

Jan. 21-22, 2017

Epiphany 3

Liturgy: Divine Service II

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 27, pg. 75

First lesson: Isaiah 8: 19 - 9: 2

Second lesson I John 2: 3-11

Gospel: Matthew 4: 12-23

Sermon text Isaiah 8: 19 – 9: 2

Speaker, Rev. Newlin Schafer

Hymns: 84, 90, 279, (577, 338), 745

Special music: 10:30-Grades K-1

Schedule

21 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service w/pew communion
22 Sun	8:00 am Worship service w/pew communion 9:15 am SPL Adult & Youth Bible Hour 10:30 am Worship service w/pew communion
23 Mon	Pastor's conference in Sturgeon Bay (Mon. & Tues.)
24 Tue	6:30 pm Bell Choir 7:30 pm Choir
25 Wed	5:00 pm PSI 7:00 pm Quarterly Congregational meeting
26 Thu	6:00 pm SPL Friends in Faith
28 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service
29 Sun	8:00 am Worship service 9:15 am SPL Adult & Youth Bible Hour 10:30 am Worship service 11:45 am E.D.G.E. Youth meeting

Organist: Judy Lemke

Deacon: Dennis Yorkson; Head Usher: Anthony Pankow; Radio: Gaston Pople

Greeters: 4:00–Wayne Faulks; 8:00 – Judy Luedtke;

10:30- John & Sarah Mueller & family Coffee: Hayes/Schumacher

Ushers: 8:00–Bryce Tesch, Macey Pople, Haven & Tristian Paulson

10:30–Collin Jorgensen, Riley Radtke, Zayne Rodencal, Aidan Smithson

Communion servers: 8:00 – Doug Pankow, Dennis Yorkson

10:30 – Mark Stuebs, Dale Oechler

Church Attendance: 1/14-15: 52 + 114 + 163 = 329

SCHEDULE 1/28-29: Organist: Kerry Koehler

Deacon: Tim Paider; Head Usher: Chris Behm; Radio: Ben Morack

Greeters: 4:00 – Jim Shaffar; 8:00 – Terry & Kathy Schmoltdt;

10:30 – Joe & Marlene Phillips Coffee: Carson/Curtis

Ushers: 8:00 – Mason & Hunter Soerens, Megan & Mariah Carson

10:30 – Gabrielle Collins, Robert Hoewisch, Tatum Williams, Ryley Hofferber

BIBLE STUDY ON “Timeless Topics, Timeless Truths” CONTINUES

The subject to be discussed this coming Sunday, January 22, at 9:15 a.m. in the Commons is: “Gender Identity –who makes the call? “ Confusion, misunderstanding, denial – these are some of the words used to describe the subject of ‘Gender Identity’ today. Do the Scriptures address these issues? To what extent, if any? How are we to understand our role and our responsibility in this whole area? These are some of the questions that will be covered in the new Bible study that was recently started. We hope to see you this coming Sunday! Search the Scriptures with us and find God’s answers to these very timely issues!

QUARTERLY VOTERS MEETING

The voters of St. Peter congregation are scheduled to meet on **Wednesday, January 25, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the Narthex.** In addition to the regular agenda items, we hope to have a “Call List” from the Commission on Lutheran Schools which will be presented for consideration. The congregation recently gave authorization to call a new teacher for Grades 3 and 4. We invite and encourage your attendance!

KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

On Thursday, January 26, 2017, St. Peter Lutheran School will have Kindergarten Roundup. It will be held at the school from 6:00-7:00 pm. The pre-school teacher, kindergarten teacher and principal will be on hand to answer questions about our kindergarten program and school. Parents interested in a Christian education, with children entering kindergarten next fall, are invited to attend. Children must be five years old by September 1st to be considered for enrollment in the kindergarten program. If you have any questions, please call the school at 920-867-2200.

FVL MUSICFEST

Musicfest 2017, formerly known as Winterfest, is set for Sun., Jan. 29th from noon to 4 pm. This family-fun event showcases FVL’s student musicians. Lunch & treats available for purchase. Admission is \$2.00 or with student Passport - free.

NEXT INTERACTIVE FAITH BIBLE STUDY COMING SOON

Beginning in February 2017, couples will have the opportunity to build their marriage on the gospel of Jesus through the next Interactive Faith Bible study entitled “Mysterious Marriage.” It will be led by Rev. Randy Hunter who conducts marriage enrichment seminars around the country. This four-week study will be streamed live twice every Wednesday night between Feb.1 and Feb.22 at 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. (central time).

CHILDREN'S SERMON

A reminder that we have a 'Children's Sermon' the first Sunday of each month. (Because of special services this was not done the last few months.) We ask all pre-school to grade 3 age children to come to the front of church during the 2nd verse of the pre-sermon hymn; after the devotion the congregation will continue singing the rest of the pre-sermon hymn while the children make their way back to the pews. Parents are welcome to accompany their little ones if they wish. The next 'Children's Sermon' will be on **Sunday, February 5, 2017.**

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Each year St. Peter Lutheran School helps supply workers for the Fire on Ice races which will be held February 10-12, 2017. By volunteering for this, Fire on Ice gives a portion of the proceeds back to the school. Volunteers are needed for putting hay on the track, concessions, gate supervision, clean-up, etc. If you wish to sign up for a time slot, please either stop in or call the office to see the available times. Thank you for any help you can give!

The January edition of the Forward in Christ magazine is available on the back table in church.

Your 2017 offering envelopes are available to pick up in the back of church. Please discard any old offering envelopes from previous years.