

# SAINT PETER'S IN-THE-MOUNTAINS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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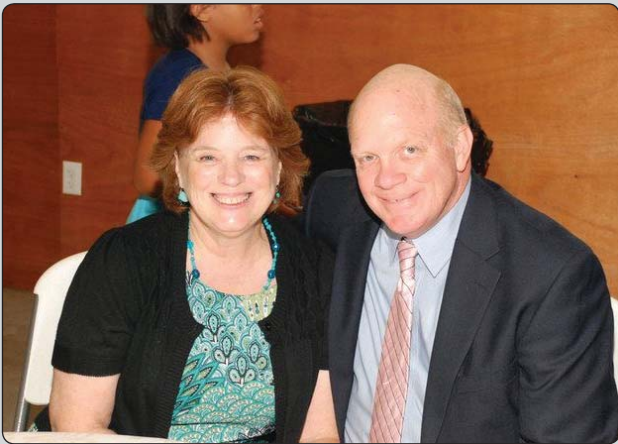


## ROCK CHURCH NEWS

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Sunday Service 10:00 am  
Church School 11:15 am

*"To embody Christ's teaching in appropriate ways for serving the community, the nation, and the world."*

### News, Notes & Faces



Thanks to Pat Newcombe for coordinating the Maundy Thursday Supper.



Thanks to the Altar Guild for all their additional work during Holy Week and Easter - Danene Bernard, Kelley Beyer, Sharon Buckman, Lisa Compton, Pat Newcombe.





## News, Notes & Faces

### FAIR TRADE NEWS

Equal Exchange (EE) has notified us that we are among the “Top 100 Community Sales accounts in 2023 and we were #3 in Virginia.

Thank you for your commitment to fair trade and the small farmer co-ops that EE partners with.” In turn, we thank St. Peter’s for your continued connection and Fair-Trade Purchases.

Thank you again for your continuing Fair Trade purchases which run a little under 10% of our total sales.

Some of first year students:



### Endowment Fund “Keeping the Rock Church Solid”

The Saint Peter’s Endowment Fund receives donations every month; memorials to loved ones, from Birthday Sunday, and other donations. The Fund is growing! Our thanks to all who have contributed.

### Keeping Up with Our Commitment

Please remember that Saint Peter’s depends on your pledge. If you have forgotten the amount of your pledge for 2023, please contact Andy Buckman at: [apbuckman@gmail.com](mailto:apbuckman@gmail.com). If you are mailing your check to the church, please send it to: Saint Peter’s, 65 Rock Ridge Road; Callaway, VA 24067

The Phoebe Needles Mountain Band will be playing for the April 9th Center for Lifelong Learning program at 10:00 a.m. followed by lunch. The cost is \$12 for members and \$20 for guests. Please call the Office to make a reservation: 540-483-1518.

An advertisement for Rada Cutlery. The top half shows a still life with a round cheese on a plate, a knife, crackers, and vegetables. The text below reads: "Fundraise with Rada! CATALOG, ONLINE OR BOTH". Below that are three checkmarks: "Earn 40% PROFIT for your group!", "Products your supporters will LOVE!", and "75 years of experience helping fundraisers earn money!". At the bottom, it says "Black Handle Knives, Utensils, and Gift Sets Available Again!" and "PROUDLY MADE IN USA" with an American flag icon.

Rada Cutlery catalogs and a few items will be in the Vestry. If anyone from Saint Peter’s is interested in Rada Cutlery, please contact Lisa Compton at [lisa.willie@yahoo.com](mailto:lisa.willie@yahoo.com). This is an Altar Guild fundraiser.

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### EASTER LILIES GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD:

In memory of Clara Jane & Bob Rubarth, Judy & Don Akerman  
by Mark & Mary Jane Akerman

In memory of Billy Bernard,  
Dennis Daniel Sr. & Dennis Daniel Jr.  
by Jeff & Danene Bernard

In memory of Thelmo and Minnie Guilliams  
by Nancy Bradley

In honor of our children  
by Danny & Juanita Custer

In memory of Shelby Dehart & Hilda Guilliams  
by Billy & Brent DeHart

In memory of Craig R. Griffin  
by Terry Griffin

In memory of Betty Wanamaker  
by John & Delia Heck

In memory of Glenn Harder  
By Donna LaDue

In memory of J. Milton & Elizabeth Miller  
by Claiborne Miller

In memory of Carolyn L Thomas, Alvera & Stan Prokopiak, Leroy Pohlada, and Brice Swineheart  
by Bob Pohlada & Family

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. D.G. Merriman  
by Fair Robey

In memory of Keith & Virginia Simms  
by Paul & Simms Family

In memory of Louise Bowles Hunter  
by Molly & Fred Sloan





# Easter Sunday 2024



Photos by Bob Pohlad





News, Notes & Faces



*Juanita and Danny Custer celebrate their seventh anniversary this month.*



*John and Delia Heck celebrate 26 years this month.*



Phoebe Needles Center's 8th Annual

Spring

GATHERING

SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2024

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

732 Turner's Creek Rd., Callaway, VA

Free BBQ Lunch!

Mountain Music Concerts

Games, Silent Auction, and Tours

No Entrance Fee

COME JOIN US RAIN OR SHINE!

The Spring Gathering is scheduled for April 27 from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Compton's are playing from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. There will be music after lunch as well!! We are serving pulled pork with all the sides at no charge (lunch begins at 12:30 p.m.). Please invite your friends and neighbors – there is no charge.



Blue boxes for UTO will be collected again the first of May, so please pick up some boxes to fill in the month of April, if you don't have one already. I will be in Florida for several weeks after Easter, but will be home again later in the month to remind you in person. Thank you so much for your contributions to the UTO, which does such good work in our Church community.

Give Thanks, Christine DiEno



# April 2024

## SERVICE CALENDAR

Date	Lesson	LINK	Lector	Altar Guild	Acolyte
April 7	Second Sunday of Easter	LINK	Molly	Maureen	Lucas
April 14	Third Sunday of Easter	LINK	Charlotte	Pat	Grace
April 21	Fourth Sunday of Easter	LINK	Gary	Lisa	Sammi
April 28	Fifth Sunday of Easter	LINK	Lana	Sharon	Lucas
May 5	Sixth Sunday of Easter	LINK	Rob	Danene	Grace

### April Birthdays

- 8 Andy Buckman
- 13 Benton Heck,  
Bob Pohlad
- 29 Sam Campbell



### April Anniversaries

- 23 Juanita & Danny Custer (2017)
- 26 Delia & John Heck (1998)



*Birthdays in April, clockwise from left: Andy Buckman, Sam Campbell, Benton Heck and Bob Pohlad.*

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**





## PRAYER LIST - April 2024

Robin Barnes  
Chris Pohlada-Thomas  
Peter Lustig  
Karl Hubbard  
Jennifer Claytor  
Kelley Beyer  
Teresa Atkins  
Amy Marsh  
Claiborne Miller Davis  
Rob & Margie Wiltshire  
Billy Dehart  
Dana Whited Steel  
Fred Sloan  
Gene Herrick  
Carol Osborne  
Sara Bier  
Jaxon Akerman  
Ken Cullen  
Steve Swinehart

Carol Ann Wade  
Helen Puckett  
inda Sigmon  
Rob & Margie  
Wiltshire  
Larissa Feazell  
Cindy Swinehart  
Nancy Bradley  
Helen Campbell  
Dana Ellis  
Michael Riley  
Sam Campbell  
Jamie Stanley  
Linda Green  
Sandy Grice  
Corey Newcombe  
Tommy Dudley  
Bill & Jane Pohlada

We pray for John our priest, Mark our Bishop, and Michael our Presiding Bishop. May their ministries be guided by the grace of the Holy Spirit.

We pray also for all those who were killed this week as a result of war and terrorism, and for families whose lives are being torn apart. Almighty God whose will it is to hold both heaven and earth in the peace of your kingdom, give peace to your Church, peace among nations, peace in our homes, and peace in our hearts.



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### SAINT PETER'S PRAYER & CARE TEAM

We include in the Prayers of the People each Sunday the names of those people in need of prayer who have made known to the church. As a way of keeping those names before us in prayer, we also have a Prayer Chain at Saint Peter's. This is a group of people who commit to praying for each person on our prayer list on a daily basis. The Prayer Chain updates the list, writing occasional notes to those in our prayers, and relaying needs that might be met by the congregation. The group may also meet occasionally for prayer and discussion. Please contact Juanita Custer, our Prayer and Care Team coordinator, at [hodges\\_juanita@yahoo.com](mailto:hodges_juanita@yahoo.com) if you would like to participate.



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