

St. Peter Lutheran Church

All Saints Weekend

November 6-7, 2021

Service of Holy Communion

HOSPITAL VISITS

If you are in the hospital and want the pastor to visit, please call the pastor at 419-602-9405. Thank you.

OUTREACH NEWS

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

It's time to start packing shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child. Information, including packing labels and shoeboxes, can be found at the display in the Narthex. Please remember that your shoebox may be the only gift a child receives, so pack quality items that will last. Great gifts including dolls, stuffed animals, sports ball with a pump, hygiene items (toothbrush, soap, washcloth, towel, comb or brush) school supplies, coloring books, crayons, socks, jump ropes, and toy cars. No liquids, candy, toothpaste, or war related items. Please have shoeboxes returned by Sunday, November 14. Please contact Vickie Hemenway for any questions.

OCC SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSION PROJECT

Our Sunday School students will be packing shoeboxes on November 14 as a service project. Can you help us by purchasing items for us to pack? Tags can be found at the OCC display in the Narthex. Items need to be returned by Sunday, November 7.

FUND FOR NEW MISSION PROJECTS

See a need/outreach opportunity in your neighborhood? Consider applying for a Fund for New Mission Project grant. You can apply for up to \$100 for a one-time mission and \$250 to start a new outreach ministry/program. Remember—the goal is for you to be directly involved in the mission work. Forms are on the table in the narthex.

Newsletter articles are due by 9 am on Wednesdays. Please contact the office to schedule any activities.

CONTACT US:

St. Peter Lutheran Church
243 Benedict Avenue
Norwalk Ohio 419-668-2856

Church Office 419-668-2856 x.1
Church Email stpeternorwalk@gmail.com
Office Hours Mon-Thu 8:30 am – 3:30 pm
Administrative Assistant Kathy Thompson
Pastor Ann Marshall 419-602-9405 (mobile)
419-668-2856 x.3 (church)
pastorannmarshall@gmail.com

CDNS 419-668-2856 x.2
CDNS Director Michelle Schaffer

Online

Website www.stpeter-elca.org
Facebook www.facebook.com/stpeternorwalk

Worship Schedule

Saturday 5:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 am
10:30 am
9:15 am
Sunday school
September – May

The 10:30 service is broadcast on WLKR 95.3 FM (wlkr.northcoastnow.com) and on Facebook Live).

Prelude

GATHERING

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Gathering Song (vs. 1-2) #422

Remembrance of Saints

Song (vs. 3-5) #422

Thanksgiving for Newly Baptized

Song (vs. 7-8) #422

Greeting

Prayer of the Day

WORD

Children's Message

Readings Isaiah 25:6-9

Choir Anthem

Revelation 21:1-6

Gospel John 11:32-34

Sermon

Hymn of the Day #428

Apostles' Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Peace & Announcements

Temple Talk: Growing in Generosity

MEAL

Offering Song & Prayer #691

Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Distribution of Communion

Lamb of God (Sunday) p. 135

Communion Songs (Sunday) #423, 421

Table Blessing

Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Benediction

Sending Song #424

Dismissal

Postlude

CALENDAR for November 7--13, 2021

SUNDAY— November 7: All Saints Sunday

Nation Youth Gathering Registration Due

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:15 am Sunday School-FH
10:30 am Holy Communion. FB Live/WLKR 95.3
1:00 pm NA-Fellowship Hall
4:00 pm 4H-Fellowship Hall

MONDAY-November 8

9-3:00 pm CDNS Large Motor-FH
6:30 pm BSA Troop 208—Fellowship Hall
6:30 pm NAMI-Rm 206
7:00 pm NA-Rm. 104
7:00 pm Executive Committee-Rm 204

TUESDAY—November 9

6-8:00 pm DKG-Fellowship Hall
7:30 pm Senior Choir-Balcony

WEDNESDAY-November 10

9-3:00 pm CDNS Temple Time-Chap.
6:00-8:00 pm NAMI-Rm. 206

THURSDAY-November 11

9:30 am Women's Bible Study-Rm 206
6-8:00 pm Troop 208 Training-FH
7:00 pm Church Council-Rm 206

FRIDAY-November 12

7:00 pm NA-Fellowship Hall

**SATURDAY— November 13: Harvest Home/Stewardship
Operation Christmas Child-Due November 14**

8:00 am Men's Bible Study-Narthex
9:00 am Walk & Talk-Sofios Park
10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry-Rm 206
11:00 am Liturgical Arts-Nar/Sanctuary
(Set up Harvest Home)

1-4 pm Wagner Family Bday Party-FH
5:30 pm Holy Communion

Sunday-November 14: Harvest Home/Stewardship

Operation Christmas Child-Due today

8:00 am Holy Communion
9:15 am Sunday School-FH
10:30 am Holy Communion. FB Live/WLKR 95.3
1:00 pm NA-Fellowship Hall
4-6:00 pm Confirmation-Fellowship Hall

THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP NOTES

TODAY'S WORSHIP: ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

This weekend we celebrate All Saints Sunday, when we celebrate the victory won for all the faithful dead. Even as we grieve our loved ones, we know God honors our tears and that God's promise of the eternal feast is a promise meant for all the baptized. We also celebrate the newly-baptized 'saints' who have been added to our number in the past year.

BIBLE PRESENTATION—OOPS!

We mistakenly left off one of the names of our Bible recipients from last week. Congratulations to Annaka Ruggles who also received her Bible on Reformation Sunday.

TODAY'S BULLETIN

An all-inclusive bulletin for the weekend services is available on the St. Peter webpage (stpeter-elca.org). Click on Worship at the top, then Bulletin, then the date.

IN OUR PRAYERS

In our prayers today we remember all who have died and those that are newly baptized.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Dave and Brittany Zubler.

The 2021 flower calendar is up on the bulletin board in the narthex. You may sign up by calling Kathy or writing your name on the chart. This year the price is \$40.00. You may pick the flowers up before noon on Sundays or on Monday during office hours.

UPCOMING WORSHIP

WORSHIP IN NOVEMBER

Christ the King is November 20-21, marking the end of the church year. Advent begins on November 27-28.

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING WORSHIP

The community Thanksgiving worship will be held on Monday, November 22 at 7 pm at St. Paul Catholic Church. All are welcome.

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

Here is our worship schedule for Christmas Eve: 6 pm OUTDOOR service (more details to come); 8 pm & 11 pm traditional services in the sanctuary.

CHURCH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

GROWING IN GENEROSITY

Our Growing in Generosity campaign continues this week with a new insert and a final testimony. How might you grow in your generosity? How has God used other people to bless you with their generosity?

CHURCH COUNCIL

Is God calling you to serve as a leader of St. Peter? We are looking for candidates to run for the four

Church Council seats that will be vacated at the end of the year. If you think you may have leadership gifts to share or wish to know more, please call or text Vice-president Tim Willer at 419-370-9341.

HOMECOOKED FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Started in February of 2019, Homecooked to the Homebound is an outreach food ministry for our Homebound members. Homemade, fully cooked and then frozen meals are provided that simply need to be thawed and heated in a microwave. Meals are prepared by a group of congregational "chefs". These meals are delivered on the 4th Sunday of each month at no cost. If you or someone you know would benefit from this program, please contact Vickie Hemenway at 419 663-4011.

ANGEL TREE TAGS

The Concerns committee is working with The Salvation Army to provide Christmas gifts for area children. In the narthex, you will find our "Angel Tree" with tags. Each tag has a child's information including clothing size and several gift suggestions. Please take a tag and purchase 2-3 gifts for that child. Gifts need to be returned UNWRAPPED in a gift bag with the tag attached by Sunday, December 5. Additional information can be found with the Angel Tags. Questions, Contact Vickie Hemenway 419- 663-4011.

WALK AND TALK

We continue to meet on Saturdays at 9 am at Sofios Family Park near the picnic pavilion. If you cannot walk with us, but perhaps are walking with others, we invite you to make your own Walk and Talk—that is, walking while having some purposeful discussion. This week's topic will be: when has someone shown unexpected generosity to you?

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets on Saturday, November 13 at 10 am in room 206. All knitters and crocheters are welcome to join us!

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of a couple of new folks to be Eucharistic ministers for our sick and homebound members. If you are willing to visit someone about once a month to share the sacrament, please contact Pastor Ann.

WOMEN OF ST. PETER

Due to the holidays landing on the 4th Thursdays, the Evening Women's Bible Study will meet again January 27, 2022, at 6:30 pm at the D& D Winery. Our study will continue with Boldness in Teaching in the "I Am She" resource. Bring a friend, see you in the new year.

Day Women's Bible Study takes place on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 9:30 am in room 206. We are taking a look at the book of Ruth.

INTERESTED IN JOINING ST. PETER?

Talk with Pastor Ann if you would like to join St. Peter or learn more about our congregation.