

# Announcements

## Weekly Schedule:

**Sun. 8/17:** Pastor's Bible Study @ 10:15 AM

**Mon.-Sun. 8/4-17:** Pastor on vacation

**Tues. 8/19:** Pastor @ Circuit meeting (worship here at 11:15 AM)

**Wed. 8/20:** Elders meeting @ 9:00 AM  
Council meeting @ 7:00 PM

*Altar flowers  
given to the  
praise and glory  
of God*

## Birthdays, Baptismal Birthdays (B), & Anniversaries:

8/17: Karen Dobrinski

8/22: Chase Hughes

## Prayer list:

Teresa Lucas	Debbie Schroer	Stephanie Hildebrandt	Braden Hughes
Luella Holle	Haylana Pifer	Mindy Cronwall	
Thomas Turner	Mary Pifer	Vaden Hanley	
Laura Moorman	Cathy Tays	Cole Benton	
John Dobrinski	Kyra Groves	Don Acton	

## Stewardship:

Weekly Budget: \$3266

7/27 Synodical Fund: \$0

7/27 Offerings: \$2986

7/27 Building Fund: \$200

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**Thank You!:** Thank you to Rev. Sutton for being with us this morning for worship and Bible study!

**Pastoral Vacation:** Pastor will be on vacation from August 4<sup>th</sup> until August 17<sup>th</sup>. If you need pastoral care during this time, please contact Pastor Jung (812-764-8664) or Pastor Haugen (440-376-6275).

**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>.

**Youth Catechesis:** Youth Catechesis (confirmation) classes will be beginning on September 7<sup>th</sup>. If you have a child who has already begun Catechesis, or if you have a child you would like to start this year, please contact Pastor Sorenson as soon as possible. Thank you!



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 55:1, 12-14, 16; antiphon: v. 22*

**P** Cast your burden on the Lord, and he will sustain you;  
he will never permit the righteous to be moved.

**C** Give ear to my prayer, O God,  
and hide not yourself from my plea for mercy!

**P** For it is not an enemy who taunts me—then I could bear it; it is not an adversary who deals insolently with me—then I could hide from him.

**C** But it is you, a man, my equal,  
my companion, my familiar friend.

**P** We used to take sweet counsel together;  
within God's house we walked in the throng.

**C** But I call to God,  
and the Lord will save me.

**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** Cast your burden on the Lord, and he will sustain you;  
he will never permit the righteous to be moved.

## Collect of the Day

**P** Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## Gradual

*Psalm 34:9, 19, alt.*

**P** Fear the Lord, you his saints,  
for those who fear him lack nothing!  
Many are the afflictions of the righteous,  
but the Lord delivers him out of them all.

# ✠ Divine Service ✠

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*The Clouds of Judgment Gather*

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**Alleluia and Verse** p. 205

**Holy Gospel** *Luke 12:49-53 (54-56)*  
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**Nicene Creed** p. 206

**Hymn of the Day** 655  
*Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word*

**Sermon** *Rev. Sutton*

**Prayer of the Church**

**Offering**

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*The Son of God Goes Forth to War*

**Upcoming Acolytes:**

8/24: Abe Acton

8/31: John Nye

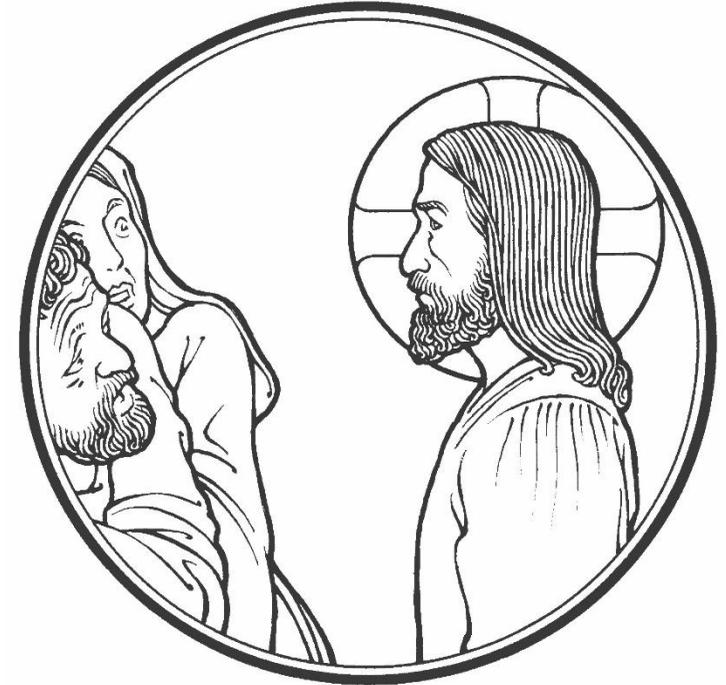
9/7: Noah Nye

9/14: 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. 8/18: Read the Old Testament lesson: Jeremiah 23:16-29 – Do not listen to those who claim to speak in God’s name even though they speak lies and are not sent by God. Listen instead to those whom God sends, who speak God’s Word and His Word alone.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 655 – Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word  
Pray the Collect of the Day: Merciful Lord, cleanse and defend Your Church by the sacrifice of Christ. United with Him in Holy Baptism, give us grace to receive with thanksgiving the fruits of His redeeming work and daily follow in His way; 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.
- Tues. 8/19: Read the Epistle lesson: Hebrews 11:17-31 (32-40); 12:1-3 – We are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses who, by faith, point us to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 655 – Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word  
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 8/18)
- Wed. 8/20: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 12:49-53 (54-56) – Christ is baptized by blood in His death, which brings peace to those who believe, but division for those who reject Him.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 655 – Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word  
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 8/18)
- Thur. 8/21: Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 66:18-23 – God will gather together from all over the world those who believe in Him, bringing them into the new heavens and new earth.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 510 – A Multitude Comes from the East and the West  
Pray the Collect of the Day: O Lord, You have called us to enter Your kingdom through the narrow door. Guide us by Your Word and Spirit, and lead us now and always into the feast of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 8/22: Read the Epistle lesson: Hebrews 12:4-24 (25-29) – God disciplines us as His own children so that we be trained up in righteousness.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 510 – A Multitude Comes from the East and the West  
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 8/21)
- Sat. 8/23: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 13:22-30 – Christ is the narrow door. Salvation is found only in Him.  
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 510 – A Multitude Comes from the East and the West  
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 8/21)

**St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church**  
**10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Pastor Erik Sorenson**



**August 17, 2025**

**MEMBERS AND GUESTS:**

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.

**Families and Children:**

We are glad you are here to receive the Lord’s gifts together. Your presence is a gift from God and a reminder of Christ’s words: “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.” (Matthew 19:14)