

ST. PETER'S

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Service of Word and Sacrament
Christ the King, 26th Sunday After Pentecost
Sunday, November 26, 2023
8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.



Building a community of faith by God's grace

Welcome to St. Peter's, a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. We are glad you're here! Please fill out the worship record sheet in the black book located at the end of the pew.

Materials for worship are found in this bulletin or in the red *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* book. Page numbers, such as "p.172," refer to the small page numbers in the front of the book. Hymn numbers, marked with a # sign, refer to the large numbers in the back of the book. **Please see the ushers for large print bulletins and hearing-impaired devices.**

Offerings are collected by passing the plates during worship, and immediately transported to the drop box safe. You can also give electronically at www.stpeterslutheran.org/give.

Communion is celebrated at 8:00 a.m. on 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month, at 10:30 a.m. traditional services on 2nd and 4th Sundays, and at all services on 5th and festival Sundays. Holy Communion is also celebrated on all Sundays in the Easter season. At the table of our Lord Jesus Christ, God nourishes faith, forgives sin, and calls us to be witnesses to the Gospel. Believing in the real presence of Christ, St. Peter's practices eucharistic hospitality, meaning all baptized persons, regardless of age, are welcome to commune here. **Gluten-free wafers and grape juice are available upon request.**

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+ GATHERING +

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

Prelude

Musical Meditation

8:00 a.m.

What a Friend We have in Jesus (BEACH SPRING)

10:30 a.m.

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach) St. Peter's Ringers

Welcome/Announcements

Please stand.

Brief Order for Confession

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, in whose image we are made, who claims us and calls us beloved.

C: Amen.

L: Holy One,

C: we confess that we are not focused on you. We are not faithful in using your gifts. We forget the least of our siblings. We do not see your beautiful image in one another. We are infected by sin that divides your beloved community. Open our hearts to your coming, open our eyes to see you in our neighbor, open our hands to serve your creation. Amen.

L: Beloved, we are God's children, and Jesus, our Beloved, opens the door to us. Through + Jesus you are forgiven, by Jesus you are welcome, in Jesus you are called to rejoice! Let us live in the promises prepared for us from the foundation of the world.

C: Amen.

Gathering Hymn

Christ is the King, #662

Greeting

L: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.



This is the feast of vic - to - ry for our God.



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.



1 Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose
2 Sing . . with all the peo - ple of God, and



blood set us free to be peo - ple of God.
join in the hymn of all cre - a - tion:



Pow - er and rich - es, wis - dom and strength, and
Bless - ing and hon - or, glo - ry and might be to



hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.
God and the Lamb for - ev - er. A - men.



3 For the Lamb who was slain has be -



gun his reign. Al - le - lu - ia.

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray together.

C: O God of power and might, your Son shows us the way of service, and in him we inherit the riches of your grace. Give us the wisdom to know what is right and the strength to serve the world you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Please sit.

Children's Sermon

10:30 a.m.

Jill Pretz

+ WORD +

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

First Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

L: A reading from Ezekiel.

¹¹Thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. ¹²As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. ¹³I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. ¹⁴I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. ¹⁵I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD. ¹⁶I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. ²⁰Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. ²¹Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, ²²I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. ²³I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their

shepherd. ²⁴And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.

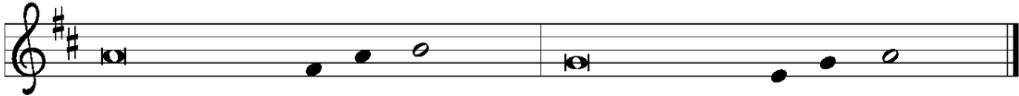
L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm

#95:1-7a

Sung by the whole verse between the worship leader and the **congregation**.



¹Come, let us sing | to the LORD;
let us shout for joy to the rock of | our salvation.

²**Let us come before God's presence | with thanksgiving
and raise a loud shout to the | LORD with psalms.**

³For you, LORD, | are a great God,
and a great ruler a- | bove all gods.

⁴**In your hand are the caverns | of the earth;
the heights of the hills are | also yours.**

⁵The sea is yours, | for you made it,
and your hands have molded | the dry land.

⁶**Come, let us worship | and bow down,
let us kneel before the | LORD our maker.**

^{7a}For the LORD | is our God, and we are the
people of God's pasture and the sheep | of God's hand.

Second Reading:

Ephesians 1:15-23

L: A reading from Ephesians

¹⁵I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason ¹⁶I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. ¹⁷I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to

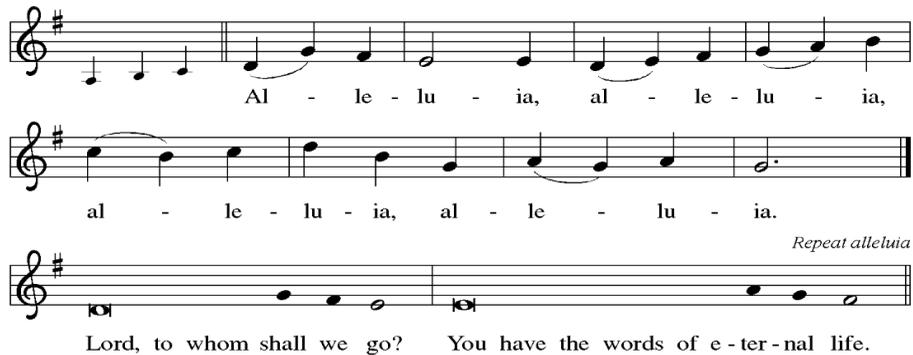
the working of his great power. ²⁰God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, ²¹far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. ²²And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, ²³which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

L: The Word of the Lord

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Please stand.

Gospel Acclamation



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Repeat alleluia
Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e - ter - nal life.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 25:31-46

P: The holy gospel according to St. Matthew the twenty-fifth chapter.

C: **Glorify you, O Lord.**

P: Jesus said to the disciples: ³¹“When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. ³²All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, ³³and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. ³⁴Then the king will say to those at his right hand, ‘Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; ³⁵for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, ³⁶I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.’ ³⁷Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to

drink? ³⁸And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? ³⁹And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' ⁴⁰And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family you did it to me.' ⁴¹Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; ⁴²for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, ⁴³I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' ⁴⁴Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' ⁴⁵Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' ⁴⁶And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Please sit.

Sermon

Pastor Harold Hand

Please stand.

Hymn of the Day

Crown Him with Many Crowns, #855

Apostles' Creed

L: Let us profess our faith together.

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

L: Let us turn our hearts to God, our breath and life, as we pray for the church, the world, and all who are in need.

Each petition closes with:

L: Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

The prayers conclude:

L: We offer our spoken prayers and those held in our hearts trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord.

C: Amen.

Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Please remain in place to share the peace.

Please sit.

+ THANKSGIVING+

We give thanks for the saving word and all the gifts of God.

Offertory

8:00 a.m.

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring (Bach) St. Peter's Ringers

10:30 a.m.

Crown Him King of Kings (Bach, arr. Hopson)

Herald Choir

Please stand.

Offerings can be made online by going to stpeterslutheran.org/give.

Members, include your envelope number as your member ID. Visitors, no need for a member ID.

Please use this time to contemplate how you will give of yourself this week in service to your community.

Let the vine-yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of
 bless-ing. Gath-er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that
 we may be fed with the bread of life. Gath-er the hopes and dreams of
 all; u-nite them with the prayers we of-fer. Grace our ta-ble
 with your pres-ence, and give us a fore-taste of the feast to come.

Offering Prayer

L: Let us pray together.

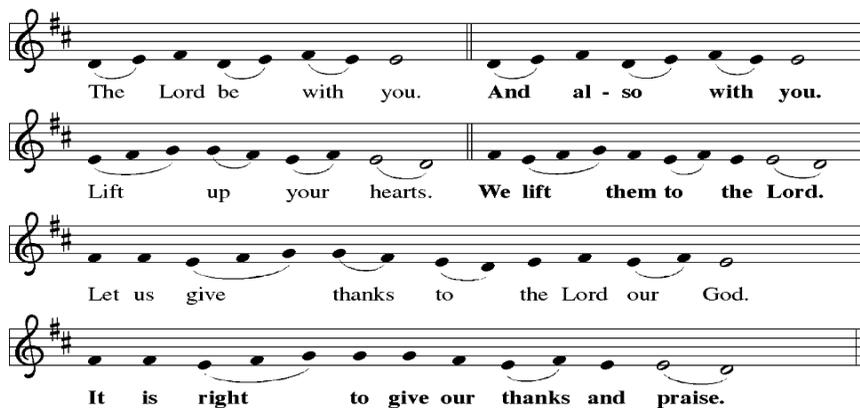
C: God of all goodness, generations have turned to you, gathered around your table, and shared your abundant blessings. Number us among them that, as we gather these gifts from your abundance, and give thanks for your rich blessings, we may feast upon your very self and care for all that you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Sovereign and Servant. Amen.

+ MEAL +

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

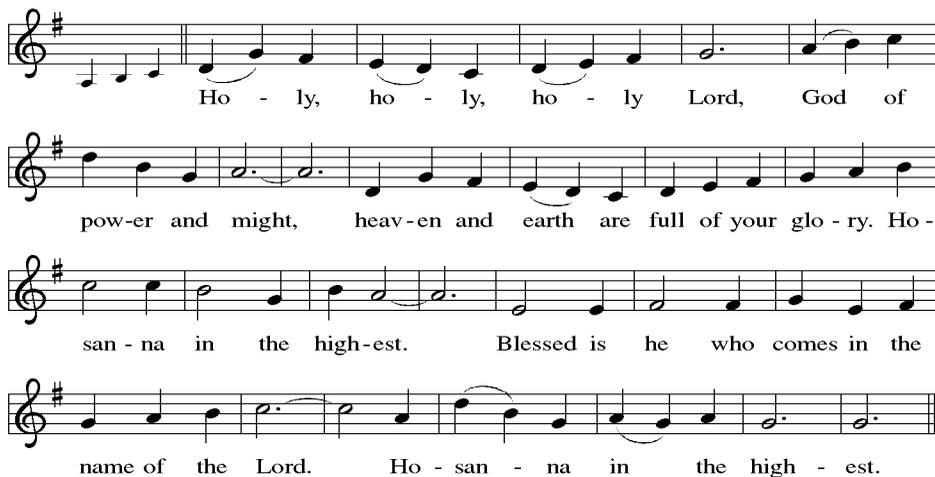
Great Thanksgiving

p.107



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ; who on this day overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of
pow-er and might, heav-en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high-est. Blessed is he who comes in the
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: "Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

Lord's Prayer

P: We pray together,

C: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

L: There is a place for you at the banquet. Come and feast at Jesus' table.

C: Thanks be to God.

Please sit.

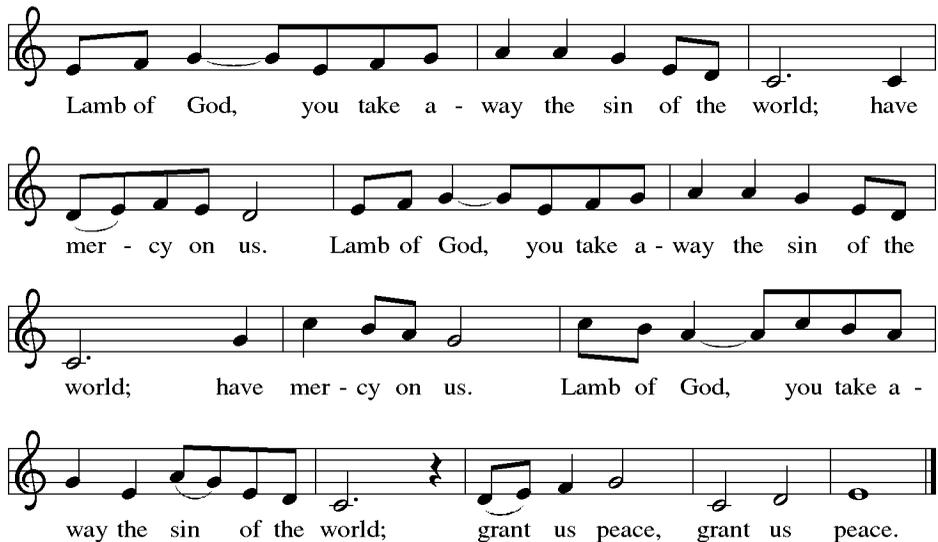
Communion

All are invited to come forward at the direction of the ushers, take a cup from the trays, and proceed to the altar to receive bread and wine or a blessing. For COVID safety purposes, please leave space at the rail between family groups. Please return to your seats via the outside aisles. If you desire to receive communion, but are not able to come forward, please alert the ushers.

Gluten-free wafers and grape juice are available upon request.

Music during communion as time allows.

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have
mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a -
way the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Communion Hymns

O Jesus, Joy of Loving Hearts #658
I Love to Tell the Story #661

Please stand.

Communion Blessing

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you, and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

Prayer after Communion

P: Lord Jesus, in this simple meal you have set a banquet. Sustain us on the journey, strengthen us to care for the least of your beloved children, and give us glad and generous hearts as we meet you on the way.

C: Amen.

+ SENDING +

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

Blessing

P: May the God of all creation, in whose image we are made, who claims us and calls us beloved, who strengthens us for service, give you reason to rejoice and be glad! The blessing of God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you today and always.

C: Amen.

Sending Hymn

Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending, #435

Dismissal

L: Beloved of God, go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Toccata from Suite Gothique (L. Boellman) Joshua Benkendorf, organ

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS, COMMUNION WINE AND BULLETINS are given in memory of loved ones by John and June Crisp.

WELCOME organist Joshua Benkendorf and his family. Joshua is a junior at The Academy of Arts Christian Conservatory in Taylors, SC. He is an organ student of Deborah Berdos. He will be presenting the postlude today to fulfil a requirement for a scholarship he earned from the American Guild of Organists. We thank Joshua for sharing his musical gifts for the glory of God in our worship services.

NEXT SUNDAY December 3, our prelude time will be used to review communion setting three as we change our service music for Advent.

DINNER THEATER PRACTICE— Join us today and Sunday, December 3, from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Grades 5-12 will participate in the practices for our Dinner Theater event. The performance will take place on Sunday, December 10, as a youth gathering fundraiser. Be on the lookout for the dinner sign up genius!

YOUTH DINNER THEATER ANGEL CHOIR— Children in Grades 1-4 are needed to sing in the Angel Choir for this year's Youth Dinner Theater Production "A Camel's Christmas." Use the QR code to sign up, or email Leslie McCarthy leslicemccarthy@gmail.com or Sister Dottie Almoney at dottie.almoney@stpeterslutheran.org.



COFFEE BAR FOR MESSIAH CONCERT— In an effort to enhance the social gathering and hospitality centered around this spectacular performance, we will have our coffee bar open prior to the performance and immediately following the concert. We will post a sign-up sheet at the coffee bar so that volunteers can sign up to donate breads, bar cookies, brownies or other treats. These items may be homemade or store bought. We also welcome gift cards or monetary donations toward baked items. These items may be brought in at any time and placed in the freezer in the kitchen. Please label your items for Handel's Messiah Concert. Please contact Kathy Berkebile (kberkebile@comcast.net) or Donna Aho (ademaho@comcast.net) with questions.

ONLINE BULLETIN— Our online bulletin option just got easier and more readable! You can directly access this week's bulletin at stpeterslutheran.org/worship/bulletins or by scanning the QR code in the narthex and on the back of the bulletins. You can download it on your device before you come to church, access it at church instead of taking a paper bulletin, use it to follow along during the livestream at home, or look at it later to reference the scriptures or announcements. Give it a try!

JUST FOR FUN— The group will meet on Saturday, December 16, from 4:00- 6:00 p.m. at the home of Dennis and Louise Sittler located at 112 Red Fox Lane, Lititz. Please sign up to bring either an hors d'oeuvre or dessert. The sign-up sheet is posted outside the Nursery. Please call 717-568-2848 if you have any questions.

ATTENTION; COOKIE BAKERS AND HELPERS ARE NEEDED— The 16th Annual Cookie Walk on Saturday, December 9 is on its way! That means it is time for all cookie bakers to sign up to bake a double batch of your best Christmas cookies and bring them to the church on Friday, December 8, noon- 7:00 p.m. Sign-up sheets for baking cookies will be at tables in the Narthex and New Day on Sunday, November 26 and Dec 3. The Sign-up Genius will also be available for baker sign-ups. Here is the link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D4AAEA723A4F94-45098217-2023#/> We also need help in preparing the cookie trays on Friday, December 8 from noon to 7:00 p.m, when we receive the cookies as they're dropped off. If you can spare an hour or two, we would be grateful. Please contact Elizabeth Fechtmann-Crippen at cpen1310@gmail.com or text/call at 717-330-7438 or Judy Wenrich at judy.wenrich@yahoo.com or text/call at 717-572-0708 for more details and/or to volunteer.

COOKIE WALK— **We're back! Mark your calendars!** The Tanzania Mission Committee invites everyone to St. Peter's 16th Annual Cookie Walk on Saturday, December 9. It will be held in the **Family Life Center** from 9:00 a.m. to noon or until the cookies sell out. We invite you to bring family and friends to buy Christmas cookies from this incredible assortment of homemade cookies. Come early for the best selection! We are offering two size boxes, the small box for \$8 and the large box for \$15. As always, all proceeds go to help educate and support the orphans in the Busoka Lutheran Church parish in Tanzania.

CHRISTMAS DINNER THEATER TICKETS— Tickets for this year's show "A Camel's Christmas" are available by free will offering in the narthex between services. The performance is Sunday, December 10 at 5:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Proceeds will help defray the cost for those attending the ELCA Youth Gathering this summer. Join us for this lively and fun show!

GINGERBREAD BASH— We are excited to announce our 2nd annual **Gingerbread Bash** on Friday, **December 1, from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.!** Join us for a fun-filled interactive family event by building a gingerbread nativity scene, making Christmas ornaments, hearing the Christmas story from the Bible, and singing Christmas songs! Families and friends are asked to bring a plate of cookies to share. We will provide hot chocolate, milk, and coffee. **Registration is required.** Please complete a paper registration form found on a table in the narthex or register online by visiting our website. **Children's Ministries is requesting donations for the Gingerbread Bash: red and green M and M's, red, green, and white gum drops, peppermint rounds, small candy canes, red licorice, and mini marshmallows as well as any other candy items suitable for gingerbread nativity scenes. They can be dropped off at the church office. Thank you!**



WORSHIP ASSISTANTS AT 8:00 a.m.

Lector:	Susan Ketchum
Greeter:	Susie Roderick
Ushers:	Thompson & Betsy McConnell
Welcome Center:	Susie Roderick
AV:	Jordan Lambert
Communion Assistants:	Diane Gegg, Ginny Stickler
Flower Delivery:	Judy Wenrich

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS AT 10:30 a.m.

Lector:	Thompson McConnell
Greeters:	Jim & Jane Savidge
Ushers:	Alan & Beverly Swanson
Welcome Center:	Benjamin DeLeonardis
AV:	Bob Preston
Communion Assistants:	Janet Roberts, Kathy Bailey
Altar Guild Coordinator:	Lori Weaver
Altar Guild:	Dawn Troxell
Flower Delivery:	Judy Wenrich

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday (11/26)	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Service of the Word & Communion (Sanctuary & Livestream) Pastor Harold Hand preaches
	9:00 a.m.	Canticle Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Word of Life Deaf Church (Chapel)
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Service of the Word & Communion (Sanctuary) Pastor Harold Hand preaches
	10:30 a.m.	New Day Praise Worship, Service of the Word & Communion (FLC & Livestream) Pastor Craig Ross preaches
	5:00 p.m.	Dinner Theater Rehearsal (FLC & Café)
Monday (11/27)	1:00 p.m.	Communications Committee (Zoom)
	6:15 p.m.	Exultate Ringers (Choir Room) (Sanctuary)
	6:30 p.m.	HR Committee (Zoom)
	6:45 p.m.	Tanzania Mission Committee (Conference Room)
	7:00 p.m.	St. Peter's Ringers (Choir Room) (Sanctuary)
Tuesday (11/28)	10:30 a.m.	Widows Group (Fiorentino's)
Wednesday (11/29)	9:30 a.m.	Bible Study (Café /Zoom)
	7:00 p.m.	Advent Service (Chapel)
Thursday (11/30)	4:15 p.m.	Youth Choir (Choir Room)
	6:30 p.m.	Herald Choir (Music Room) (Sanctuary)
	7:30 p.m.	Messiah Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
Friday (12/01)	6:00 p.m.	Gingerbread Bash (FLC)
Saturday (12/02)	10:00 a.m.	Lydia's Closet (FLC)
Sunday (12/03)	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Service of the Word & Communion (Sanctuary & Livestream) Pastor Harold Hand preaches
	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School
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	10:30 a.m.	New Day Praise Worship, Service of the Word & Communion (FLC & Livestream) Pastor Craig Ross preaches
	4:00 p.m.	Heritage Chorale Concert (Sanctuary)
	5:00 p.m.	Dinner Theater Rehearsal (FLC & Café)

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, 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.

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MUSICAL ARTS Concert Series

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2023-2024 Concert Season

Handel's Messiah - December 17, 2023

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Poinsettias or a Memorial Gift may be given in honor or in memory of a loved one. Please fill out the form below and **return it to the church office by Friday, December 15.** A listing for Poinsettias and Benevolence Gifts will appear in the December 24 bulletins.

MEMORIAL GIFT TO ST. PETER'S BENEVOLENCE FUND

\$_____ Gift - Envelope # _____

Given in **memory** or in **honor of:** (CIRCLE ONE)

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CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

_____ 6½" pot with 3-4 blooms - \$9.00 each

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Please check: _____ I will leave my plant to be delivered to a homebound member.

_____ I will pick up my plant.

(Poinsettias may be picked up after the last service on Christmas Eve)

**Please return this form and check payable
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