



#### ST. PETER

St. Peter was born in Bethsaida, a small town of Galilee. He was the son of Jonas, and a fisherman by occupation. He received from Jesus Christ the Supreme Pontifical Power to be transmitted to his successors; resided first at Antioch, then at Rome, where he was martyred June 29, in the year 67, having governed the Church from that city for 25 years, 2 months and 7 days.