THE LORD'S SUPPER

We celebrate the Lord's Supper believing that it is truly Christ's body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine, and we believe it is a forgiveness-filled gift to the Church. Because the Apostle Paul encourages us to examine ourselves while recognizing the real presence of Christ's body and blood (1 Corinthians 11:28-29), we ask that those who wish to commune here answer yes to the following questions:

- As a baptized child of God, do you believe that you are a sinner and in need of forgiveness from God?
- Do you believe that forgiveness is found in Jesus, and is offered by Him in the Lord's Supper?
- Do you believe that Christ's body and blood are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine?
- Do you believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior and, by your participation in the sacrament, give testimony to the faith we share?
- According to God's Word and by way of His Holy Spirit, do you desire to live a life pleasing to God?

Taking part in the Lord's Supper at St. Peter is also a visible and physical act of confession of what we believe and teach in the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod; therefore, anyone not yet instructed or anyone who holds to a different confession of faith is asked to first speak with an elder or the pastor before communing.

For those with health concerns: Gluten-free wafers are available and a non-alcoholic wine is located in the center of the tray of individual cups.

For the Safety of Our Worshipers

For the safety of our worshipers, we ask that you please review the following:

Make yourself aware of all available exits. Emergency exits can be accessed via all doors in the front and back of our sanctuary.

Severe Weather: In the event of severe weather such as a tornado warning, please move into the school building and head to the North and South hallways (wings) in order to stand near the walls while keeping as much distance from the doors as possible. The school can be accessed via the doors located in the back of the church near the restrooms. For those with limited mobility, please proceed to the restrooms (Men's & Women's) located in the back of the church or to the north wall of the North Fellowship Hall.

Fire Alarm: In the event of a fire alarm, please wait for instructions if there is no visible fire or smoke. When exiting, use the nearest exit to vacate the building. Exits can be accessed via the doors in the front or the back of our sanctuary. If you have access to a cell phone, call 911.

Physical Harm: In the event where someone seeks to inflict physical harm, react while breathing and using all your senses to make yourself aware. Assess the situation before running. When you feel you are able to safely vacate the building, immediately do so by using the nearest exit and proceed to a safe location unless instructed otherwise. If you have access to a cell phone, call 911.

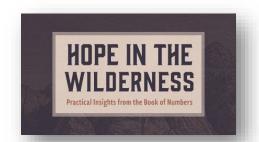
Medical Emergency: For emergency medical needs, an AED (defibrillator), as well as a LifeVac (antichoking device), can be located in the Center Coat Room in the back of the Sanctuary.

While we pray we never have to enact any of these plans, our hope is that this will allow you to be prepared. We also encourage you to let our elders, pastors, or trained volunteers know if you feel there is a potential threat at any time.



TODAY'S MESSAGE

November 9, 2025



"Making A Way"

Pastor Dante Pronsati

Traditional Worship

Saturday & Sunday: Divine Service, Setting One (LSB p. 151)

Hymns (LSB): 660, 713, 672, 918

Special Music: Preschoolers singing (9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.)

Readings

Numbers 6:22-27 Ephesians 3:14-21 Matthew 15:32-39

Modern Worship

Death Was Arrested You Changed My Name The Blessing Open Up Our Eyes

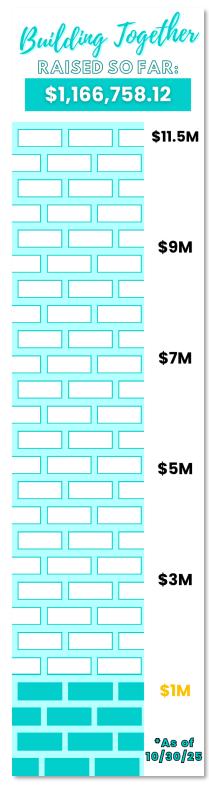
Baptisms

Brynnley Marie Brohl (9:30 a.m.) Her parents are Kenny & Devon Brohl. Her witnesses are Ericka & Kyle Marchetti.

Jaxon David Sweitzer, Evelynn Faye Sweitzer, & Genevieve Juliette Sweitzer (11:00 a.m.) Their parents are William & Gladys Sweitzer.

Caleb Joel Burton (11:00 a.m.) His parents are Kevin & Mariam Burton. His witness is Alexandra Cater.

Welcome to St. Peter Lutheran Church & School. We are glad that you're worshiping with us, and we pray that God will bless you through His Word and the assurance of a new life in Christ. If you have any questions or would like more information, check out our website at <a href="style="style-type: style-type: style-



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GriefShare: Surviving the Holidays GriefShare facilitators will be leading a session titled Surviving the Holidays on November 16. Getting through the upcoming holidays may be very difficult and this session, complete with a video, book and discussion, will help you with the difficult months ahead. This Sunday session begins at 2:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall and lasts about an hour and a half to two hours. If you have any questions about GriefShare or Surviving the Holidays, please contact the Church Office at (586) 781-3434 or Darcel Bennett at (586) 255-7090. You may also check out the website griefshare.org for additional information.

ST. PETER MISSIONS TEAM CHRISTMAS HAM & SOUP FUNDRAISER

- Support the Panama Eyeglass Clinic 2026
- Place orders November 15 -December 7 in the Crossroads between services or online.
- Cash, credit/debit card, an checks accepted.
- Distribution is the weekend of December 20 after services in the Fellowship Hall.

Questions? Please contact Darla Bratkows



St. Peter Mission Team Panama Eyeglass Clinic 2026 Christmas Dearborn Ham & Motown Soup

Fundraiser! Our St. Peter Mission Team will be serving at an eyeglass clinic in Panama in 2026! We are hosting a Christmas ham & soup fundraiser with our partners, the Dearborn Ham Company and Motown Soup! There will be hams, kielbasas, & other tasty items, as well as an assortment of soups, including boxed sets, which make great gifts! We are especially thrilled to partner with Motown Soups because your purchase supports their charitable works along with ours! The sale will start Saturday, November 15th through Sunday, December 7, in the Crossroads, between services, with distribution planned for the weekend of December 20, between services. Online orders will also be available. If you have questions, please contact Darla Bratkowski - email: lighthousemich@gmail.com. Thank you for all your past and future support. It is truly a blessing to be able to serve others in God's name and we couldn't do it without you. Amen!



CEF – How you can help! Many thanks to the Church Extension Fund (CEF) for helping us in so many ways! Earn up to 4.16% APY and help St. Peter as well with as little as a \$500 Fixed or Variable Rate Note.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER

Sunday, November 9

- Worship 8:00, 9:30, & 11:00 a.m. Sanctuary
- Blood Pressure Screening 9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
 Bride's Room
- Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Various classrooms
- God's Word for Today Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall
- Foundations: Miracles Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Room 29
- Creation/New Creation Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Admin. Conference Room
- Student Ministry: Recharge 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. His Rock
- Men's Basketball 7:00 p.m. Gym

Monday, November 10

- Quilters 9:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall (north)
- Stay Healthy Exercise Class 9:00 a.m. Narthex
- Moms in Prayer 7:00 p.m. (Zoom)

Tuesday, November 11

- Men's Bible Breakfast 7:00 a.m. Country Inn (23 Mile & Romeo Plank)
- SALT Bible Study 10:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall (north)
- GriefShare 6:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall (north)
- DivorceCare 6:45 p.m. Small Conference Room

Wednesday, November 12

• Women in the Word Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall (north)

Thursday, November 13

- Women's Ministry meeting 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall (south)
- GriefShare 10:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall (north)
- Historical Committee meeting 12:30 p.m. Fellowship Hall (north)
- Christian Yoga 4:15 p.m.-5:15 p.m. Narthex
- Adult Choir 7:00 p.m. Sanctuary

Friday, November 14

Men's Basketball – 6:00 a.m. – Gym

Saturday, November 15

- Worship 6:00 p.m. Sanctuary
- Ham & Soup Sale after worship service Crossroads

Women's Ministry meets this Thursday, November 13, at 9:30 a.m. in the south end of the Fellowship Hall. We will be assembling "Blessing Boxes" for the St. Peter shut-ins and planning for the December Cookie Walk. Hope you can join us! ALL women are welcome!

Coming Up...



Sunday School Christmas Service -

Sunday, December 14, our "Sonday" School students will be leading our 9:30 a.m. worship service! Join us as these children lead us in songs of praise to Jesus, King of Kings this Christmas season.



Advent Student Led Christmas Service -

Join us December 17 for our Wednesday Advent services led by St. Peter students! Kindergarten through 3rd grade will lead 3:30 p.m. 4th through 8th will lead 7:00 p.m. Please be sure to come to one or both services as our students share the story of Christmas and the birth of our Savior Jesus--the greatest gift!



Gifts For All God's Children - Once again we will be sponsoring kids for Christmas through Gifts For All God's Children. If you would like to pick up a tag with a child to sponsor, please visit the table in the Narthex the weekends of November 8 and 9, 15 and 16, and 22 and 23. For questions please contact Lisa Ventimiglio at lventimiglio@splcs.net.



Nacho Average Thanksgiving Party 6th-12th graders are invited to join our Student Ministry team on Sunday, November 23, from 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. for their annual Nacho Average Thanksgiving Party! Questions? Contact Angela at aschepmann@splcs.net.





Register Here!

announce that this year's Advent by Candlelight will be held offsite—giving us the opportunity to welcome even more attendees and deepen our time of fellowship! Tuesday, December 2, at Sycamore Hills. Cost: \$20 per person-includes a plated dinner and beverages. The evening will feature: worship music, a dynamic quest speaker, and vendors.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS Would you like to place an order for a Christmas Poinsettia in memory of or in honor of someone or just for blessings received? Poinsettias from Hessell's Greenhouse will be used to decorate our chancel and may be picked up after the Christmas Day service. The cost is \$17 and must be paid for when ordered. Please make checks payable to Women's Ministry. Order forms are available in the Church Office or on the Welcome Desk. They must be turned into the Church Office by Monday, December 1. Contact Vickie Wangelin at (586) 749-3325 if you have any questions.





Register

Spring Hill Student Ministry Winter Retreat

February 13-15 for 6th-12th grades. Student cost is \$199 and Chaperone cost is \$175. (\$100 deposit due by November 14th). Join us for a fun Christ-Centered weekend! Activities include worship, small groups, tubbing, broomball tournament, ropes course, game room, and more! Cost includes lodging and 5 meals. Please contact Angela Schepmann at (586) 615-4186 for more information.