

Announcements

Weekly Schedule:

Sun. 1/12: Voters' Meeting & Sunday School @ 10:15 AM
 Youth Catechesis @ 11:30 AM
 Book of Concord Study @ 5:00 PM

Tues. 1/14: Pastor @ Circuit Meeting, 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Birthdays, Baptismal Birthdays (B), & Anniversaries:

1/15: Abigail Acree

1/16: Julia Baxter, Mackenzie May

Prayer list:

Teresa Lucas	Debbie Schroer	Kyra Groves
Ron Cox	Kathe Borgman	Stephanie Hildebrandt
Luella Holle	Haylana Pifer	Mindy Cronwall
Thomas Turner	Mary Pifer	Vaden Hanley
Laura Moorman	Julia Baxter	Cole Benton
John Dobrinski	Chris Heilers	Don Acton
Steve Wieneke	Cathy Tays	Wilma Wieneke
Deborah Trimpe	Ervin Newkirk	

Stewardship:

Weekly Budget: \$3266	1/5 Synodical Fund: \$50
1/5 Offerings: \$2825	1/5 Building Fund: \$100

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Vanco: A new, online offering method is now available. You can find more information by scanning the QR code in the bulletin or by going to <https://secure.myvanco.com/L-ZMRA>.



Elder Election: At our January voters' meeting, we will have an election for the elder position. If any man is interested in letting his name stand for this position, please speak to an elder or to pastor.

Sign-Up Sheets: Available for ushers, communion set-up, and church and parish hall cleaning. If you would like to serve in any of these ways, please see the bulletin board in the parish hall for those sheets. Also, be on the lookout in the weeks ahead for a training day for all of these positions in the new year.

Quarterly Voters' Meeting: Will be on today after the Divine Service.

*The altar
flowers are
given to the
praise and
glory of
God*

Communion Statement - The Lord's Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as He says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but His very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him and with one another. Our Lord invites to His table those who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us, that they may show forth His death until He comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord's body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the Sacrament, are kindly asked first to speak with the pastor. In addition to this being our practice, we do not want our visitors to violate their own conscience or the public confession of faith that is made through their home Church membership. Those not receiving communion are invited to come forward with arms crossed to receive a blessing from the pastor. We thank you for respecting our practice. For further study, see Matt. 5:23f.; 10:32f.; 18:15–35; 26:26–29; 1 Cor. 11:17–34.

Introit

Psalm 2:7-11, 12c; antiphon: Isaiah 42:1a

- P** Behold my servant, whom I uphold,
my chosen, in whom my soul delights.
- C** I will tell of the decree:
The LORD said to me, "You are my Son; today I have begotten you.
- P** Ask of me, and I will make the nations your heritage,
and the ends of the earth your possession.
- C** You shall break them with a rod of iron
and dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel."
- P** Now therefore, O kings, be wise;
be warned, O rulers of the earth.
- C** Serve the LORD with fear,
and rejoice with trembling,
- P** for his wrath is quickly kindled.
Blessèd are all who take refuge in him.
- C** Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.
- P** Behold my servant, whom I uphold,
my chosen, in whom my soul delights.

Collect of the Day

P Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Gradual

Psalm 117:1-2a; 96:8

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

✠ Divine Service ✠

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Hymn of Invocation 405

To Jordan's River Came Our Lord

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✠ Service of the Word ✠

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Old Testament *Isaiah 43:1-7*

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Epistle *Romans 6:1-11*

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Holy Gospel *Luke 3:15-22*

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To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord

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Closing Hymn 404

Jesus, Once with Sinners Numbered

Upcoming Acolytes:

1/19: John Nye

1/26: Noah Nye

2/2: Abe Acton

2/9: John Nye

Below you will find a model you can use for your personal or family devotions that focuses you on the readings from the previous Sunday, while also preparing you for what you will hear the following Sunday. In modeling your devotions this way, you and your family can stay united to the church year and reinforce what you hear, sing, and pray every Sunday.

- Mon. 1/13: Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 43:1-7 – God will gather together all of His people because He has created us for His glory and He has redeemed us.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 – To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord
Pray the Collect of the Day: Father in heaven, at the Baptism of Jesus in the Jordan River You proclaimed Him Your beloved Son and anointed Him with the Holy Spirit. Make all who are baptized in His name faithful in their calling as Your children and inheritors with Him of everlasting life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Tues. 1/14: Read the Epistle lesson: Romans 6:1-11 – We have died to sin through Holy Baptism and now live in Christ. We have been joined to Christ’s death and resurrection so we might walk in newness of life.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 – To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/13)
- Wed. 1/15: Read the Gospel lesson: Luke 3:15-22 – Jesus is the beloved Son of the Father with whom the Father is well pleased because He has come to preach good news and to save His people from their sins.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 406 – To Jordan Came the Christ, Our Lord
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/13)
- Thur. 1/16: Read the Old Testament lesson: Isaiah 62:1-5 – God rejoices over us because His righteousness and salvation have come forth in Jesus Christ.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 402 – The Only Son from Heaven
Pray the Collect of the Day: Almighty and everlasting God, who governs all things in heaven and on earth, mercifully hear the prayers of Your people and grant us Your peace through all our days; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.
- Fri. 1/17: Read the Epistle lesson: 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 – The Holy Spirit not only gives us the faith to say “Jesus is Lord,” but He also gives us each different gifts to use for the common good.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 402 – The Only Son from Heaven
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/16)
- Sat. 1/18: Read the Gospel lesson: John 2:1-11 – Jesus’ first miracle begins to manifest His glory which will be revealed in full when His hour comes at His crucifixion and resurrection.
Sing the Hymn of the Day: LSB 402 – The Only Son from Heaven
Pray the Collect of the Day: (see 1/16)

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church
The Baptism of Our Lord
Pastor Erik Sorenson



January 12, 2025

MEMBERS AND GUESTS:

We will celebrate Holy Communion during our worship service this morning.

If you are partaking of the Lord’s Supper, please read and fill out one of the registration cards on the back of the pew. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to the usher.