



"...how often should
I forgive?
"Not **SEVEN** times,
but, I tell you,
**SEVENTY-
SEVEN**
times."

Matthew 18:21-22, NRSV

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

345 N. Pine Street
Reedsburg, Wisconsin 53959

September 9 & 10, 2017

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod - Reedsburg, Wisconsin

Proclaiming JESUS † Savior and Lord † for LIFE

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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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.*

THE RADIO BROADCAST is sponsored to the Glory of God and in memory of Kathy Dorow's birthday on September 13, with memorial funds established in the St. Peter's Foundation.

PRAISE BAND HELPER NEEDED!! The Praise Band will be installing a new mixer to help enhance their music. They are in need of someone to operate the mixer/computer during worship services. Will train!! Please contact Pastor Crolius at 524-4512, ext. 2, if you are interested in helping.

Organist: Michelle Crolius

Video Taping: Theresa Braun

Acolytes:

5:00 p.m. Addison Procter
 Anna Meyer
8:00 a.m. Hayden Thomas
 Josh Thomas
10:30 a.m. Cassidy Klitzke
 Connor Klitzke

Growing as God's People

Saturday, 5:00 p.m. 88
Sunday, 8:00 a.m. 120
Sunday, 10:30 a.m. 82
Average Attendance 320

Greeters:

8:00 a.m. Joanne Brandt
 Lynette Hillman
10:30 a.m. Betty Andreassen

Our Gifts to the Lord

Home \$ 9,813.48
Synod Support \$ 795.69
TuckPoint \$ 220.00
Misc. \$ 60.00
Total \$ 10,889.17

"Built on the Rock of Christ"

Tuck Point Fund Balance

\$143,136.82

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SAVE THE DATE

150th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION DINNER

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2017

Watch for more information!!

CELEBRATING 150 YEARS * 1867 - 2017 *

"Built on the Rock of Christ"

"I love you, O LORD, my strength. ² 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?

In 1900, the congregation decided that even those who have "fallen away" from the church, and relatives of those who own lots (even if the latter are not members) may be buried in the church cemetery.

150 YEARS CELEBRATION - SPECIAL EVENTS

September – Celebrating our History

- ✠ September 16/17 Back To Church Weekend
- ✠ Church/Cemetery tours

October – Reformation Celebration

- ✠ October 28/29 - Rev. Aaron Koch
- ✠ 500th 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
- ✠ December 9/10 - Rev. Dr. Chris Wicher

COME JOIN US!

Monday	6:00 PM	LWML
	7:00 PM	Board of Education
	7:00 PM	Bible Study @ Hahn Home
Tuesday	1:30 PM	Bible Study @ Sr Life Center
	6:00 PM	150 Anniversary Committee
Wednesday		LifeLine Screening-Concordia Hall
		Public School Confirmation
	6:00 PM	Jr Youth
	6:30 PM	Bible Study @ Dietz Design
Thursday	7:30 PM	All Boards
Saturday	5:00 PM	BLENDED SERVICE
Sunday	8:00 AM	DIVINE SERVICE
	9:15 AM	Family Education Hour
	10:30 AM	BLENDED SERVICE

HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK Madison – Deanna McCauley

FUNERAL Audrey Behn died on Friday, September 1, 2017, and was given Christian burial on Friday, September 8, 2017. May God grant comfort to the family of Audrey Behn in the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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 cell 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.

"BUILT ON THE ROCK" 150 Rocks of Remembrance

Remember our faithful members past and present who have shared in God's Kingdom over the past 150 years at St. Peter's Congregation. Rocks are available in the narthex, write a name on the rock and place at the foot of the cross in the front of church. Historical memorabilia is on display in Concordia Hall.

150th ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE will meet on Tuesday, September 12 at 6:00 p.m. in Concordia Hall.

WEDDING MEMORIES Thank you to all who shared their wedding photos these past months. If you would like your photo returned, please stop by the church office to pick it up. Thank you.

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE IS LOOKING FOR YOU!

The Nominating Committee is gathering names and preparing for the election of officers at the October Quarterly Voters' Meeting. If you or someone you know is interested in sharing your time and talents as a board member or officer, please contact Dave Dietz at 963-4532, for more information.

"MARTIN LUTHER" The Idea that Changed the World,"

A full-length feature film to air on PBS, TUESDAY, September 12, at 7 p.m. The film brings to life the events that shaped Luther and examines his questions of "Who am I?", "What is my purpose?", and "How do I get right with God?" Watch with Christians around the world as we anticipate the 500th anniversary of the Lutheran Church!

LWML Our first gathering is a **potluck supper Monday, September 11 at 6:00 p.m. in Concordia Hall**. Bring a dish to pass and enjoy a video of the Mission work being done all over the world while enjoying our favorite dishes. President Char Hillman can answer any questions you have about our LWML group at 608-393-7447. Please feel welcome and bring a friend too!

ATTENTION: LADIES OF THE CONGREGATION

Ladies Aid is in need of crocheters or knitters to help continue our Prayer Shawl Ministry. If you are interested in sharing your time and talents in this special way, yarn and shawl instructions are available. Please call Lois Radtke at 524-6273.

BACK TO CHURCH WEEKEND – September 16 & 17th

Prayerfully consider reaching out to someone you that you might encourage to "try church again." God gives us this incredible promise that His Word works. It does not necessarily change the situation we are in, but it does change our outlook, because it points us to the hope and comfort we have unconditionally through Jesus Christ.

PART-TIME/SUBSTITUTE OPENING IN ST. PETER'S

DAYCARE If you love kids, this may be the position for you. Mostly after-school care. Must be 16 years of age. For more information, please stop in the daycare or call Julie Thompson 524-4066, Ext. 3.

BIBLE STUDIES CONTINUE!!

"The Journey of Paul" led by David Dietz continues to meet from 6:30-7:30 p.m. on the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, at Dietz Kitchen Gallery on Main Street. For more information please contact Dave at 963-4532. It's also YOUTH NIGHT!! Take your child to youth and come join the Bible Study!!

"Equipped: A Bible Study for Men" meets at 7:00 p.m. on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of every month at the Hahn home, 644 N. Park St. We are using Luther's Large Catechism to study how our Lord equips us to carry out the things He calls us to do as men. We have extra copies of the study booklet. Come join us!

For information on more Bible Study opportunities, checkout the bulletin board in the narthex.

GOLDEN AGERS will resume meeting for the year on September 18th, at the Family Restaurant at 11:30 a.m. Bingo will be played following our lunch. See you there.

CONFIRMATION MEETING for public school students will be held today, Sunday, September 10th at 9:15 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

COUNSELING SITE Lisa Hecht, Christian Counselor for Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin, conducts regular office twice a month right here at St. Peter's School. This service is available to everyone. You will find brochures and information in the Information Center in the narthex. For additional information or to make an appointment, please call 1-800-291-4513 or 608-516-5598.

SUNDAY SCHOOL BEGINS TODAY for pre-kindergartners – 2nd grade. At this time we only have teachers for these classes. We would certainly like to be able to offer Sunday School to all children. Please prayerfully consider becoming a Sunday School teacher/helper. Contact Cindy Ruland at 608-393-0565 or at cruland1963@charter.net. or the church office at 524-4512.