

THE LORD'S WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY

9:00 a.m. Knotters (Gym Corridor)
5:20 p.m. GROW Exercise (Choir Room)

TUESDAY

9:30 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study (Large Conf. Room)
5:15 p.m. Teacher Call Committee (Staff Conf. Room)
7:00 p.m. Adult Choir (Cornerstone Room)
8:00 p.m. Brass Choir (Sanctuary Balcony)

WEDNESDAY

4:30 p.m. GROW Exercise (Choir Room)
6:00 p.m. STEPS Dinner (Cornerstone Room)
6:30 p.m. Leadership Training (Large Conf. Room)
7:00 p.m. STEPS

THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. Ladies Aid Quilting (Cornerstone Room)
12:00 p.m. Pastor Steve's Bible Study (Large Conf. Room)
7:00 p.m. Ministry Impact Team (Large Conf. Room)
8:00 p.m. Men's Basketball (Church Gym)

FRIDAY

8:30 a.m. Jr. Choir Pictures (Sanctuary)

SATURDAY

5:00 p.m. Worship with Communion (Sanctuary)

SUNDAY

8:00 a.m. Worship with Communion (Sanctuary)
9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study (Cornerstone Room)
9:15 a.m. Public School Confirmation (Large Conf. Room)
10:30 a.m. Worship with Communion (Sanctuary)

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT

ATTENTION ALL THRIVENT MEMBERS

Now is the time to direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars, if you haven't already done so. We hope that you will consider choosing St. Peter's Lutheran Church and School. This is an easy way to support the church and school.

You can direct your dollars online. Visit Thrivent.com/thriventchoice. In the Direct Choice section, click "Get started now." Find St. Peter's Lutheran Church or School Fort Wayne (listed separately), and click "Direct Now." You can then select the "Direct All" or pick specified amounts for more than one organization.

You can also direct your dollars by phone. Call 800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice" when prompted.

In 2017, thus far, because you directed funds to St. Peter's, we have received over \$10,000 for our church and school ministries. In 2016, over \$19,000 was directed to St. Peter's Church or School.

You have the power to direct where Thrivent Financial gives back.

REMINDERS

There will be no Men's Thursday Morning Bible Study this week (February 1). It will resume on February 8.

Scrip is available in the church office following the 10:30 worship service on Sunday mornings. Your regular weekly shopping trips can support our school with no added expense to you. Scrip orders can also be placed in the drop box just inside the church office door.

COLLECTIONS

A Hope Center is a Christian organization offering pregnancy related services and counseling. Their website (www.ahopecenter.org) provides a full list of their services, including post-abortion counseling. Giving these simple items is a way of supporting life: new baby bottles and nipples, sippy cups, lotions/diaper cream, and Dreft detergent.



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WEEKEND WORSHIP SERVICES

Saturday—5:00 p.m.
Sunday—8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY—9:15 A.M.

Adult Bible Study
(Cornerstone Room)
Public School Confirmation
(Large Conference Room)

WELCOME GUESTS!

We're glad you're worshipping with us today! We pray the time you spend here is uplifting, and we hope to see you again. While you are here, we invite you to:

- Complete a visitor information card located in the pocket of the pew in front of you. You can drop it in the offering plate or give to one of our ushers.
- Visit the Welcome Center to learn more about St. Peter's and accept a gift from us!

We welcome children in worship, but if you need to use the nursery, it's on the lower level, down the stairs and to the immediate right.

If you're interested in joining St. Peter's, please share your contact information on the Visitor Information Card or the Ritual of Friendship pad. Someone will be in touch with you to share who we are, what we believe, and how to become a member of our church family.

FOR MORE INFO & PRAYER SUPPORT

For the latest St. Peter's news, events, & sermon videos:

- ➡ Visit www.stpetersfw.org
Find us on [facebook.com/StPetersFW](https://www.facebook.com/StPetersFW)

To submit a prayer request:

- ➡ **Write** your request on a Visitor Information Card located in the pew pocket. Pass the card to the center aisle, or hand it to the usher during the opening hymn. You may also place your card in the offering plate, or **Call** the church office at 749-5816.

To pray for specific needs of our church family:

- ➡ **Pick up** a prayer card as you enter/exit worship.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP CHICKEN SALE

Don't cook on Super Bowl Sunday. Get hot delicious Lutheran Goeglein's chicken right after church. Preorder your half chicken meal for only \$8 this weekend in the Ministry Center. Each meal comes with a ½ chicken, baked potato, green beans, and a dinner roll. All of the proceeds go to support our Youth on their summer trip. Call or text Pastor Schultz if you have any questions.

SPRING ELECTION

The Nominating Team is seeking suggestions from the congregation for candidates for the spring election at the Voter's Assembly meeting. Candidates are needed for the following positions: Board of Directors, School Board, Preschool Board, Nominating Team, Properties Team Chair, and Older Adults Team Chair. Although incumbents may run again, it is the intention of the Nominations Team to come up with a slate of candidates. If you have suggestions, please submit names on the church website or contact Chair Rhonda Scott (priusdriver@aol.com or 637-2532).

SOUPER BOWL

While your favorite football team may not be in action, you can be... as part of St. Peter's annual Souper Bowl. The weekend of February 3 and 4 we will be collecting non-perishable, *not expired* food items for the Associated Churches Food Bank. A door offering will also be taken that weekend to provide a giving option if you forget a food donation or choose that method instead. The food bank can get our items to those who desperately need assistance or use the funds to buy-in-bulk. Thank you!

STEPS continues this week. Dinner will include the following: Chili, Bread Stick w/Cheese Sauce, Salad, Applesauce, Cookie.

This week's Financial Planning class will feature Your Legacy: Family, Church, Charity -- Unleash your generosity! It doesn't matter if you're a Midwestern farmer, Pacific coast fisherman or a Southern belle. If there are people or causes you care about, we can help you uncover ways to enrich their futures. Join us for a presentation on estate and giving strategies, and we'll discuss how to ensure your legacy lives on.

The February "Lunch with a Staff Member" at Ziano's in Chapel Ridge will be held on Monday, February 5 at 11:30 a.m. and will include guests Mindy Lunz and Jill Rodenbeck. Please sign-up in the Ministry Center if you can join us so we can give an accurate head count to the restaurant.

The teacher call committee is seeking qualified candidate suggestions from the congregation for the kindergarten and first grade positions. Candidate nomination forms are in the Ministry Center. For questions or for more information, please contact committee chair, Erin Hartman (312-0843 or erhartman94@gmail.com).

Building Ministry One Cup at a Time - Now available: Get your "one of kind" St. Peter's coffee mug. For only \$20, buy a coffee mug that supports both the church and the school. Pick up your order envelope in the Ministry Center, or see Tony Hunt, Director of Advancement. Once you have your mug, stop in to see Tony and get a free cup of coffee!

Monday, January 29 Knotting – If you aren't busy on Monday, we would enjoy having you join the Knotters. Hours are 9:00 – 3:00, and bring a lunch if you plan to stay the day. There are many quilts to be completed, and more knotters are needed for this Lutheran World Relief Mission Project. Hope you can join us, even for a couple of hours. For questions contact Pat Rothenhofer (490-6235) or Jan Bultemeier (485-1416).

Dates open for altar flowers in 2018 are February 24/25, April 14/15, and June 30/July 1. To reserve one of these weekends or to place chancel flowers, call Doris Martin (444-2838) or Darlene Schwartz (493-1011).