

← **BE STRONG** ≡
and
≡ **COURAGEOUS.** →

Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged,
for the Lord your God
will be with you wherever
you go
Joshua 1:9

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

345 N. Pine Street
Reedsburg, Wisconsin 53959

September 1 & 2, 2018

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod - Reedsburg, Wisconsin
Proclaiming JESUS † Savior and Lord † for LIFE

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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 CHANGE We are now broadcasting our worship service at noon on Sundays on WCNP FM 89.5.

THE LUTHERAN HOUR St. Peter's has begun sponsoring the Lutheran Hour on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. on WCNP 89.5FM.

RADIO BROADCAST is sponsored to the Glory of God with memorial funds established in the St. Peter's Foundation.

If you would like to sponsor the weekly bulletin, flowers on the altar or the radio broadcast, please contact the church office at 524-4512, ext. 1. There are many dates available.

COME JOIN US!

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| Monday | | Labor Day – Office Closed |
| Tuesday | 8:30 AM | Orphan Grain Train |
| | 1:30 PM | Bible Study @ Concordia Hall |
| Wednesday | 9:00 AM | School Opening Service |
| | 1:30 PM | Ladies Aid |
| | 6:30 PM | Sr Youth |
| Friday | 2:30 PM | Public School Confirmation |
| Saturday | 5:00 PM | DIVINE SERVICE H.C. |
| Sunday | 8:00 AM | DIVINE SERVICE H.C. |
| | 9:15 AM | Bible Study |
| | 10:30 AM | DIVINE SERVICE H.C. |
| | 7:00 PM | Adult Instruction Class |

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HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK No one to report at this time.



LEGO CLUB Thank you to all who donated LEGOs. They are appreciated! We will continue to collect LEGOs throughout the year. We are also in need of small plastic beach pails for Lego Club members to carry their LEGOs from the group container to their work area. Donations can be brought to the office or dropped off in the tote in the church entrance.

HELPING FLOOD VICTIMS There will be a donation taken to help those who have been impacted by the recent flooding. A donation box is located in the narthex. Please continue praying for all those in need.

There will be a sign-up sheet in the narthex for those who are in need of help with clean and repairs after the flooding. If you or a neighbor is in need of help, please let us know. There will also be a volunteer signup sheet for those who would like to help those in need.

CAMP LUWISOMO FALL WORK WEEKEND – October 19-21

Work weekends are important time of the year for LuWiSoMo.

Volunteers are needed to help with a wide variety of projects. We have projects for all ages and abilities. Church and youth groups welcome! Lodging is available on Friday and/or Saturday, if needed. Meals are provided on Saturday, and breakfast on Sunday. Come for the day or the whole weekend. For more information go to camp@luwisomo.org



Back To Church Weekend

SEPTEMBER 15-16, 2018

St. Peter's will again participate in a world-wide Back to Church campaign. At the date of this writing 30,000 churches across the United States and 2,000 churches across the globe will be participating. What is it? It is a campaign to touch hearts, increase hope and strengthen the members of our faith community through the living Word of God.

Prayerfully consider inviting someone you know to come to church with you! God gives us this incredible promise that His Word works. It does not necessarily change the situation we are in, but it does change our outlook, because it points us to the hope and comfort we have unconditionally through Jesus Christ. So, come and be a part of this invite! It will be a great day!

COUNSELING SITE

Lisa Hecht, Christian Counselor for Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin, conducts office hours at St. Peter's. This service is available to everyone. It was passed at the July Voters' meeting to increase her time at St. Peter's from 2 to 4 times per month. You will find brochures and information in the Information Center in the narthex. For additional information or to make an appointment, please call 1-800-291-4513 or 608-516-5598.

SCHEMPF'S SERVING THE SAVIOR IN UGANDA

Mike and Karen Schempf shared their story of their mission work in Uganda this past Sunday. If you are interested in following their journey and would like to receive the newsletter, please signup on the clipboard in the narthex or email stpetersreedsburg@gmail.com, subject line "Uganda Missions" to be put on their mailing list.



YOUTH NEWS...

KICKBALL TOURNAMENT AT NISHAN PARK!!!

Join us on Saturday, September 29th at 9:00AM for a Kickball Tournament at Nishan Park in Reedsburg. This is a community youth event. The cost is \$15/person and for ages 14 and up. Payment includes a t-shirt and helps cover the cost of the field. To register or for more information, please contact me. Deadline to sign up is September 15th.

Youth Group Begins!!

Sr Youth - September 5 & 19, 6:30 – 8:30pm

Jr Youth - September 12, 6:00 – 8:00pm

Questions, please contact me at [608-477-1159](tel:608-477-1159) or
at jenniferanderson@saintpetersls.com

† **Deuteronomy 4:6** *“Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, ‘Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.’”* There is no wiser, more fulfilling life than a life lived according to the Word of God. We should be encouraged by this when the world tempts us to think that the Word of God is harmful to us. Our Father loves us; so all His Word is meant to bless us.

Witness: Your labor in the Lord is not in vain.

First Day of School – DELAYED

Due to the area flooding and the impact on many,
**St. Peter’s School FIRST DAY will be
Wednesday, September 5th.**

Please join us if you can for
**Back To School Night
Tuesday, September 4th, 4-7:00 p.m.**

School pictures will not be taken at this time.

Continued prayers for all impacted by the flooding. Be Safe.

Organist: Michelle Crolius

Video Taping: Theresa Braun

Radio Monitor: Phil Rogers

Acolytes:

5:00 p.m. CJ Pfaff
Samuel Raupp
8:00 a.m. Nate Stando
Cassidy Klitzke
10:30 a.m. Nicholas Van Etten
Logan Churchill

Growing as God's People

Saturday 5:00 p.m. 67
8:00 a.m. 104
10:30 a.m. 106
Average Attendance 282

Greeters:

8:00 a.m. Phyllis Schenck
Ev Klitzke
10:30 a.m. Eldarene Bowlin
Betty Andreasen

Our Gifts to the Lord

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| Home | \$ | 25,864.65 |
| Synod Support | \$ | 2784.96 |
| Radio | \$ | 110.00 |
| School Sponsorship | \$ | 3000.00 |
| Restoration | \$ | 491.54 |
| Misc. | \$ | 3,000.00 |
| Uganda Mission | \$ | 414.00 |
| Total | \$ | 35,665.15 |

Order of Service

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"Built on the Rock of Christ"