

ANNOUNCEMENTS – December 22, 2024

ALTAR FLOWERS— The flower this Sunday are given to the glory of God by Jan Ludwig. Thank you, Jan!

SOUNDS OF THE SEASON – There will be a holiday music recital featuring musician from our congregation **today** after hospitality time (~11:30am). Grab a coffee and some snack, then enjoy us in the sanctuary to hear and singing along with some of your holiday favorites.

FROM THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY—As we close out another year, I would like appreciate all contributions to St. Peter be in by Sunday, dec.29th. Your cooperation would be very much appreciated. Thanks in advance. Jan Ludwig.

CHRISTMAS FAMILIES' MINISTRY—Thanks to all who participated in this year's ministry. You have truly reflected the light of Christ in the lives of so many people.

CONGRATULATIONS, MEGAN FLOYD! – Our friend Megan has been called to be the next pastor at Faith Lutheran Church in Okemos. She will be ordained at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Portage on Saturday February 1st. More details will be shared at a later date.

SPEK SPEAKS -- Many of you know that plastic bags are recyclable at Meijer and other stores. I confirmed recently that candy bags (M & M's), fruit bags like grapes often come in, and frozen vegetable bags can all be recycled through Meijer's bag recycling program if they are clean and dry. Good news! Reduce, reuse, recycle, and rethink.

SUNDAY EDUCATION HOUR— Will not meet over the holidays. We will resume on Sunday 1/5/25 from 11:30a-12:15p.m and continue exploring the book, "*Lutheran Questions, Lutheran Answers*" by Martin Marty. You don't have to have the book to join. All ages are welcome.

MEDITATION MONDAY – Will not meet over the holidays. We will resume on Monday January 6th at 12:15pm

WOMEN'S ZOOM BIBLE STUDY! — Will not meet over the holidays. We will resume on Wednesday, January 8th.

GRIFFIN DISCUSSION GROUP: Will not meet over the holidays.

THE 2025 SYNOD ASSEMBLY --Will be held from Sunday evening, May 18, through Tuesday afternoon, May 20. St. Peter will elect two voting members at the February Congregational meeting, to be held February 16, 2025. We need to select on male voting member and one female voting member. We also have the option to select one youth voting member between the ages of 14-18 or one young adult voting member between the ages of 18-30. This year will be the re-election or election of a new bishop, as well as conducting other Synod business. Between now and the February meeting, please consider submitting your name in nomination to represent our congregation at the Synod Assembly. If you have any questions, please see Pastor Ed or Dave Marquette.

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY— We will be scheduling a New Member Welcome Sunday in the new year. If you are interested in becoming a member at St. Peter, please see Pastor.

PRAYER LIST

We pray for those in need of Christ's healing touch:

NEW TO OUR PRAYER LIST

12/22/24

Patrick Hirzel (*Jackie Luke*)
Dave (*PP*)
Jessi Weaver (*Pr Ed*)
Carl Noffsinger (*Noffsinger Family*)

12/15/24

Anna Harris (*PP*)
Sandy Mikolajczyk (*Eifler & Kopps*)

PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

St. John Lutheran Church in Baroda
and their pastor Rev. Vicky Blough

MEMBER CONCERNS

Barb Rothbauer, Dennis Struble, Nan Davies, Nancy Douville, Frank Eglan, Laverne Dubay,
Melissa & Austin, Jeni Bruns, Joan Galli, Don Coss, Tom Wozniak, Glen and Cindi Pawlowski,
Carolyn Boyle, Anthony Dell'Eva, Linda Feld, Linda Seng, Sarah Green

LONG TERM CONCERNS

MacKinzie Wilson (*Strubles*)
"Poppy" Etheridge (*Strubles*)
Karen Frye (*J. Luke*)
Judy Jones (*Duggans*)
Noaeill Family (*Christis*)
Wendy Eifler (*Eifler, Rothbauer & Kopp Families*)
Bonnie Ehredt (*Eifler & Kopp Families*)
Bob Ehredt (*Eifler & Kopp Families*)
The O'Rourke Family (*J. Brown*)
Jon Lee (*J. Brown*)
Erin Lynch (*J. Brown*)
Brandon Reynolds (*J. Brown*)
Lori Ward (*J. Brown*)
Lynn Fouts Family (*J. Brown*)
Jordan Canfield (*Susan Renée*)
Sharon Cutler (*Madeline Adie*)
Janice Beal (*Judy Nettleton*)
Jacob Underwood (*Pawlowski Family*)
Bob Callender (*P Callender*)
Mark Johnson (*Bill & Debbie Duggan*)
Daxxus Shalifoe (*C. Boyle*)
Penny Randall
Karen Overton (*Wozniaks*)
Linda Cumback (*Strubles*)
Jane Marengo (*J. Ludwig*)
Audrey Butterworth (*Strubles*)
Jeff Scott (*S. Towell/B.*)
Dale Rehkopf (*C. Boyle*)
Su Woods
Aidan McPartlin (*Green Family*)
Gerry Hecht (*Strubles*)
Shawn Green Sr. (*Strubles*)
Cheryl Nawatney (*Strubles*)
Jeff Jackson (*Joyce*)

Andy Fries (*Wozniaks*)
Janet Gollither (*Lukowskis*)
Margaret & Dale Rehkopf (*C. Boyle*)
Margarita De Soto (*P. Callender*)
Jean (*Anthony Dell'Eva*)
Mike (*Anthony Dell'Eva*)
Carolyn Nordyke (*Strubles*)
Bill Jung (*The Struble Family*)
Tony & Setsuko Stallings Cheryl Hinds (*S. Sebring*)
Nancy Kelley (*Ruble Family*)
Craig Miller
Joseph Buckley (*Carneys*)
Rhonda VanWyck
Chris Gump (*J. Brown*)
Bill Soleski (*N. Douville*)
Dave Zilligen (*PP*)
Shaina Keller (*Eiflers and Kopps*)
Sandy Donathan (*B. Marquette*)
Susan Wiley (*PP*)
Susan Green (*PP*)
Gail Morgan (*B. Heffner*)
John & Linda Schink (*A. Dell'Eva*)
Arthur Yates
Austin & Stevie Higgins and Family
Jerry Bogart (*PP*)
Lon McNally (*J. Meyer*)
Harmony Dawson (*B. Heffner*)
Pastor Michael Anton
Charlotte Bramlet (*Struble Family*)
Deborah Dambra (*N. Wozniak*)
Pat Kondrat (*S. Eifler*)
Sally Lester (*S. Eifler*)
Jaime Parent (*C. Grimley*)
Susan Wiley

Charlotte Bramlet (*Struble Family*)
Deborah Dambra (*N. Wozniak*)
Pat Kondrat (*S. Eifler*)
Sally Lester (*S. Eifler*)
Branden Vines (*PP*)
Anthony Curran (*A. Dell'Eva*)
John Lukowski (*B. & K. Lukowski*)
Kay Courter
Richard Grady
Mia Whittington (*R. Seng*)
Karsyn Parrish (*Wozniaks*)
Tresa Garver
Jackie Wells (*PP*)
Benjamin Miller (*Wilsons*)
Ryder Robinson (*J. Luke*)
Bishop Emeritus Gary Hansen
Joan Casterline (*Linn Kracht*)
Dale Borders (*Linn Kracht*)
In grief, the family of Drew Millard
In grief, the family of Gary Gustafson
In grief, the family of Donna Kohs
Marcia Hayes (*F. Eglan*)
Sandra Halbert (*S. Renee*)
Penny Whitmore (*S. Renee*)
Kylee Brooks (*S. Renee*)
Benjamin Miller (*Wilsons*)
Karen Benser (*B. Heffner*)
Sam Kopp (*K. Kopp*)
Tammy Harris (*PP*)
Sharon Zimmerman (*PP*)
Eric (*PP*)
Anna Harris (*PP*)
In grief, the family of Don McClow
In grief, the family of Tom Gilbertson
In grief, the family of Matt Ruble
The McKinney Family (*B. Marquette*)
Mike Eglan (*Frank*)