

Nancy Wozniak, Council Member

My St Peter Story:

In 1986, living in Dearborn Height, Tom and I decided we wanted to live in Battle Creek. But to do so, we learned we first had to transfer to Jackson, Mississippi and work at that Veterans Affairs Hospital for 7 years, before we could transfer here. Attending St Paul in Battle Creek, our Pastor told us to go out and visit other Lutheran Churches, but to come back. We attended St Peter, the first day Pastor Jon preached. We really enjoyed and understood the sermon points, and as of 2012 we became part of St Peter's Family.

What I bring to St Peter:

I bring my beliefs and a strong need to give of my time and talents. I have been on the Church Council twice, and am a member of the Outreach Committee, and help out in other ways around St Peter.

Career:

I was about to start working at the VA Hospital in Detroit (where Tom worked) when he took the transfer to Jackson, Mississippi. I was hired in Jackson, and after 7 years we were able to transfer to Battle Creek. In 2012, we both retired from the VA, Tom had 42 years in and I had 25 years. I had been a Statistical Clerk and then an Educational Technician where I created and assigned the computer training programs to all VA employees and employees at Lansing, Benton Harbor, and Grand Rapids Outpatient Clinics.

Hobby/Interest:

I love spending time with my 28 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren, which is also why we travel so much. I have been involved in sweep staking since 1972, and winning prizes helped me learn about gathering prizes for giveaways at church and work. My husband says I am a Sucker for anyone asking for a volunteer (but I love to volunteer). Giving of my time to help others is so satisfying.