

August 7-8, 2021

Pentecost 11

Liturgy: Divine Service II

Psalm of the day: Ps. 145, pg. 119 (read responsively)

1st Reading Exodus 16: 15-31

2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 10: 1-5, 11-13

Gospel John 6: 24-35

Sermon text Exodus 16: 15-31

Speaker: Rev. Aaron Kristopeit

Hymns: 735, 331, (309, 741), 318

Schedule

7 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service w/communion 5:00 pm ECM Open Forum
8 Sun	9:00 am Worship service w/commun. & FB live 10:00 am Parent/Pastor meeting 5-8 th grades 10:00 am ECM Open Forum
10 Tue	9:00-noon School registration 5:00-8:00 pm School registration
11 Wed	6:00 pm Finance/Trustee meeting
14 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service
15 Sun	9:00 am Worship service & FB live 10:00 am Coffee hour

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

Serving schedules:

8/7 & 8: Pianist – Bethany Warnke Deacon – Jim Freer

Head Usher: 8/7– Tyler T.; 8/8 – Bryan F. Radio–Durant P.

Church cleaners 8/8: Koch/Yorkson

Communion server: 8/8 – Erick Shalo

Attendance: 7/31 & 8/1: 60 + 138 = 198

8/14 & 15: Organist – Kerry Koehler Deacon – Jim Freer

Head Usher: 8/14 – Shane W.; 8/15 – Steve B. Radio–Ben M.

Church cleaners 8/15: Kanaman/Litscher

OFFICE CLOSED ON AUGUST 5TH

PARENT/PASTOR MEETING – 5-8th grades

We ask that all parents of students in 5th-8th grade attend a short meeting after the 9am service on **Sunday, August 8th**. The purpose of this meeting is to give parents more information about what the goals of confirmation are, how Pastor K. and Mr. Ristow plan to conduct class, as well as important dates and times for those being confirmed this year.

EARLY CHILDHOOD MINISTRIES – Open Forums

There will be several ECM Open Forums after worship services in the next couple months to share information, answer questions and gather input regarding the feasibility of expanding St. Peter Early Childhood program. All members of the congregation are encouraged to attend one of these sessions. The first forums are on Aug. 7 & 8th after services.

NEW WORSHIP SERIES: MISSION, MIRACLES, AND MANNA

In Mark 6 and John 6, we read about the middle of Jesus' ministry on earth. He gives instructions and examples for how the church will operate, reassures his disciples with amazing miracles, and challenges them with important, difficult theology. The next two months of services will explore the ministry of Jesus and apply it to our own.

Aug 7-8: His Satisfying Ministry

Aug 14-25: His Exclusive Ministry

LWMS NEWS

The next St. Peter LWMS meeting will be Monday, August 30th, from 4:00 to 5:00 pm in the church library. **Please join us if you have time to hear about the ongoing WELS missions.**

***AN INVITATION FROM IMMANUEL LUTHERAN – WAUPACA*
August 31st, Salad Supper - 6:00 pm followed by Guest Speaker:**

Emily Kom - Mission Journey: Russia

Have you ever taken a trip that exceeded your expectations? That was Emily's Mission Journey to Russia. Emily writes: *"Sheila Frey and I had so much fun with our sisters in Christ and spending time with the Wolfgramm family. The trip was packed full of 'firsts' and 'favorites' including getting hit with birch branches while wearing a bathing suit."*

Come and listen to Emily Kom as she shares about her Mission Journey to Russia and the work being done there.

This is a free event. If interested in going, please call Gail OKeefe at 715-258-2062 or 715-412-2064 or email at okeefe6@charter.net by

Tuesday, August 10.

We will car pool from St. Peter's west parking lot at 5:30pm.

ST. PETER LUTHERAN SCHOOL

We plan on another year of face-to-face instruction for 2021-22. There will be an opening service on Sunday, August 29, at 9:00 am. School begins as follows: 3K on August 30, 4K on August 31, and grades K-8 on September 1. There will be school **registration** on Tuesday August 10 from 9am to noon and again from 5-8 pm. Tuition prices are as follows: 3K members \$330, 4K members \$597, and K-8 members \$1003; 3K nonmembers \$464, 4K nonmembers \$1003, and K-8 nonmembers \$1640.

A summer registration mailing was sent out July 29 for all previous students and those who have expressed an interest in attending St. Peter. If you did not receive that mailing, please contact the school office immediately at 920-867-2200 or stpeter@splwega.net.

COFFEE HOUR - SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

Fellowship is so important for a church family, so it is exciting to be able to offer coffee hours again this fall. **If you are interested in serving** at a coffee hour, **please contact Pat Freer** (920) 723-5439 or freerp@uww.edu to offer your service. A schedule for the year will be distributed in August. Coffee hour will be held again this summer on August 15th. Thanks for using your gifts to serve the Lord in this way.

GREETERS

We are looking for greeters to welcome members and guests attending worship services starting Sept 12th. Training will be provided to review the responsibilities of welcoming people to St Peter Lutheran.

Please call or text Jodi Wilz at 920-572-0762 with your interest in being a part of this ministry.

Thank you for considering serving the Lord and St Peter Lutheran in this capacity for approximately one service, every other month.

STAINED GLASS WINDOW PROJECT

On May 10th, the congregation approved going forward with the refurbishment of the 110 year old stained glass windows at a cost of \$389,305. That also included approval of the financial plan that was presented to use about \$137,000 of the discretionary reserves, a \$58,000 grant from St. Peter Foundation and \$95,000 from the \$300,000 General Fund Checking Account balance. The final piece of the plan was an appeal to the members of the congregation to contribute \$100,000 to complete the funding for the project. As of July 31, \$95,517 had been contributed to the window project. That figure included a \$38,000 special gift from the Kobiske Estate Trust.

The project is underway with a planned completion by Christmas. This is a very important action that will preserve the beautiful and meaningful windows for future generations.

**Everly G. Tryba, daughter of Tyler & Sarah Tryba, was baptized on August 1, 2021. "Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved."
Mark 16:16**

Given in memory of Joel D. Jorgensen: \$548.00 toward Stained glass windows, \$517.00 to Radio Ministry & \$10.00 to St. Peter Foundation.

The August issue of the Forward in Christ magazine is available in the back of church. Feel free to pick up a copy – there are many good articles to read!

NOTE: There will be no mailed bulletin the week of August 9th.