

Announcements

Weekly Schedule:

Sun. 2/1: Pastor's Bible Study & Sunday School @ 10:15 AM
 Youth Catechesis @ 11:30 AM
 Lutheran Community Home Chapel @ 2:00 PM
 Soup & Euchre Party @ 5:00 PM
Wed. 2/4: Wednesday Night Bible Study @ 6:30 PM
Fri. 2/6: Game Night @ 6:00 PM

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

Birthdays, Baptismal Birthdays (B), & Anniversaries:

2/2, Janet Spurgeon, Janet Spurgeon (B)
 2/4: Mackenzie May (B), Seth Sorenson (B)

Prayer list:

Teresa Lucas	Haylana Pifer	Cole Benton	Glen Schurman
Luella Holle	Mary Pifer	Don Acton	Chris Elser
Laura Moorman	Cathy Tays	Melissa Otte	Kayla Forbes
John Dobrinski	Stephanie Hildebrandt	Tammy Bean	Ed Engelau
Debbie Schroer	Vaden Hanley	Cindy May	

Stewardship:

Weekly Budget: \$3385 1/25 Synodical Fund: \$
 1/25 Offerings: \$ 1/25 Building Fund: \$

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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>.



Soup and Euchre: Join us on Sunday, February 1st beginning at 5 PM for our Soup and Euchre party! It will be \$5 for soup and \$5 for euchre. Invite a friend or two and enjoy a night of soup, cards, and fun.

Super Bowl Subs: The St. Peter Youth Group will be selling subs for Super Bowl Sunday (2/8). If you would like to order subs, please see the youth group members, talk to Curt & Jenni Acton for more information, or order online here: <https://forms.gle/ds6UNP8wysoyRZbw8>

Game Night: Game Night will be on Friday, February 6th, beginning at 6:00 PM. All ages are welcome and bring a friend too! Our dinner theme will be your favorite winter dish. Feel free to bring a dish to share, your favorite games, or a deck of cards. Mark your calendars and invite your friends and family to come along as well.

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 1:1-5; antiphon: v. 6

- P** For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
but the way of the wicked will perish.
- C** **Blessèd is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked,
nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;**
- P** but his delight is in the law of the Lord,
and on his law he meditates day and night.
- C** **He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in
its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he
prosper.**
- P** The wicked are not so,
but are like chaff that the wind drives away.
- C** **Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment,
nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.**
- P** For the Lord knows the way of the righteous,
but the way of the wicked will perish.

Collect of the Day

- P** Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual

Psalm 117:1-2a; 96:8

- P** Praise the Lord, all nations!
Extol him, all peoples!
For great is his steadfast love toward us,
and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.
Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name;
bring an offering, and come into his courts!

✠ Divine Service ✠

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Upcoming Acolytes:

2/8: Noah Nye

2/15: Abe Acton

2/18: John Nye

2/22: Noah Nye

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. 2/2: Read the Old Testament lesson: Micah 6:1-8 – As the Lord indicts His people, He also turns them to what is good: justice, kindness, and humbleness, which are found in Christ alone.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 842 – Son of God, Eternal Savior

Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty God, You know we live in the midst of so many dangers that in our frailty we cannot stand upright. Grant strength and protection to support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Tues. 2/3: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 – The wisdom of God and the strength of God are seen only in Christ crucified, which is foolishness and weakness to the world.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 842 – Son of God, Eternal Savior

Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 2/2)

Wed. 2/4: Read the Gospel lesson: Matthew 5:1-12 – Blessed is Christ, who is the fulfillment of the Beatitudes, and blessed are we who are joined into Christ.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 842 – Son of God, Eternal Savior

Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 2/2)

Thur. 2/5: Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 58:3-9a – Even the good things we do are done selfishly and in sin, but the glory of God and His righteousness loose the bonds of our wickedness and give us peace.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 578 – Thy Strong Word

Pray the Collect of the Day: O Lord, keep Your family the Church continually in the true faith that, relying on the hope of Your heavenly grace, we may ever be defended by Your mighty power; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Fri. 2/6: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 Corinthians 2:1-16 – Having the mind of Christ, we see that true wisdom is found not in the things of the world, but in Christ crucified.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 578 – Thy Strong Word

Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 2/5)

Sat. 2/7: Read the Gospel lesson: Matthew 5:13-20 – Since Christ has fulfilled the Law for us and given us this righteousness, we now stand as the salt of the earth and the light of the world as our good works give praise and glory to God alone.

Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 578 – Thy Strong Word

Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 2/5)

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church
4th Sunday after the Epiphany
Pastor Erik Sorenson



February 1, 2026

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)