

March 20-21, 2021

Lent 5

Liturgy: Common Service pg. 15 CW

Psalm of the Day: Ps. 121 pg. 112 (read responsively)

First Reading Isaiah 43: 1-7

Second Reading Hebrews 5: 7-9

Gospel John 12: 20-33

Sermon text John 12: 20-33

Speaker: Rev. Aaron Kristopeit

Hymns: 345, 387, 170, 256 v. 1, 3-4

Special music: 10:30 am – Senior Bell choir

Schedule

20 Sat	1:30 pm SPL Cares Griefshare 4:00 pm Worship
21 Sun	8:00 am Worship 9:15 am Adult Bible study – Jesus' Passion 10:30 am Worship & Facebook live
22 Mon	6:30 pm Bible study @Beyer's
23 Tues	6:30 pm Bell Choir
24 Wed	4:00 pm Lent worship – The Hands of Judas
25 Thur	5:30 pm PSI
27 Sat	4:00 pm Worship w/communion
28 Sun	8:00 am Worship w/communion 9:15 am Adult Bible study – Jesus' Passion 10:30 am Worship w/commun. & Facebook live 11:30 am Confirmation parents meeting

*10:30 am Sunday Radio broadcast on FM92.7 LAKES

Serving schedules:

3/20 & 21: Organist – Kerry Koehler Deacon – Anthony Pankow

Head Usher: 3/20–Steve B.; 3/21–Shane W.; Radio–Durant Popple

Attendance: 3/13 & 14: 56 + 65 + 72 = 193

3/27 & 28: Organist –Becky Miller Deacon – Dennis Yorkson

Head Usher: 3/27–Randy H.; 3/28–Tyler D.; Radio–Ben Morack

** EASTER FLOWERS **

An order form for Easter flowers is enclosed – please note that orders must be in to the office by March 23rd.

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERIES: What is Christ Really Like?

Christ shows his true colors during the season of Lent. Each weekend, we will compare Christ to something and gain a greater understanding of the kind of Savior he is.

- March 20-21: Dying like a Planted Seed

SPL CARES GRIEFSHARE: Surviving the Holidays

On Saturday, March 20th from 1:30 – 3:30 pm, SPL Cares invites you, your family, and friends to this helpful, encouraging seminar for people facing the holidays after a loved one's death. We believe that this seminar will be of benefit to you. It will be held in St. Peter Commons. Childcare may be provided for those under age 12.

For questions and to register for the seminar, please call Sue Morack at 920-209-7744 or email hfishman1@att.net. Respond by March 13th if possible, to allow us time to prepare materials for all participants. Social distancing will be observed. We hope to see you there.

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

- March 27-28: The Sunday of the Passion
- April 1: The Lamb's Blood Preserves Us (7 pm)
- April 2: Seven Words from the Cross (1 & 7 pm)
- April 4: He Lives to Give Us Hope (6:30 am)
- April 4: Certain Hope for Uncertain Times (8 & 10:30 am)

Ladies of St. Peter, aged 14-103, this is for you!

We need to get back to Befriending our Missions, and learning how the Gospel has been reaching hungry souls even during this "pandemic" time. There are messages from our missionaries, and proposals for new world mission fields. With the Holy Spirit at work at home and abroad, these are exciting times. We can *hold up the prophets' hands!* Come to SPL Lutheran Womens Missionary Society at 4:00 March 29, and get some positive and uplifting news!

ECM Committee Non-Member Survey

In this week's bulletin you will find a survey intended for non-member families with children aged 0-5. This survey is an important part of analyzing the need and interest of our community in the Early Childhood Ministry of our church. We need your help getting this survey out into our community. If you can pass this along to someone you know with children in that age group, we would be very grateful. Surveys can be returned to the church office, or there is a basket in the back of church. If you have any questions, contact Emily Kristopeit at emkristo23@gmail.com or (920) 505-0549.

LWMS NEWS

The Wolf River Circuit LWMS Spring Rally for 2021 has been postponed to the Fall of 2021. Also, the LWMS National Convention for June 2021 will be held virtually rather than in person.

CONFIRMATION PARENTS MEETING

On **Sunday, March 28th after the 10:30 service** there will be an informational meeting for all parents of students being confirmed this year. We'll discuss examination day, flowers, pictures, and other details. A reminder: confirmation is for eighth graders who intend to keep their membership at St. Peter for the foreseeable future. Families that belong to other congregations are encouraged to pursue adult membership there. Contact Pastor K with any questions.

SPECIAL PALM SUNDAY SERVICE

This year we're trying out two well-loved traditions from the history of Christianity. Like the crowds who followed Jesus into Jerusalem, worshippers will march down the center aisle with palm fronds during the opening hymn. The rest of the service follows a pattern called the Sunday of the Passion. Instead of a sermon, we will hear the entire account of Jesus' suffering and death from Mark's Gospel. This format sets the stage for the following Sunday's Easter festivals.

HOLY WEEK DETAILS

Last year's shutdown made it difficult to celebrate the special services leading up to Easter Sunday. We'll make up for it this year. The congregation will be invited to sing the opening hymns. The Lord's Supper will be offered at all four Holy Week services. There will be additional vocal and instrumental music, including the return of the St. Peter adult choir. You won't want to miss these services. Please consider setting aside extra time to participate in as many of these special services as your schedule allows, whether in person or online.

Received in memory of Dorothy Chich: \$20,000.00 to St. Peter School from her estate, and memorials of \$50.00 to Radio Ministry and \$20.00 to St. Peter Foundation.

The new issue of the Meditations devotional dated Feb. 28 – May 29th is available in the back of church. The cost is \$4.00.

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Easter Flowers

The Easter Season is upon us again, and we would like to beautify our church in memory of loved ones, but most of all to celebrate our Risen Savior.

If you would like to purchase a flower in memory of a loved one, or just because, the prices are as follows:

_____ Lilies (\$14.50)

_____ Bulb Garden (\$21.00)

Because these flowers are ordered fresh, please have your order and payment (checks payable to St. Peter) handed in to the office **by Tuesday, March 23rd**.
(No orders after this date will be taken)

In Memory
of: _____

Person or family
ordering: _____
