



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

Morning Prayer – Rite II

The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost – Proper 16A

August 23, 2026

Prelude Music & Candle-Lighting ~ Thou Art the Star of Morning

Opening Sentences **BCP 78**

The Confession & Absolution **BCP 79**

The Invitatory **BCP 80**

Canticle 8: The Song of Moses (intoned) **BCP 85**

The Scripture Lesson: Matthew 16:13-20

The Sermon: The Rev. Nick McDonald, Assisting Priest

The Lord's Prayer **BCP 97**

Suffrages B **BCP 98**

The Collect of the Day **BCP 232**

Prayers of Intercession & Thanksgiving – Form III **BCP 387**

The Grace **BCP 102**

We Walk by Faith, and Not by Sight **HYMNAL 209**

The Blessing

We walk by faith, and not by sight

The Hymnal 1982. #209



1 We walk by faith, and not by sight; no
 2 We may not touch his hands and side, nor
 3 Help then, O Lord, our un - be - lief; and
 4 that, when our life of faith is done, in

gra - cious words we hear from him who spoke as
 fol - low where he trod; but in his prom - ise
 may our faith a - bound, to call on you when
 realms of clear - er light we may be - hold you

none e'er spoke; but we be - lieve him near.
 we re - joice, and cry, "My Lord and God!"
 you are near, and seek where you are found;
 as you are, with full and end - less sight.

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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** and **Handbell Choir** rehearsals are taking a break for the summer.

SUMMER CHOIR During the summer months, we will assemble a Gathering Choir each Sunday at 9:45AM beginning on May 24 to learn an easy-to-sing anthem for that same Sunday. Think of it as a Flash Mob Choir! Children and Youth are welcome too! Questions – Contact David Wilcox at music@spbtl.com.

<u>April YTD</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Variance YTD</u>
Revenue	\$152,156	\$159,943	~\$7,787
Expenses	\$165,812	\$159,943	~\$5,869
Net Total	~\$13,656	\$0	~\$13,656

Notes:

- Contributions given for support clergy are excluded from Revenue since non-budgeted

- Paid in full annual pledge contributions received are pro-rated for YTD Revenue

Scan the QR Code with your phone — this will take you directly to St. Peter's gift entry screen.



Please use the "NOTE" field to indicate where the gift is to be directed (pledge, tithe, flowers, etc.)

At the Liturgy:

Officiant: The Rev. Nick McDonald

Filming: Sherree Brady

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Jim & Ann Bowden in thanksgiving for Mark's birthday.