



**The Episcopal Church of St. Peter by-the-Lake**

**Morning Prayer – Rite I  
The Third Sunday of Easter  
April 19th, 2026**

**Prelude Music & Lighting of the Candles**

**Opening Sentence BCP 39**

**The Confession & Absolution BCP 41**

**The Invitatory BCP 42**

**Canticle: Christ our Passover (sung) BCP 46**

**The First Lesson: Acts 2:14a, 36-41**

**The Gospel Lesson: Luke 24:13-35**

**The Sermon: The Rev. Nick McDonald**

**The Lord's Prayer BCP 54**

**The Collect of the Day BCP 173**

**Prayers of Intercession & Thanksgiving BCP 56ff.**

**A Prayer of St. Chrysostom BCP 59**

**The Dismissal BCP 60**

**“Alleluia, He Is Coming (sung) Come Celebrate, C-126**

**The Blessing & Dismissal**

## SPBTL NEWS AND EVENTS

**CENTERING PRAYER** 10AM, Meets downstairs every Wed. Please join us!

**COFFEE HOUR** Sign up in Fotinos Hall or call the office.

**MUSIC MINISTRY:** **Chancel Choir** rehearsals, Wednesday 7PM in the Nave. **Handbell Choir** rehearsals Wednesdays @ 6:00 PM downstairs in the choir room.

**COFFEE WITH THE CLERGY** Gather in Fr. Ron's office at 9:30am on Sunday mornings for a relaxed, casual conversation based on questions you may have regarding faith, church, and society. We hope you can join us!

**SPBTL Theater Group** The Green Room Theater 2026 Season

Sundays at 3:00 p.m. w/lunch \$16.00/ticket \$10.00/person lunch at 12:15 p.m. in Furr Hall

- Having our Say - The Delaney Sister - 100 yrs 4/12/26
- The Wizard of Oz 5/3/26
- Four Old Broads 6/21/26

All are welcomed. If you have not participated in the past, please join us for good food, fellowship, and entertainment. Contact Cathy Littlejohn @ 704-650-4947 with any questions.

**At the Liturgy:**

Officiant: The Rev. Nick McDonald

Filming: Jan McDonald

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God  
by Dave & Nancy Pittinaro in honor of their  
wedding anniversary.*