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St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

345 N. Pine Street
Reedsburg, Wisconsin 53959

January 18 & 19, 2020

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod - Reedsburg, Wisconsin

Proclaiming JESUS † Savior and Lord † for LIFE

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SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

OUR MISSION STATEMENT *To make disciples of all people through a faithful ministry of Word and Sacrament.*

OUR VISION *Connecting all people to Christ and each other through worship, education, service, and fellowship.*

OUR PROMISE STATEMENT *St. Peter's Lutheran Church nurtures you to form a foundation for a relationship with God which keeps you on the right path as a place to be at peace. We help you develop a Christian perspective, invite you to work for the common good, give the source for Godly counsel, and partner with you to raise your children in a Christ centered way.*

WELCOME FRIENDS! *All are asked to sign the attendance card and place it in the plate during the offering. When Holy Communion is offered, guests are asked to read through the statement on the inside cover of the hymnal before receiving communion. If you require gluten free wafers, please speak to the Pastor or an elder.*

RADIO BROADCAST can be heard at noon on Sundays on WCNP FM 89.5.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR St. Peter's sponsors the Lutheran Hour on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. on WCNP 89.5 FM. It can also be heard at 7:00 a.m. on WRDB 1400.

HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK Madison – Ken Wrezenski

HOSPITAL VISIT If you or your family member have been hospitalized and would like a visit from the Pastor, please contact the church office at 524-4512 or call Pastor's cell at 393-0374. Make sure you also direct the hospital to be put on the clergy list. We do not always receive a call when someone has been hospitalized, and Pastor Crolius or Pastor Anderson would be happy to come for a visit.

Organist: Michelle Crolius

Video Taping: Theresa Braun

Radio Monitor: Phil Rogers

Acolytes:

5:00 p.m. Rhaya Schultz

8:00 a.m. Ashlyn Mathews
Kaleb Pertzborn

10:30 a.m. Jaelyn Ray
Kenny Meyer

Growing as God's People

Saturday	5:00 p.m.	45
	8:00 a.m.	82
	10:30 a.m.	131

Average Attendance **246**

Greeters:

5:00 p.m. Shirley Craker
Ev Klitzke

8:00 a.m. Joanne Brandt
Lois Radtke

10:30 a.m. Eldarene Bowlin
Cheryl Arkin

Our Gifts to the Lord

Home	\$	5,168.38
Synod Support	\$	574.26
Emily Gerike	\$	40.00
Fund		
Hardship	\$	50.00
Misc	\$	231.00
Total	\$	6,063.64

ORDER OF SERVICE
PROJECTED

VOTERS' MEETING

January 23, 2020 - 7:00 P.M. – CONCORDIA HALL

1. Scripture Reading and Prayer
2. Signing of Attendance Sheet
3. Approval of Minutes
4. Pastor's Report
5. Principal's Report
6. Treasurer's Report / Financial Management Report
8. Foundation Report
9. Recommendations through Church Council

BOARD OF ELDERS

The Board of Elder would like to make the following motions:

- To establish a Family & Youth Ministry Fund to support the ministry of a full-time DCE.
 - A motion to transfer \$1,000 – 2,000 from the Foundations Unrestricted Fund to the Radio Broadcast Fund.
 - A motion to return to the Summer Worship Schedule, Memorial Day – Labor Day, Saturday evenings at 5:00 p.m. and Sunday mornings at 9:00 a.m.
10. Old Business
 11. New Business

COME JOIN US!

Tuesday	1:30 PM	Bible Study @ Concordia Hall
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Quilting
	4:15 PM	Public School Confirmation
	5:30 PM	Bells
	6:00 PM	Jr Youth
	7:00 PM	Mixed Choir
Thursday	7:00 PM	Voters Meeting
Friday	4:15 PM	Public School Confirmation
		Newsletter Deadline
Saturday	5:00 PM	DIVINE SERVICE H.C.
Sunday	8:00 AM	DIVINE SERVICE H.C.
	9:15 AM	Bible Study / Sunday School
	10:30 AM	DIVINE SERVICE H.C.

BAPTISM Derrick Piotr, son of Daniel and Jennifer (Sewielski) Meyer, will become a member of God's Kingdom of Grace through the Sacrament of Holy Baptism during the 10:30 a.m. service. Derrick's sponsors are Lindsay Meyer, Laurie Meyer, and Matt Meyer.



Would like to sponsor the radio broadcast, which also includes the Lutheran Hour broadcast (\$110.00) or a video broadcast (\$35.00) or you may like to sponsor the bulletin (cost \$60.00) or flowers on the altar. Please sign up listing your name and what you would like to sponsor on the charts located on the bulletin board in the narthex or call the church office at 524-4512, ext. 1.

Our Radio/Video Broadcast Fund in the Foundation is depleted. If you would like to help contribute to this wonderful ministry, your support is greatly needed and appreciated.

BIBLE STUDY - "Big Questions Biblical Answers" This is the title of the Bible Study held in Concordia Hall. It is a study to help us go from confusion to clarity with the help of God's Word. It is also a study to help equip us to share the faith and hope we have in the Lord. Today's study will explore the question "What is the Purpose of Life?"

SAVE THE DATE!!

LAMP Team & Youth Group

Paint Night – January 25, 2020 @ 1:00 p.m.
Tickets may be purchased from Marti Meyer,
Josiah Schultz, or the church office.

Carnival – February 23, 2020



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LAMP / YOUTH CARNIVAL

Following the 10:30 a.m. church service on Sunday, February 23rd, the LAMP (Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots) Mission Team and St. Peter's Youth will be holding a carnival at the school to raise money for the LAMP mission trip to Garden Hill,

Manitoba. Each year the team travels to the First Nations Reserve to spread the Gospel message by leading a week-long Vacation Bible School in the community.

There will be food, games, and a silent auction. Please stop by and have some fun while supporting our missionaries!

If you are looking for another way to help, there is a giving board located in the entrance of the church. You may donate items posted on the board by placing them in the tote near the board, or by delivering them to the church/school office.

COUNSELING SITE Lisa Hecht, Christian Counselor for Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin, conducts regular office hours at St. Peter's. This service is available to everyone. For additional information or to make an appointment, please call 1-800-291-4513 or 608-516-5598.

ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASS TO BEGIN Are you or someone you know interested in attending Adult Instruction Class? This class will review the doctrine (teachings) of our church. This is also the class one goes through to become a member of St. Peter's Church. Perhaps you know of a person who would like to join our church, or you yourself would like to review the teachings of the faith. If so, then this class is for you. Classes will meet for approximately ten weeks. For more information, please contact Pastor Crolius at 524-4512 ext. 2.

LWML invites you to join them for the annual "Footsie Mission Drive" during January. Warm footwear is a gift for anyone that has cold toes. Your gifts of love may be placed in the container that is in the church entryway. They will be delivered to the Safe Harbor Mission in Reedsburg. THANK YOU for your continued support of the LWML mission projects. The Mite Box is always available for your donations for the many grants that are a part of LWML throughout the world.

REGISTRATION FOR 2020 – 2021 SCHOOL YEAR for all grades **Pre-Kindergarten – 8th** grade will begin February 1, 2020. You may contact the school office for an application or online at www.stpetersreedsburg.com.

IN CASE OF BAD WEATHER we will have church for those who are able to come. There is no reliable way for us to get the message out to the people of the congregation and community. We ask that you use your best judgment when it comes to inclement weather. If it looks as if you could be harmed in the process of coming to church, please stay safe at home. We understand and more importantly so does God. We will also continue to provide the radio and video ministry so that people can continue to hear the message in these circumstances.

HARDSHIP FUNDS ARE NEEDED St. Peter's continues to help those in need with the gracious gifts that we receive for the Hardship Fund. However, funds are very limited. If you would like to make a contribution to this fund, please place it in the offering plate marked for "Hardship". Thank you so much for helping those in need.

ANNUAL CEMETERY MEETING will be held on Tuesday, January 28, 2020, at 3:00 p.m. in Concordia Hall. All are welcome to attend.

LIFE THOUGHTS...Epiphany II – Did God really say, "Called me from the womb" (Isaiah 49:1)? Did God really say, "A light for the nations" (Isaiah 49:6) – all ages, appearances, and abilities? He is a God Who speaks, and His every Word gives human lives worth and purpose. Has He not also made our mouths like sharp swords (Isaiah 49:2), proclaiming the glad news of the Lamb whose sacrifice delivers (Psalm 40:9) from any surrender to death?