnal-495

*A Penitential Order

Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 351

Confession

p. 352

*Kyrie – S-91

p. 356

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

See Insert

The Book of the Prophet Ezekiel: 37:1-14

See Insert

Psalms 130

See Insert/BCP p. 784

Paul's Letter to the Romans: 8:6-11

See Insert

*Gradual Hymn – *Breathe on me, breath of God (vs. 1-2)*

Hymnal-508

*The Gospel of John: 11:1-45

See Insert

*Gradual Hymn – *Breathe on me, breath of God (vs. 3-4)*

Hymnal-508

Sermon

The Very Reverend Anne Fraley

*The Nicene Creed

BCP p. 358

*Prayers of the People

*The Peace

p. 360

The Holy Communion

The Offertory – *Come and Behold Him*

SB-34

*Doxology

Hymnal 380 v. 3

*Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP p. 361

*Sanctus – S-124

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The Lord's Prayer

p. 364

The Distribution of Communion

Hymn after Communion – *I am the bread of life*

Hymnal-335

Post Communion Prayer

BCP p. 365

Announcements

Blessing

*Recessional – *All my hope on God is founded*

Hymnal 665

Dismissal

For your convenience:
Guests & Visitors Welcome!
We invite you to 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.

The bread and wine used for communion today are given in thanksgiving for Anne and Ken Fraley's 20th anniversary, as well as in memory of Joan Bell by the Bells.

*Please stand if you are able.

Envelopes for Easter flower donations are in the pews! If you would like to help decorate our altar for Easter, please put cash/check (suggested amount is \$35) with Easter Flowers written on the envelope memo line, as well as your name and the person(s) you would like to honor or remember on the envelope. You may also pay online through the “Giving” section of our website. The names will be printed and included in the Easter bulletin. Please have your **envelopes in by Palm Sunday, March 29th.**

Ladies Bible Chat will meet this **Tuesday, March 24th, at 7 PM in the Office Wing Meeting Room** for anyone who would like to attend.

Save the date! Our 3rd annual “**Fishin’ for Mission**” event is scheduled for **Friday, March 27th**, to raise money for the South Windsor Food and Fuel Bank. Tickets may be purchased through our website at st.peters-sw.org under “events”. **We are looking for volunteers!** If you would like to volunteer for the event, you may use the **signup genius link in Light Breezes**. We are also very excited that we have 40 items for our silent auction! **For anyone interested in bidding on any items, you may do so now through a link on our website and Facebook page.** Invite your family and friends!

The next **Peace by Piece Quilters meeting** is scheduled for **Saturday, April 11th**, from **9 – 2 PM** in the **Large Classroom**.

2026 Flower Donations – You may sign up to donate for flowers, or bread and wine (Lent), either on our **website** under **Giving/Flower Donations**, or on the **sign-up sheet on the Short Hall Bulletin Board**. More than one family may sign up for any Sunday; sign ups should be at least **one week in advance** to be included in the weekly bulletin. Payment may be made online or by check: \$35 payable to St. Peter’s, with “altar flowers” in the memo line.

Holy Week and Easter Services are as follows:

Palm Sunday, March 29th, 9 AM

Maundy Thursday, April 2nd, 7 PM

Good Friday, April 3rd, 7 PM

Easter Sunday, April 5th, 8 AM & 10AM services

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: creamer, sugar, and pudding cups.

Thanksgiving: for our Lenten Book Study and all its participants.

This week we pray for the Diocesan Delegates; for parish members the Prokop and Redinger families, Diana Rios, and Manuel Fernandez. We also pray for Sarah Healey, who is celebrating her birthday, and Anne and Ken Fraley, who are celebrating their anniversary this week. We join the Bells in remembering Joan Bell, as well as the Fraleys in thanksgiving for their 20th anniversary, for which the bread and wine are given today.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Louie Sandrick, Gretchen Rehberg, bishop of the Diocese of Spokane, Michele, Lorretta, the Parks, Haynesworth, Roach, Eaton, and Smith families, Pam, Erika, Paddy Rooney, Jerry Freeland, James, Ben Parks, Kelley, Val Morelli, Bailey, Mrs. Dickson, Craig, Tom, Gail, Marci, Mary Johnson, Louise Weaver, Dick Weaver, Herlinde Muir, Nico, Brett Bennett, Andrea Newberry, Jimmy Forno; For those being treated for cancer, especially Dennis, Sally, Barbara Wolf, Fred Cassidy, Susan Partyka, Jill Seekamp, Amber, and Pamela Usher; and those committed to our ongoing prayers; Rich Plank, 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, March 29th: Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Philippians 2:5-11; Matthew 21:1-11.

Serving:	Today 8am	Today 10am	Next Week 9am
Ushers:	L. Eaton	M. Bell	G. Malone
Lectors:	D. Bennett	A. Bierkan	N. T-Z
Intercessors:	D. Bennett	T. Fornuto	D. Fornuto
E. Minister:	D. Indomenico	L. Pile	D. Ober
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Counters:		Fornuto/Pile	Bell/Nanci
Coffee Hour:		Bell/Hoff	Nanci/Ober