

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



Built on the Rock

Announcements

October 15, 2023

Worship: Thursday, 6:30 pm ~ Sunday, 8:00 & 10:30
Phone: 922-1160 or 921-8075

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**MISSION FEST GUEST PREACHER** is Prof. Harland Goetzinger, Director of Pastoral Studies Institute. Thank you to Evening Circle for providing refreshments during the Bible Class presentation. Mission Festival envelopes have been included in your announcements.

**SCHOOL COURTYARD** The boys club will be getting their hands dirty in the school courtyard on **Saturday, October 21** to put in the weed barrier and 27 different plants, trees, grasses, etc. Boys and dads interested in helping, please bring gloves and shovels, and we'll meet by the courtyard at 7:45 am. Lunch will be provided after. Any questions, contact Kurt Klaske [allnonefdl@yahoo.com](mailto:allnonefdl@yahoo.com).

**TRUNK OR TREAT** will be held on **Sunday, October 15 from 3:00-5:00 pm**. This is open to all families. Come enjoy some fun, a caramel apple and a hayride! Please invite friends to join you and your kids as you trunk or treat! Trunk set up starts at 2:00 pm.

**LWMS FALL RALLY** Saturday morning, **October 21** is the Lutheran Women's Missionary Society Winnebago Circuit Fall Rally at Faith Lutheran, FDL. The event

starts at 9:00 am with breakfast beginning at 8:15 am. All women in the congregation are part of LWMS and are encouraged to attend.

**NO BIBLE CLASS** There will be no Wednesday Bible Class on October 18 because of Pastors Conference.

**JOINT REFORMATION SERVICE** The WLA Association Joint Reformation Service will be on **Sunday, October 29 at 4:00 pm** here at St. Peter's. The WLA Choirs & a newly formed children's choir will be bringing God's Word to us in song under the direction of Mr. Dale Witte & Mr. Joseph Loescher. The guest preacher will be Prof. Paul Koelpin from Martin Luther Collge. Please note the time change from previous years.

**WLA PRESENTS ANASTASIA** on November 9-12. Tickets go on sale October 16 and can be purchased online at <https://www.hometowntickets.com/wla> or in the WLA office during school hours.

**OWLS** The next meeting of Flyway OWLS will take place **Tuesday, October 17** beginning at 1:00 pm here at St. Peter's. Our speaker for October is Pastor William Carter, pastor at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Brownsville. His presentation will look at everything that's included in the new hymnal and the suite of products available with it. It will focus on the reasons behind the decisions that were made along the way that will help you understand "why they did that" and help you see the blessings worship leaders and congregations will experience as we get more familiar with it. Pastor Carter does not speak as one who was involved with producing the hymnal but as one who is enjoying introducing it to his congregations.

**TEEN BAKE SALE & LIVING HISTORY MUSEUM** Our teens will be holding a bake sale on Friday night, November 3<sup>rd</sup> during our school's "Living History Museum". Come see our students in character as some of their favorite historical figures and purchase some baked goods. Proceeds will help our teens attend the Youth Rally in Colorado. If you would like to donate baked goods, please drop them off starting November 2 and no later than noon on November 3. All baked goods should come plated and wrapped and we will take care of pricing items. Any questions, contact Anna Gilgenbach at 920-922-1160 or Brindah Birkholz 608-669-2380.

**WLA VETERANS DAY PROGRAM** On Friday, November 10, WLA will honor our Veterans in a Veterans Day Program beginning at 9:00 am. Veterans and their families are invited to join us for coffee before the program and to be our guests for a light lunch following the program.

**FROM THE CHURCH LIBRARY** Reformation is almost here. The church library has quite a few books and videos on Martin Luther and The Lutheran Reformation for all ages. Please make a trip down the hall between the church and school to stop in the church library to check out one or more of these selections.

**VISITATION MINISTRY** The people on this ministry visit our members that are unable to attend church regularly. The visits strengthen the faith of all involved. If you are interested in serving in this ministry, please call Joan Voss at 921-6088.

**PIZZA MAKING DAY** Thank you to everyone who placed an order for pizzas. Our LGP, teen group, & parents have almost 1400 pizzas to make! We need all hands on deck to make the pizzas. A sign up genius has been sent out to families to volunteer. You may pick up your pizzas in the gym at St. Peter's on Saturday, October 21 between Noon-2:00 pm.

**UPDATE ON PASTOR** The Lord holds us in His gracious hand, redeemed by the blood of Christ. This joyful truth has brought comfort to the Boehringers as they have learned recently that Pastor has been diagnosed with abdominal cancer. Initial consultations are taking place to plan his medical treatment. Please pray for Pastor, Sarah, and their children: "Dear Jesus, watch over Pastor and his family during this time of uncertainty. Bless the care that he'll receive in the months ahead. And continue to hold all of us in Your merciful hand. In Your name, we pray. Amen."

**HELP FOR THE BOEHRINGERS** There are 10 – 1 lb packages of ground beef & 3 – 3 lb roasts in the freezer in the kitchenette. The meat is available to take and make meals for the Boehringers. Please donate \$5 for each 1 lb package of ground beef and \$15 for each 3 lb roast (a donation box is on the counter by the freezer). Donations will be used to purchase gift cards for the Boehringers.

**Some notes:** One 9x13 dish is plenty as Pastor is unable to eat much and they don't want to waste. Please use the sign up to pick a day for the meal <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/07o4m3> You may drop off meals between 5:00-5:30 at 1003 Windsor Ave or you can bring them to school with a drop off time before 3:00 pm. Other ideas for help would be gift cards: Kwik Trip, BP, Pick N Save, Walmart, Culver's, Domino's, Panda Express, Chick fil A. If you would like to assist Pastor & Sarah with transporting some of the kids to and from activities, that would be much appreciated as well! Please talk to Sarah.

*Daily Bible Readings*

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| 10/16 John 2:1-22    | 10/20 John 4:27-54 |
| 10/17 John 2:23-3:21 | 10/21 John 5:1-29  |
| 10/18 John 3:22-36   | 10/22 John 5:30-47 |
| 10/19 4:1-26         |                    |

*Last Week's Stewardship*

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| Worship: 115 + 270 + 133 = 518 | Midweek Bible Class: 24 + 9 = 33 |
| Sunday Bible Class: 42         | Sunday School: 26                |

| <i>First Fruits to the Lord 2023:</i>            | <u>Last Week</u> | <u>Year-to-Date</u> |
|--------------------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Thank offerings in support of the unified budget | \$21,875.25      |                     |
| Other receipts in support of the unified budget  | 2,903.00         |                     |
| Total receipts in support of the unified budget  | 24,778.25        | \$1,178,066.61      |
| Requirement to support unified budget            | 33,054.58        | 1,355,237.78        |
| Overage (Shortfall)                              | (8,276.33)       | (177,171.17)        |
| Honoring the Lord!                               | 535.00           |                     |
| Improvement Fund                                 | 250.00           |                     |
| WLA FIT                                          | 341.00           |                     |
| WLA Tuition Assistance                           | 300.00           |                     |
| Outdoor Classroom                                | 500.00           |                     |

*This Week at St. Peter's*  
[www.stpetersfdl.net/calendar](http://www.stpetersfdl.net/calendar)

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| SUNDAY    | 3:00 pm      | Trunk or Treat               |
| MONDAY    | SPLS         | No School                    |
|           |              | Faculty Meeting              |
|           | 5:00 pm      | School Board Meeting         |
| TUESDAY   | 1:00 pm      | OWLS                         |
|           | 5:30 pm      | Board of Outreach            |
|           | 6:30 pm      | Board of Elders              |
| WEDNESDAY | 6:00 pm      | Adult Choir                  |
| THURSDAY  | 5:15 pm      | Board of Adult & Youth       |
|           | 6:30 pm      | Worship                      |
| SATURDAY  | 8:00 am      | Boys Club Courtyard Clean Up |
|           | 8:00 am      | Pizza Making Day             |
|           | Noon-2:00 pm | Pizza Pick Up                |

