

ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost
Service of Holy Communion
July 20-21, 2024

Prelude

GATHERING

Confession and Forgiveness
 Gathering Song #574
 Greeting
 Psalm Litany Psalm 23
 Prayer of the Day
 Children's Message (Sun)

WORD

First Reading Jeremiah 23:1-6
 Gospel Mark 6:30-34, 53-56
 Sermon Pastor Ann Marshall
 Hymn of the Day #676
 Apostles' Creed
 Prayers of Intercession
 Peace & Announcements

MEAL

Offering Song #692
 Offering Prayer
 Great Thanksgiving
 Eucharistic Prayer
 Lord's Prayer
 Distribution
 Communion Hymns (10:30)
 #196, #798, #478

Table Blessing
 Prayer After Communion

SENDING

Benediction
 Sending Song #661
 Dismissal

Postlude

CALENDAR – Week of July 21, 2024

SUNDAY – July 21 - 9th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00am - Holy Communion-Park Lot
 10:30am - Holy Communion-Sanctuary
 1:00pm - NA-Fellowship Hall

Monday - July 22

7:00pm - Pet Pals – FH

Tuesday - July 23

Wednesday – July 24

Thursday – July 25

Friday - July 26

1:00pm - Child Care Resource Center-FH
 7:00pm - NA-FH

Saturday - July 27 - 10th Sunday after Pentecost

5:30pm - Holy Communion-Sanctuary

Sunday - July 28 - 10th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00am - Holy Communion-Park Lot
 10:30am - Holy Communion-Sanctuary
 11:30am - Home-Bound Home-Cooked Kit
 1:00pm - NA-Fellowship Hall

Our Mission: Making Christ known by loving and serving others
Our Vision: A community where faith is formed and all people are loved,
cared for, and valued as children of God
Our Core Values: Teaching, Learning, & Sharing Jesus:
Children, Youth, Families; Quality Worship; Sharing Our Resources

THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP NOTES

TODAY'S WORSHIP NOTES

Mark's gospel makes clear how great is the press of the crowd, with its countless needs to be met. on Jesus and his disciples. Yet in today's gospel Jesus advises his disciples to get away and rest, to take care of themselves. Sometimes we think that when others are in great need, we shouldn't think of ourselves at all; but Jesus also honors the caregivers' need. We are sent from Christ's table to care for others and for ourselves.

The 10:30am service is broadcasted on WLKR 95.3 and can be viewed on our Facebook page.

TODAY'S BULLETIN

Today's bulletin is available on the St. Peter webpage (stpeter-elca.org). Click on Worship at the top, then Scripts, then the bulletin and script dates.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Today we pray for the Faith Lutheran Church in Fremont and Pastor Tim Miller.

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers are given by Gloria & Mike Setzler in honor of their 54th Wedding Anniversary. The 2024 flower calendar is on the bulletin board in the narthex. Please sign up on the date you would like and designate the occasion. The price is \$40.00. Flowers may be picked up before noon on Sunday or Monday during office hours.

ALTAR GUILD

This month's Altar Guild servants are Cindy Thayer and Shirley Silcox.

SUMMER OUTDOOR WORSHIP

We will continue our 9am outdoor worship. Bring your own chair, dress for the weather, and enjoy worshipping in God's creation. The outdoor service will continue until the end of August. In case of rain, we will still worship INSIDE at 9am. The 10:30am service will be inside as usual. ***There will be no 8am service during the summer months.***

SIMPLIFIED SUMMER LITURGY

As we did last year, we will use a simplified summer liturgy at all services. This shorter service will be used June 1 through August 25.

CHURCH NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

PASTORAL VISITS

If you are hospitalized or ill and want the pastor to visit you, please call her mobile phone at 419-602-9405.

BIBLE STUDIES

The Women's Daytime Bible Study will meet in September at a date and time TBD.

The Men's Bible Study will meet on August 10th at 8:00am in the narthex.

The Women's Evening Bible Study will meet in September at a date and time TBD.

CHRISTIAN DAY NURSERY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FOR THE 2024-2025

CDNS still has openings available. Contact Michelle if you have any questions.

CHILD CARE RESOURCE CENTER

Don't miss this courageous conversation "Caring for the Caregivers" on Friday, July 26th from 1:00pm-2:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. For more information and registration instructions, please see the flyer on the bulletin board.

OUTREACH

FUND FOR NEW MISSION PROJECTS

See a need/outreach opportunity in your neighborhood? Consider applying for a Fund for New Mission Project grant. One 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 one to be directly involved in the mission work. Forms are on the table in the narthex.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE DAY COLLECTION

Christian Service Day volunteers are collecting clean, gently used or new baby care kit items for Lutheran World Relief. Items needed: cotton t-shirts, sleepers without feet, receiving blankets, jackets/sweatshirts, socks, hand towels, bars of gentle soap, and diaper pins. Sizes 6-24 months. Garage sales and thrift stores are places to find these items. Thank you for helping us connect to our neighbors in need around the world!

LOVE NORWALK

Love Norwalk is taking place Saturday, August 10th from 5:00-8:00pm. This is a fun event where community churches come together to service Norwalk. There will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board to volunteer. We have been asked to collect soap and backpacks to donate. Please consider being part of this event.

Report through June 2024 Month End /Year to Date

Total Income for Budgeted Expenses	\$174,649.24
Total Expenses for Budgeted Expenses	\$177,224.32
Income below Expenses	\$ (2,575.08)

Through the end of June, we have spent \$2,575.08 more than we have received. Even though we have spent more than we have received, we are still much improved than last year. At this point in 2023, we had spent about \$14,000 more than we had taken in. Our income is running about \$9,000 more than at this point last year. Please remember as you travel this summer to keep up your contributions. Even if you turn it in a couple of weeks later than normal, your generosity enables us to do much good in our community and the world. Have a safe and enjoyable summer! Thank you again for your generous giving!

ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK

24 (Sat), 56 (9:00), 54 (10:30) with 115 views on Facebook.

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

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Summer Worship Schedule

Saturday	5:30 pm
Sunday	9:00 am
	10:30 am
Sunday School	9:15 am
	September—May

The 10:30 am service is broadcast on WLKR 95.3 & on Facebook