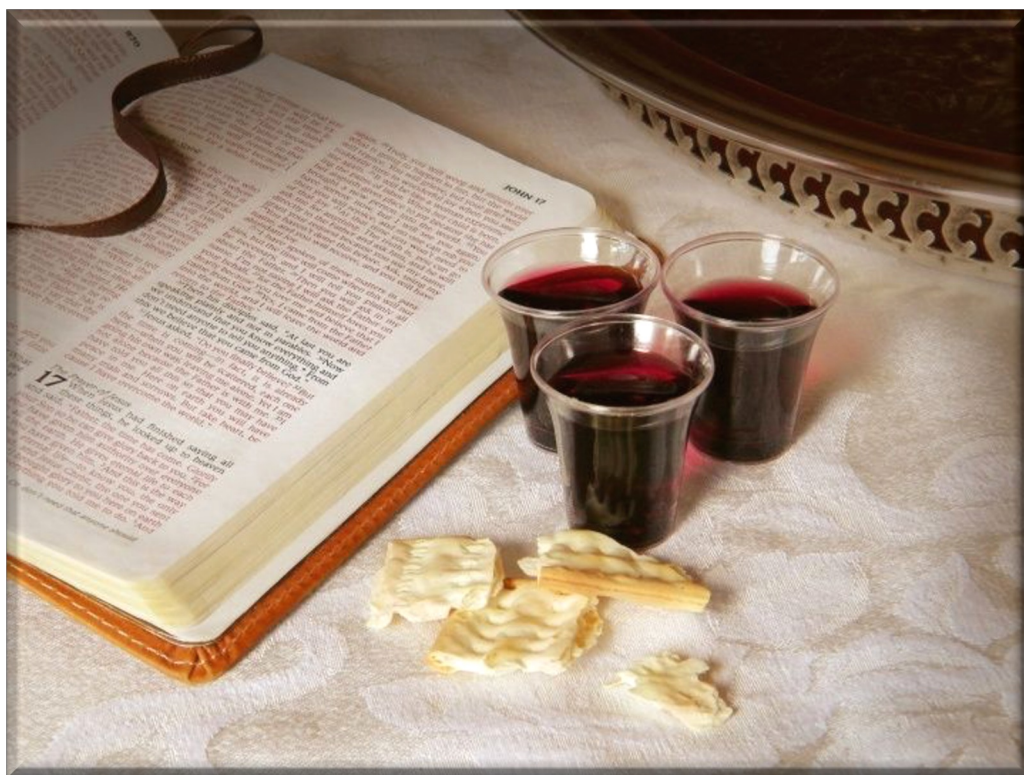




4730 MARGARETTA  
ST. LOUIS, MO 63115  
THE REVEREND KEITH D. CORNELIUS,  
PASTOR  
DR. EMMA CAMPBELL-CORNELIUS,  
1ST LADY

# *The Service of Holy Communion*



*The broken body and shed blood of Jesus.  
1 Corinthians 11:23-32*

It's a new season,  
It's a new day  
A fresh anointing  
is flowing our way!

~ ENTER TO WORSHIP ~

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, May 4, 2025 - 10:00 AM

“Give God the Glory! Lord, Increase Our Faith!”

\*PLEASE STAND

\*\*NO ENTERING OR EXITING THE CHURCH

The Lighting of the Candles

The Praise and Worship

\*The Doxology

*“Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.”*

\*The Call to Worship

Leader: I was glad when they said unto me, “Let us go into the house of the Lord, our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem! (Psalm 122:2)

People: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the House of my God, than to dwell in the tents of the wicked. (Psalm 84:10)

Leader: Because of the house of the Lord our God I will seek your good. (Psalm 122:9)

People: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God. (Psalm 92:13)

Leader: Blessed are they that dwell in your house. Lord, I have loved your house, the place where your honor dwells. (Psalm 26:8)

People: For the Lord is in his Holy Temple; let all the earth keep silent before Him. (Psalm 11:4)

Leader: Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. (Psalm 19:14)

ALL: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth sing His praises! (Psalm 66:1)

\*The Hymn of Praise

“The Old Rugged Cross”

Hymn #143

1) On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross, the emblem of suffering and shame;  
and I love that old cross where the dearest and best for a world of lost sinners was slain.

Refrain:

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross, till my trophies at last I lay down;  
I will cling to the old rugged cross, and exchange it some day for a crown.

2) O that old rugged cross, so despised by the world, has a wondrous attraction for me;  
for the dear Lamb of God left his glory above to bear it to dark Calvary. [Refrain]

3) In that old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine, a wondrous beauty I see,  
for 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died, to pardon and sanctify me. [Refrain]

4) To that old rugged cross I will ever be true, its shame and reproach gladly bear;  
then he'll call me some day to my home far away, where his glory forever I'll share. [Refrain]

**\*\*The Invocation**

**\*\*The Choral Prayer Response**

**\*\*The Scripture Reading**

Psalm 29:1-9

**\*\*The Scripture Hymn**

AME Hymnal #69

*"From all that dwell below the skies, let thy Creator's praise arise,  
Let thy Redeemer's name be sung, through every land by every tongue."*

**\*The Decalogue (Summary)**

**Leader:** Hear what Christ our Saviour saith, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

**\*The Gloria Patri**

The Congregation

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

The Ministry of Music

The Choir

The Benevolent Offering

*"In the name of the Triune God, May the spirit of Christian missions enter every heart,  
This we ask in Jesus' name. Amen."*

The Announcements/Welcome of Visitors

Sis. Carolyn Tomlin

The Sermonic Selection

The Choir

The Message

"The Voice of God"

Rev. Keith D. Cornelius

**\*\*The Invitation to Christian Discipleship/Pastor's Word**

**\*\*The Service of Holy Communion/Receiving of Tithes and Offering**

The Offertory Response

*"All things come of thee, O Lord, and of Thine own have we given Thee." A-men*

**\*\*The Lord's Prayer**

**\*The Apostle's Creed**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead; and buried. The third day he arose from the dead, he ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Church Universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*The Doxology**

**\*The Benediction**

The Un-lighting of the Candles

~ DEPART TO SERVE ~



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*Thank you for worshiping with us today.*

*We pray that something was said or done to encourage you on your journey and remind you of God's grace. We've been blessed by your presence and look forward to worshiping with you again as God gives opportunity. Again, thank you. God Bless!*

## **THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION**

### **THE SOLICITATION**

You that do truly and earnestly repent of your sins, and are in love and charity with your neighbor, and intend to lead a new life, following the commandments of God, and walking henceforth in His holy ways, draw near with faith and take this holy sacrament to your comfort; and make your humble confession to Almighty God, meekly kneeling.

### **THE GENERAL CONFESSION**

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Maker of all things, Judge of all men, we acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness which we from time to time most grievously have committed by thought, word and deed against Your divine Majesty, provoking most justly Your wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance is grievous unto us.

Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father for Your son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake; forgive us all that is past and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please You in newness of life, to the honor and glory of Your name, through Jesus Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

### **PRAYER OF HUMILIATION**

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but your manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so as to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood that our sinful souls and bodies may be made clean by his death and washed through his blood, and that we may ever more dwell in him and he in us. **Amen. Amen. Amen.**

### **PRAYER OF CONSECRATION**

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, who for your tender mercy did give your only Son Jesus Christ, to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, who made thereby his oblation of himself, once offered; a full, perfect and sufficient sacrifice for the sins of the whole world; and did institute and in his holy gospel command us to continue a perpetual memory of that, his precious death, until his coming again. Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech you, and grant that we receiving these your creatures of bread and wine, according to your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ's holy institution, in remembrance of his death and passion, may be partakers of his most blessed body and blood; who in the same night that he was betrayed took bread and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take, eat; this is my body which is broken for you. This do in remembrance of me." Likewise, after supper he took the cup and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to them saying, "Drink all of it, for this is my blood of the New Testament, which is shed for you and for many for the remissions of sins; do this, as often as you shall drink it, in remembrance of me. **Amen."**

### **YOUR SERVANTS IN CHRIST**

**The Right Reverend Francine A. Brookins, Presiding Bishop 5th Episcopal District**  
**The Reverend Edmund Lowe, Sr., Presiding Elder, The Gateway District**  
**The Reverend Keith D. Cornelius, Pastor**  
**The Reverend Earl G. Strauther Jr., Itinerant Elder**  
**The Reverend Charley Kibby Johnson, Local Deacon**  
**Sis. Chelsie Carter, Evangelist**  
**Rev. Kenton Saunders, Minister of Music**







## Mark Your Calendars UPCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2024

Join St. Peter



**Scan**

to join

St. Peter or submit a  
special prayer request.

Also available on the church website.

WEBSITE: <https://www.stpeteramecstl.org/>

Visit for more detailed information, event flyers and Annual Conference information.

- ❖ **The Memorial Service for Sis. Ocious Conley** is Saturday, May 17. Family Visitation Hour: 10-11 AM, Memorial Service: 11 AM @ St. Peter. Please continue to keep the family lifted up in prayer.
- ❖ **Annual Men & Women's Day Worship Service:** Sunday, May 18th, at 10 AM. The assessment is \$40.00. Please invite your family & friends.
- ❖ **5th District Lay Organization presents a Gospel & Jazz Scholarship Concert** featuring 3 Central on May 17, 2025 at Christ Our Redeemer AME Church in-person at 6:00 PM and virtual for the rest of the 5th District.
- ❖ **Gateway District Mental Health Summit** - Plan now to attend the Health Summit on May 31st in Dancy Hall from 11:00 AM-1:00 PM. All are invited. Please contact Sis. Pat Samuel to register.
- ❖ **Line Dancing** - Let's Get Moving - Every Thursday from 6:00-7:30 PM
- ❖ **The Nonetta I. Sode Academic Scholarship Application** for St. Peter's high school seniors and post-secondary students will be available on Sunday, May 11th. The 2025 deadline is Wednesday, June 11th.



**PRINCESS CHEATHAM WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

*Mothers Day Tea*  
"Honoring Our Mothers"

Join us for  
tea, lunch  
& fellowship!

**Saturday,  
May 10, 2025  
11:00 AM**

**Donation: \$30  
Digital Ad \$10**

*(Ad Deadline: Saturday, May 3, 2025)*

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SIS. PAT SEARCY, PRESIDENT  
REV. KEITH D. CORNELIUS, PASTOR



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**Annual  
Men & Women's Day  
- Worship Service -**

**Sunday, May 18, 2025  
10:00 AM**  
Suggested Attire:  
Camouflage/Accessories

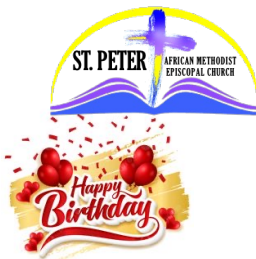
**Theme:  
Battle Time!**  
Ephesians 6:10-13  
10 Finally, be strong in the Lord  
and in His mighty power 11 Put  
on the full armor of God...

**Guest Preacher:**  
*Rev. Kisha Reece*  
Itinerant Deacon  
Christ Our Redeemer AME Church

**Rev. Keith D. Cornelius, Pastor**  
Sis. Keesha Kahn,  
Mother Jeanell Grandberry,  
Chairpersons

**BELIEVERS ASSEMBLED TOGETHER TO LIFT EMMANUEL, TRUSTING IN HIM MORE EVERYDAY**

- **St. Peter AME Church School** is being held in person, 9:00 AM. Call-in line: 520-453-7070.
- **Weekly Prayer Call/Communion:** Tuesdays @ 6 PM via our Conference Call-in line: 520-453-7070.
- **Weekly Bible Study:** Wednesdays @ 7 PM, Join Zoom Meeting  
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- **Monday Youth Night:** 5-5:30/Dinner, 5:30-6:00/Bible Study 6:00-6:30/Choir Rehearsal; 6:30-7:00/Dance Ministry.
- **Be Men Mondays:** 6:00 PM in Dancy Hall. All St. Peter men are asked to assist as volunteers. Dinner served.
- **WEBSITE:** <https://www.stpeteramecstl.org/> <https://www.facebook.com/StPeterStLou>
- **YPD Instagram:** [https://www.instagram.com/st\\_peter\\_ypd/](https://www.instagram.com/st_peter_ypd/)



## Mark Your Calendars UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, May 6, 2025

*prayer*  
changes  
EVERYTHING



### MAY BIRTHDAYS

Keesha Kahn	Thursday, May 8, 2025
Seni Sode, Sr.	Monday, May 12, 2025
Deaconess Betty Anderson	Thursday, May 15, 2025
Eddie Dansberry	Saturday, May 24, 2025
Mother Jeanell Grandberry	Saturday, May 24, 2025
Keeshaun Kahn	Sunday, May 25, 2025
Veronica Baker	Tuesday, May 27, 2025
Annie Peebles	Wednesday, May 28, 2025
Vincent Young	Saturday, May 31, 2025

### Wedding Anniversary

Nanette Morton  
5/16/1981

### JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Cheryl Peoples	Sunday, June 1, 2025
Preston Nance	Tuesday, June 3, 2025
Roslyn Taylor White	Wednesday, June 11, 2025
Carol McCauley	Thursday, June 12, 2025
Jessica Williams	Sunday, June 15, 2025
Sonja Cannady	Wednesday, June 18, 2025
Rev. Charley Johnson	Friday, June 20, 2025
Oscar Johnson	Saturday, June 21, 2025
Mother Vera Kendrick	Saturday, June 21, 2025
Byron Stewart	Monday, June 23, 2025
Cheryl Love	Thursday, June 26, 2025
Vonda Boykin	Friday, June 27, 2025
Ural House	Sunday, June 29, 2025

### Wedding Anniversary

Barbara & William Baker  
6/22/1975

### FOR YOU WE ARE PRAYING

Pastor Keith & Lady Emma Cornelius	
St. Peter Church Family	
Sis. Glenda Abram	
Bro. Donn Ballard	
Bro. Alfred Brooks	314-867-3337
Sis. Phyllis Brown	314-338-4943
Mother Ruthie Canady	
Bro. Clement & Sis. Marsha Cann	
Sis. Willie Clark	314-867-7449
Bro. Eddie Dansberry	314-653-8528
Bro. Roosevelt Dean	
Sis. Bernestine Frazier	314-440-2403
Mother Helen Frye	314-437-1609
Mother Vivianne Frye-Perry	
Sis. June Fucles	
Sis. Marian Halley	314-741-1087
Bro. Ural House	314-535-1688
Rev. Charley & Bro. Oscar Johnson	314.427.9600
Sis. LaJuanna Jordan	
Bro. Harold Lee	314-882-4931
MacKenzie Patterson	
Mother Oneida Phillips	314.528.2005
Sis. Christine Penn	314-867-1889
Sis. Melanie Reece	
Sis. Mary Ross	314-838-0913
Bro. Seni Sode	
Sis. Pamela Stevens	314-770-9270
Bro. Byron Stewart	
Bro. Montoya Stiith	314-358-8397
Bro. Eugene Taylor	314-381-8102
Sis. Roslyn Taylor	314-869-5828
Bro. William Temple	
Sis. Audrey Townsend	
Bro. Amos Wair	314-385-4769

Behold, I will bring it health and healing; I  
will heal them and reveal to them the  
abundance of peace and truth. Jeremiah 33:6

**Psalm 20:4 - May He grant your heart's desires and make all your plans succeed.**

**For additional information or updates, please contact Rev. Charley Johnson, Sis. Icie Coleman or Sis. Pat Samuel.**