



# ST. PETER'S United Church of Christ

**310 North Meadow Street (Grant Park, IL 60940)**

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Sunday Morning Worship – 9:30 a.m.

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# Sunday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025

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

## Welcome & Announcements

Kelly Schneider

## Ringling of the Bell

## Prelude

“Be Thou My Vision” (*Abramsky*)

## Lighting of the Candles

Ryleigh & Luke Schneider

## \*Call to Worship

Kelly Schneider

**Leader:** Come, Holy Spirit, like a rushing wind – fill this place with  
Your power and presence.

**People:** **We gather in expectation, ready for Your fire.**  
**Come, Spirit of God – breathe on us again!**

**Leader:** You spoke through tongues of flame, uniting every nation.

**People:** **Ignite our hearts with love that we may proclaim Christ**  
**with boldness.**

**Leader:** As the early church gathered in one accord, so we come –  
one body, one Spirit, one hope.

**People:** **Let Your Spirit move among us now. Renew, restore, and**  
**revive Your people.**

**All:** **Come, Holy Spirit – fall afresh on us!**

## \* Prayer of Invocation

## \*Opening Hymn

“Sweet, Sweet Spirit”

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“Surely the Presence”

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## Scripture Reading

John 14:15-17, 25-27

Kelly Schneider

## **Children's Message**

### **Pastoral Prayer**

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**

“Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God”

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## **Celebration of the Lord's Supper**

### **Worshipping God with our Offerings**

Offertory Sentence & Prayer

Offertory “Fugue” (*Handel*)

\*Doxology

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### **Scripture Reading**

Galatians 5:22-25

### **Sermon**

“Fruit Happens”

### **\*Closing Song**

“Spirit Song”

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### **\*Benediction**

### **\*Postlude**

“How Can I Keep from Singing?”

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

*Dorothy Kutemeier, Ken & Sandy Erickson, Judy Schneider, Ed & Anita Bush, Dornita Hamann, Betty Jones, Brad Fisher, Jillien Pettit (Heidi Frahm's daughter), Tim Langlois (Marcia's son), Kristopher Meyer (Krystal Frahm's brother), Jeff Jones (Betty's son), Russ Koehn, and Tim Miller (Norma Lehnert's brother)*

## **Looking for Today's Scripture!**

**Scan the barcode with your phone to access today's Scripture readings and announcements!**



Don't have a phone? Still want a hard copy of the announcements? That's okay! ½ sheet inserts are available on the back table in the sanctuary with announcements if needed. Feel free to pick one up!

**Church Office:** Jackie's last day as our office manager will be on Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup>. Michelle Claussen will begin the week of June 23<sup>rd</sup>. As of now, the office will be open on Monday and Friday, from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. PLEASE call before showing up.

**Vacation:** Pastor Kyle will be on vacation from June 16-26. Call the office if anything should arise during this time.

**Help Needed:** St. Peter's needs a few people to help in a variety of ways. If you are interested in helping in any of the areas, please contact the church office. Each area of service does not take a lot of time, or training, but are vital in keeping the ministries of our church going.

**Audio/Sound System:** We need an individual, or two, to learn the basics of turning on and adjusting the sound for our microphones.

**Facebook Live Streaming:** An individual, or two, that can log in to our St. Peter's facebook page 5 to 10 minutes before each service and press live stream. If willing, to move the camera/stand to record each person/choir/etc. participating in the service. Finally, someone to press "finalize" on the ipad at the conclusion of the service.

**Website Updates:** At a minimum, we are looking for someone who could log in each week and update weekly announcements and the calendar. For the individual who may be more savvy, or willing to learn, there are other neat features that would enhance our website if interested.

**Summer Worship:** Summer worship is in progress. Services will be held at 9:30 a.m. We will return to regular worship service at 10:30 a.m. on September 14<sup>th</sup>.

**Fusion:** Today, we are inviting everyone from St. Peter's UCC (and their friends) to join us for an afternoon of fun, fellowship, & food! Need a ride - let us know! There will be plenty of activities/opportunities to explore the Kankakee State Park and river and plenty of conversation. \*If you are under 18 and want to attend (without a parent/guardian), please let us know so that we have a permission slip on file for you. Please plan on attending as this is always a wonderful event. For more details, visit our Facebook page or go to our church website at [www.stpetersgp.org](http://www.stpetersgp.org), (Under Ministries Section). You can also contact Josh (815) 693-5341 or Stu Fisher (708) 898-8730 and at [fusion.youth.stpeters@gmail.com](mailto:fusion.youth.stpeters@gmail.com).

**Beecher Food Pantry:** The Beecher Food Pantry is in need of the following items: mayo, toothpaste, canned tomatoes, tomato sauce, canned fruit, instant potatoes, tuna, spam, cream of chicken soup, and tomato soup. Items can be dropped off at church.

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