Congratulations Father Peter on the 38th Anniversary of your Priestly Ordination.



The Secret of My Joy is Jesus July 15, 2022

Since the day of your Ordination to the Holy Priesthood, July 15, 1984, your ministry has brought you from your motherland—Ghana, West Africa, to our beloved St. John the Evangelist Church, here in Rochester, New York, with many journeys in between. Fr. Peter, we are blessed here at St. John's Church with you as our Pastor. We are grateful for your ministry, your leadership, and your faithfulness. We pray that God will continue to bless and strengthen you to continue the ministry entrusted to you. *[Jesus] said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the holy Spirit."* Jn 20:21–22

Please pray the following prayer in support of Father Peter for his continued service as Pastor of our parish.

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priest, Father Peter Enyan-Boadu. Through him, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help Father Peter to be strong in his vocation. Set his soul on fire with love for your people. Grant him the wisdom, understanding, and strength he needs to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire him with the vision of your Kingdom. Give him the words he needs to spread the Gospel. Allow him to experience joy in his ministry. Help him to be an instrument of your divine grace. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest. Amen.

Thank you for these thirty-eight years of service to our Church, our world, our wonderful parish! We hold you in our prayers. May God's goodness and kindness be with you on this special occasion and all the days of your life.

from the Faith Community of St. John the Evangelist Church, Greece, New York.