

Announcements

Weekly Schedule:

Sun. 10/19: Pastor's Bible Study & Sunday School @ 10:15 AM
Fish Fry @ 4:00-7:00 PM

Mon.-Tues. 10/20-21: Pastor @ District Pastors Conference

Wed. 10/22: Wednesday Night Bible Study @ 6:30 PM

*Altar flowers
given by Curt
& Jenni Acton*

Birthdays, Baptismal Birthdays (B), & Anniversaries:

10/24: Sue Anne Heilers

Prayer list:

Teresa Lucas	Haylana Pifer	Vaden Hanley	Cindy May
Luella Holle	Mary Pifer	Cole Benton	Glen Shurman
Laura Moorman	Cathy Tays	Don Acton	
John Dobrinski	Stephanie Hildebrandt	Melissa Otte	
Debbie Schroer	Mindy Cronwall	Tammy Bean	

Stewardship:

Weekly Budget: \$3266	10/12 Synodical Fund: \$10
10/12 Offerings: \$2991.18	10/12 Building Fund: \$0

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Pastoral Call: Pastor Sorenson has received a call to serve as pastor at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Mobile, Alabama. Please keep him, his family, our church, and Holy Cross in your prayers during this time of deliberation.

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>.



Fish Fry: The Fish Fry is today from 4-7 PM. All help with working the event is greatly appreciated. Please speak to Camden if you have any questions.

Lutheran Community Home Chapel: Pastor will be leading chapel at Lutheran Community Home on Sunday, October 26th at 2 PM. All members of the congregation are invited to come. Also, if you would like to assist with helping the residents that would be greatly appreciated (pushing wheelchairs, handing out bulletins, etc.).

Fellowship Friday @ 5: Join us for a bonfire night on Friday, November 7th beginning at 5 PM. We will have chili, hot dogs, s'mores, and lots of time for fellowship and fun. All are welcome!

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 74:18-19, 21, 20a, 22a; antiphon: v. 2a

P Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

C Remember this, O Lord, how the enemy scoffs,
and a foolish people reviles your name.

P Do not deliver the soul of your dove to the wild beasts;
do not forget the life of your poor forever.

C Let not the downtrodden turn back in shame;
let the poor and needy praise your name.

P Have regard for the covenant;
arise, O God, defend your cause.

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 Remember your congregation, which you have purchased of old,
which you have redeemed to be the tribe of your heritage!

Collect of the Day

P O Lord, almighty and everlasting God, You have commanded us to pray and have promised to hear us. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may direct and govern our hearts in all things that we may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual

Psalm 91:11; 103:1

P He will command his angels concerning you
to guard you in all your ways.
Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

✠ Divine Service ✠

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Hymn of Invocation 772

In Holy Conversation

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✠ Service of the Word ✠

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Old Testament *Genesis 32:22-30*
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Epistle *2 Timothy 3:14-4:5*
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Holy Gospel *Luke 18:1-8*
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Hymn of the Day 734
I Trust, O Lord, Your Holy Name

Sermon *Praying for Justice*

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✠ Service of the Sacrament ✠

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On Eagles' Wings

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With the Lord Begin Your Task 869

Hear Us, Father, When We Pray 773

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Closing Hymn 924
Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing

Upcoming Acolytes:

10/26: Abe Acton

11/2: John Nye

11/9: Noah Nye

11/16: 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. 10/20: Read the Old Testament lesson: Genesis 32:22-30 – As Jacob strove with God, so do we strive with God in prayer, according to His command and promise.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 734 – I Trust, O Lord, Your Holy Name
Pray the Collect of the Day: O Lord, almighty and everlasting God, You have commanded us to pray and have promised to hear us. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may direct and govern our hearts in all things that we may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Tues. 10/21: Read the Epistle lesson: 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5 – The Word of God, which makes us wise for salvation, equips us to be God’s children who listen to Him, not to what our sinful, itching ears would rather hear.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 734 – I Trust, O Lord, Your Holy Name
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 10/20)
- Wed. 10/22: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 18:1-8 – Persistently cry out to your Lord who will surely not delay but bring you justice through Christ.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 734 – I Trust, O Lord, Your Holy Name
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 10/20)
- Thur. 10/23: Read the first lesson: Revelation 14:6-7 – The eternal Gospel of Christ’s death and resurrection is proclaimed to all people.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 656 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty and gracious Lord, pour out Your Holy Spirit on Your faithful people. Keep us steadfast in Your grace and truth, protect and deliver us in times of temptation, defend us against all enemies, and grant to Your Church Your saving peace; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 10/24: Read the Epistle lesson: Romans 3:19-28 – Righteousness comes, not as a result of our works, but as a result of faith, which is purely a gift from God.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 656 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 10/23)
- Sat. 10/25: Read the Gospel lesson: John 8:31-36 – We were all born as slaves to sin, but Christ, the Son of God, sets us free to be sons of God. Now we abide in His Word and His truth forever and we are free indeed.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 656 – A Mighty Fortress Is Our God
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 10/23)

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church
19th Sunday after Pentecost
Pastor Erik Sorenson



October 19, 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)