

**Organist:** Michelle Crolius  
**Video Taping:** Brandon Crolius

**Radio Monitor:** Phil Rogers

**Acolytes:**

5:00 pm Reese Swanson  
Andrew Lynch  
8:00 a.m. Nate Gasser  
Zachary Zautke  
10:30 a.m. Kaleb Hoeg  
Chloe Klitzke

**Growing as God's People**

Saturday 5:00 p.m. 71  
8:00 a.m. 131  
10:30 a.m. 119  
**Average Attendance 254**

**Greeters:**

8:00 a.m. Joanne Brandt  
Lois Radtke  
10:30 a.m. Marcia Christensen

**Our Gifts to the Lord**

Home \$ 10,104.42  
Synod Support \$ 1,122.71  
Church Roof \$ 2,748.00  
Fund  
Sunday School \$ 3.00  
Total \$ 13,978.13

*Funds needed to meet our weekly  
offering budget.*

*\$10,480.00*

*"Built on the Rock of Christ"*

ORDER OF SERVICE

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## FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

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**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. Our Midweek Lent Services will be aired on WCNP at 2:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

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

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

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

**LENTEN DEVOTIONS** are available on the table in the narthex. Please feel free to pick up a copy and enjoy the devotions through the Lenten season.

**LENTEN SUPPER** will begin at 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 13, in Concordia Hall. St. Peter's LWML will be serving pork sandwiches, salad and desserts. A free will offering will be taken.

**LIFE THOUGHTS**..... Satan goaded Jesus to produce physical proof of His identity and importance (Luke 4:3). But God's promise and power entitled Him to life even in the absence of bread (Luke 4:4). The evil one still insists we gauge a person by material measures. Thanks to our Savior, no one's age, appearance, or ability can impair or improve their sanctity. God's creating, redeeming, and calling Word already renders every human being precious.

**LWML** "Behind the Scenes in Emergency Management" presented by Cassidy Walsh, Sauk County Public Health Emergency Preparedness Coordinator, is the program for our meeting this Monday, the 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM in Concordia Hall. Everyone is welcome. Any members can bring their paper products for Safe Harbor. See you there!

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

**HOSPITAL VISITS** 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.

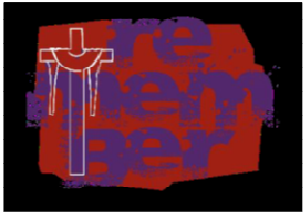


**SAVE THE DATE!!**

**Concordia University, St. Paul. MN**

**CHRISTUS CHORUS CONCERT**

**Friday, April 12, 7:30 pm at St. Peter's Church**



**Our 2019 Lenten Midweek Series is entitled:  
“A Lent to Remember”**

As people get older, they sometimes find themselves writing lists of important things that need to be remembered. Throughout the Scriptures, God’s people are told many times how important it is for them to remember—to remember His wonderful works on their behalf and to recall all that He has done for previous generations. In the liturgy we speak and the hymns we sing, we are using treasures entrusted to us by former generations. They contain words and ways that God’s people in the past used to help them remember all that God has done. God grant that we find blessing in sharing that remembering!

We will again have a Lenten pulpit exchange for our Midweek services. Neighboring pastors from our sister congregations will be involved in the leading of the services. Therefore, the themes presented below with not necessarily be in the order listed. However, these are the themes we will consider for Midweek Lent.

- Lenten Midweek 2: Remember Wondrous Works, *Psalm 111:4*
- Lenten Midweek 3: Remember Jesus’ Words, *Luke 22:61–62*
- Lenten Midweek 4: Remember the Covenant, *Psalm 105:8*
- Lenten Midweek 5: Remember Sins No More, *Jeremiah 31:34*
- Lenten Midweek 6: Remember Steadfast Love, *Psalm 98:3*
- Maundy Thursday: Remembrance of Me, *1 Corinthians 11:23–26*
- Good Friday: Remember Me, *Luke 23:39–43*
- Easter Day: Remember Jesus Risen, *2 Timothy 2:8, 11*

**Our Pastor** for this week’s Lenten Service will be Pastor David Jensen from Our Savior Lutheran Church in Baraboo. The theme will be “Remembering Steadfast Love”. Come and join us for worship and the Lenten supper.

**COME JOIN US!**

Monday	6:00 PM	LWML
	7:00 PM	Board of Educations
Tuesday	1:30 PM	Bible Class @ Concordia Hall
Wednesday	2:00 & 7:00 PM	Lenten Service
	8:30 AM	Quilting
	4:00 PM	Public School Confirmation Class
	5:00 PM	Lenten Supper
	5:30 PM	Bells
	5:30 PM	Chimes
	6:00 PM	Jr. Youth
Thursday	7:00 PM	All Boards
Friday	3:45 PM	Public School Confirmation Class
Saturday	5:00 PM	BLENDED SERVICE
Sunday	8:00 AM	DIVINE SERVICE
	9:15 AM	Bible Study/ Sunday School
	10:30 AM	BLENDED SERVICE
	11:30-3:00 PM	Carnival Day
	7:00 PM	Adult Instruction Class

**BAPTISM** Sophia Wunsch, daughter of Alan and Stephanie (Fedderly) Wunsch, will become a member of God’s Kingdom through Holy Baptism following the 10:30 a.m. service on Sunday, March 10, 2019. Sophia’s sponsors are Mike and Clair Fedderly.

**FUNERAL** Donna Roewer was called to her heavenly home on Thursday, March 7, 2019. The funeral service will be held on Thursday, March 14, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at the church. Visitation will be from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Hoof Funeral Home on Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>, and one hour prior to the service. May God grant comfort to the family of Donna Roewer in the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**ROOF REPAIR TO GO FORWARD** The Voters’ have passed a motion to go forward with the church roof repair project at a cost of approximately \$192,000. Construction will begin in early spring. If you would like to donate to this project, please use the envelope in this week’s bulletin marked “Roof Project” and place it in the collection. Let us figuratively “**BLOW THE ROOF**” off this fund-raising.

**ST. PETER'S DAYCARE POSITION AVAILABLE** Our Daycare is looking for a little extra help. Times would vary but generally during lunch time from 11:00-12:00, but always a potential for more hours. Must be 16 years of age. For more information, please stop by the daycare or call Julie Thompson at 524-4066, Ext. 3.

**MR. SMITH ANNOUNCES HIS RETIRMENT FROM ST. PETER'S!!** Mr. Smith will be retiring from St. Peter's as the school custodian, with his last day being April 18. He will continue to keep very busy with all his other activities and volunteering throughout the community. God richest blessings Mr. Smith!

**CUSTODIAL POSITION AVAILABLE** The Board of Trustees is looking for a full-time custodian at the school. If you are interested in the full-time year-round position, please contact the school office for an application. Deadline to apply is Friday, March 22, 2019.

**ADULT INSTRUCTION** Are you or someone you know interested in Adult Instruction Class? This is the class to take if you desire to become a member of St. Peter's Church or you yourself might like to review the teachings of our church and what we believe according to God's Word. Class meets on Sundays, at 7:00 p.m. in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade classroom. For more information, contact Pastor Crolius at 524-4512.

## **CARNIVAL DAY & SILENT AUCTION!!**

**Sponsored by St. Peter's LAMP/YOUTH Team.** March 17, 11:30 am – 3pm at the school gym. There will be games, bouncy house, face painting, food & drinks, and prizes! Tickets will be used to participate in games and can be purchased at the carnival for \$0.50 each. The LAMP/YOUTH Team are asking for prize donations from the congregation. Items might include stuffed animals, toys, puzzles, games, and fun themed stickers/notepads. These items can be placed in the donation box at the entrance of the church.

## **YOUTH**

**Jr. Youth** – Wednesday, March 13 - 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Leaders – Josh Hoege & Scott Peterson

**ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN PACKING** – Tuesday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 a.m. – Noon

**PAPA MURPHY COUPON CARDS** are on sale and offers a \$55 value, \$12 for one card or \$20 for two cards. This fundraiser is being sponsored by the LAMP Mission Team. Coupon cards are available at the church/school office or at Sunday Bible Study at 9:15 a.m.

## **Every One His Witness™ (E1HW) program training**

Rev. Jonah Burakowski will lead a new LCMS evangelism resource at St. Peter's on Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. with a lunch provided. This training is aimed at helping Lutherans share the Gospel with those whom God has placed in their everyday lives. This training is designed for a maximum of 12 participants. Those trained will then be able to help bring training to our congregation. There is no cost to this training. If you would like to be involved or would like more information, please contact Pastor Crolius.

† **Luke 4:8** “*And Jesus answered him, ‘It is written...’*” Isn't it interesting that Jesus does not defeat Satan with His power as God, but rather by His perfect obedience in His perfect humanity? Jesus defeats Satan not by miracles, but by quoting the Scriptures and living according to it. This should cause us great joy for two reasons. First, because we see Jesus win the victory for us. Second, because here Jesus shows us how to stand in that victory – on the Word of God alone. Let us build our lives on the sure rock of this Word!

## **CELEBRATING OUR TEACHERS**

St. Peter's Lutheran School celebrates our teachers and the special gift of teaching they bring to our students every day. There will be a special recognition for Mr. Rogers (30 years), and all teachers on Sunday, March 10, with a cake reception in Concordia Hall at 9:15 a.m.

Mr. Roger Tessororf

Mrs. Krista Gunther

Mrs. Michelle Crolius

Mrs. Theresa Braun

Mr. Phil Rogers

Mrs. Theresa VanMeeteren

Mrs. Kathy Raupp

Mrs. Char Hillman

Mrs. Lori Fry

Mrs. Rachael Vossen

Mr. Matt Dehn

Mrs. Sharon Craker

Mrs. Marti Meyer