ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



Announcements
April 21, 2024

Pastor Luke J. Boehringer: (920)579-8150
St. Peter's Lutheran School, Mr. Courtney Meyer, Principal 922-1160 ext. 302
Emergency Visits Pastor Dan Schmidt (920) 238-0541

BAPTISMS & NEW MEMBERS Lydia Louise Schraa, infant daughter of Josh & Gracie Schraa, will be received into the Kingdom of Grace through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on Sunday. Joshua Paul Schraa will also be received into the Kingdom of Grace through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on Sunday. Christ keep Lydia and Josh in her baptismal grace all the days of her life!

In addition Josh and Gracie will be received as members of St. Peter's by Confirmation (Josh) and Affirmation of Faith (Gracie). We welcome the Schraas into the fellowship of the Evangelical Lutheran Church and our congregation, and pray for God's richest blessings as they make this beginning in their new church home.

EASTER LILIES Thank you to those who helped to beautify our sanctuary with the lilies. If anyone would like an Easter Lily, please take it home with you after church this weekend. There are bags in the back room to place them in. Please leave the saucers and artificial flowers.

WIDOWS & WIDOWERS FELLOWSHIP GROUP will meet at Faros Restaurant, on Tuesday, April 23, at 1:00 pm. The topic for the day will be "The Benefits of Humor on our Health". Be prepared to share a humorous anecdote from your life. Please RSVP by April 21 to Dave Seibel at 920-948-9475 (call or text) or dseibelz56@gmail.com.

LWMS SPRING RALLY Ladies, you are invited to attend the LWMS Spring Rally on Saturday, April 27 at Redeemer in Fond du Lac. Breakfast will be served at

8:30 am with a presentation at 10:30 by Missionary Mark Zondag, who will be sharing mission work in Thailand.

ANNUAL AREA LADIES SPRING FELLOWSHIP POTLUCK Ladies you are invited to attend the Annual Area Ladies Spring Fellowship Potluck to be held on Wednesday, May 1 and hosted by our congregation. Fellowship and registration will start at 5:30 pm in our school commons with a potluck meal to follow at 6:00. Student singers from WLA will be providing entertainment after our meal. Please bring a dish to pass. You may enter at the school entrance. No need to RSVP. Looking forward to you joining us for a night of Christian fellowship, great entertainment, and of course food!

SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR Our school will be hosting a book fair April 22-26 in the school library and hallway. Come check out some great books. The book fair will be open Monday-Thursday 3:30-5:00 and Friday 3:30-5:00 and 6:15-7:00 pm. Proceeds from the book fair help our teachers buy new books for their classrooms.

OUTDOOR COURTYARD We are in the final stage of completing the outdoor courtyard. This will include the concrete curbing, the last of the landscape rock and the concrete sidewalk. We are still in need of some funding to finish this project. Envelopes are available on the information station. God willing, our Board of Properties would like to finish this shortly after school is out.

WELS YOUTH AFTERNOON What do God-honoring relationships look like? "Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another." (John 13:35) 8th-12th graders, please join us for an afternoon of games, keynote speaker, small group discussions and fellowship on **Sunday, April 21** from 1:00-3:00.



CONFIRMATION Lord's blessings to our confirmands this year. Our students will be confirmed May 5 in the 10:30 service. Prior to their confirmation, students will have their Examination Night on Friday, May 3 at 6:00 pm.

WPCP FORUMS THIS SUMMER Due to the wonderful news that Pastor Lindemann has accepted St. Peter's Call to serve as our new administrative pastor and will be starting his ministry with us this June, we are working to fully integrate him into our congregational life and activities. One of his roles will be working as an advisor to our Wisconsin Parental Choice Program Study Committee. In order to allow him to connect with you--our members--about this important study, we will be rescheduling some of our open forums so that he can participate in person in these

meetings. Please note that this revised open forum schedule will not alter our end goal of a St. Peter's October congregational voters meeting to decide whether to enter into the WPCP or to remain independent. The new open forums dates will be announced by the Church Council, in consultation with Pastor Lindemann and the Study Committee, as soon as possible.

WPCP SURVEY The WPCP Study Committee is sending out a survey to St. Peter's and Good Shepherd families to determine how many families would be eligible for Parental Choice. The survey will be sent out electronically to review, but the actual mode of collection will be anonymous forms dropped into a box on our campus. Each family is asked to complete one survey. If your family doesn't currently send your children to St. Peter's, we would still encourage you to fill out a survey. Drop boxes are available in the St. Peter's office and the narthex. The deadline for returning the surveys is **May 17**.

WILLSHER PARSONAGE CLEANING In preparing to welcome Pastor and Mrs. Lindemann, the Board of Church Properties is looking for volunteers to help clean the Willsher parsonage on May 4, 5, 11 & 12. Cleaning may include windows, kitchen, bathrooms, basement, and outdoors if weather permits. Please contact Kurt Turdo at (920) 216-2136 or turdojrk@gmail.com to sign up for the day(s) you are interested in helping.

PROPERTY GROUNDS UPKEEP We are looking for 2-3 "younger" guys that would be willing to help with trimming around the buildings and the ponds. If we get enough help, it could work out to about once every 3-4 weeks per person. Any questions about trimming can be sent to Mike Huber via email or phone, mikerry@charter.net or 920-517-6627.

OFFERING ENVELOPES To assist our volunteers with the counting of numerous offering envelopes, cash and checks received every week, we are asking all members to please adhere to the following:

- do not fold cash or your check when inserting in your contribution envelope
- <u>very important</u> write the amount enclosed in your contribution envelope on the line provided. (this helps not only the counter but the individuals who post this information to your contribution record).
- if you are a member, please use the contribution envelopes provided
- do not fold a check or cash placed in the collection plate.

We thank you, as your assistance will help to reduce the time required to complete our weekly counting activity.

Daily Bible Readings

04/22 Jeremiah 32, 33	04/26 Jeremiah 37, 38
04/23 Jeremiah 34	04/27 Jeremiah 39-41
04/24 Jeremiah 35	04/28 Jeremiah 42, 43
04/25 Jeremiah 36	

Last Week's Stewardship

Worship: 89 + 300 + 118 = 507

Bible Class: 67

Sunday School: 19

First Fruits to the Lord 2024:	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year-to-Date</u>
Thank offerings in support of the unified budget	\$24,787.50	
Other receipts in support of the unified budget	3,529.97	
Total receipts in support of the unified budget	28,317.47	\$453,982.27
Honoring the Lord!	1,266.55	
Improvement Fund	789.71	
WLA Forward in Trust	432.00	同然 相

This Week at St. Peter's www.stpetersfdl.net/calendar

MONDAY-FRIDAY Scholastic Book Fair

THURSDAY 6:30 pm Worship

FRIDAY 1:30 pm 6-8 Grade School Musical - Wizard of Oz

7:00 pm 6-8 Grade School Musical - Wizard of Oz

SATURDAY WLA's The Event @ The Radisson

NEXT SUNDAY 8:00 am Worship

9:10 am Bible Class/Sunday School

10:30 am Worship

SAVE THE DATE

Sunday, June 2, 4:00 pm

Pastor Lindemann's Installation *Fellowship meal to follow.*

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