

August 6-7, 2022

The Service: setting 4 (not in hymnal)

Psalm: 84

First Reading 1 Kings 8: 54-63

Second Reading Ephesians 2: 8-10, 19-22

Gospel Matthew 16: 13-19

Speaker, Pastor Newlin Schafer

Hymns: 856, 914, 563

Schedule

6 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service
7 Sun	9:00 am Worship service & FB live
	10:00 am Coffee hour in Commons
9 Tue	9:00 – noon School registration
	5:00-8:00 pm School registration
10 Wed	6:00 pm Finance/Trustee meeting
11 Thu	6:0 pm School Board meeting
13 Sat.	4:00 pm Worship service w/communion
14 Sun	9:00 am Worship w/communion & FB live
	10:00 am Coffee hour in Commons
	10:30 am Confirmation parent meeting

**** Radio broadcast Sundays at 10:30 am on 92.7 FM**

Serving schedules:

Organist 7/6 & 7: Kerry Koehler **Deacon** – Jeremy Schroeder

Head Usher: 8/6–Bryan F.; 8/7–Shane W. **Radio**–Gaston P.

Greeters: 4 pm – Sue Morack, Lee & Betty Larson;

9 am – Rob Hoewisch, Casey Koplien

Church cleaners 8/7: Anderson/Ehrenberg/Faulks

Attendance: 7/30 & 31: 51 + 143 = 194

Organist 8/13 & 14: Becky Miller **Deacon** – Jim Freer

Head Usher: 8/13 – Brian V.; 8/14 –Tyler T. **Radio**–Durant P.

Communion server: Doug Pankow

Greeters: 4 pm – Mark & Crystal Ebeltoft & family

9 am – Liz & Kathy Dey

Church cleaners 8/14: Hermes

On Sunday, August 7th, at 10:30 am, we will be ringing the church bell 150 times as part of our Anniversary celebration.

FIRST WEEKEND OF OUR SESQUICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

This weekend, Pastor Newlin Schafer will deliver our special message of *thanksgiving*. Also, greet Emily and the expanded Schafer family (Remember, when they left for Florida, they had one son and the second due soon.) Come and meet all the new Schafers. If you'd like a celebratory *picture* taken of yourself or your family, or perhaps a pose with our guests, we have a special 150th frame for you. You may do "selfies" or have one taken by one of our home-grown photographers.

Our church bells will be rung 150 times, after the 9:00 service on Aug. 7. There will be timelines and displays around the buildings. Especially look at our Pastors Memorial Wall along the hallway from narthex to commons. Don't forget the special fellowship coffee hour.

Pick up your third installment of St. Peter History flashbacks." Those you have filled out from previous weeks may be dropped in the offering box, or the special box on top of the narthex piano. Each of the four weekends will offer new ways to offer thanksgiving to our heavenly Father for His 150 years of grace and blessing.

CONFIRMATION PARENTS MEETING

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14TH, at 10:30AM. This 15-20 minute meeting is for all families who are beginning or continuing confirmation classes this school year, whether they are students at St. Peter or a public school. A reminder that confirmation begins in 5th grade at St. Peter and 7th grade for public school instruction (PSI). If you are a public school family—especially with a new student this year—please contact Pastor K (920-505-0543) so he can visit you in August with more information. The meeting will review the general purposes and expectations of the confirmation process and will include time for parent questions.

WORSHIP SLIDE ADVANCERS

Hello St. Peter members! We are in need of individuals who are willing to serve the Lord and St. Peter by being slide advancers for our worship services. To this point, we have been using a sign-up sheet in the back of the church, but would like to move towards a schedule. If you are willing to serve, please take the time to fill out this short survey that gives you more information. If you have questions, email Mr. Ristow at b.ristow@splwega.net. Here is the link: <https://forms.gle/j5gAVwn2ST7uYV61A>

INTERESTED IN BEING A GREETER?

Looking for a way to be of service to St Peter Lutheran? Become a greeter by welcoming members and guests attending worship services through warm and helpful interactions. Please call or text Jodi Wilz 920-572-0762 to be added to our wonderful greeter program. Thank you for considering serving the Lord and St Peter in this role.

SCHOOL FINAL REGISTRATION

This will take place for grades 3K-8th on **Tuesday, August 9** from 9:00-noon and 5:00-8:00 pm. If you have not registered your child(ren) for 2022-2023, then you can do so at either of the time slots listed. If you have registered, you still need to attend on August 9. If you are unable to attend August 9, we ask that you contact the school office at 920-867-2200 as soon as possible between the hours of 8:00 am and 1:00 pm Monday through Friday.

Final registration attendees will turn in filled-out forms to finalize the enrollment process. These include: school registration (if not completed since April), student medications, asthma inhaler, picture/image use permission, free-hot lunch application, and off-campus permission forms. All of these forms can be found on our website at www.splwega.net. You are encouraged to print them off ahead of time, complete them, and bring them to post registration to save time. At final registration, there will be communication distributed regarding the upcoming school year.

PEW BIBLES AT ST. PETER

Did you miss the opportunity to purchase congregational hymnals last fall? The voting members of St. Peter decided to purchase Bibles for the pew racks to go with our new hymnals (the old Bibles were wearing out and did not match each other's translation, edition, or page numbers). Leftover funds from the hymnal purchase will cover some of the cost, but an additional \$1,816 are needed. Like the hymnals, as you are able, you are invited to support this project in memory of a loved one, a beloved former teacher or pastor, the 150th St. Peter anniversary, to God's glory, or for any other occasion/reason. The donation cost per Bible is \$14.00.

JOIN THE TEAM OF COFFEE HOUR SERVERS

A schedule for the Coffee Hour Servers for the upcoming year is currently being developed. You will find this a fun and rewarding experience to be part of creating a fellowship event each Sunday morning. You will be asked to serve a maximum of 2 Sundays in the year. If you are interested in serving in this way, please contact Pat Freer at (920) 723-5439 or freerp@uww.edu.

Gale J. Balthazor, age 84, died on July 31, 2022. His funeral was held on August 4th. May the Lord graciously comfort the survivors.

Colton D. Haase, infant son of Westley & Samantha Haase, was baptized on July 17, 2022. "Whoever who believes and is baptized will be saved." Mark 16:16

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