

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 (anti-choking 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.



S T . P E T E R M A C O M B

SERVICE TIMES

SATURDAY 6:00 P.M.

SUNDAY 8:00 A.M., 9:30 A.M.,
& 11:00 A.M.

TODAY'S MESSAGE

April 26, 2026



"The Amazing Race"

Hebrews 12:1-13

Pastor Kurt Wenzelburger

Traditional Worship

Order of Worship: Divine Service, Setting Four (LSB p. 203)

Hymns (LSB): 477, 465, 466, 490

Special Music: Adult Choir (8:00 a.m.), 5th Grade Handbells (9:30 a.m.)

Readings

Acts 17:16-31

Hebrews 12:1-13

John 14:15-21

Modern Worship

Firm Foundation (He Won't)

You Changed My Name

Christ Be Magnified

This Is Amazing Grace

Baptism

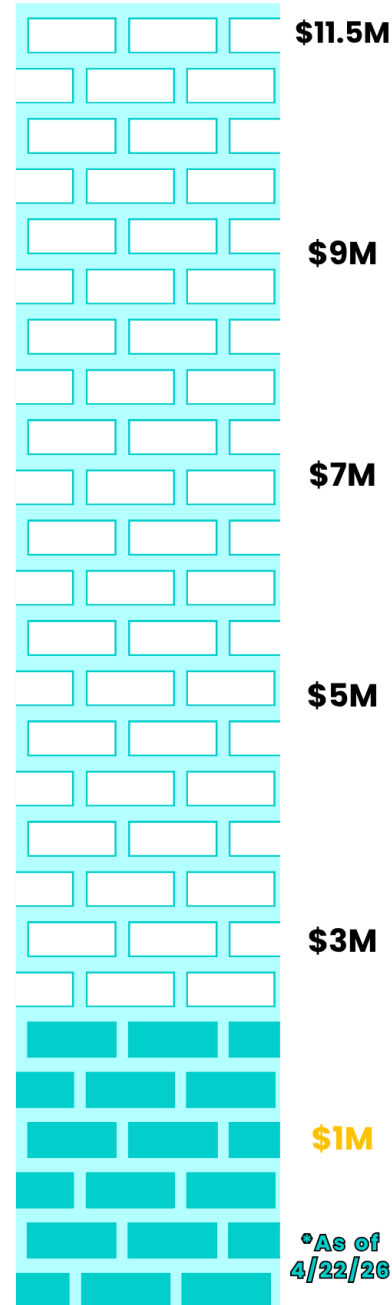
Vivian Anne Young (11:00 a.m.) Her parents are Brandon & Sarah Young. Her witnesses are Kristen Copeland and Lou Teeter.

Welcome to St. Peter Lutheran Church & School. We are glad that you're worshipping 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 stpetermacomb.com or give us a call at (586) 781-3434. We'd love to hear from you, and we would love to have you worship with us again in the future.

Building Together

RAISED SO FAR:

\$2,291,177.44



More ways to help us Build Together!

Some of our St. Peter families have offered for a percentage of their businesses' sales to go to our Building Together expansion fund. If you would like to join our list, please reach out to our Church Office or Finance Department at (586) 781-3434.

Michigan Wash & Seal will donate 10% of the total price for any services purchased by St. Peter Church and School families. Non-members who have been referred by St. Peter families will also receive a 10% donation towards the building campaign. Services include commercial/residential power washing, window cleaning, concrete and paver sealing, joint sealing & gutter cleaning. Please call David Schwark for more info 586-709-5041. Website: miwashandseal.com

Beninati Hot Tubs Clinton Twp. will donate 10% of the contract price for any hot tub, Swim Spa, or Cold Plunge and 5% of the contract price for any indoor or outdoor sauna purchased by St. Peter Church and School families. Please text or call Jacob for more info 810-357-4192.

Smith & Sarconi PLC will donate 10% of the price of any estate plan purchased by St. Peter Church and School families to the Building Together Campaign. 13900 Lakeside Circle, Suite 203 Sterling Heights, MI 48313; 586-884-5420; jsarconi@s2attorneys.com

Hauss-Modetz Funeral Home, Macomb and Tiffany-Young & Hauss Funeral Home, Armada will donate 10% of the service charge to the Building Together Campaign for St. Peter Church and School families. Non-Members that are referred by church families will receive a donation of 5% of the service charge. Macomb – (586) 263-3100, Armada – (586) 784-9123, haussmodetz@gmail.com

Air-Tite Replacement Co Inc. (Windows & Door sales & custom installation) will donate 10% of contract price to the building campaign for St. Peter church members and school families. Non-member contracts referred by church or school families will receive a 5% donation to the building campaign. Phone: 586-AIR-TITE (247-8483) Website: www.airtitereplacement.com

Thank you for your support!





Spring Bible Study: Serving Challenge
Join us every Friday evening in May at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall starting May 1 for our Spring Bible Study! Please use the QR code to let us know you'll be there! Questions? Contact Lisa at (586) 709-7699 or misslisacompton@gmail.com.



Sign up here!



Women's Ministry 2026 Evening Retreat Join us for our Women's Retreat at Sycamore Hills on Thursday, May 7. Come join us as we gather as women to hear God's message for us. Dinner is included. Tickets are \$35. Plan your tables now! Tickets on sale now. Questions? Contact Julie Wright (586) 344-1931.



Save the Date! Our 36th Annual St. Peter Golf Outing takes place on Friday, July 31, at Cracklewood Golf Course! Tickets go on sale Monday, May 11, at 12:00 p.m.



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, April 26

- Worship - 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m. – Sanctuary
- Sunday School – 9:30 a.m. – Various classrooms
- God's Word for Today Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall
- Foundations: Parables Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Room 29
- Creation/New Creation Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Admin. Conf. Rm.
- Voters' Meeting – 12:30 p.m. – Fellowship Hall
- GriefShare: Loss of a Spouse – 1:30 p.m. – Small Conference Room
- Student Ministry: Recharge – 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. – His Rock
- Men's Basketball – 7:00 p.m. – Gym

Monday, April 27

- 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, April 28

- Men's Bible Breakfast – 7:00 a.m. – Country Inn (23 Mile & Romeo Plank)
- Moms In Prayer – 8:30 a.m. – His Rock
- Tuesdays Together Bible Study – 10:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall (north)
- Adult Handbells – 3:30 p.m. - Sanctuary
- DivorceCare – 6:45 p.m. – Small Conference Room

Wednesday, April 29

- Women in the Word Bible Study - 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall (north)
- Confirmation Pictures/Rehearsal – 4:45 p.m.-7:00 p.m. - Sanctuary

Thursday, April 30

- Christian Yoga – 4:15 p.m.-5:15 p.m. – Narthex
- Adult Choir - 7:00 p.m. – Music Room

Friday, May 1

- Men's Basketball – 8:00 p.m. – Gym

Saturday, May 2

- Confirmation Service – 2:00 p.m. - Sanctuary
- Worship - 6:00 p.m. – Sanctuary

Sunday, May 3

- Worship - 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., & 11:00 a.m. – Sanctuary
- Sunday School – 9:30 a.m. – Various classrooms
- God's Word for Today Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall
- Foundations: Parables Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Room 29
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Coming Up...

VOTERS' MEETING

APRIL 26, 2026

12:30 P.M.

FELLOWSHIP HALL



VOTERS' MEETING Please note that we will be having a Voters' Meeting this Sunday - April 26. This meeting will take place at 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

GriefShare: Loss of a Spouse Our GriefShare facilitators are hosting Loss of a Spouse on April 26. This one-time session will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the Small Conference Room. Please enter through Door #28.

MCREST Donations If you are able to help with volunteering or donations for our upcoming MCREST week, stop by the tables in the Narthex this weekend to pick up a tag or for more information. Questions? Contact Rhonda at (586) 925-2203 or rhondaf85@hotmail.com. Use the QR code to sign up to volunteer.

Run the Plank Sign up for Run the Plank—a 5K race along the east side of Romeo Plank Rd. on Saturday, June 27. Starting at Immanuel Lutheran Church on Romeo Plank, participants will have the option to run or walk the roughly three miles north to St. Peter Lutheran Church on 24 Mile Rd. To register or for more information, scan the QR code or go to runtheplankmacomb.com.

Confirmation Services Join us Saturday, May 2, at 2:00 p.m. and Sunday, May 3, at 1:30 p.m. for our Confirmation services. Between those two days we will confirm more than 30 Confirmands.

We're Hiring!
ST. PETER MACOMB

6th-8th Grade Language Arts & Social Studies Teacher A minimum of a bachelor's degree in elementary education with a current Michigan teaching certificate is required. An endorsement in grades 6-8 ELA and/or SS is preferred. Please send a cover letter and resume to slaperriere@splcs.net. If you know of any qualified candidates, please encourage him/her to apply.

3rd Grade Teacher A minimum of a bachelor's degree in elementary education with a current Michigan teaching certificate is required. Please send a cover letter and resume to slaperriere@splcs.net. If you know of any qualified candidates, please encourage him/her to apply.

Student Ministry Fundraiser Our high school youth have the opportunity to attend the Michigan District Youth Gathering on Mackinac Island this summer, where they will hear from a variety of speakers, take part in servant events on the island, and have worship and fellowship with high schoolers from across the state. Our hope is to have many interested youths attend without a heavy financial burden. If you would like to provide assistance, please see our Envelope Wall fundraiser which will be displayed in the crossroads from April 26 through May 17. Online donations are welcome through the QR code. We ask for your prayers for the youth and chaperones that will be attending this event in June. Thank you!

STUDENT MINISTRY ENVELOPE FUNDRAISER



17051 74 Mile Rd., Macomb, MI 48047
ST. PETER MACOMB
Holy Smokes Car Show
AUGUST 8
10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
stpetermacomb.com
(586) 781-3434

Car Show Rev up your engines and cruise on over to the most anticipated car show of the year! Whether you're a car enthusiast, a collector, or just someone who appreciates the beauty of finely crafted automobiles, this event is for you. At The Holy Smokes Car Show, we're igniting passion and purpose through pristine automobiles. We aim to engage our community, building stronger bonds over the shared love of cool cars. Join us August 8 as we celebrate faith, fellowship, and fantastic rides! For more information and to register your vehicle contact Lisa Ventimiglio at lventimiglio@splcs.net.

GRIEF SHARE LOSS OF A SPOUSE
SUNDAY, APRIL 26, AT 1:30 PM.
SMALL CONFERENCE ROOM
(ENTER THROUGH DOOR #28)

JUNE 21-28
MCREST
DONATION TAGS AND VOLUNTEER INFORMATION AVAILABLE IN THE NARTHEX BETWEEN SERVICES.
QUESTIONS? CONTACT RHONDA FIEBELKORN AT (586) 925-2203 OR RHONDAF85@HOTMAIL.COM.

RUN THE PLANK
SATURDAY, JUNE 27

ST. PETER MACOMB
Confirmation Services
SATURDAY, MAY 2, AT 2:00 P.M.
SUNDAY, MAY 3, AT 1:30 P.M.