

St. Peter's Lutheran Church



CONNECT TO CHRIST WITH US

The Transfiguration of our Lord

Last Sunday after Epiphany

Live Stream Worship Sunday at 10:30

These services can be found on our Facebook page

www.Facebook.com/StPetersFW

Large Print Bulletins are available from an Elder.



Prayer Text Hotline
Text requests to
260-468-5816

**The last Monday
service will be this
week, February 28th.**

February 26-28, 2022

In-Person Worship
Praise Team Weekend

Sermon

"Glimpses of Glory"

Text: *Luke 9:28-36*

Pastor Adam McDowell

Worship Readings

Old Testament Reading:

Deuteronomy 34:1-12

Epistle Reading:

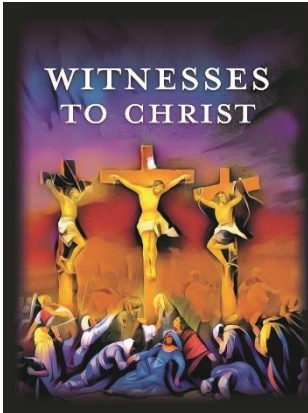
Hebrews 3:1-6

Gospel Reading:

Luke 9:28-36



CONNECT TO CHRIST WITH US (CONT.)



Ash Wednesday begins this Wednesday, March 2

Services will be in-person at noon and 7 pm. Noon service will be livestreamed.

******The imposition of Ashes will begin 15 minutes before each service and continue until everyone who wishes to receive this symbol of Lent has done so. When you arrive, you may get in line before you are seated.***

We pray for our congregation and hope to see you at our Lenten services continuing each Wednesday as we anticipate the holy sufferings, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Devotionals to use during this season of humble repentance can be found in the Ministry Center.

Special Voter's Meeting

Our special Voter's Meeting is this **Sunday, February 27, following the 10:30 a.m. service.** The meeting will be held in the sanctuary. It was determined by the BOD that the position of Director of Community of Care will first be brought to the floor for approval and then, if approved, the meeting will proceed with the calling of an associate pastor to fill that role. The agenda and a BOD approved Role Description for the Director of Community of Care can be found in the February 13th edition of the News & Notes and paper copies are also available in the Ministry Center.

GROW IN HIS GRACE WITH US

Tuesday Ladies Bible Study

Tuesdays 9:30 - 11:00 a.m.

Large Conference Room

Join the Ladies study this week as we begin "The ROCK, the ROAD, and the RABBI." This 6 week DVD study takes us to sites in Israel and provides fascinating background details that make the events of the New Testament come alive. This week we travel to Bethlehem: Where It All Began.

Pastor Steve's Bible Study

Pastor Steve's Thursday Bible Study continues every Thursday at noon in the Sanctuary.

Sunday Bible Study

Creation, was it "big bang", "chaos", or "on purpose with a plan by a Power that always was, is and will be?" Join the Sunday Adult Bible Class at 9:15 AM.

Senior Saints

We're back from our winter break and excited to get rolling with a great lineup of activities for 2022. Please plan to join us on Monday, March 7 at 11:30 am in the Cornerstone Room for our first event of the new year. This Lunch & Learn will feature a delicious Irish stew, Irish salad (aka cole slaw), sourdough bread, and something green and sweet for dessert. Our guest speaker will be St. Peter's own Vicar Nate who will help us learn more about substance abuse and addiction. Please sign up today in the Ministry Center. The cost for the lunch is \$10/person.

High School Youth Group (HSYG)

Next meeting February 27th from 6-8 pm at the Parish House

Middle School Youth Group (MSYG)

Tuesdays -- 6:30-8 pm -- School Cafeteria

All peoples in 6-8th grade invited

Kids of the Kingdom Update

We need you!

We are still in need of volunteers for **March 27th, April 3rd, and April 10th**. We'd love to see a few new names on there.

If you've already signed up, THANK YOU! If you haven't and you're reading this or have ever used Kids of the Kingdom for your family, please prayerfully consider adding your name for just one of the dates listed. The need is there and plenty of dates can still be filled for the 2022 year.

Don't want to teach alone? Create a team and teach together. It's always more fun to have a buddy with you. Many hands make light work. Email [Jen Cardone](mailto:jcardone@stpetersfw.org) at jcardone@stpetersfw.org or call the church office to sign up.

SHARE HIM WITH OTHERS



Connecting Hearts

Happy Connections! Find your opportunity to connect in the Ministry Center by picking up a Connecting Hearts magnet with members of St. Peter's who are unable to join us in person and other's celebrating the gift of independent living as they age.

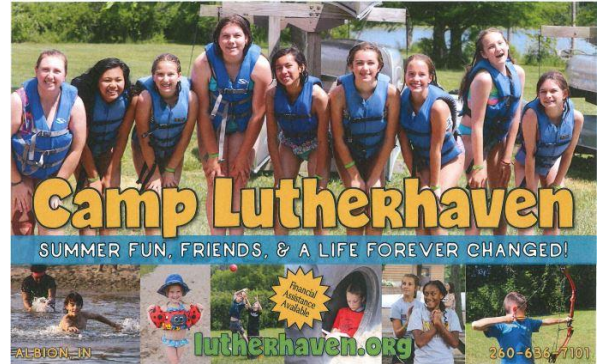
How can you help? Send cards or letters for occasions throughout the year such as their birthday, holidays, or just because. Your first one could begin by introducing yourself. Let your chosen member know you're thinking about them, praying and giving thanks for their fellowship in our St. Peter's family, past and present.

Compassionate Care Collection: Camp Lutherhaven

- **Heavy weight** silver duct tap (for fixin')
- Colored duct tape (for craftin')
- 4" Ace wrap (for 'Ouch!')

Collection baskets: Ministry Center & North Corridor

Registration for summer camp at Lutherhaven has begun! It may not seem like it, but summer is right around the corner. Have you made plans yet? Camp Lutherhaven has something for everyone: campfires, swimming, making paracord bracelets, Wacky Olympics, or just spending time with friends and family. There are programs for Kindergarten all the way through High School, as well as some for the whole family! Register online today at www.lutherhaven.org, or call for more information at 260.636.7101.



PrayER Team Spotlight: Chronic & Sudden Illness



"Turn, O Lord, deliver my life; save me for the sake of your steadfast love." - Psalm 6:4

If we have learned anything in the past two years, it is the benefit of praying for one another as we go through various health issues. Our Chronic/Sudden Illness PrayER Team has been very active praying for unexpected illnesses, medical testing, injuries, and ongoing health concerns. If it is affecting your life, they want to pray for you. You can text your prayer requests to the PrayER Team Hotline at 260-468-5816.

Mental Health Awareness: PTSD

Many of us will experience some kind of trauma during our lifetime. Sometimes, we escape with no long-term effects. But for millions of us, those experiences linger, causing symptoms like flashbacks, nightmares, and negative thoughts that interfere with everyday life. This phenomenon, called post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), isn't a personal failing. Rather, it's a treatable malfunction of certain biological mechanisms that allow us to cope with dangerous experiences. Search in YouTube the title "The psychology of post-traumatic stress disorder – Joelle Rabow Maletis" to look up a video and learn the science behind post-traumatic stress disorder, its symptoms, and how the brain reacts to trauma.



March 1-8

(1) Leland Bienz, Karin Brown, Giuliana DeVito, Bradley Krockner, Madison Pruser; (2) John James, Matthew Nord, Tamara Olson, Jill Rodenbeck; (3) Jack Arnett, Jen Girardot; (4) Andrew Arnett, Dennis Borchers, Kori Patire; (5) Michael Blissett, Thomas Egolf, Andrew James, Shelly Koenig; (6) Mary Krahn, Aaron Loveless; (7) Scott Byler, Thurley Cordes, Denise Ehle, Melanie Moehring; (8) Nicole Eicholtz, Jennifer Hartman, Landin Korte, Andrew Luttenbacher;

March 9-16

(9) Sloane Bremer, Tina Kelly, Colten Reese, Delaney Werling; (10) Bart Benzinger, Brittany Berning, Rosalie Blocher, Braydon Cobbs, Beth Duff, Susan Fritcha, Diann Keele, Tyler Smith, Marilyn Zellers; (11) Karen Bierlein, Austin Bradtmueller, Shaye Bradtmueller, Gloria Buhr, Michelle Casey, Tyke Ehle, Laura Schweder; (12) Joseph Baumgartner, John Blocher, Tierni Brenner, Marilyn Goeglein, Serena James, Michelle Leahy; (13) Jacob Amstutz, Geoffrey Brooks, Devin Derheimer, Peyton Gulley, Victoria Lothamer, Tyler Moher; (14) Daniel Doehrmann, Paris Drew, Robert Linnemeyer, Wilma Meyer, Rachel Scheumann, Franny Weller, Sarah Zent, Tyler Zoda; (15) Greg Brown, Marissa Drew, Dylan Gulley, Andrea Koenig, Kyle Schultz, Timothy Scott, Jacob Thomas, Taya Werling, Steve Wyss; (16) Pauline Carpenter, Nicholas Cobb, Hayden Zelt, Madelyn Zelt;

March 17-23

(17) Cailyn Bolinger, Scott Buuck, Kathleen Kerbel, Mike Rekeweg; (18) Stacey Brooks, Nathaniel Dennis, Haley Tinsley; (19) Jeremy Avery, Porter Blosser, Olivia Cardone, Ritchy Francois, Kathy Gerbers; (20) Ronald Bakalar, Will Clinkenbeard, Lindsey Donovan, Constance Kramer, Jack Massucci, Colton Stults; (21) Aldine Benecke, Louise Creutz, Ryan Koenig, Lyndi McDowell, Chase Meyer, Kimberly Meyer, Clark Miller, Lukas Richardson; (22) Jack Aaron, Joan Bosler, Laurie Crismore, Mikaela Fries, Jill Hamann, Josh Hieber, Sophia Hieber, Maddox Krockner, Elsie Selking, Lauren Waterman; (23) Lauren Edwards, Joan Winesburg, Robin Young;

March 24-31

(24) Josh Smith; (25) Reagan Bridge, Simon Bridge, Lauren Clinkenbeard, Grayson Combs, Linda Varner; (26) Marjorie Dressler; (27) Janet Kosteck, Ava Roebel, Gary Stair; (28) Benjamin Arruza, Heather Eicholtz, Mason Gilbert, Bailey Haney, Edward Johnson, Benjamin Meyer, Karter Selking; (29) Rachel Anderson, Amy Campbell, Rick Creutz, Dorothy Doctor, Lori Hoffman, Tristan Marquart; (30) Betty Gerken, Judith Johnson, Brentley Lothamer, Tyler Wiseman; (31) Dianna Habegger, Jean Scherer, Stephen Wood, Bruce Young, Ellen Young

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Stewardship Corner as of 2/13/2022

God certainly gives us what is good; let us return a portion to him!

	<u>Month to Date</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	<u>Other Revenue</u>
Total Giving	\$ 38,476	\$ 766,992	\$ 3,641
Budget	\$ 53,529	\$ 729,092	\$ 10,990
Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$ 15,054)	\$ 37,900	(\$ 7,349)

Loan Balance \$1,436,293



The CLHS Performing Arts Program will be the Special Offering for February. Drop your offering envelope in the wooden church in the Ministry Center.

St. Peter's sent \$2,449 to the Tornado Relief Fund in December to the Mid-South District in Tennessee. Donations directed to this fund were used for relief efforts in the tornado-ravaged communities.

Scrip Sales

Scrip Sales to start again in the Ministry Center before and after worship, generally on the 1st and 3rd weekends of each month. The next one scheduled is for March 4-5.

LORD'S WEEK AT A GLANCE

Saturday, February 26

3:30 pm - Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
5:00 pm - Worship w/ Praise Team (Sanctuary)

Sunday, February 27

8:00 am - Worship (Sanctuary)
9:15 am - Adult Info Class (AIC) (Staff Conference)
9:15 am - Adult Bible Study (Cornerstone)
9:15 am - Public School Confirmation (Large Conference)
9:45 am - Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
10:30 am - Worship w/ Praise Team (Sanctuary) *KOTK*
Special Voter's Meeting following the 10:30 service
5:00 pm - Lutheran Singles Group (Cornerstone Room)
6:00 pm - HSYG (Parish House)

Monday, February 28

9:00 am - Knotters (Parish House)
5:30 pm - Preschool Board Meeting (Large Conference)
6:00 pm - Day School Board Meeting (Cornerstone Room)
6:00 pm - Worship Service (Mask Required) (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, March 1

9:30 am - Ladies Bible Study (Large Conference Room)
6:30 pm - MSYG (School Cafeteria)
6:00 pm - Support Group (Staff Conference)
6:30 pm - Adult Choir Rehearsal (Cornerstone Room)
8:00 pm - Brass Band Rehearsal (Balcony)

Wednesday, March 2 - Ash Wednesday

12:00 pm - Ash Wednesday Worship Service (Sanctuary)
7:00 pm - Ash Wednesday Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Thursday, March 3

6:30 am - Men's Bible Study (Cornerstone)
9:00 am - Ladies Aid Quilting (Cornerstone)
12:00 pm - Pastor Steve's Bible Study (Sanctuary)
6:00 pm - PTL Meeting (School Cafeteria)
6:00 pm - Youth Board Meeting (Staff Conference Room)
7:00 pm - Ministry Impact Team (Large Conference)