

THE LORD’S SUPPER

We celebrate the Lord’s Supper believing that it is truly Christ’s body and blood in, with, and under the bread and wine, and we believe it is a forgiveness-filled gift to the Church. Because the Apostle Paul encourages us to examine ourselves while recognizing the real presence of Christ’s body and blood (1 Corinthians 11:28-29), we ask that those who wish to commune here answer yes to the following questions:

- As a baptized child of God, do you believe that you are a sinner and in need of forgiveness from God?
- Do you believe that forgiveness is found in Jesus, and is offered by Him in the Lord’s Supper?
- Do you believe that Christ’s body and blood are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine?
- Do you believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior and, by your participation in the sacrament, give testimony to the faith we share?
- According to God’s Word and by way of His Holy Spirit, do you desire to live a life pleasing to God?

Taking part in the Lord’s Supper at St. Peter is also a visible and physical act of confession of what we believe and teach in the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod; therefore, anyone not yet instructed or anyone who holds to a different confession of faith is asked to first speak with an elder or the pastor before communing.

For those with health concerns: Gluten-free wafers are available and a non-alcoholic wine is located in the center of the tray of individual cups.

For the Safety of Our Worshipers

For the safety of our worshipers, we ask that you please review the following:

Make yourself aware of all available exits. Emergency exits can be accessed via all doors in the front and back of our sanctuary.

Severe Weather: In the event of severe weather such as a tornado warning, please move into the school building and head to the North and South hallways (wings) in order to stand near the walls while keeping as much distance from the doors as possible. The school can be accessed via the doors located in the back of the church near the restrooms. For those with limited mobility, please proceed to the restrooms (Men’s & Women’s) located in the back of the church or to the north wall of the North Fellowship Hall.

Fire Alarm: In the event of a fire alarm, please wait for instructions if there is no visible fire or smoke. When exiting, use the nearest exit to vacate the building. Exits can be accessed via the doors in the front or the back of our sanctuary. If you have access to a cell phone, call 911.

Physical Harm: In the event where someone seeks to inflict physical harm, react while breathing and using all your senses to make yourself aware. Assess the situation before running. When you feel you are able to safely vacate the building, immediately do so by using the nearest exit and proceed to a safe location unless instructed otherwise. If you have access to a cell phone, call 911.

Medical Emergency: For emergency medical needs, an AED (defibrillator), as well as a LifeVac (anti-choking device), can be located in the Center Coat Room in the back of the Sanctuary.

While we pray we never have to enact any of these plans, our hope is that this will allow you to be prepared. We also encourage you to let our elders, pastors, or trained volunteers know if you feel there is a potential threat at any time.



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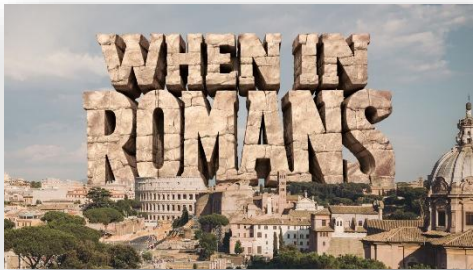
SERVICE TIMES

SATURDAY 6:00 P.M.

SUNDAY 8:00 A.M., 9:30 A.M.,
& 11:00 A.M.

TODAY'S MESSAGE

August 16, 2026



“Uh Oh, They’re Awake”

Romans 13:9-12

Pastor Kurt Wenzelburger

Traditional Worship

Order of Worship: Divine Service, Setting One (LSB p. 151)

Hymns (LSB): 795, 615, 625, 832

Readings

Joshua 4:1-7

Romans 13:8-14

Matthew 18:1-6

Modern Worship

This I Believe

Praise

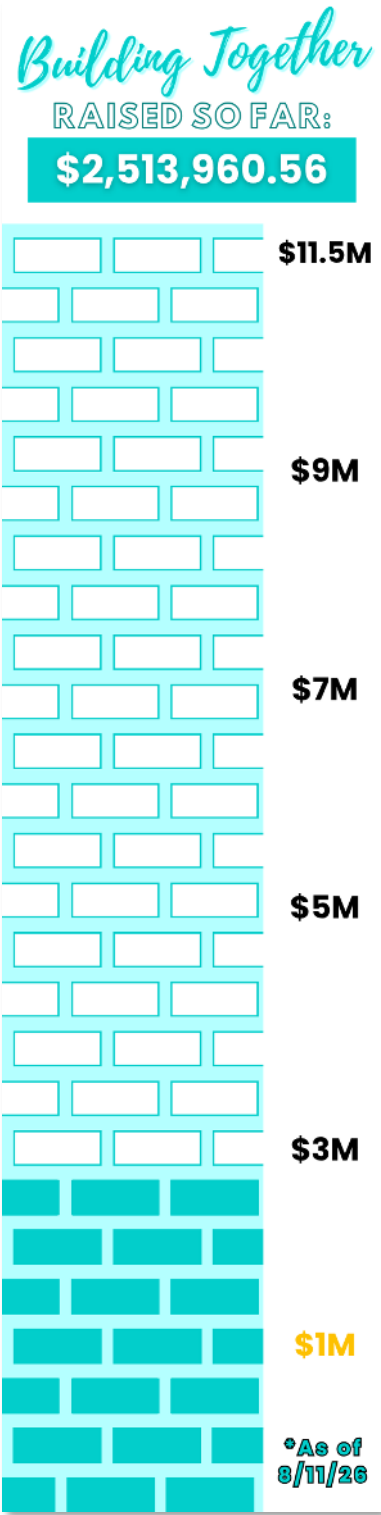
Firm Foundation (He Won’t)

Build My Life

New Doxology

The Joy

Welcome to St. Peter Lutheran Church & School. We are glad that you’re worshipping with us, and we pray that God will bless you through His Word and the assurance of a new life in Christ. If you have any questions or would like more information, check out our website at stpetermacomb.com or give us a call at (586) 781-3434. We'd love to hear from you, and we would love to have you worship with us again in the future.



More ways to help us Build Together!

Some of our St. Peter families have offered for a percentage of their businesses’ sales to go to our Building Together expansion fund. If you would like to join our list, please reach out to our Church Office or Finance Dept. at (586) 781-3434.

Michigan Wash & Seal will donate 10% of the total price for any services purchased by St. Peter Church and School families. Non-members who have been referred by St. Peter families will also receive a 10% donation towards the building campaign. Services include commercial/residential power washing, window cleaning, concrete and paver sealing, joint sealing & gutter cleaning. Please call David Schwark for more info at (586) 709 5041. Website: miwashandseal.com

Beninati Hot Tubs Clinton Twp. will donate 10% of the contract price for any hot tub, Swim Spa, or Cold Plunge and 5% of the contract price for any indoor or outdoor sauna purchased by St. Peter Church and School families. Please text or call Jacob for more info (810) 357-4192.

Smith & Sarconi PLC will donate 10% of the price of any estate plan purchased by St. Peter Church and School families to the Building Together Campaign. 13900 Lakeside Circle, Suite 203 Sterling Heights, MI 48313; (586) 884-5420; jsarconi@s2attorneys.com

Hauss-Modetz Funeral Home, Macomb and Tiffany-Young & Hauss Funeral Home, Armada will donate 10% of the service charge to the Building Together Campaign for St. Peter Church and School families. Non-Members that are referred by church families will receive a donation of 5% of the service charge. Macomb – (586) 263-3100, Armada – (586) 784-9123, haussmodetz@gmail.com

Air-Tite Replacement Co Inc. (Windows & Door sales & custom installation) will donate 10% of contract price to the building campaign for St. Peter church members and school families. Non-member contracts referred by church or school families will receive a 5% donation to the building campaign. Phone: (586) AIR-TITE [247-8483] Website: www.airtitereplacement.com

Thank you for your support!





New Sunday Bible Study Begins
September 13 You are invited to join the Sunday 9:30 a.m. Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall beginning Sunday, September 13 as we begin our study of the Gospel of John. The Word Became Flesh is the central purpose as stated by John himself: “[This is] written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in His name.” (20:31).



Men's Summer Book Discussion St. Peter men are invited to join Pastor Ken in reading THE BIG RELIEF! Questions? Contact Pastor Ken Wise at (586) 871-4891. Meeting Dates at Pastor Wise's house: August 17, at 7:00 p.m. Chapters 7-9



"The Charge" Men's Ministry Retreat
Friday, September 25 - Sunday, September 27. *(A Saturday only option is available.)* Join men from St. Peter, Immanuel, Trinity - Utica, and Shepherd's Gate for a weekend of encouragement, teaching, connection, conversation, smoked BBQ (Woot! Woot!) fun, prayer, and worship. The retreat will take place at Michigan Christian Youth Camp (MCYC) in Attica, MI. Our Keynote Speaker is Pastor Justin Krupsky from Trinity - Utica. He also serves as a U.S. Army chaplain. Join us as we recharge and charge forward with Christ. For details (cost, schedule, what to bring, etc.) and to register, go to stpetermacomb.com. If you have questions, or if cost is an obstacle, call or text Pastor Ken Wise at (586) 871-4891. REGISTRATION OPEN!

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER

Sunday, August 16

- Worship - 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.– Sanctuary
- When In Romans Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall
- Service of Celebration – 11:00 a.m. – Sanctuary
- Ribbon Cutting/Dedication Ceremony – New Gym Doors – Following 11:00 a.m. service

Monday, August 17

- Moms in Prayer - 7:00 p.m. (Zoom)

Tuesday, August 18

- Kindergarten Signing – 5:00 p.m. – Fellowship Hall

Thursday, August 20

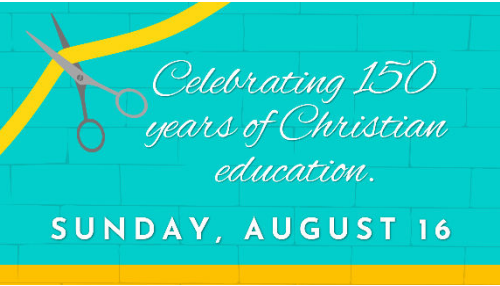
- K-8 Meet the Teacher/Pictures – 2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 22

- Road Clean Up – 9:00 a.m. – Preschool Entrance
- Worship - 6:00 p.m. – Sanctuary

Sunday, August 23

- Worship - 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.– Sanctuary
- Installation of New Staff – 9:30 a.m. - Sanctuary
- When In Romans Bible Study – 9:30 a.m. – Fellowship Hall



Building Dedication Service & Ceremony We invite everyone to join us for a special service of thanksgiving and celebration as well as our ribbon cutting and building dedication ceremony beginning at our 11:00 a.m. service this weekend! Thank you so much for all of your prayers, donations, and support as we continue Building Together. If you have any questions about our building campaign, please be sure to reach out to our Church Office at (586) 781-3434.

Coming Up...

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Confirmation

STUDENTS IN 7TH GRADE AND ABOVE

Confirmation Registration Please register your incoming 7th and 8th grade students for Confirmation 1 and 2! Orientation takes place on August 26 at 6:00 p.m. in the North Fellowship Hall, or on August 30 at 12:30 p.m. in the North Fellowship Hall. Both students and parents are required to attend orientation (*you only need to attend one session*).

SUNDAY SCHOOL

We are in need of:

- A Superintendent/Admin
- Teachers
- Helpers

YES, THIS COULD BE YOU FOLLOWING GOD'S CALLING!

For more information, contact Kathy Krause at krause.michael@sbcglobal.net or (586) 707-1339.

Sunday School Volunteers Needed! Calling for Sunday School students! Calling for Sunday School teachers! Calling for Sunday School helpers! Calling for a Sunday School Administrator! Yes, this could be YOU following God’s calling! More information to come. Please reach out to Kathy Krause at (586) 707-1339 or krause.michael@sbcglobal.net for questions or if you’re interested in assisting our Sunday School.

ST. PETER BOOSTERS

GOLF

Outing

2026

THURSDAY, SEPT. 24

9:00 A.M. – SHOTGUN START

67500 Mound Rd.

Washington, MI 48095

INCLUDES:

- Special Drinks
- Meat & Chicken Dinner
- Contests & Prizes

\$175 per player

CALL OR TEXT FOR DETAILS

Jacob Beninati, (810) 357-4192

St. Peter Boosters Fall Golf Outing Join us on Thursday, September 24, at Greystone Golf Club (67500 Mound Rd. Washington, MI 48095) for our annual St. Peter Boosters Golf Outing to raise money for our Boosters program. Call or text Jacob Beninati at (810) 357-4192 for questions.

ROAD CLEAN UP

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

9:00 A.M. – MEET IN THE SOUTH PARKING LOT (PRESCHOOL DOORS)

WE WILL BE PICKING UP TRASH ALONG ROMEO PLANK BETWEEN 23 AND 25 MILE ROAD, AND 24 MILE ROAD BETWEEN ROMEO PLANK AND HAYES.

QUESTIONS? CONTACT DEB WASHBURN, DWASHBURN3@YAHOO.COM OR JASON MURRAY, JMURRAY@SPLCS.COM.

Road Clean Up Saturday, Aug. 22, 9:00 a.m. - meet in the south parking lot (Preschool doors) We will be picking up trash along Romeo Plank between 23 and 25 mile road, and 24 mile road between Romeo Plank and Hayes. Questions? contact Deb Washburn, dwashburn3@yahoo.com or Jason Murray, jmurray@splcs.com.

St. Peter Macomb

CHURCH & SCHOOL PICNIC AND OPEN HOUSE!

Sunday, September 13

12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

(following 11:00 a.m. worship)

Join us for food, fun, & fellowship!

Church & School Picnic and Open House! Join us on September 13 from 12:30 p.m.-2:30 p.m. for our annual picnic! This year, we will also have the building open for you to see our classrooms, gym, etc. If you’re interested in volunteering, please scan the QR code or go to stpetermacomb.com! **Sign up here!**

CALLING ALL SHINING STARS!

We have openings in our Preschool Shining Stars Parent/Tot class!

Preschool: Shining Stars Openings For children who will be 3 years old by February 1, 2027, we still have some openings in our Parent/Tot Shining Stars preschool class! Go to stpetermacomb.com now to apply!

Coffee & Doughnuts

Volunteers Needed!

Any questions, please ask the Christian Growth Board or call Liz Kukuk (586) 623-7100.

Sunday Coffee & Doughnuts Please help us as we start up our Sunday morning coffee and doughnut fellowship beginning September 20! NOAH and confirmation hours available. Please scan the QR code to sign up! Any questions, please ask the Christian Growth Board or call Liz Kukuk (586) 623-7100.

GRIEF SHARE

LOSS OF A SPOUSE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, AT 1:30 PM.

SMALL CONFERENCE ROOM (ENTER THROUGH DOOR #28)

GriefShare: Loss Of A Spouse Our GriefShare group is hosting Loss of a Spouse on Sunday, August 30, at 1:30 p.m. in the Small Conference Room. If you would like to attend please enter through Door #28.

TUESDAYS, 10:30 A.M.

TUESDAYS TOGETHER BIBLE STUDY

LG. CONF. ROOM

THE BOOK OF GENESIS

STARTING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Tuesdays Together Bible Study begins again on Tuesday, September 8, at 10:30 a.m. We would love to have you join us as we read through how it all began from creation to the time of Joseph in the book of Genesis. We will be meeting in the Large Conference Room which is located by entering through office Door #28.