



"The Herald" Newsletter

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church

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"For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord ... to give you a future with hope." Jeremiah 29:11

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A Thank You to St. Peter's Volunteers



It is virtually impossible to thank all those volunteers who worked so hard this holiday season here at St. Peter's in the many expressions of our ministries, but here is an attempt. To **worship leaders** and **musicians** who brought such a spirit of joy and faithfulness to our services. To **decoration committee** members who helped beautify our building for the holidays. To **Christian Education** and **youth leaders** who helped teach the faith with a variety of activities and lessons. To **Altar Guild** members who so diligently set up for and clean up the wide variety of seasonal worship services. To our **Property volunteers**, who had additional set ups and events to prepare for and clean up from. To our **Social Ministry workers** who helped us concentrate our outreach efforts both near and far in so many wonderful special appeals. To our **office volunteers** who helped to proofread, collate, mail, and organize the huge amount of work and mail that was generated out of the Church Office while also covering receptionist duties. To our **Fellowship helpers**, who worked so hard to offer us times to play and laugh and socialize together. To our **Communications** committee members who so ably "told the story" of St. Peter's ministries to our community this season. For our **Council** and **committee leaders**, who found time in a busy month to keep their groups organized and productive. To our **Children and Youth** who are tangible reminders of the grace which entered the world through the Child Jesus, and through their lives among us. And to all our **Stewards** who made special gifts of time, talent, and treasure in the spirit of the child born in Bethlehem . . .

*to all of you, a hearty thank
you for all the ways in which
you embody the spirit of
ministry and service here in
OUR ST. PETER'S
community of faith.*

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January Worship Schedule

Sunday, January 5: *Christmas 2*

New Day Service of Holy Communion at 10:45 a.m.

-- *Pastor Sarah preaches*

Traditional Services of Holy Communion at 8:00, Service of the Word at 10:45 a.m.

--*Pastor Craig preaches*

Sunday, January 12: *Baptism of Our Lord*

New Day Service of Holy Communion at 10:45 a.m.

--*Sister Dottie preaches*

Traditional Service of the Holy Communion at 8:00 & 10:45 a.m.

Pastor Sarah preaches

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Sunday, January 19: *Epiphany 2*

New Day Service of Holy Communion at 10:45 a.m.

-- *Pastor Sarah preaches*

Traditional Service of Holy Communion at 8:00 a.m., Service of the Word at 10:45 a.m.

--*Pastor Craig preaches*

Sunday, January 26: *Epiphany 3* – YOUTH SUNDAY

Combined Services in Sanctuary -- Holy Communion at 8:00 & 10:45 a.m.

--*Pastor Sarah preaches*

Church Leader Installation

Those who will serve in leadership positions in the coming year will be installed and recognized at all three worship services on Sunday, January 5th. We will formally install our 2020 Congregation Council along with our Congregational Officers. Additionally, we will recognize and commission our committee chairs and committee members who are present.

Church Office Closed for New Year's Day

The Church Office will be closed on Wednesday, January 1st in observance of New Year's Day. The Church Office will re-open on Thursday, January 2nd.

Mission Appeal Update

This is an exciting time for St. Peter's! Church leadership has spent the past several months discerning the direction in which we think the Lord is calling us, that we might fulfill, even more deeply and faithfully, our vision through a mission campaign.

In order to consider launching a campaign, it is important for leadership to hear what is on the minds and in the hearts of our members. We have hired Richie and Rachel Musser, from Kirby-Smith Associates, to assist in this effort. Kirby-Smith Associates is a Christian fundraising firm founded in 1938 that is experienced in working with and for churches. Over the next few months, Richie and Rachel will be assisting with the feasibility study, which is the first phase of campaign planning. In short, a feasibility study will assess the capacity, capability, and readiness of the congregation to launch a successful campaign.

Please take a moment to introduce yourself when the Mussers join us for worship and look for more information to follow on how to personally speak with them during the feasibility study. We thank our Congregation Council for authorizing and approving the process which brought the Mussers to us, and our Campaign Planning Committee for interviewing consultant candidates and recommending Kirby-Smith Associates to the Council for approval. The Campaign Planning Team members are: Jennifer Schlener-Thomas, Adrian Young, Bob Bowman, Edwin Cortes, Jill Emmert, Bob Hollinger, and Pastors Sarah and Craig.

LNP ARCHIVES – Lancaster Intelligencer Journal July 7, 1917 - *Lutherans Split on Amalgamation*

Atlantic City, July 6 – Constitutional questions which threatened to defeat plans to celebrate the birth of a United Lutheran Church in America, in connection with the observance of the quadricentennial of the Reformation, in Philadelphia in October, loomed up at a meeting of the committee on Constitutional Revision of the General Council of the Lutheran Church in North America, at the Hotel Dennis, Atlantic City.

Many of the foremost theologians of the Lutheran faith in the country attended the preliminary session of the committee. The Rev. Dr. Theodore Schmuck of Lebanon, president of the General Council, presided over the session, with the Rev. O. J. Johnson, of Gustavus Adolphus College, of St. Peters, Minn., one of the leaders of the Augustana Synod, the Swedish branch of the church, which is national in scope, as secretary.

Proposals advanced since the committee was created two years ago, specifically to formulate a new constitution under which the General Council would become solely a deliberate and advisory body, contemplate the merging of the three great branches of Lutheranism... the General Synod, the General Council, a conservative Lutheran church body, and the United Synod of the South, into a United Lutheran Church. The General Council and the General Synod split years ago, over doctrinal issues, and the United Synod of the South has been a body apart ever since the Civil War.

LNP ARCHIVES – News Journal - November 9, 1918

Pittsburgh, Pa. November 8 – Three great bodies of the Lutheran Church – the General Synod, the General Council, and the United Synod of the South – will be merged into one body to be called the United Lutheran Church in America, it was announced here tonight. The amalgamation will take place at a convention in New York, starting next Tuesday, the ratification to be held in the Hotel Astor, Friday evening, November 15.

LNP ARCHIVES – Lancaster New Era – November 16, 1918

New York City - Merger of Lutheran Synods Ratified – The United Lutheran Church of America was incorporated at New York on Friday. More than 1,000 delegates from this country and Canada ratified the merger. The Rev. Dr. Frederick H. Knobel of New York was elected president on the third ballot. He graduated from Gettysburg College in 1893 and the Gettysburg Seminary three years later. He then began establishing the Lutheran Church of the Atonement in New York City of which he is pastor. Resolutions were adopted pledging “the fullest support of the United Lutheran Church in America to the government of the United States to meet the problems of vice, which threaten the physical and spiritual welfare of the boys and girls and men and women of these United States.” The delegates were also urged to aid in combating Bolshevik propaganda in this country. The property of the consolidated church is estimated at over 53 million dollars and with an annual expenditure between 6 and 7 million dollars.

Adult Christian Education

Wednesday Morning Bible Study



We will continue our major study topic ... an examination of the traditional “seven authentic letters of St. Paul.” Why not consider joining this vibrant group of 40-50 fellow believers in the 2020 year, as we study familiar material in ways that always open up faith discussion, historical reflection, and theological questions. Pastor Ross facilitates the class which meets in the Café on Wednesdays from 9:30-11:00 a.m. Friends are welcome. Modest snacks and drinks are provided.

Our January schedule is as follows:

January 1 – NO CLASS

January 8 – 1 Corinthians Chapters 13-16

January 15 – Philippians Introduction and Chapters 1-4

January 22 – 2 Corinthians Introduction and Chapters 1-3

January 29 – 2 Corinthians Chapters 4-6



Wednesday, January 15th, 6:30 p.m.

Place to be announced – watch for more details in the bulletin or on the adult ed board.

Come for dinner and drinks or just drinks and discussion Please RSVP Sister Dottie if you can attend at dottie.almoney@stpeterslutheran.org.

Sunday Morning Classes — 9:15-10:15 a.m.

St. Peter's offers two distinct classes for adults during the Sunday School hour (9:15 - 10:15 a.m.)

Crosspoints (Conference Room) - This semester will be a mix of Lutheran Theology and doctrine, church history and famous Christians.

January 5 - The New Testament You Never Knew, part 6 – Led by Pastor Craig

January 12 – Lectio Divina with non-traditional media – Led by Sister Dottie

January 19 – Mormons, the fastest Growing Church in America led by Pastor Geib

January 26 – Part 2 of the Mormons with Pastor Geib

Faith and Values (Room 100) - We begin the New Year looking to God for signs of hope. God is stirring something new in our lives and in our world. Join the conversation as we look to *The Awakening of Hope: Why We Practice a Common Faith*, based on a resource written by Jonathan Wilson-Hartgrove.

January 5: “Why It Matters Where We Live”

January 12: “Why We Eat Together”

January 19: “Why We Make Promises”

January 26: “Why We Share The Good News”



Faith and Values meets on Sundays, 9:15-10:15 a.m., Room 100

Global Missions Ministry

From the Tanzania Mission Committee

Thank you! Thank you! Thank you from the Tanzania Mission Committee for making the 13th Annual Cookie Walk another big success. Thanks to all the bakers, buyers, music makers, Boy Scouts and office staff for your help. We are grateful for your help in supporting the orphans in the care of our Companions in Christ, Busoka Lutheran Church in Tanzania.



Prayer Chain Ministry

As you begin a New Year, please consider joining the Prayer Chain! We need folks who believe in the power of prayer. The majority of your committee work is done on your time, when you have free time. Why not consider something “new” in your prayer life in the New Year? Please contact either Ginny Gerhart (717) 626-7406 or Angela Moshos (717) 392-6201.



“I urge that supplications, prayers, intercession and thanksgivings be made for everyone” 1 Timothy 2:1



Addiction Ministry

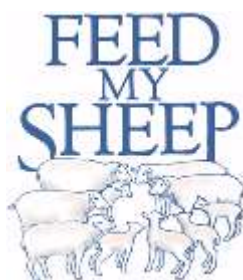
Thanks to all who supported our Personal Care Kits for Vantage House and White Deer Run. On Tuesday, December 10th we delivered items to Vantage House and during that visit we made gingerbread houses with the ladies and children. What a wonderful experience for those who participated! The ladies were so grateful and appreciative for our support!

On Sunday, December 15th a team from the addiction team delivered items to White Deer Run where again they were met with sincere appreciation and gratitude!

Thank you to the Addiction Ministry Team for all of their hard work on this project! We hope to develop our relationship with both of these recovery houses and support their fight against addiction!

Prayer Ministry Update

We desire to provide a safe place for prayer and support to those affected by the disease of addiction. If your life has been impacted, please consider joining us for a time of prayer and sharing the second Sunday of the month at 10:30 a.m. or the second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. Both sessions will be held in the Cry Room. We plan to start these sessions January 8th.



The Sheep are Hungry! Please Help Feed Them

Needed in January: *Peanut butter; jellies and jams; canned fruits; canned pasta; canned tomato products; spaghetti sauce; boxed macaroni and cheese; instant stuffing & potatoes; canned yams; complete pancake mix & syrup; canned tuna and chicken; tuna, beef & chicken helper; cereal; instant oatmeal.* Food Carts are in the Narthex. Items go to the Lancaster County Food Hub.

Thanks for your donations!

Social Ministry



Lydia's Closet Clothing Bank will be open on Saturday, January 4th from 10:00 – 12:00 p.m. in the Youth Lounge. To volunteer, please contact Molly Olmsted at astaloo@me.com.

Many of us have a resolution to de-clutter and organize! If you're thinking of donating items, please consider Community Aid. Not only are they a great local charity, but the donations also help Lydia's Closet! Did you know that we get 4 cents for every pound donated in the bin in our parking lot? (Or if it's full, try the one at Neffsville Mennonite Church.) If your items are too bulky to fit in a bin, they accept donations at the main location on Columbia Avenue. If you go there, make sure to let them know that you're helping out Lydia's Closet and it will be applied to us!

Excentia Volunteers

Maybe you've seen the volunteers in the Church during the week and wondered who they were, or maybe you've heard someone mention Excentia and didn't know what that meant...

St. Peter's has been hosting volunteers from Excentia Human Services for about a year now. Excentia is "*designed to help people with intellectual or developmental disabilities become connected with their community. The goal of this program is to give participants the tools they need to gain personal and professional independence through volunteer work.*"

So far, they have helped wrap silverware for Community Meals, stuff Easter eggs for the Egg Hunt, and sort clothes for Lydia's Closet. These are all in addition to help with cleaning tasks around the Church.

Our relationship with Excentia has allowed us to provide a place for their volunteers to work and it has allowed us to have lots of hands to help with the jobs that need to be taken care of around the Church!

So if you see an Excentia volunteer say "Hi" and "Thank You."

Molly S. Olmsted

astaloo@me.com (717)-490-3908



We will not have a January meal, since we served on Christmas Day! Our next meal will be Wednesday, February 5th. For more information about volunteering, contact Jan Gigl at

Community Meal

ronjangigl@comcast.net

Fellowship



Women's Winter Retreat

Friday, January 17 thru Sunday, January 19

Camp Kirchenwald

Cost: \$80.00

Our Theme will be "Spirituality". We will discuss several spiritual practices that you can use at home – Lectio Divina using art, movies and other non-traditional formats as well as more traditional practices. Information can be found on the adult ministry bulletin board or by contacting Sister Dottie at dottie.almoney@stpeterslutheran.org.

Game Night!

Fellowship is hosting an all ages game night on Friday, January 24th from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Bring your favorite board, card, or dice game, or play one of ours! Snacks will be provided. A sign up sheet is available on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Health and Wellness Committee



January – National Thyroid Awareness Month

The thyroid gland is a small, butterfly-shaped gland located in the neck just below the Adam's apple. Although relatively small, the thyroid gland plays a huge role in our body, influencing the function of many of the body's most essential organs, including the heart, brain, liver, kidneys and skin. The thyroid hormone helps the body use energy, stay warm

and keep the brain, heart, muscles, and other organs working as they should. It is vitally important to ensure that your thyroid gland is healthy and functioning properly.

The **American Thyroid Association (ATA)** is the world's leading professional association of medical specialists dedicated to education and research to improve thyroid disease prevention, diagnosis and treatment. More than 12 percent of the U.S. population will develop a thyroid condition during their lifetime. An estimated 20 million Americans have some form of thyroid disease. *Up to 60 percent of those with thyroid disease are unaware of their condition.* Women are five to eight times more likely than men to have thyroid problems. The causes of thyroid problems are largely unknown, and undiagnosed thyroid disease may put patients at risk for certain serious conditions, such as cardiovascular diseases, osteoporosis and infertility. Most thyroid diseases are life-long conditions that can be managed with medical attention.

Hypothyroidism is a condition where the thyroid gland does not produce enough thyroid hormone. Symptoms include extreme fatigue, depression, forgetfulness, and some weight gain.

Hyperthyroidism, another form of thyroid disease, is a condition causing the gland to produce too much thyroid hormone. Symptoms include irritability, nervousness, muscle weakness, unexplained weight loss, sleep disturbances, vision problems and eye irritation.

Graves' disease is a type of hyperthyroidism; it is an autoimmune disorder that is genetic and estimated to affect just *one percent* of the population.

Ask your Doctor or Healthcare Provider if you need testing, and if diagnosed, take your medications.



Membership News

New Member Kiosk

Have you been attending St. Peter's for a while and you're not sure who is a new member? In our lobby area there is a kiosk with the pictures of new members and their families. Be sure to check out their picture and when you see them in person, offer them a big welcome. It has only been a few months since these wonderful new folks have joined our faith family, and your extra effort can go a long way to help them be part of our community of faith!

New Member Classes: March 1 & March 8

We will be having classes for visitors who are considering becoming members of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Classes will gather at 9:15 a.m. on March 1 and 8. The first session will focus on meeting the pastors and fellow new members. The second session will focus on ministries of the church as well as getting connected to members of the St. Peter's family. Interested? Contact Pastor Sarah Teichmann (sarah.teichmann@stpeterslutheran.org) or Pastor Craig Ross (craig.ross@stpeterslutheran.org) or call the church at (717) 569-9211.

Worship and Music at St. Peter's

Worship Leadership Schedule

SUNDAY	8:00	10:45
JAN. 5	Canticle Pick-up Choir	Herald Choir
JAN. 12	None	Herald Choir
JAN. 19	None	Herald Choir
JAN. 26	Youth Choir, Exsultate Ringers	Youth Choir, Exsultate Ringers

Thank you

A hearty thanks to all who helped support worship throughout Advent and Christmas Eve. Musicians, ushers, greeters, communion assistants, assisting ministers, altar guild members – we couldn't do worship without all of these joyful servants doing work both behind the scenes and in the moment. We truly see God with us through our worship and music volunteers!

Making Music is Fun!

Handbell ensembles resume rehearsals Monday, January 6th and vocal choirs resume Thursday, January 9th. See below for a full schedule:

Jubilate Choir (1st-5th grade vocal choir, meets Thursdays from 6:00-6:30 p.m.)

Youth Choir (6th-12th grade vocal choir, meets Mondays from 6:00-6:30 p.m.)

Herald Choir (10:45 adult vocal choir, meets Thursdays from 7:30-8:30 p.m.)

Canticle Choir (8:00 adult vocal choir, meets between services, schedule can be provided)

Exsultate Ringers (beginner/youth handbell ensemble, meets Mondays from 6:30-7:15 p.m.)

St. Peter's Ringers (experienced/adult handbell ensemble, meets Mondays from 7:30-8:30 p.m.)

Singers and ringers of all abilities are welcome in all groups. All that is asked is a good attitude and a willingness to try. If you'd like to join a handbell ensemble, please contact Adam to determine the best place for you. More ringers are welcome in both ensembles. There is a place for you!

Next Jubilate Choir Begins January 9

This year Jubilate Choir is working in seasons. The next season begins January 9th with worship appearances on February 9th, 22nd, and 23rd. Rehearsals are Thursdays from 6:00-6:30 p.m. in the music room. The seasons are completely compartmentalized; if your child didn't participate in season 1 or 2 but wants to participate now, they will not have to play catch up. Sign up on the website or by emailing Adam. Together we'll sing a new song while participating in worship leadership and learning more about the Christian faith through music!

Pastoral Acts

The following pastoral acts were offered since the printing deadline of our December issue of the Herald.

Funerals: Marie Kratzert on November 23, 2019 at St. Peter's.



**CHECK OUT ST. PETER'S
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Communication: The Website Is Your Friend!


January is a rather busy month at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, and you don't want to miss out on a program, a worship service, a devotional, or any other faith formational event. Why not make it easy on yourself and go to our website www.stpeterslutheran.org to find out the latest schedules and calendar events. Check out blog posts to help you plan or to engage your faithful preparations this season. Be sure to check out our Facebook page as well (<https://www.facebook.com/stpeterslancaster>) for posts about upcoming events or to catch the beauty and joy of a past event.

If you have questions about events and schedules that you can't find on the website, don't hesitate to call the church office at 717-569-9211. The office staff will love to hear from you.



Groups and Events

50 PLUS — Please join us on Thursday, January 2nd at 11:45 am in the Café for lunch, fellowship, entertainment and education. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Bob Frick continuing his series, “Together, They Made Lancaster Great”. His January presentation will focus on Robert Fulton and J. P. McCaskey. Please bring your own sandwich, place setting, a beverage and a snack to share. Dr. Frick will continue his series on February 6th and March 5, 2020. This schedule is posted on the Activities Bulletin Board. New building security practices will be in place. We will have a sign-in sheet outside the kitchen area and 50+ tags to wear. If you have any questions, please contact Debra Shue at 717-318-8848 or djshue52@comcast.net.

 **WELCA** — Come to **WELCA** on Thursday, January 9th at 9:00 AM in Room 124. After a light breakfast is served we will welcome **Edee Bedford** as our speaker. Known as “The Ambassador of Lancaster County”, Edee will discuss her experiences while introducing tourists to our very special county. All women are welcome. Our Personal Care Kit item for January is adult-size toothbrushes in original wrapping. Any questions, contact Sally Rager, 717-569-6119 or Kathy Caldwell, 717-627-7434.



ST. PETER'S BOOK CLUB will meet on Tuesday, January 21, 2020, at 1:30 p.m. in the Cry Room. The book to be discussed is Little Fires Everywhere by Celeste Ng. I think everyone will find this book very interesting and enjoyable. Everyone is welcome to attend! Please contact Mary Ann Frontz if you have any questions.

FELLOWSHIP FOR WIDOWS — We are starting a get-together for widows. If you have lost your husband, come join us for an hour or so of fellowship on Tuesday, January 14th at 10:00 a.m., in the Café. We will have coffee and light refreshments and spend some time talking about our lives and the ways they have changed. *Please let me know if you are able to attend.* Betsy Linn, 717-618-9615, or betsy.linn@stpeterslutheran.org

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FEBRUARY 2020 NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE JANUARY 10TH

Articles for the February 2020 “Herald” are due in the church office no later than **January 10th**. Please submit articles to Sandy Shattuck in the church office or email sandy.shattuck@stpeterslutheran.org. Thank you for your cooperation.



Pastor's Letter

Dear friends:

Another New Year ... an opportunity to turn the page on the twelve months gone by ... an invitation to look ahead farther than your next meal ... a challenge to learn from the mistakes made and the wisdom embraced this past 365 days ... the privilege of dreaming about possibilities that await you as the next four seasons unfold. Although January 1st is just another day in the roughly 28,300 days you are projected to live, it does possess a bit of potency for some reason. That liminal experience of crossing over can be powerful on this day. So ... we often take some time to reflect. Some look back, while others look ahead. Allow me a moment or two, to look ahead.

I will admit that much of my thinking is directed to our upcoming feasibility study. Church leadership has spent the past several months discerning the direction in which we think the Lord is calling us, that we might fulfill, even more deeply and faithfully, our vision through a mission campaign. This will be an important examination of the support within the congregation for some identified needs we are aware of, and for some projects that will no doubt arise from the congregational participation in this study. I hope that each of you will find a way to be connected to this study with your hopes and dreams for St. Peter's. Please see page 3 of the Herald for more information.

I also find myself thinking about our intern program. January is the month in which, for the past twenty years, I have spent hours reflecting on and then writing a mid-year evaluation for our intern du jour. Some of you have asked me what life is like without an intern. I will share with you that I have more time for pastoral ministry without an intern. The significant commitment of exposing interns to life in a congregation like ours ... the amount of writing of reflections and evaluations throughout the year ... the supervisory time dedicating to debriefing ministry with an intern ... and the commitment to regular cluster meetings with other interns in our area ... are just a few things that can gobble up time. I have always enjoyed that gift of time in helping to prepare a seminarian for service in the church. But I will admit, that I have been able to be a little more present in a number of our ministries without an intern. We are not at a place that we need to decide whether we will restart the intern program. But at some point, that discussion will be had. I would love to hear from you about your feelings about life with and without an intern. What choice would you make, if asked to sponsor another intern?

And I think about all the experiences with which God will surprise me. Moments of joy that make me smile, coupled with moments of loss that will bring me grief. Times I will be gratified by the growth of a ministry or program, and times when I will be ready to tear my hair out in frustration over an opportunity lost. Times when children will act wisely and as adults act foolishly. Times when I will sit in my office fuming over the latest frustration that makes me question why I ever went into ministry instead of actuarial science, followed by times that I will wonder why God has been so good to me by nudging me into ministry and leading me to St. Peter's, especially. But most importantly, I wonder about those experiences I cannot even imagine, but which God will bring into my life ... experiences both good and bad, joyful and sorrowful, productive and destructive. And in doing so, I give thanks for a creative God who surprises me regularly, and offers me graces anew each day. May the same be true for you. Till we get a chance to talk in person, I'll ...

See you in Church ...

Pastor Craig

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A Thank You From the Ross Family

Pastor Ross and his family extend their thanks to many of you for your prayers and well-wishes this season, along with the beautiful Christmas cards, the tasty treats, the generous gifts, and the thoughtful donations to local charities in our honor. Your support of us in this community always humbles us. We all wish you blessings the remainder of the Christmas season, and a Happy New Year. ~ ~ *Pastor Ross & Nancy ... Justin & Megan ... Jess, Matt & Sam*



Pastor Sarah's Message

Greetings friends in Christ,

Do you like to watch movies? One of my favorite movies growing up was Mel Brooks' *Spaceballs* and one of my favorite scenes is when the bad guys in the movie are watching *Spaceballs: The Movie* trying to catch up to the good guys and they get to the scene of "now."

At one point the bad guy asks, "***When will then be now?***" and his lieutenant helpfully responds, "***Soon!***"



I feel like I've been living this scene over and over for the last couple of days. As I write this article, it is currently December 10, and I am writing it now, but you're (hopefully) reading it soon...maybe sometime around the first week of January.

The whole writing something now for you to read it soon is a good thing to do when it takes time to prepare, produce, edit, and print a newsletter. But a lot can happen between now and then, and it is all happening soon!

Rewinding to this past Fall, during our Fall Town Hall and the 2019 Annual Meeting you were presented with the proposed Mission Campaign which will raise funds for missional needs including Christian educational resources, safe church initiatives, worship environment enhancements, church property renovations and improvements, and global mission initiatives that will lead this congregation to the future to which God is calling us. Before we endeavor in raising funds, we need to engage in a feasibility study.

One of those "***now***" things that is currently happening is the Mission Campaign Planning Team is currently interviewing a couple of consulting companies who will lead us through the feasibility study for our proposed mission campaign. The members of the Mission Campaign Planning Team include council members Edwin Cortes, Jill Emmert, and Bob Hollinger as well as stewardship committee members Jennifer Schlener-Thomas and Adrian Young. The team is rounded out by Bob Bowman, Pastor Craig Ross and myself.

By the time you read this article, we will have recommended a consulting firm to the council and the council will have voted on the firm. In fact, we hope that you meet leaders of this consulting firm soon.

As I write this article in December, some of the timeline pieces are still wet cement, but I hope that by the time you read this in January, you will be provided with a clear timeline for this feasibility study as well as ample opportunities for your voice to be heard during the feasibility study.

Right now, I deeply feel Saint Paul's words, "For ***now*** we see in a mirror, dimly, but ***then*** we will see face to face. ***Now*** I know only in part; ***then*** I will know fully, even as I have been fully known." (1 Corinthians 13:12).

Now I write this to you, but then (in January), I look forward to living into what God may have in store. I look forward to what we may discover together through this feasibility study, and how God is calling us together into community and faith.

Peace,

Pastor Sarah

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A Heart-felt Thank You

Pastor Sarah Teichmann and her family want to give thanks for the great love and care shared during the Advent and Christmas season. We give thanks for the warmth of Christ's love shared in cards, warm wishes, delicious treats, and lovely gifts. We look forward to see what God is up to in the New Year. Peace, Pastor Sarah, Erik, and Elsa Teichmann

From the Director of Music

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First and foremost, thank you to all the musicians, worship support, and worship leaders at St. Peter's who go above and beyond during the Advent/Christmas season. Without the consistent work of many of the church's membership, our celebration of the Christ child coming among us would be impossible. May their service be a beacon and a guide as we seek to continue to be changed by God's presence among us.

After the hubbub of December we can all use a little downtime; however, when it comes down to it, January is a busy month when it comes to celebrations in our lectionary, particularly the first half. At a time when we would prefer to be resting on our laurels, we can miss much if we aren't paying attention. Jesus is named on the 1st. We continue to celebrate the birth of Jesus until the coming of the wise men on the 6th. Jesus is baptized on the 12th and begins his public ministry.

Although we know there is a gap between Jesus' birth and Jesus' ministry (obviously Jesus wasn't born a grown man!) the implication in our lectionary cycle is that God gets to work in us as soon as God arrives. It reminds me of the old adage 'there's no time like the present.' Personally, as one who tends to worry far more about the future than the present, this may be one of the greatest gifts this time of year bestows upon me. This time of year invites me to ask 'who', 'what', and 'how' questions, rather than 'when' questions:

Whom can I serve today?
What is God calling me to right now?
How can I serve my neighbor?

What does this mean musically? I am the Director of Music, after all. I think it means attempting to follow the call to be in the moment. Rather than focusing on my personal response, my likes and dislikes, I want to focus on the words of a song and how they might shape my faith and action.

How is my faith and the faith of the community shaped by the words of this song?
What does God call me and the community to do through the words of this song?
Who is invited into the grace of God through the words of this song?

Asking such questions may disrupt our usual existence. Of course, we might expect the coming of Christ into our lives to ruffle some feathers. Through it all we can take comfort in the knowledge that God is in control of it all. Allowing God to worry about the future makes space for us to serve our neighbors now.

Peace,

Adam



PLEASE HELP SAVE MAILING COSTS!!!!

PLEASE CONSIDER signing up to receive the online version of the "Herald" Newsletter and help us save on our mailing costs. Contact Sandy Shattuck in the Church Office at 717-569-9211 or sandy.shattuck@stpeterslutheran.org to sign up and start receiving the "Herald" by email. Please note: You may also pick up a copy at the Welcome Desk or Literature Racks.

Youth & Family Ministry News...

Calendar

January 5 – Youth Group for grades 5-8 – 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. - Dinner and a Movie – watch for the sign-up genius email to donate food items for dinner. Movie to be announced.

January 25 – Youth Sunday practice for Sr. High Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

January 26 – Youth Sunday – combined traditional and New Day services at 8:00 and 10:45 in the sanctuary.



2020 Youth Winter Retreat Dates:

January 31-February 2nd Grades 9-12 at Camp Kirchenwald –

Cost: \$80.00 per person

February 7-9th– Grades 5-8 at Camp Kirchenwald- Cost \$80.00 per person

Watch for registration information through email or on the youth boards in the narthex or in the youth lounge or in each classroom



Contact Sister Dottie at dottie.almoney@stpeterslutheran.org for more information about these events!

2020 Senior High Retreat

Calling all senior highs to join us on retreat on January 31-February 2, 2019 at Camp Kirchewald in Lebanon, PA. We have a new theme to surprise you with this year, along with our favorite activities of games like Wink and Reverse Charades, some hikes, free time on camp grounds, and maybe even take part in the Capture the Flag contest that will break out. Advisors for the weekend will be Pastor Ross, Jimmy Moshos, Sister Dottie and Betsy & Mark Linn who will prepare their amazing meals for the weekend. Get your registrations in early. All 9th through 12th graders are invited.



RIGHT OF REFUSAL WAIVER FOR PHOTOS — To insure the safety of our parishioners, St. Peter's has adopted a policy for the use of photos from various services, events and educational programs here at church. If you wish that your image or the image of your child(ren) NOT BE USED in any media that St. Peter's publishes, please pick up a "Right of Refusal Waiver" (a bright green form) from the literature racks in the narthex or at the Welcome Desk. For the form to be valid, a photo must be included with the form. Forms will be valid for the calendar year (until December 31). Each year a new form and updated photo will need to be filled. Please hand in the completed form with picture to the church office. Please contact Sister Dottie Almoney or Cindy Geesey if you have any questions.

ST. PETER'S KIDS



January 5 – We will celebrate **Epiphany** on Sunday, January 5th. Sunday School classes will meet in their usual classrooms for an age appropriate lesson on Epiphany.



January 15th – Children's Ministries Committee Meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the church conference room. **New Volunteers Welcome!** No experience in Children's Ministry is required. Help us plan our fun special events including Santa Workshop, Santa Breakfast, Vacation Bible School and Easter Egg Hunt. Please contact Cindy to get started!



Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped out at the Santa Workshop and Breakfast with Santa events in December! Our volunteers are essential to the success of these events each year and their help is truly appreciated!!

Sunday School Format Reminder:



Our Junior Explorer (preschool and kindergarten) **Sunday school classes** follow a traditional format. You may take your child to his/her classroom at 9:15 a.m., and then at 10:15 a.m., pick up your child in the same classroom.

Age 2/3 - Nursery

Age 4 and Kindergarten - Frog Room

Rotation Sunday school is for children in grades 1 through grade 4. All Bible Explorers meet in the Family Life Center (FLC) at 9:15 a.m. every Sunday for an opening. From there, guides (adult volunteers) will lead them to their rotation activity. Because your child will be doing a different activity each week, their pick up room changes each Sunday. Check the Children's Ministries' bulletin board to see where you should pick up your child each week.

If you have any questions, contact Cindy Geesey, Director of Children's Ministries at cindy.geesey@stpeterslutheran.org.



Camp Corner

Winter is a fun time at camp! Check out the upcoming events at Camp Kirchenwald in Colebrook, Camp Nawakwa in Biglerville, and the Wittel Farm in Elizabethtown. Contact Joy & Lyle Hosler with any questions about camp (joy@hoslerfamily.net; 717-560-4753). Summer camp brochures will be available soon!

Jan 3-5: Winter Youth Retreat (Kirchenwald)

Jan 19: Chicken and Waffles (Nawakwa)

Jan 19: Family Fun Day (Kirchenwald)

Feb 9: Family Fun Day (Kirchenwald)

Mar 13-15: Quilting Weekend (Kirchenwald)



St. Peter's Preschool

Happy 2020 to all our St. Peter's Preschool families and friends! We hope this new year brings you health and happiness.

We are now enrolling present students for the September, 2020 school year and will open enrollment to the public in February. Now is the time to secure a spot in one of the best preschool programs available! Tours are being conducted on a daily basis and it is so wonderful to be able to welcome new families to our school. There are so many times when we are able to welcome new church members through the doors of our preschool. We are so proud to be able to represent our growing church and to introduce new families to the joys of being a part of St. Peter's!

Our popular Scholastic Book Fair will be coming back to the library in mid-February. Keep an eye open for announcements regarding that special event and as always, thank you all for your continued support.

Lorraine DiBernardo,
Preschool Director

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From the Volunteer Steward

Welcome 2020! There's something liberating about starting a new year. You feel like you get a fresh start, a clean slate, a new beginning. The hustle and bustle of the Christmas season has ended and it has you wondering how to fill your time until spring.

We have several committee positions that need to be filled for 2020. Our church thrives, thanks to the help of our volunteers. Please consider helping your church community in a new way. Each Wednesday, check Facebook for opportunities. We will be running "Want Ads" for areas of the church that are looking for volunteers.

Here is a sampling of positions needed:

Stewardship	Long Range Planning Committee
Finance	Love Inc.
Acolyte	Coffee Bar-New Day & Traditional
Altar Guild	Nursery Care-All services
Coffee Bar Helper	Office Receptionist
Fellowship Committee	Parish Life Committee
Funeral Luncheons	Property Committee
Global Social Ministry Committee	Provide Transportation

There are descriptions for each of the groups on St. Peter's website. Here is the link. I can send you a booklet with the descriptions, or give me a call and I will be happy to explain what is expected.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1fVeQyvmq4O5N6mKFsnNacgEPTbGUiYu_ai7E90mCWzA/edit#gid=1

Since you will be inside for the winter, please consider completing the Spiritual Gifts questionnaire now available online at the St. Peter's website. It only takes about 15 minutes and will help you determine where your spiritual gifts lie. Follow this link to complete the assessment. A copy of the results will be sent to you and me to be used when help is needed.

Happy New Year! May 2020 be filled with many blessings!

<https://www.stpeterslutheran.org/serve/spiritual-gifts-assessment/>

Betsy Linn, Volunteer Steward
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Traditional Worship Assistant Schedule for January

	ACOLYTE/ CROSSBEARER *both Acolyte & Crossbearer	LECTORS	COMMUNION ASSISTANT	USHERS	BREAD & WINE PRESENTERS
January 5 8:00 a.m.	TBA	Margaret Stigelman	Bob Courtois, Diane Gegg	Ted Andrews, Reed & Gloria Rodman, Dave Mullican, Greg & Sherry Moul	Patti & Maurielle Courtois
10:45 a.m.	TBA	Greg Strausser		Rich & Ann Larrick, Greg & Sylvia Lashley, Jocelyn Kline, Chris Shimer	
January 12 8:00 a.m.	TBA	Ena Marie Banks	Bret Hoffmaster, Ginny Stickler	George Swan, Brent Bearinger, Bob Courtois Bret & Pam Hoffmaster, Tom Rothfus	Tom & Anna Mae Kenyon
10:45 a.m.	TBA	Jill Emmert	Paul Berkebile, Shirley Gorner	James & Jane Savidge, Alan & Beverly Swanson, John & June Crisp	Geoff & Kathy Groff
January 19 8:00 a.m.	TBA	Marianne Beasley	Randy & Debbie Shue	Gene Olson, Tom Chever, John Kerchner, Dennis Maurer, Mark & Angela Moshos	Bob & Phyllis Hollinger
10:45 a.m.	TBA	Mary Ann Frontz		Bob & Abby Brestensky, Joe & Cindy Geesey, Scott & Kyle Trayer	
January 26 8:00 a.m.	TBA	Patti Courtois	Clint Frontz, Nancy Pokopec	Steve & Diane Gegg, Tom & Jean Haus, Eric May, Cindy Miley	Bill & Mary Ellen Kopetz
10:45 a.m.	TBA	Jim Gotwald	Carol Esbenshade, Judy Logan	Dave, Lis, David & Jessica Wolf, Richard & Anne Wolf	Station Communion

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Worship Leader Coordinators

Acolyte, Crucifer, & Torch Bearer: Eric Rotz

Altar Guild: Debbie Shue 318-8848

AV Room: Bill Schlener 725-2700 & Bob Preston

Bread & Wine Presenter: Jennifer Lehman 519-8851

CD & Flower Delivery: Christine Smith 299-0949

Communion Assistants: Karen Peiffer 569-3643

Greeters: Leigh Trayer 271-9268

Lectors: Thom McConnell 581-0068

Nursery: Patti Courtois 898-1898

Ushers: Nancy Beauregard 295-9814

& Beth Bigler 569-7843

Welcome Center: Mary Ann Oberholtzer 898-7823

Traditional Worship Assistant Schedule for January (continued)

	GREETERS	WELCOME CENTER	AV/LIGHTING	NURSERY	ALTAR GUILD COORD.	ALTAR GUILD
January 5 8:00 am	Bob & Phyllis Hollinger	Pam Hoffmaster, Christine Ponti	Tom Badorf	Marty Bull, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Marilyn Bashore, Christine Ponti
10:45 am	Dan & Karen Beck	Ron & Treva Shaffer	Joe Almoney	Karen Beck, Alyssa Kerper	No Communion	No Communion
January 12 8:00 am	Lloyd & Martha Bull	Ron & Joan Beck	Terry McGuigan	Bob & Chris Rishell, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Nancy Miller, Mary Ellen Kopetz
10:45 am	Bob & Lori Long	Rich & Ann Larrick	David Wolf	Ed & Tricia Cortes, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Carol Esbenschade, Mary Ann Frontz
January 19 8:00 am	Travis Chaby, Susan Chever	Larry & Sylvia Miller	John Ward	Erich & Allison Deutsch, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Mark & Melanie Burkholder
10:45 am	Sara Gable, Scott Glassford	Nancy Shimer, Clarence Simon	Dave Tilley	Jen Podgurski, Alyssa Kerper	No Communion	No Communion
January 26 8:00 a.m.	Susie Roderick, Tom Rothfus	John & Kathy Burke	Mark Burkholder	Julie Gotwald, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Station Communion
10:45 a.m.	Ernest & Ruth Sullenberger	Art & Libby Stoner	Rick Groff	Ed & Christina Borkenhagen, Alyssa Kerper	June Crisp Nancy LeFevre	Tricia Housh, Jill Mowery



Nursery at 9:15 a.m.

January 5 - Bob & Patti Courtois, Alyssa Kerper

January 12 - Bob & Patti Courtois, Alyssa Kerper

January 19 - Bob & Patti Courtois, Alyssa Kerper

January 26 - Bob & Patti Courtois, Alyssa Kerper

NEW DAY WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS — JANUARY 2020

	January 5	January 12	January 19	January 26
Lector	Megan Thompson	Bob Preston	Kris Armitage	Youth Sunday - Combined with Traditional
Communion Assistant	Bill Sassaman	No Communion	Peter Murdock	Youth Sunday - Combined with Traditional
Ushers	Tim & Sharon Fickes	John & Janet Hess	Dave Tilley, Peter Murdock	Youth Sunday - Combined with Traditional
Altar Guild	Ann Fink	No Communion	Emily & Allison Bromirski	Youth Sunday - Combined with Traditional
A/V Sound	Scott Fyfe	Scott Fyfe	Scott Fyfe	Youth Sunday - Combined with Traditional

January Flower Delivery Schedule

Date	Deliverer	Recipient
Jan. 5	Christine Smith	Joan Groff
	Becky Lutz	Isabel Alleman
Jan. 12	Liz O'Brien	Phyllis Seitz
	JoAnn Boltz	Bertie Miller

Date	Deliverer	Recipient
Jan. 19	Laretta Stutzman	Anna Wetzler
	Christine Smith	Sue Mellinger
Jan. 26	Nancy LeFevre	Hiram & Marilyn Richards
	John & Kathy Burke	Bob & Janet Kemp



NARTHEX COFFEE BAR



Just wanted to express my appreciation to the volunteers who are again serving at the Coffee Bar — your faithfulness and dedication to St. Peter's is so wonderful and exceptional!

- * **January 5** Amy Smith
- * **January 12** Vicki Legath
- * **January 19** Anne Wolf
- * **January 26** Paulette Holgate (and daughter)

And thank you to all our faithful members who provide baked goods and serve coffee. We are always looking for helpers and bakers! As always, we thank Laretta Stutzman, Tim Fickes, John Hess and Ann & Rich Larrick for picking up the donated baked goods from Giant. Enjoy and God Bless.

OUR MISSION

Building a community of faith by God's grace.

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.”
John 15:12

OUR VISION

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church will show our love for God, our love for neighbors,
and our desire to make disciples.

Because we love God, we will:

- Worship and pray together.
- Help each other develop a meaningful relationship with God.
- Model our faith to children, youth, and others.

Because we love our neighbor, we will:

- Serve one another, especially the unseen and underserved within our congregation.
- Support those in need in our Lancaster community and in the world through our ties with the Lower Susquehanna Synod and the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America.
- Love others boldly in a diverse and changing world, deepening relationships with our neighbors.

Because we desire to make disciples, we will:

- Seek to teach God's love through adult education, our programs for children and youth, and our preschool.
- Offer small groups that connect God's Word to our everyday lives and create communities of faith.
- Share the good news in creative and authentic ways with the St. Peter's family and with neighbors in our community.



LOOKING AHEAD

JANUARY CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 1

Church Office Closed

Thursday, January 2

11:45 a.m. - 50+ Fellowship (Cafe)
1:15 p.m. - Power Packs (Youth Lounge/FLC)
6:00 p.m. - Girl Scouts (Augsburg Alley)

Friday, January 3

1:00 p.m. - Al Anon (Cry Room)

Saturday, January 4

10:00 a.m. - Lydia's Closet Clothing Bank (Youth Lounge)

Sunday, January 5

Name Tag Sunday
8:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship & Communion (Sanctuary)
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Word of Life Deaf Church (Chapel)
10:45 a.m. - Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
10:45 a.m. - New Day Worship & Communion (Family Life Center)
11:00 a.m. - WOLD Sunday School (Room 100)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Group (FLC/Café)

Monday, January 6

9:30 a.m. - Worship Leaders (Pastor's Office)
1:00 p.m. - Quilters (Augsburg Alley)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:30 p.m. - Exsultate Ringers (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - St. Peter's Ringers (Music Room)
8:00 p.m. - AA (Augsburg Alley), Al Anon (Room 102)

Tuesday, January 7

10:00 a.m. - Staff Meeting (Conference Room)
10:00 a.m. - Knit & Crochet Group (Room 100)
5:30 p.m. - African Drumming (Music Room)
6:30 p.m. - Mutual Ministry (Conference Room)

Wednesday, January 8

9:30 a.m. - Bible Study (Café)
6:30 p.m. - Addiction Ministry Prayer Group (Cry Room)
6:30 p.m. - WOLD Bible Study (Room 100)
7:00 p.m. - Praise Band Rehearsal (FLC)
7:00 p.m. - Property Committee (Conference Room)

Thursday, January 9

9:00 a.m. - WELCA (Augsburg Alley)
1:15 p.m. - Power Packs (FLC/Youth Lounge)
6:00 p.m. - Jubilate Choir (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - Herald Choir (Music Room)

Friday, January 10

Herald Deadline
1:00 p.m. - Al Anon (Cry Room)

Sunday, January 12

8:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship & Communion (Sanctuary)
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
9:30 a.m. - Word of Life Deaf Church (Chapel)
10:45 a.m. - New Day Worship & Communion (FLC)
10:45 a.m. - Traditional Worship & Communion (Sanctuary)
11:00 a.m. - WOLD Sunday School (Room 100)

Monday, January 13

9:30 a.m. - Worship Leaders (Pastor's Office)
1:00 p.m. - Quilters (Augsburg Alley)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:30 p.m. - Exsultate Ringers (Music Room)
7:00 p.m. - Council Meeting (Augsburg Alley)
7:30 p.m. - St Peter's Ringers (Music Room)
8:00 p.m. - AA (Augsburg Alley) Al Anon (Room 102)

Tuesday, January 14

10:00 a.m. - Widows Support Group (Café)
1:00 p.m. - Communications Committee (Conference Room)
5:30 p.m. - African Drumming Instruction (Music Room)
7:00 p.m. - Worship Committee (Conference Room)

Wednesday, January 15

9:30 a.m. - Bible Study (Café)
6:30 p.m. - Pub Theology
6:30 p.m. - Children's Ministry Committee (Conference Room)
6:30 p.m. - WOLD Bible Study (Room 100)
7:00 p.m. - Praise Band Rehearsal (FLC)

Thursday, January 16

1:15 p.m. - Power Packs (Youth Lounge/FLC)
6:30 p.m. - Girl Scouts (Augsburg Alley)
6:00 p.m. - Jubilate Choir (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - Herald Choir (Music Room)

Friday, January 17

1:00 p.m. - Al Anon (Cry Room)
Women's Retreat

Sunday, January 19

8:00 a.m. - Traditional Worship & Communion (Sanctuary)
9:00 a.m. - Canticle Choir (Music Room)
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Word of Life Deaf Church (Chapel)
10:45 a.m. - New Day Worship & Communion (FLC)
10:45 a.m. - Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
11:00 a.m. - WOLD Sunday School (Room 100)

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JANUARY CALENDAR

Monday, January 20

9:30 a.m. - Worship Leaders (Pastor's Office)
1:00 p.m. - Quilters (Augsburg Alley)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:30 p.m. - Exsultate Ringers (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - St. Peter's Ringers (Music Room)
8:00 p.m. - AA (Room 100) Al Anon (Room 102)

Tuesday, January 21

10:00 a.m. - Staff Meeting (Conference Room)
1:30 p.m. - Book Club (Cry Room)
5:30 p.m. - African Drumming (Music Room)
7:00 p.m. - Stewardship Committee (Conference room)

Wednesday, January 22

9:30 a.m. - Bible Study (Café)
6:30 p.m. - WOLD Bible Study (Room 100)
7:00 p.m. - Praise Band Rehearsal (FLC)

Thursday, January 23

1:15 p.m. - Power Packs (Youth Lounge/Café)
6:00 p.m. - Jubilate Choir (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - Herald Choir (Music Room)

Friday, January 24

1:00 p.m. - Al Anon (Cry Room)
6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Game Night (Café)

Saturday, January 25

10:00 a.m. - Youth Sunday Practice

Sunday, January 26

8:00 a.m. - Youth Sunday (Sanctuary)

9:00 a.m. - Canticle Choir (Music Room)
9:15 a.m. - Sunday School
9:30 a.m. - Word of Life Deaf Church (Chapel)
10:45 a.m. - Youth Sunday (Sanctuary)
11:00 a.m. - WOLD Sunday School (Room 100)

Monday, January 27

9:30 a.m. - Worship Leaders (Pastor's Office)
1:00 p.m. - Quilters (Augsburg Alley)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Choir (Music Room)
6:30 p.m. - Exsultate Ringers (Music Room)
6:45 p.m. - Tanzania Missions Committee (Conference Room)
7:00 p.m. - New Day Committee (Cry Room)
7:30 p.m. - St. Peter's Ringers (Music Room)
8:00 p.m. - AA (Room 100) Al Anon (Room 102)

Tuesday, January 28

5:30 p.m. - African Drumming (Music Room)

Wednesday, January 29

9:30 a.m. - Bible Study (Café)
6:30 p.m. - WOLD Bible Study (Room 100)
7:00 p.m. - Praise Band Rehearsal (FLC)

Thursday, January 30

1:15 p.m. - Power Packs (Youth Lounge/Café)
6:00 p.m. - Jubilate Choir (Music Room)
7:30 p.m. - Herald Choir (Music Room)

Friday, January 31

1:00 p.m. - Al Anon (Cry Room)
Senior High Retreat



If you have any questions, please contact me at

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