

August 3-4, 2019

Pentecost 8

Liturgy: pg. 15 CW

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 121, pg. 112

First Reading:..... Genesis 15: 1-6

Second Reading:..... Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16

Gospel: Luke 12: 22-34

Sermon text: Luke 12: 29-34

Speaker, Rev. Aaron Kristopeit

Hymns: 402, 441, 442, 355

Schedule

3 Sat	4:00 pm	Worship service
4 Sun	9:00 am	Worship service
6 Tue	5:00 pm	Bible Basics Class (BBC)
7 Wed	9:00 am	Faculty meeting
	6:30 pm	Visiting Elders meeting
8 Thu	6:30 pm	Evangelism Committee meeting
10 Sat	4:00 pm	Worship service
11 Sun	9:00 am	Worship service

10:30 am broadcast on WDUX AM800

Organist: Kerry Koehler

Deacon: Jeremy Schroeder

Head Usher: 8/3: Steve Stuebs; 8/4: Brandon Babino **Radio:** Wayne Faulks

Greeters: 4:00 – Rudy & Joan Beyer;

9:00 – Stacey Boelter & family

Ushers: 9:00 –Shelby & Rob Hoewisch, Desirae Miller, Brianne Rodencal, Emma Vallery

Church cleaners: 8/4 – Behm/Prillwitz

Church Attendance: 7/27-28: 56+172 = 228

SCHEDULE: 8/10-11: Organist: Becky Miller; **Deacon:** Anthony Pankow

Head Ushers: 8/10: Tim Litscher; 8/11: Dylan Pankow **Radio:** Dan Popple

Greeters: 4:00 – Brett & Darcie Hammer;

9:00 – Russell & Loni Radtke

Ushers: 9:00 –Hannah Abrahamson, Josie Niemuth, Darren & Tyler Carson

ANNUAL REPORTS

The 2019 Annual Reports have been prepared and are ready for distribution. You are invited to pick up a copy for your family. They are located on tables in the back of church.

DIVINE CALL EXTENDED

At the Call meeting on July 14th, a Divine Call was extended to Rev. Philip Kieselhorst. He is married to Katharine (nee Jacobi), and has 2 children ages 17 & 19. He is 50 years of age and presently serves Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church in Westminster, Colorado. Please keep him and his family in your prayers as he deliberates on this Call. You are encouraged to contact him as he would like to hear from our members – his contact information is: phone 303-931-7989, or email: pastor@shepherdofthevalley.org.

CHILDREN’S SERMONS COMING SOON!

Starting next month (August 3-4), we will again offer children’s sermons during worship services. Expect them on the first Sunday of every month, after one of the day’s Scripture readings. These 2-3 minute devotions are intended to help children of all ages understand the key point of the day. Parents are welcome to sit with younger children at the front when they come up if it helps them feel comfortable.

NEW BIBLE BASICS CLASS—BEGINS AUGUST 6TH

Has it been a while since you’ve reviewed the basics of Christianity? Would you like a stronger faith? Do you have questions about what you believe? Are you interested in becoming a full-time member of St. Peter? Join us **Tuesdays at 5:00pm** in the Narthex for “Basic Bible Christianity.”

LOOKING FOR SINGERS AND MUSICIANS

You love to sing, but you can’t commit to choir. Maybe you play an instrument. Pastor K wants a list of singers and musicians who are willing to participate in worship (examples: during the offering or communion, leading an unfamiliar hymn verse, etc.). If you’re able to serve in this way, contact him at a.kristopeit@splwega.net.

CURRENT WORSHIP SERIES: THE CHURCH OVERCOMES

Jesus promises the gates of hell cannot overcome his Church (Matt. 16:18). He won the greatest victory for us. But he also warns that smaller obstacles will try to get in our way. Jesus is honest about these challenges. He teaches us how to watch for them and surpass them.

- **August 3-4 – Faith Overcomes Anxiety**
- August 10-11 – Prayer Overcomes Need
- August 17-18 – Spiritual Wealth Overcomes Greed

WAUPACA COUNTY FAIR BOOTH

We are blessed with the opportunity to run a booth at the county fair from August 21st – August 25th. There are sign up sheets in the back of church for volunteers to man the booth and for donation items needed. We hope that many of you can help, even for just an hour!

WEEKLY GRIEF SHARE SESSIONS: June 26 - September 25

Thirteen sessions covering the journey of grief will be held at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, 129 S. Mason St. from 6 PM to 8 PM each Wednesday evening. Register by contacting Joyce Schroeder at 920-585-9080 or joymarie48@yahoo.com. Details on the sessions will be posted on St. Peter's website or refer to the flyer in the narthex kiosk. Contact Sue Morack at 920-209-7744 if you have any questions.

DID YOU KNOW?

Each pew's Connection Cards have recently been updated and refilled. Both guests and members use these to request prayers, ask questions about the sermon or service, update contact information, and more. Notepads are also provided in every pew for little ones who like to draw and doodle—or for adults who enjoy taking notes!

OWLS PICNIC (Organization of WELS Lutheran Seniors)

All seniors are invited to join the OWLS for fellowship and our summer picnic. We will meet on Tuesday, August 13 at NOON for a potluck meal. The gathering will be at Bethany Lutheran Church, 530 W. Parkway Blvd in Appleton. Please bring your own tableware, beverage of your choice plus your favorite dish to share for our potluck meal.

Following the lunch Glenn and Lois Erdmann will share information on "Mission to the Children" in Mexico. For the past few years Bethany plus many other congregations have gathered items which are taken to be distributed to children in Mexico. We look forward to seeing you at our summer picnic.

NO ALUMINUM CANS

– Due to storm damage, please do NOT bring any aluminum cans until further notice. The collection cage needs replacement.

The August issue of the Forward in Christ magazine is available on the back table in church.

CONTRIBUTION UPDATE

Month	Need YTD	Rec'd YTD	YTD over/short
G/F July	46,040	33,572	(-12,468)
Missions	4,848	3,486	(1,362)