

November 26 & 27, 2022

First Sunday in Advent

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Psalm 80

First Reading Isaiah 2: 1-5

Second Reading Romans 13: 11-14

Gospel Matthew 24: 36-44

Speaker, Pastor Aaron Kristopeit

Hymns: 305, 301, 672, 309, 951

Schedule

26 Sat	4:00 pm Worship service w/communion
27 Sun	8:00 am Worship service w/communion
	9:15 am Adult Bible hour (NO YOUTH BIBLE HOUR)
	10:30 am Worship w/commun. & FB live
29 Tue	6:30 pm Bell Choir practice
	7:30 pm Choir practice
30 Wed	4:00 pm Advent worship
	4:45 pm Chili Supper in Commons
1 Thur	1:30 pm Ladies Aid meeting
	7:00 pm Voter's Meeting RE: ECM
3 Sat.	4:00 pm Worship service
	5:30 pm Weyauwega Christmas parade
4 Sun	8:00 am Worship service
	9:15 am Adult & Youth Bible hour
	10:30 am Worship service & FB live
	3:00 pm Christmas Concert
	6:30 pm Bible study @ Rio Lobo
	- Radio Broadcast Sundays at 7:00 am on 92.7FM

Serving schedules:

Organist 11/26 & 27: Kerry Koehler Deacon –Jeremy Schroeder

Head Usher: 11/23, 24 & 26 – Bryan F.; 11/27–Tyler T. Radio– Gaston P.

Communion servers: 8 – Randy Hidde, 10:30 – Jeff Miller

Greeters: 11/23 – 7 pm–Gettendorf; 11/24 - 9:30am - Dey

11/26 & 27: 4–Kaminske, Schwanke; 8–Smiley; 10:30–Curtis

Coffee hour: Hayes/Schumacher

Church cleaners 11/27: Hoewisch

Attendance: 11/17 & 20: 65 + 67 + 58 = 190

Pianist 12/3 & 4: Bethany Warnke Deacon – Jim Freer

Head Usher: 12/3 – Brian V.; 12/4 –Shane W. Radio–Durant P.

Greeters: 11/30 – 4 pm– Morack;

12/3 & 4: 4 – Wilz,Loehrke; 8 – Hansen, Raisler; 10:30 – Green,Ritchie

Coffee hour: Beyer/Umnus

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Prepare your hearts and minds for the holiday season with beautiful music! Join us on **Sunday, December 4**, for a sacred concert full of songs for Advent and Christmas. At 3:00 pm, the narthex will open with refreshments, fellowship, and music provided by SPL piano students. At 4:00 pm, the concert will begin in the sanctuary, featuring pieces by choirs, handbells, and other instruments. Bring friends and family to come enjoy the songs of the season!

CHILI SUPPER

St. Peter F.A.C.E. (Friends Assisting Christian Education) group will be hosting their annual Chili Supper on Wednesday, November 30th in the school commons. The meal will start at approximately 4:45 pm following the Advent worship service. Please come and enjoy a warm bowl of chili and Christian fellowship. (There will be hot dogs for those who don't like chili)

This event is supplemented by a Thrivent Action team grant, and proceeds are used for various items/activities for our SPL School students. Your support is very much appreciated!

SPECIAL VOTERS MEETING - Early Childhood Ministry

A special voters meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 1st at 7:00 pm. At this meeting we will be voting on whether to move forward with the ECM Project our church has been working on for the last two years. A Business and Ministry Plan outlining the details of this project is available in the back of church, or you can stop by the office and pick one up. All members are encouraged to attend and provide input as we make this important Ministry decision.

A SPECIAL THANK-YOU

St. Peter has been blessed with a new Yamaha CLP-785 piano for our balcony. The previous piano, which had been purchased in 2002, served our congregation well but experienced several problems over the past year that could no longer be repaired due to changing technology. A committee of our church musicians researched and played many instruments to determine the best one for our music ministry.

Through the generous donations of three of our church members, the piano was totally funded and is now being used for our worship services. We thank Bob and Lori Ehrenberg who donated funds in memory of their daughter, Jill, Bob's mother, Joyce Ehrenberg, and Lori's mother, Eileen Wall. We also extend our thanks to Marian Boushley for her donation in memory of her husband, Roger. Their support of the St. Peter music ministry is greatly appreciated. The piano is already being used regularly but we will formally dedicate it the first weekend in January during our church services.

WORSHIP SERIES: Come, Lord Jesus!

The final three words in Scripture are “Come, Lord Jesus!” When Jesus comes again, he will destroy this sin-broken world and make everything new. Christians are excited for that day! Everything he accomplished on earth the first time gives us confidence about where we’ll stand on the Last Day.

Nov 27: as King

Dec 4: as Judge

Dec 11: as Messiah

Dec 18: as Immanuel

TEACHER CALLS EXTENDED

St. Peter has called two new teachers for next school year. They are a husband and wife team. Mr. Eric Wolf has been called to teach grades 7&8 and upper grades Science. Mrs. Jill Wolf has been called to be our full-time remedial teacher. They are currently teaching at Bloomington Lutheran School in Bloomington, Minnesota. Please keep them in your prayers as they deliberate their call to Bloomington and to St. Peter. Their email is: eric.wolf@myblh.org and jill.wolf@myblh.org if you wish to contact them.

LIVE NATIVITY

St. Peter’s Live Nativity will take place on Sat. Dec. 17th from 1:30-3:30 pm. If you are interested in being a character for the event, please sign up in the back of church.

WEYAUWEGA CHRISTMAS PARADE

The Weyauwega Christmas parade will take place on Sat., December 3rd at 5:30 pm. St. Peter will have a float themed “Follow the Star”. If you are interested in walking with the float in the parade, please call or stop in the office to sign up. Walkers will meet at St. Peter at 4:30 pm.

GIVING TREE

For those of you who took gift tags for the Giving Tree, be sure to bring the unwrapped gifts to church or the office by December 9th.

The new Meditations devotional dated November 27th thru February 25, 2023 is available in the back of church. The cost is \$4.00.

The November issue of the Forward in Christ magazine is available in the back of church. Check it out!

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