

Announcements

Weekly Schedule:

Sun. 5/4: Pastor's Bible Study & Sunday School @ 10:15 AM
 Book of Concord Study @ 5:00 PM
Mon. 5/5: Divine Service @ 4:30 PM
Wed. 5/7: Council Meeting @ 7:00 PM

*Altar flowers
 given by Tom
 & Kathy
 Rebber in
 celebration
 of their 50th
 anniversary*

Birthdays, Baptismal Birthdays (B), & Anniversaries:

5/5: Margie Trimpe (B)
 5/8: Jeanine Franke
 5/9: Connie Stiles
 5/10: Beverly Acton, Tom & Kathy Rebber

Prayer list:

Teresa Lucas	Steve Wieneke	Cathy Tays	Don Acton
Ron Cox	Deborah Trimpe	Kyra Groves	William "Bill" Stache
Luella Holle	Debbie Schroer	Stephanie Hildebrandt	
Thomas Turner	Kathe Borgman	Mindy Cronwall	
Laura Moorman	Haylana Pifer	Vaden Hanley	
John Dobrinski	Mary Pifer	Cole Benton	

Stewardship:

Weekly Budget: \$3266	4/27 Synodical Fund: \$5
4/27 Offerings: \$2668	4/27 Building Fund: \$200

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Vanco: A new, online offering method is now available. You can find more information by scanning the QR code in the bulletin or by going to <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZMRA>.



May Newsletter: Emailed, on website, and available in the narthex.

Pastors' Conference Worship: The congregation is invited to join the pastors of the southern part of the Indiana District in worship on Monday, May 5th at 4:30 PM. The service will be held here at St. Peter and we will be celebrating the Lord's Supper that evening. President Stuckwisch will be our guest preacher for the service.

Marion Kay Spices: The Youth Group is selling Marion Kay spices. Please see any of them if you would like to place an order.

Church T-Shirts: See Pastor or any Youth Group member if you would like to pre-order a new church t-shirt. \$24 or 2 for \$40. Payment will be upon delivery.

Communion Statement - The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are kindly asked first to speak with the pastor. In addition to this being our practice, we do not want our visitors to violate their own conscience or the public confession of faith that is made through their home Church membership. Those not receiving communion are invited to come forward with arms crossed to receive a blessing from the pastor. We thank you for respecting our practice. For further study, see Matt. 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Cor. 11:17–34.

Introit

Psalm 145:4-7, 9; antiphon: v. 10

- P** All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!
- C** **One generation shall commend your works to another,
and shall declare your mighty acts.**
- P** On the glorious splendor of your majesty,
and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.
- C** **They shall speak of the might of your awesome deeds,
and I will declare your greatness.**
- P** They shall pour forth the fame of your abundant goodness
and shall sing aloud of your righteousness.
- C** **The Lord is good to all,
and his mercy is over all that he has made.**
- C** **Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**
- P** All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord,
and all your saints shall bless you!

Collect of the Day

- P** O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world.
Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death,
perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives
and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual

adapt. from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6

- P** Christ has risen from the dead.
[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor.
He has given him dominion over the works of his hands;
he has put all things under his feet.

✠ Divine Service ✠

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Upcoming Acolytes:

5/11: Abe Acton

5/18: John Nye

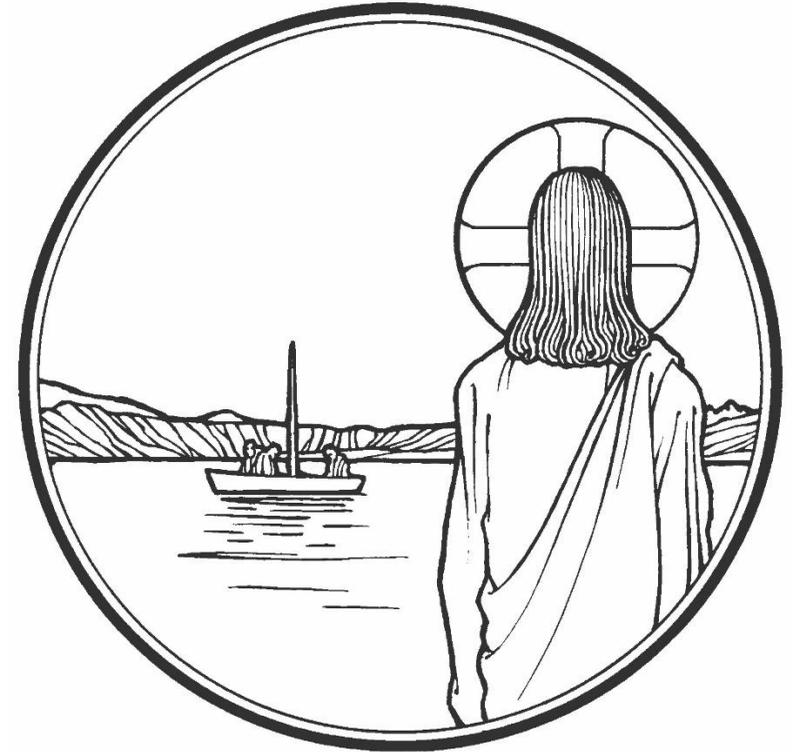
5/25: Noah Nye

6/1: Abe Acton

Below you will find a model you can use for your personal or family devotions that focuses you on the readings from the previous Sunday, while also preparing you for what you will hear the following Sunday. In modeling your devotions this way, you and your family can stay united to the church year and reinforce what you hear, sing, and pray every Sunday.

- Mon. 5/5: Read the first lesson: Acts 9:1-22 – The word of the risen Christ created faith even in the great persecutor Saul, whom Christ called to proclaim Him to the world.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 483 – With High Delight Let Us Unite
Pray the Collect of the Day: O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Tues. 5/6: Read the Epistle lesson: Revelation 5:(1-7) 8-14 – Worthy is the Lamb to reign forever for He was slain on the cross but rose again to life.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 483 – With High Delight Let Us Unite
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/5)
- Wed. 5/7: Read the Gospel lesson: John 21:1-14 (15-19) – The word of the risen Christ made Him known to the disciples as they were fishing.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 483 – With High Delight Let Us Unite
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/5)
- Thur. 5/8: Read the first lesson: Acts 20:17-35 – Let us be alert and pay careful attention to the proclamation of the whole counsel of God, knowing that Christ will guard and keep us even though wolves surround us.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 709 – The King of Love My Shepherd Is
Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 5/9: Read the Epistle lesson: Revelation 7:9-17 – Salvation belongs to the Lamb, who wipes every tear from our eyes and gives us the white robes of His righteousness through His blood.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 709 – The King of Love My Shepherd Is
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/8)
- Sat. 5/10: Read the Gospel lesson: John 10:22-30 – Christ speaks and His sheep hear His voice. No sheep will ever be snatched away from Christ.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 709 – The King of Love My Shepherd Is
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 5/8)

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church
Third Sunday of Easter
Pastor Erik Sorenson



May 4, 2025

MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this morning.

If you are partaking of the Lord's Supper, please read and fill out one of the registration cards on the back of the pew. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to the usher. Please also see the communion statement on the inside of the bulletin.