

Saint Peter

Peter is also known as Simon or Cephas. He is the brother of Andrew. He became the leading Apostle after Pentecost until the Council of Jerusalem in 50 A.D.

Peter was crucified in Rome at Nero's order. An ancient historian records that he asked to be crucified upside-down because he felt unworthy to be executed in the same way as his Lord. The key in this window represents Jesus' saying, "I will give you the keys to the kingdom of heaven."

St. Peter's Feast Day is June 29.