

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, OAK GROVE

8:00 PM – DECEMBER 24, 2018 – HOLY EUCHARIST II
CHRISTMAS EVE VIGIL

Preludial *Angels We Have Heard on High – Wilbur Held*
Introit *On This Day Earth Shall Ring – Gustave Holst*

LITURGY OF THE WORD

Hymnal # 83 vv.1-3, 6 “O come, all ye faithful” (*stand*)
Prayer Book p. 355 Opening Acclamation
Prayer Book p. 356 Gloria (*Hymnal S-280*)
Bulletin Insert The Collect of the Day
Bulletin Insert The First Lesson: Isaiah 9:2-7 (*sit*)
Bulletin Insert The Psalm 96 (*read responsively*)
Bulletin Insert The Second Lesson: Titus 2:11-14
Hymnal # 93 vv. 1-2 “Angels from the realm of glory” (*stand*)
Bulletin Insert The Gospel: Luke 2:1-20
Hymnal # 93 vv. 3-4 “Angels from the realm of glory”
Sermon The Rev. Rodney E. Gordon (*sit*)
Prayer Book p. 358 The Nicene Creed (*stand*)
Prayer Book p. 392 The Prayers of the People – Form VI
Prayer Book p. 360 The Peace

Offertory Anthem *Awaken, Good Shepherds – Arr. Walter Ehret*

THE HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized Christians are invited to receive Holy Communion.

Hymnal # 380 (vs. 3) Presentation of Offerings (*stand*)
Prayer Book p. 367 The Eucharistic Prayer B
Prayer Book p. 367 Sanctus (*Schubert Setting Hymnal S-130*)
Prayer Book p. 364 The Lord's Prayer
Hymnal # 115 “What child is this”
Hymnal # 109 “The first Noel”
Prayer Book p. 365 The Post Communion Prayer (*kneel*)
Hymnal # 84 (*kneeling or seated*) “Love came down at Christmas”
Hymnal #111 (*kneeling or seated*) “Silent night”
Prayer Book p. 366 The Blessing
Hymnal # 87 “Hark! the herald angels sing” (*stand*)
Prayer Book p. 366 The Dismissal

Postludial *Hark! The Herald Angels Sing – David Cherwien*



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OUR BISHOPS

The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, *Presiding Bishop*
The Rt. Rev. Susan E. Goff, *Bishop Suffragan*
The Rt. Rev. Robert W. Ihloff, *Bishop Associate*

STAFF

The Rev. Rodney E. Gordon, *Priest-in-Charge*
The Rev. Deacon Linda Murphy, *Deacon*
Parish Office Hours: Thursdays and Fridays
Dennis Tucker, *Organist & Choir Director*

SERVING TODAY

Acolyte: Cy Murphy *Lay Reader:* Mary Anne Hopkins
Ushers: Tom & Janet Smallwood
Altar Guild: Cathy Jones & Roberta Kulina

SERVING SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30

Acolyte: Tristan Mason *Lay Reader:* Cathy Jones
Ushers: Jenny Gordon & Julie Hynson
Altar Guild: Cathy Jones & Roberta Kulina

VESTRY AND OFFICERS

Brent Jones, *Senior Warden* Jane Tyler Coates, *Register*
Mary Beth Carter, *Junior Warden* Wanda Mason, *Treasurer*
Jessica Cruise, Johnny Jenkins, Roberta Kulina,
Scott Mitchell, Jan Saylor, & Tom Smallwood
Tom Smallwood, *Diocesan Council & Northern Neck Region Delegate*
Vestry-Elect (January 2019):
Dee Carter, Cathy Perry

Saint Peter's Episcopal Church

Oak Grove, Virginia



Established 1653
Consecrated 1849

Visitors and Newcomers Welcome!

We are delighted to have you here!

Vision Statement

St. Peter's strives to be a small church with a big heart, providing a safe and loving Christian environment for all people through Christ-centered worship, education, and community outreach.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have an announcement for our bulletin, please contact Jane Tyler Coates.

A vestry meeting is scheduled for Sunday, January 6 at 11:00 AM in the choir room.

Please sign up to contribute to Fellowship time after the 9:15 AM service. We need volunteers each week to handle setup, cleanup, and to provide food to share. If you have questions, please contact Cathy Jones.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets every Monday in the Parish Hall. Weigh in 5:20-5:30, meeting 5:30-6:15. Contact Janet Smallwood for more info.



COMING EVENTS

FRIDAY, December 28, 5:30 PM – Community dinner

SUNDAY, December 30, 9:15 AM – First Sunday after Christmas

SUNDAY, January 6, 9:15 AM – The Epiphany

SUNDAY, January 6, 11:00 AM – Vestry meeting

Merry 
Christmas 