

# ST. PETER'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



## Happy Father's Day

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Summer Worship – 9:00 am  
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UNITED CHURCH  
OF CHRIST

815-465-6191

310 N. Meadow St.  
Grant Park, Illinois 60940

God is still speaking

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022

9:00 AM

\* - In the way you are able, whether in body or in spirit, please rise.

## Welcome and Announcements

Russ Koehn

## Ringing of the Bell

### Prelude

“Here I Am, Lord” (*Schutte*)

### \*Call to Worship

(Adapted from Psalm 103)

Russ Koehn

Leader: Come, bless the Lord with me!

People: **God is like a father to His children, compassionate and merciful.**

Leader: God is filled with endless love!

People: **He offers forgiveness for our sins; He heals our sicknesses.**

Leader: God surrounds us with love and mercy.

People: **He fills our lives with good things! Let us praise God together.**

### \*Unison Prayer of Invocation

**Beautiful Savior, send forth Your Spirit into our presence this morning as we come to worship You. Fill our lives with Your goodness, mercy and love. Teach us this hour that we may know You better and live in accordance with Your will for us in our lives. Amen.**

### \*Opening Hymn

“Praise the Lord! O Heavens, Adore Him”

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## Children’s Message

### Reading

“God Creating Fathers”

Russ Koehn

## **Presentation of our Offerings**

Offertory Sentence & Prayer

Offertory “Melodie Celeste” (*Koschat*)

\*Doxology

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**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

## **Pastoral Prayer**

Sharing of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer in Unison

## **Hymn**

“Have Thine Own Way, Lord!”

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## **Scripture Reading**

Matthew 1:18-25, 2:13-14, 19-21

## **\*Hymn**

“Faith of Our Fathers”

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## **Message**

“Joseph – A Fatherly Example”

Pastor Kyle

## **\*Closing Hymn**

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

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## **\*Spoken Benediction**

**\*Postlude (Depart to Serve)** “Episode On ‘Truro’” (*arr. Smith*)



**We at St. Peter's are praying for:**

*Gary Ekhoﬀ, Gene Sievers, Carter Fortin, Linda Havelly, Taylor Cleary,  
Joy Currier, Donna Dorrrough, Richie Rodriguez, Heather Phillips,  
Mary Ann Price, Matt & Brittany Hamann, Keith Myers, Marge Myers,  
Sandy Erickson, Dorothy Kutemeier, Judy Schneider, Tanner Barrera,  
Delores Schimmin, Nicole Hiland, Mark Millay, the family of Chris Benson,  
and the family of Ella Eckhoﬀ*

**Serving Us Today:**

**Liturgist:** Russ Koehn

**Greeters:** Russ & Shirley Koehn

**Organist:** Ann Smith

# Announcements

**A huge Thank You** goes to all that helped with the Rummage Sale this past week. You all made it possible by your donations, help setting up, and working the sale. We were able to raise \$927 so far. There are still treasures to be had downstairs, so please take what you want for a donation after the church service.

**Pew Registry Books** are located on the end of each pew. Please take a moment to fill it out (members & visitors) so that we have a record of your visit. If you are the last to sign it, please tear it off and place it on top of the pew pad. Thank you!

**Specially marked envelopes** have been made for Fusion and Fortitude located on the back tables of the sanctuary. Thank you for your support of these two wonderful programs.

**Fusion Events (Youth Group for 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> graders)** are happening each month. On July 10<sup>th</sup>, the youth will be having lunch following church service and then depart at 11:30 am to Splash Valley Waterpark in Kankakee. More details will be available on our Fusion Youth Facebook page or by going to our church website at [www.stpetersgp.org](http://www.stpetersgp.org), (Under Ministries Section). You can also contact Josh (815) 693-5341 or Neal (815) 549-5911.

**The Beecher Food Pantry** is asking for the following donations: baked beans, canned potatoes, pasta (spaghetti, egg noodles, and mostocolli), tuna, canned chicken, jello (regular and sugar free), tomato soup, canned pasta, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, and body wash.

## Summer Fun Day



September 11<sup>th</sup> 2 pm-4 pm

Spiderman  
&  
Rapunzel



\*Registration will fill up quickly so please submit your forms and return them to St. Peter's UCC (PO Box 220,

Grant Park, IL) or email [pastorkyletimmons@live.com](mailto:pastorkyletimmons@live.com)

Join us to meet one or both of your favorite characters (and get a picture with them), enjoy an activity with that character (TBD), make a craft, have some food, and hear a Bible lesson expressing how valuable you are to God!

Event is open for 6<sup>th</sup> graders and below and must have a parent/guardian present.

Cost is \$15 a child (\$10 for each additional child in your household).

\*\*Don't let money be an issue, if you can't afford the full amount, please let us know – the cost is to help offset the cost of the characters, crafts, and food. We are not trying to make a profit.

More details will be provided about activities, food, etc. at [stpeters.org](http://stpeters.org) (go to Events, Summer Fun Day).

Or submit the following information to the church office, email [pastorkyletimmons@live.com](mailto:pastorkyletimmons@live.com), or mail to the church: Name(s) of children, ages, parent/guardian information (i.e. name, address, email and phone number), food allergy, and payment.

## 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Tailgate Worship Services



Join us this Sunday of our first outdoor worship service "Tailgate Style." (June 26<sup>th</sup>, July 24<sup>th</sup>, and August 28<sup>th</sup>).

Pull up your vehicle in the parking lot and sit in the back, in the front, or even bring your lawn chairs, blankets, bails of straw, or buckets. We don't care, but we're going to worship outdoors in the church yard adjacent to the parking lot.

Services begin at 9 am!

Bring a grill if you'd like (or you can use one of the provided ones), table settings, snacks, and your own beverages (smile - we won't check your coolers). We will have cold water and lemonade available. Additionally, we will be serving up hotdogs, burgers, and brats!

There will be activities for young ones, corn hole, and other fun things to do. Or, simply sit around and fellowship with your family and friends. Stay as little, or as long, as you'd like.

Events are weather permitting - in case of inclement weather, worship will be indoors.

## Back to School Supply Drive Update



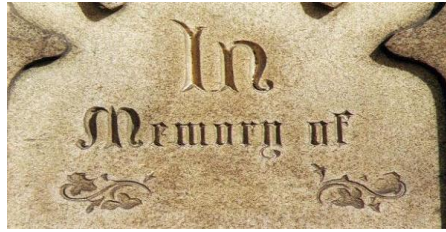
We need your help! We would like to raise funds to be able to purchase the school items the kids need. If you want to purchase some items yourself, we are looking for brand new or like new (no stains or signs of wear) clothes to wear to school. The kids will also need t-shirts for painting, new socks and new shoes for gym, and durable backpacks (The jr. high students could use bigger backpacks to store their chrome books in). If you are interested in buying actual school supplies, we are in need of MANY [pencils](#) (please buy in packs of 6, 20, or 24) [glue sticks](#), and [dry erase markers](#) (black or black fine tip). If you want to know about any other school supplies, please contact Jackie for more information. If you are donating supplies, please put them in the church office.

All money and clothing items donated need to be turned in to the church no later than July 31<sup>st</sup>. We will then take those funds to buy the supplies that we still need. On August 14<sup>th</sup>, we will organize all the supplies on tables for families to come pick up for free. We will need help distributing the items out on the tables and serving the families that come in to get them. This is a great way to reach families in the area who may not have a church family. Any donation for this is truly appreciated.

For more information, contact Jackie Timmons at (815) 466-4048 or text (567) 249-5141. Thank you!



## Father's Day Carnations



Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Jeff Schneider

Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Stan Schneider

Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Kasmir Herman

Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Dale Schroeder

Given by Ron & Jill Claussen for Wesley Hamann

Given by Ron & Jill Claussen for Adolph Claussen

Given by Steve & Pam Lawrence for Oliver Lawrence

Given by Julie & Craig Schneider for Ronald Schneider

Given by Julie & Craig Schneider for Ernest Schneider

Given by Julie & Craig Schneider for Milford Boicken

Given by Julie & Craig Schneider for Gerald Boicken

Given by Julie & Craig Schneider for Stanley Schneider

Given by Erin Hamann for Robert Hamann

Given by Erin Hamann for Gary Harvey

Given by Judy Lange for Clyde Lange

# Father's Day Carnations

*In Honor of*

Given by Jeff & Mark Lawrence for Steven Lawrence

Given by Steve & Pam Lawrence for Del Engleking

Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Jim Schneider

Given by Kelly Schneider & kids for Bob Koehne

Given by Nick Timmons for Kyle Timmons

Given by Rebecca Timmons for Kyle Timmons

Given by Anna Timmons for Kyle Timmons

Given by Erin Hamann for Ron Hamann

\*\*\*Please pick up your carnation(s) after church.