ANNOUNCEMENTS – February 2nd, 2025

<u>ALTAR FLOWERS</u> — The flower this Sunday are given to the glory of God by The People of St. Peter in honor of Arthur Ohmart Baptism. Thank you!

<u>BAPTISM</u> - Arthur Ohmart will be baptized during our 10:00am service today. Please welcome our newest member into this wonderful faith community.

<u>UTILITY SUPPORT FUND</u> - Funds remain in the Utility Support Fund we established last year. If you are in need of some extra help with a utility bill this winter, please contact Pr Ed. Rest assured, your information will remain anonymous.

FRIDAY NIGHT QUILTING

Join us Friday, February 7th at 6 pm for a night of quilting. Bring a machine and/or tools if you have them (if you don't, we have things you can use); Lisa Ruble will provide fabric and the project instructions. Any questions, ask Lisa. Hope to see you there!

<u>ANNUAL MEETING</u> - Will take place on Sunday Feb. 16th, immediately following the 10:00am service. The meeting agenda and support material were sent out via email to members of the congregation on Friday. We will be voting to update our constitution and Endowment bylaws during this meeting. It is important that you read the changes ahead of time so we can have an efficient meeting. If you wish to receive a hard copy of this information or did not receive the email, please let the church office know asap.

<u>ASH WEDNESDAY</u> — St. Peter has been invited to participate in 2 Community Ash Wednesday Services hosted by the ministerial alliance to which I belong. The services will be Wednesday 3/5: 12:00pm at First Presbyterian and 7:00pm at Trinity (ELCA). Because of this, there will not be a service here at St. Peter on Ash Wednesday. All are invited to attend one of the two community services. The rest of the Lent worship schedule will be available soon.

<u>THE 2025 SYNOD ASSEMBLY</u> --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 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. 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.

<u>NEW MEMBER WELCOME</u>— 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.

<u>SUNDAY EDUCATION HOUR</u>— From 11:30a-12:15p.m. For the next few weeks we will continue exploring the book, "*Lutheran Questions, Lutheran Answers*" by Martin Marty. You don't have to have the book to participate, however, Pr. Ed does have extra copies if you would like one.

<u>MEDITATION MONDAY</u> – Is held on Mondays at 12:15pm in the sanctuary. This is a great way to start off the week with some focused reflection on Jesus.

<u>WOMEN'S ZOOM BIBLE STUDY!</u> — Calling all women! The Women's Zoom Bible Study is on Wednesday's @ 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. If you are interested, all I need is your email address. All you need is a computer with zoom downloaded. If you have any questions, please contact Barb Heffner, 269-268-9090.

<u>GDG</u> -- Is a Zoom based theology discussion group held on Thursdays at 8:00am. All are welcome! For more info including the link to the discussion each week, please contact Bill Duggan.

PRAYER LIST

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

NEW TO OUR PRAYER LIST

2/02/25

In grief, the family of Pat Kondrat (S. Eifler) In grief, the family of Sally Lester (S. Eifler) Joanne Wank (B. & M. Heffner) Greg Wank (B. & M. Heffner)

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The family of Tom Morris (Wozniak's) Heather Snyder (Wozniak's) Randy Noaeill (J. & J. Christ) Fox Morris (Wozniak's) Richard Finley (PP) Joyce Jackson (Pr. Ed) In grief, the family of David Zilligen (PP)

PRAY THIS WEEK FOR:

Zion Lutheran Church in Cadilac and their pastor Rev. Scott Torkko Rev. Chrisy Bright, Assistant to the Bishop

MEMBER CONCERNS

Barb Rothbauer, Dennis Struble, Nan Davies, Nancy Douville, Frank Egland, 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

Margarita De Soto (P. Callender)

MacKinzie Wilson (Strubles) "Poppy" Etheridge (Strubles) Karen Frye (J. Luke) Judy Jones (Duggans) Noaeill Family (Christs) 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 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) **Andv Fries** Janet Golliher (Lukowskis) Margaret & Dale Rehkopf (C. Bovle)

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 (Eifler 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) Susan Wiley Charlotte Bramlet (Struble Family) Pat Kondrat (S. Eifler) Kondrat family (S. Eifler) Lester family (S. Eifler) Branden Vines (PP) Anthony Curran (A. Dell'Eva) Kay Courter **Richard Grady**

Mia Whittington (R. Seng) **Tresa Garver** Benjamin Miller (Wilsons) Ryder Robinson (J. Luke) **Bishop Emeritus Gary Hansen** In grief, the family of Drew Millard In grief, the family of Gary Gustafson In grief, the family of Donna Kohs 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 Egland (Frank) Patrick Hirzel (Jackie Luke) Dave (PP) **Carl Noffsinger** (Noffsinger Family) In grief, the family of Marcia Hayes (F. Egland) Kim Peterek (Sarita Collins) John & Linda Schink (Anthony Dell'Eva) Penny Geerts (PP) In grief, the family of Shirely Springer (Rachel Springer) Jackie Wells(PP)) Jaime Parent (C. Grimlev) Dave Marquette (B. Marquette)