

"Let your

*Light
Shine*

before others,
that they may
see your good
deeds and glorify
your Father
in heaven."



Matthew 5:16, NIV

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

345 N. Pine Street
Reedsburg, Wisconsin 53959

February 4 & 5, 2023

ST. PETER'S EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH

Missouri Synod – Reedsburg, Wisconsin

Proclaiming JESUS † Savior and Lord † for LIFE

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FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

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! *We are thankful that you are worshipping with us today! When Holy Communion is offered, guests are asked to speak with the Pastor or an elder and read the statement on the inside of the hymnal before receiving communion. If you require gluten free wafers, please speak to the Pastor or an elder.*

RADIO BROADCAST at noon on Sundays on WCNP FM 89.5.

VIDEO BROADCAST Sundays at 10:30 a.m. on the Reedsburg Access Channel. A link to the service may also be found on our Facebook page and at stpetersreedsburg.com

THE LUTHERAN HOUR St. Peter's sponsors the Lutheran Hour on Sunday mornings at 8:00 a.m. on WCNP 89.5 FM and is also broadcasted at 7:00 a.m. on WRDB 1400.

HOSPITALIZED THIS PAST WEEK Madison – Mary Herritz

HOSPITALIZED If you or your family member have been hospitalized and would like to hear from the Pastor, please contact the church office at 524-4512 or Pastor at 393-0374. Make sure you also direct the hospital to be put on the clergy list. We do not always receive a call when someone has been hospitalized.

COME JOIN US!

Tuesday	1:30 PM	Bible Study in Concordia Hall
	2:30 PM	Cemetery Meeting -Concordia Hall
	4:00 PM	8 th Grade Confirmation
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Quilting
	3:45 PM	7 th Grade Confirmation
	6:00-7:30 PM	Jr. Youth
Saturday	5:00 PM	DIVINE SERVICE H.C.
Sunday	9:00 AM	DIVINE SERVICE H.C.
	10:15 AM	Bible Class & Sunday School

CHILI COOK-OFF The Board of Elders will be hosting a Chili Cookoff of Wednesday, February 22nd, from 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. in Concordia Hall. Bring your favorite Chili to share at 4:30 p.m. There will also be soup for you to enjoy. Come for tasty food and fellowship. A freewill offering will be taken.

LAMP CARNIVAL & SILENT AUCTION



The VBS Mission Team will be hosting a Carnival of games, fun and food on Sunday, February 26th, from 11:30 am–2:00 p.m. in the school gym. The carnival will raise money for the LAMP mission trip to Garden Hill, Manitoba. Each year the team travels to the First Nations Reserve to spread the Gospel message by leading a week-

long Vacation Bible School in the community.

ALL BOARDS MEETING A motion was made and passed at the January Voter’s Meeting to make a change to the Constitution stating that All Boards will meet the 3rd Thursday of each month. This change will begin with the February meeting. **The next All Boards will meet on February 16, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. in Concordia Hall.**

LENT 2023 “Chronicles of the King” is the theme for our Midweek Lent services. Though we call Jesus King of kings, we often do not focus much on the nature of His kingdom. Our Lenten midweek series explores how the kings of Judah are a shadow of Christ, the King of kings, who sits upon the throne of David, His father, forever. We will see how the kings in Chronicles point us to Christ, who fulfills all the kingly promises that the kings of Judah were unable to realize in themselves.

COUNSELING SITE Lisa Hecht, Christian Counselor for Lutheran Counseling and Family Services of Wisconsin, conducts regular office hours at St. Peter's. For additional information or to make an appointment, please call 1-800-291-4513 or 608-516-5598. This service is available to everyone. If there is a need for assistance to cover the cost of counseling, please speak to LCFS and Lisa. There are funds set aside to help assist.

ADULT INSTRUCTION CLASS If you or someone you know would like to become a member of St. Peter's Lutheran Church, learn more about our teachings as a church, or get a refresher on the basics of the Christian faith, this class is for you. I will be starting a class soon in the next couple of weeks. Let me know what times work best for you. I have had the class on Sunday evening, Saturday morning, or a weekday evening. For more information, you can contact the church office at 524-4512 or me by email at paulcrolius@gmail.com. I look forward to having you as part of the class.

ANNUAL CEMETERY MEETING will be held on Tuesday, February 7, at 2:30 p.m. in Concordia Hall. All are welcome to attend.

STEWARDSHIP Matthew 20:9 – “And when those hired about the eleventh hour came, each of them received a denarius.” Behold the generosity of God! He gives out of His grace, not what we deserve to receive. Living a godly life means living in imitation of God — and surely one of the foundations of God's being is His generosity.



St. Peter's Lutheran School
Saturday, February 18
10 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Kindergarten – 8th Grade - Pre-
Kindergarten
& Childcare

Everyone is welcome to stop by and see what
St. Peter's School has to offer!!

Organist	Michelle Crolius
Video Taping	Brandon Crolius

ORDER OF SERVICE

Acolytes	
5:00 pm	Grace Abbott
	Ethan Braun
9:00 am	Andrew Stando
	Matthew Stando

Growing as God's People Attendance

5:00 pm	52
9:00 am	151
Average Worship Attendance	
	186

Our Gifts to the Lord

Home	\$8,167.31
Online (\$996.00)	
Synod Support	\$917.48
Hardship	\$275.00
School	\$10.00
Birthday	\$13.00
Total	\$9,382.79

Weekly home offering
needed to meet
Offering Budget
\$9,135.00

Pre-Service Music	
Ringing of the Bell	
Opening Hymn	412
Invocation	p.151
Confession & Absolution	p.151
Introit	
Kyrie	p.152
Hymn of Praise	
Gloria in Excelsis	p.154
Salutation & Collect	p.156
Old Testament	Isaiah 58:3-9a
Catechism Review	
Epistle	1 Corinthians 2:1-12
5:00 p.m. Children's Choir	
"Nothing Can Keep Us From the Love of God"	
Alleluia and Verse	p.156
Gospel	Matthew 5:13-20
Apostles' Creed	p.159
Children's Message	
Hymn of the Day	578 vs. 1-4
Sermon "Saving Light for the World"	
Text: Matthew 5:13-20	
Offertory Hymn	578 vs. 5-6
Prayers	
The Lord's Prayer	p.162
Hymn	411
Benediction	p.166
Closing Hymn	698
Announcements	