

August 4-5, 2018

Pentecost 11

Liturgy: Gathering Rite on the Word, CW pg. 15

Psalm of the Day: Psalm 145 pg. 119

First lesson: Exodus 16: 2-15

Second lesson: 1 Corinthians 10: 1-5, 11-13

Gospel lesson: John 6: 24-35

Sermon text: John 6: 24-35

Theme: "Crave the Giver, not the Gifts" Speaker, Rev. Aaron Kristopeit

Hymns: Gathering Rite on the Word, 402, 489, 473

Schedule

4 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service
5 Sun	8:00 am Worship service
	9:00 am Scrip sales
	10:30 am Worship service
7 Tue	6:00 pm School Board meeting
	6:00 pm BIC
8 Wed	9:00 am Faculty meeting
	10:15 am Crossroads Care Center
9 Thur	6:00 pm Finance/Trustee meeting
11 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service w/altar communion
12 Sun	8:00 am Mission Festival worship service w/altar communion
	10:30 am Mission Festival worship service w/altar communion
	11:30 am Brat fry

*10:30 service is broadcast on WDUX AM800

Organist: Kerry Koehler **Deacon:** Jeremy Schroeder

Head Usher: 8/4: Tim Litscher; 8/5: Dylan Pankow; **Radio:** Tammy Bucholtz

Greeters: 4:00 – Jonathan & Karen Otto & Audra

8:00 – Russell & Loni Radtke; 10:30 – Tim & Pam Litscher & Erin

Ushers: 8:00 – Mike Hahn, Aidan Smithson, Megan McGlin, Raine Radtke

10:30 – Logan Witt, Carter, Travis & Quinn Dittmann

Church cleaners week of 8/5: Buchholz/Buchholz

Church Attendance: 7/28-29: 76 + 151 + 90 = 317

SCHEDULE: 8/11-12: **Organist:** Judy Lemke; **Deacon:** Anthony Pankow

Head Ushers: 8/11: Tom Schneider; 8/12: Justin Zielke **Radio:** Gaston Pople

Greeters: 4:00 – Brett & Darcie Hammer

8:00 – Robert & Rosanne Kent; 10:30 – Wayne Faulks, Willy Schroeder

Ushers: 8:00 – Samantha Smith, Hailey Sych, Greg Radtke, Tom Schneider

10:30 – Ali Kaminske, Erica Olson, Jaden Alswager, Tristian Paulson

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

CHILDREN'S BIBLE HOUR

SPL Children's Bible Hour is searching for teachers for our 2018-2019 school year. Bible hour is held Sundays from 9:15 – 10:15 a.m. during the school year. If you have any interest in helping teach please contact Rachel Loehrke via phone 920-867-3908 or e-mail: rloehrke@yahoo.com or Pastor Lemke. We would welcome any assistance or time commitments. If you are available only twice a month we will gladly share the duties among other teachers.

ANNUAL MISSION FESTIVAL APPROACHES

Our annual Mission Festival is fast approaching. It will be held **Sunday, August 12**. We will be privileged to have as our guest speaker **Pastor Mark Jeske**. He has served as the senior pastor at St. Marcus Lutheran Church in Milwaukee since 1980. St. Marcus is a thriving multicultural congregation of over 1,000 members. Pastor Jeske has been bringing the Word of God to viewers of "Time of Grace" since the television program began airing in November of 2001. That program has brought the saving gospel to thousands of viewers throughout our nation and the world. In-between services Pastor Jeske will give a special presentation on "Time of Grace" to let us know more about the program, past, present, and future.

After the 2nd service on **August 12**, the Worship Committee will host the annual brat fry. With the help of a Thrivent Action Team project grant, the Worship Committee will host and cover all expenses related to the brat fry. There will be **free-will offerings** taken at all of the services that weekend. Any gifts given will go toward "**Time of Grace**" to help in the spreading of the gospel throughout the world. What an exciting weekend is being planned for St. Peter congregation! Be sure to come, be sure to invite a friend, a neighbor, a relative to share with you the amazing gospel of Jesus Christ!

ANOTHER CALL EXTENDED FOR ASSOCIATE PASTOR

The voters of St. Peter congregation recently extended a Call to Rev. Timothy Gauger to be an associate pastor here at St. Peter. Pastor Gauger is married to Linda nee Gustafson and they have one child who is 19 years of age. Pastor Gauger is 55 years of age and serves Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church in Rockford, MI. Christ Our Savior congregation has 685 members and 571 communicants. Pastor Gauger has served in that parish since his graduation from Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary in 1989. Please keep him and his family and congregation in your thoughts and prayers. This is now the 8th Call that we have extended for an associate pastor.

WAUPACA COUNTY FAIR BOOTH

St. Peter will be having a booth at the Waupaca County Fair which runs from August 21-26th. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church for anyone who would like to staff the table for an hour or two.

INSTALLATION DATE SET

Timothy Thies recently accepted the Call to be our 5th and 6th grade teacher and athletic director. We are so thankful to the Lord for providing this servant to instruct and teach the lambs that will be placed into his care. The date for his installation has been set: **Sunday, August 12, during the 10:30 service.** May the Lord bless his ministry here at St. Peter and cause him to be a blessing to so many children as he leads them to Jesus in the classroom.

ST. PETER SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2018-2019 year will take place at St. Peter on Tuesday, August 14th from 9-11 am and 6-8 pm. Parents should plan to attend during one of these two time slots to enroll their children. A mailing regarding registration was sent the week of July 20. If you did not receive the mailing, please call the school office (920) 867-2200 immediately. Summer hours are 8 am – 1 pm. A reminder that your previous year's balance must be paid before any actual enrollment takes place. Tuition assistance forms are available from the school office.

SENIOR SUMMER PICNIC

Tuesday, August 14th at NOON. It's time for our WELS seniors to gather for fellowship and enjoy a summer potluck picnic. We look forward to having you join us at 1,000 Island Environmental Center at Beulien Court just off County Z in Kaukauna. An indoor room has been reserved for our meeting.

Please bring your favorite dish to share for the potluck meal at noon. Also bring your own tableware and your choice of beverage.

The guest speaker will be Jean Lang Manteufel, Post Crescent columnist and author. She will share stories and ideas of how to deal with the life-time of "treasures" in our homes. "I Need Help With My Stuff" is her topic.

OWLS Chapter 42 invites all to attend. You do not need to be an OWLS member to join us.

Easton Travis Haase, son of Westley & Samantha Haase was baptized on July 29, 2018. "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved." Mark 16:16

CONTRIBUTION UPDATE

Month	Need YTD	Rec'd YTD	YTD over/short
G/F July	62,250	49,687	(-12,563)
Missions	6,060	4,306	(-1,754)