

# BLESSED Trinity

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

345 N. Pine Street  
Reedsburg, Wisconsin 53959

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# ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod - Reedsburg, Wisconsin

Proclaiming JESUS † Savior and Lord † for LIFE

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## TRINITY SUNDAY

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**OUR MISSION STATEMENT** *To make disciples of all people through a faithful ministry of Word and Sacrament.*

**OUR VISION** *Connecting all people to Christ and each other through worship, education, service, and fellowship.*

**OUR PROMISE STATEMENT** *St. Peter's Lutheran Church nurtures you to form a foundation for a relationship with God which keeps you on the right path as a place to be at peace. We help you develop a Christian perspective, invite you to work for the common good, give the source for Godly counsel, and partner with you to raise your children in a Christ centered way.*

**WELCOME FRIENDS!** *All are asked to sign the attendance card and place it in the plate during the offering. When Holy Communion is offered, guests are asked to read through the statement on the inside cover of the hymnal before receiving communion. If you require gluten free wafers, please speak to the Pastor or an elder.*

**HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK** Madison – Norman Lindloff

**THE RADIO BROADCAST** is sponsored to the Glory of God with memorial funds established in the St. Peter's Foundation.

**FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR AND BY THE LECTURN** are sponsored to the Glory of God by Ev Klitzke in remembrance of 62 years of marriage to Willie on June 11th.

**FLOWERS BY THE PULPIT** are sponsored to the Glory of God and in celebration of their 40<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on June 11<sup>th</sup>, and the blessings of children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren by Mark and Cindy Berberich

**GUEST PASTOR** for this weekend is Pastor William Meilner, former pastor at St. Peter's from 1994-1998. Pastor Meilner is current serving at Immanuel Lutheran in Lewiston, MN. May God bless him as He shares God's Word with us.

**Organist:** Michelle Crolius

**Radio Monitor:** Roger Radtke

**Video Taping:** Sharon Reimer

### **Acolytes:**

5:00 p.m.      Nick VanEtten  
                    Danny Ely  
8:00 a.m.      Anna Meyer  
                    Callie Johnson  
10:30 a.m.     Bracen Brandt  
                    Olivia Klingbeil

### **Growing as God's People**

Saturday 5:00 p.m.      76  
Sunday, 8:00 a.m.      119  
Sunday, 10:30 a.m.      98  
**Average Attendance      357**

### **Greeters:**

8:00 a.m.      Joanne Brandt  
                    Lois Radtke  
10:30 a.m.     Eldarene Bowlin  
                    Cheryl Arkin

### **Our Gifts to the Lord**

Home                      \$      8,322.27  
Synod Support          \$      674.78  
Tuck Point                \$      4,744.00  
  
Total                      \$     13,752.05

***"Built on the Rock of Christ"***

## ORDER OF SERVICE

### Projected

### FAITH DAY at Miller Park

Saturday, June 17, the Brewers vs. the Padres will host the first-ever Faith Day, presented by Thrivent Financial, at Miller Park -- featuring a free postgame concert by Multi-Platinum Christian music group, Mercy Me. Grammy-nominated MercyMe has 27 number one hits and has established their place as one of the greatest Christian bands of all time. Padres Saturday, June 17, @ 3:10 PM Terrace Reserved tickets are \$16.00. We will purchase the tickets from the office. Bring your money into the office by noon Thurs. June 15. and we will purchase them as a group.

## CELEBRATING 150 YEARS • 1867 - 2017

### "Built on the Rock of Christ"

*"I love you, O LORD, my strength. <sup>2</sup> The LORD is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold. Psalm 18:1-2 (ESV)*

### DID YOU KNOW?

- ✠ One June 9, 1918, the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our congregation was celebrated. At this time the records state that 1,821 baptisms had been performed; 1390 had been confirmed; 369 marriages and 788 burials were recorded. There were 1,098 communicants and
- ✠ 1,471 souls.

## 150 YEARS CELEBRATION – SPECIAL EVENTS

### June – Marriages

- ✠ June 10/ 11 - Rev. William Meilner

### July – Honoring our Military

- ✠ July 8/ 9 - Rev. Dennis Hipenbecker

### August – Missions Here & Abroad

- ✠ August 12/13 - Rev. Kevin Kohnke  
✠ Orphan Grain Train

### September – Celebrating our History

- ✠ September 2/3 - Rev. Robert Grimm  
✠ Church/Cemetery tours

### October – Reformation Celebration

- ✠ October 28/29 - Rev. Aaron Koch  
✠ 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Reformation

### November – 150 Years of Blessings

- ✠ November 18/19 - Dr. Dale Meyer  
✠ Meal of Thanksgiving  
✠ Jennie Williamson – AriSon Records Live Concert

### December – The Celebration Continues

- ✠ Live Window Display

## COME JOIN US!

Monday	6:00 PM	LWML
	7:00 PM	Board of Education
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Orphan Grain Train
	1:30 PM	Bible Study @ Concordia Hall
	6:00 PM	150 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting
	7:00 PM	Bible Study @ Ted Gerike Home
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Quilting
Friday		NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
Saturday	5:00 PM	BLENDED SERVICE
Sunday	8:00 AM	DIVINE SERVICE
	9:15 AM	Family Education Hour
	10:30 AM	BLENDED SERVICE

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**150<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE** will meet on June 13<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 p.m. in Concordia Hall. **We will also be taking a group picture for the directory.**

**LWML – June 12, at 6:00 p.m.** Bev Hoege will share about her mission trip to Tanzania. Everyone is invited, men, women and children. Please come to Concordia Hall to hear about the exciting adventures. LWML ladies will be having their picture taken for the church directory at 6:00 p.m. on this evening.

**THANK YOU, THANK YOU from LWML** and the Reedsburg Food Pantry and most of all Thank You from the families of the Reedsburg area for providing 60 jars of Peanut Butter and 31 jars of jelly. The Lord loveth a cheerful giver!!

### **SAVE THE DATE - ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC IN CITY PARK**

St. Peter's Mission and Outreach Board will host the Annual Church Picnic in City Park on Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup>. There will be an outdoor service held in the park at 10:30AM and lunch will be served following the service. The Mission and Outreach Board will provide brats, hot dogs, buns, paper products, and condiments. Please feel free to bring a dish to pass to help complete our meal. There will also be bean bag toss, water balloons, and other yard games to play! Come join the fun!!

### **SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR COLLEGE STUDENTS**

pursuing a full-time career in church work . These funds are available through the St. Peter's Foundation. Applications may be picked up in the church office and must be returned by August 1<sup>st</sup>.

**HOSPITAL VISITS** If you or your family member have been hospitalized and would like a visit from the Pastor, please contact the church office at 524-4512 or call Pastor's cellphone at 393-0374. We do not always receive a call when someone has been hospitalized, and Pastor Crolius or Pastor Anderson would be happy to come for a visit.

### **BUTTERFEST PARADE - Saturday, June 17th**

St Peter's will have a float in the Butterfest parade. We plan on combining the themes: 150 Years Built On The Rock and the Butterfest theme which is Spread Butter, Eat Cheese, Drink Milk. Our "Got Jesus?" t-shirts are in!! Thank you so much to Checkered Flag for doing such an awesome job on them!! The price of each shirt came to \$9. If you have contacted me with your shirt size and are able to contribute to the cost of the shirts, any money can be given to Cindy in the church office or to myself. Thank you so much for your help with this! We are also looking for helpers to construct the float. Help will be needed on June 14th-16th. Please contact Jennifer Anderson at [608-477-1159](tel:608-477-1159) or by email at [jenniferanderson@saintpetersls.com](mailto:jenniferanderson@saintpetersls.com) if you are able to help.

**CELEBRATING MARRIAGE!!** Please join us in celebrating marriages for our June focus during the 150 Anniversary Celebration! Bring a wedding photo (a copy is preferred) and pin it on the display board in the entrance of church. If you wish, you may also drop it off at the church office. Let's see if we can get 150 photos!!

**TUCK POINT PROJECT TO BEGIN** The Voters' Assembly recently approved the tuck point project on the church. We ask that you prayerfully consider helping support this wonderful project and contribute to the upkeep and repair of God's house. The current fund balance is \$114,268.00.

**VACATION** Pastor Crolius will be out of the office June 17 – June 23<sup>rd</sup>. If you are in need of pastoral care, please contact Pastor Anderson at 495-0871 or Pastor Benson at 524-4115.

**BIBLE STUDIES** The following Bible Studies are meeting. Choose one or all that you will enjoy and fit your schedule. A list of the available Bible Studies and sign on sheets are available in the narthex. **"The Journey of Paul"** led by David Dietz (963-4532). This group will meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays, beginning May 10<sup>th</sup> at Dietz Kitchen Gallery on Main Street.

**"Christian Family Related"** led by Shane Anderson. This will be a family Bible study, children are welcome. We will meet the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month. Meeting time is 5:30-6:30 pm at the Anderson home, 1152 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Reedsburg.

**"Equipped: A Bible Study for Men"** led by Kevin Hahn (906-290-4334). Men, we have a job to do. Let's hear what God has to say about who we are, what we need to do, and how our Lord gives us what we need to do it. We will be meeting the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month at the Hahn home, 644 N Park Street, Reedsurg.

**"A Work in Progress"** led by Carl Baumgart. A lawful "what we should do and how we should act," coupled with a focus on Jesus' love and forgiveness for our human shortcomings. We will be meeting on June 7, at 7:00 p.m. at the Baumgart residence, 2030 Sunset Drive, Reedsburg.

**Tuesday 1:30 pm Bible Study** in Concordia Hall is led by Pastor Crolius and Pastor Anderson. "Power for Daily Living" is the current Bible Study.

**Tuesday Evening Bible Study** – 7:00 p.m. at the home of Ted Gerike.

**ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN** packing is scheduled again, thanks to many wonderful donations. We will be packing on Tuesday, June 13<sup>th</sup> beginning at 8:30 a.m. in the school gym. Coffee break at mid-morning and ending with a potluck at noon. Thanks to all who have volunteered.

†**Isaiah 6:3** And one called to another and said: "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!" Behold the threefold Name of God – here in Isaiah the angels cry Holy, Holy, Holy, which is nothing else than an indication of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. This is the Name we are baptized into. We have been made a part of God's family. And so we are now called to live lives that are in harmony with our new family: we are to be godly, to live in God's image. As God is loving, and kind, and generous – so are we called to be.