



ST. PETER'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Sunday Morning: Sunday School – 9:00am; Worship – 10:30am
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Sunday, January 11, 2026

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

Welcome & Announcements

Larry Hamann

Ringing of the Bell and Lighting of the Candles

Max Currier

Prelude

"The Lord Is My Light"

Arr. DeCou

*Call to Worship

Ian Hamann

One: Arise, shine; for your light has come. The glory of God has risen among us.

All: We are awake; we are alive! Praise God for deliverance and blessings.

One Lift up your eyes to see all around you. Let your hearts rejoice, and be radiant with hope.

All: May justice water the earth like a shower; let righteousness and peace abound.

One: Receive again the promises of the gospel. Participate in the mystery of Jesus Christ.

All: God's ways are being revealed to us today. Our church proclaims the unsearchable riches of Christ.

*Prayer of Invocation

(In Unison)

Eternal God, because your purposes become clear to us in Jesus Christ, we come with boldness to claim our relationship with you. We are grateful for pioneers in the faith whose stewardship has salvaged for us a way of life rooted in the gospel. The flames you ignited in them have not gone out, in spite of our faithlessness. Your wisdom is still proclaimed in the church, challenging centers of earthly power with the claims of heaven. Today our search for meaning has led us to this place of worship. You are here; we rejoice! Amen.

*Hymn

"To God Be the Glory"

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Scripture Reading

Isaiah 60:1-6

Ian Hamann

Adult Choir Anthem

"There's Something About That Name"

Gaither

Children's Message

Pastoral Prayer

Joys & Concerns

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

***Hymn**

"Be Thou My Vision"

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Worshiping God with our Offerings

Offertory

"Love"

Arr. Schram

*Doxology

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*Offertory Prayer

Scripture Reading

Psalm 72:10-14

Sermon

"You are Worthy!"

Neal

***Closing Hymn**

"Sent Forth by God's Blessing"

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***Benediction**

***Postlude**

"Take the Name of Jesus with You"

Arr. Whitworth

SERVING YOU TODAY:

Guest Speaker
January Council Person
Liturgist
Acolyte

Neal Currier
Audrey Lehnert
Ian Hamann
Max Currier

Organist
Choir Director
Greeters/Ushers

Ann Smith
Ann Smith
Nick and Jennie Hamann

We at St. Peter's are praying for:

Ken & Sandy Erickson, Judy Schneider, Ed & Anita Bush, Gene Sievers, Dornita Hamann, Brad Fisher, Janey Fick, Larry Ohm, Tim Langlois (Marcia's son), Kristopher Meyer (Krystal Frahm's brother), Del Engleking, and Tim Miller (Norma Lehnert's brother).

LOOKING FOR TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: Scan the barcode with your phone to access today's Scripture readings.



LITURGIST SIGN-UP: Lots of blank spaces...let's get it filled up!



TRIVIA NIGHT: Church Life is sponsoring a Trivia Night on Saturday, March 7th at 6:00pm. Mark your calendars and watch for more information!

BAPTISM/NEW MEMBER: If anyone is wanting a baby/child/adult baptized, please let the office know. If you are interested in becoming a member of St. Peter's, let the office know.



Baptism and Reception of New Members



ANNUAL MEETING REPORTS: The Annual Meeting will be here before we know it...your board reports are due the first week in January. Please email them to the office. Thank you!

BLESSING BOX: Please remember the blessing box during this time of the year. It is frequently getting used...if you can, help by refilling it with non-perishable packaged and canned goods.



OUTDOOR SIGN: Anyone interested in being the "Outdoor Sign Manager" ... we are still looking!

Today	11 th	Un-Hang the Greens; Council Meeting after church
Monday	12 th	
Tuesday	13 th	
Wednesday	14 th	Office Open 8am-12pm; Adult Choir @ 7:00pm; Dart @ Monee @ 7:30pm
Thursday	15 th	
Friday	16 th	Office Open 8am-12pm; Girl Scouts @ 4:30pm
Saturday	17 th	
Next Sunday	18 th	Guest Speaker Rev. Kelly Perotti