

# St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Congregation



## Announcements August 25, 2019

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Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod  
1600 S. Main St.  
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54937-9235  
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Worship: Thursday, 6:30 pm ~ Sunday, 7:45 & 10:00 am  
Phone: 922-1160 or 921-8075

Pastor Michael J. Zuberbier: 517-8808      Pastor Matthew M. Guse: 517-9000  
For hospital visits or emergencies, please call Pastor Zuberbier at 517-8808.  
St. Peter's Lutheran School, Mr. Andrew Mildebrandt, Principal    922-1160 ext. 302  
Winnebago Lutheran Academy, Mr. David Schroeder, Principal    921-4930 ext. 304

**BAPTISM** Archer George Fisher will be received into the Kingdom of Grace through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism in the 10:00 service on Sunday, August 25. May Archer always remain faithful to his baptismal covenant.

**MEDITATIONS & WLA ANCHOR** The new issue of *Meditations* (starts September 1) and the Summer issue of the WLA Anchor is available in the narthex.

**PUBLIC SCHOOL CONFIRMATION** Our public school confirmation classes will be held at St. Peter's on Tuesdays from 4:00 pm–5:15 pm starting September 10. Students will be receiving a letter in the mail concerning schedules and items to bring. Public school confirmation is open to all our 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders, and we look forward to a great year in God's Word! If you have questions, please contact Pastor Guse at 517-9000 or [pastorguse@stpetersfdl.net](mailto:pastorguse@stpetersfdl.net).

**HOT LUNCH DONATIONS** Is your garden over-producing? St. Peter's School Hot Lunch Program will take fresh produce donations starting on Sunday, August 18. Please talk to Pam Zuberbier (517-6904) if you'd like to donate something. We will take almost any whole, fresh produce, fruit or vegetable!

**SEMINARY FOOD/SUPPLIES DRIVE** This is the last week to support the many fine men who are being trained in the ministry, and their families with non-perishable food, and household items, along with SCRIP for Pick n Save and BP gas.

**FONDUE FEST** The Board of Outreach is seeking cases of water to be used in our 2019 Fondue Fest Booth. Fondue Fest is our city's fall festival that will take place Saturday, September 7. This event gives us a great opportunity to reach out to our community with the love of our St. Peter's ministries. Water can be dropped off in the narthex. If you would like to help in our booth, even for a couple of hours, a sign-up sheet is available in the narthex as well.

**FRIENDS & FAMILY BAND** Were you in the college marching band? Were you in the high school orchestra? OR...were you simply 8th chair hoping and trying to hit some of the right notes? We have the Band for you! We are putting together a church family band that will play one or two easy anthems as part of our Friends & Family celebration on November 11 with a special Veterans Day worship. We welcome all instruments and skill levels. You can bring your trumpet, flute, violin, we will even take your accordions, and glockenspiels. There will be a sign-up sheet in the entryway and practice information coming soon. For more information, contact Pastor Guse at 517-9000. Simply dust off your instrument and make your great band comeback!

**THANK YOU!** Our sincere thanks to the 2019 Picnic Committee members, the many volunteers and the 250+ attendees who contributed to make the church picnic event a success. The great food, entertainment and activities, combined with outstanding weather, made for a very enjoyable day!

**ADULT CHOIR** is looking for more people to join us in some fun Christian fellowship. Rehearsals are for an hour on Wednesdays – starting September 4 at 6:00 pm. Let’s praise our Lord together through music!

**YOUTH MINISTRIES 2019** Here are some of the youth opportunities for fun, friendships, and growing in faith as we look to the year ahead.

**Sunday school kick off** will be on Sunday, September 8 at 9:00 am in the music room. We welcome all children 4K-5<sup>th</sup> grade to hear Bible stories, sing songs and do fun crafts all while making friends in Christ. A sign-up display and registration table is in the entryway of church. Please contact Amy Steiner at 539-6300 with any questions.

**Disciples Of Christ:** For teens 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> grade, beginning Sunday September 8 at 9:00 am, meeting in the multi-purpose room. Our D.O.C. group meets to dig deeper into books of the Bible, gets involved in service projects, and plans social outings. Contact Pastor Guse at 517-9000 (call/text).

**Lutheran Girl Pioneers:** For girls 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade, meets the first Tuesday night of every month in the commons (First meeting is September 3 at 6:00 pm). Through this program, our girls have devotions, develop skills, perform acts of service, and develop friendships. Contact Brindah Birkholz at 608-669-2380 (call/text).

**Boys Club:** For boys of all ages. Events are planned throughout the year to help raise our boys into Christian men. This group also invites parent volunteers. Contact Josh Guell at 960-0324 (call/text).

**JOYFUL WITNESS** will begin rehearsals on Sunday, September 8 at St. Paul’s, North Fond du Lac under the direction of Jeff Krumbein. The first rehearsal will be from 5:30–7:30 pm. Our area WELS choir welcomes new singers to enjoy the fellowship and music that proclaims Christ the Savior and His redeeming grace! Singing traditional and contemporary arrangements, the choir is open to high school students and all adults. This year’s concerts will also include a children’s choir and will be held the weekend of December 13. Find us at: joyfulwitness.net or @JoyfulWitness on Facebook!

*Daily Bible Readings*

08/25 1 Thessalonians 1	08/29 1 Thessalonians 5
08/26 1 Thessalonians 2	08/30 2 Thessalonians 1
08/27 1 Thessalonians 3	08/31 2 Thessalonians 2:1-12
08/28 1 Thessalonians 4	

*Last Week’s Stewardship*

Worship: 115 + 188 + 225 = 528                      Communed: 107 + 140 +192 = 439

<i>First Fruits to the Lord 2019:</i>	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>
Thank offerings in support of the unified budget	\$20,796.79	
Other receipts in support of the unified budget	2,202.36	
Total receipts in support of the unified budget	22,999.15	\$856,988.67
Requirement to support the unified budget	30,334.10	1,001,025.30
Overage (Shortfall)	(7,334.95)	(144,036.63)
Honoring the Lord!	155.00	
Improvement Fund	509.00	
WLA Forward in Trust	25.00	
Church Music Fund	20.00	

*This Week at St. Peter’s*  
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THURSDAY	6:30 pm	Worship with the Lord’s Supper
FRIDAY	No School	
SATURDAY	8:00 pm	Alcoholism Awareness
NEXT MONDAY	Labor Day-	No School/Office Closed