



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, May 10, 2026

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

Welcome & Announcements

Kevin Mussman

Ringing of the Bell and Lighting of the Candles

Summer Mussman

Prelude

"Love Was When"

Wyrzten

*Call to Worship

Kevin Mussman

One: In awe and wonder, we lift our eyes to the heavens. We raise our songs of joy to the Ruler of all time and space.

All: Sing praises to God, sing praises; Shout to God with loud songs of joy.

One: We gather to remember the one who shared our common lot. Jesus Christ, who visited this earth and dwells in heaven.

All: We celebrate the life and ministry of Jesus. We rejoice in the hope to which Christ has called us.

One: We open ourselves to baptism with the Holy Spirit. We expect to be empowered as witnesses in today's world.

All: We seek a spirit of wisdom and revelation. We are here to be filled with power on high.

*Prayer of Invocation

(In Unison)

As Christ ascended to heaven, our spirits are lifted to you on this day, O God. Your spirit fills all the universe. We dwell within your embrace and cannot escape from your watchful care. You are with us here, choosing us as apostles and instructing us in the way we should go. Focus our limited understanding on the person of Jesus, that all he did and taught might come alive in us during this hour. Grant to us convincing proof of your promises as we welcome your winds of change in our lives. Amen.

*Hymn

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

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Scripture Reading

Isaiah 66:13

Kevin Mussman

Adult Choir

“Let Your Light Shine!”

Price and Besig

Adult Choir Recognition

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

“As the Deer”

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Scripture Reading

1 Thessalonians 2:7-8

Message

“A Mother’s Love for Us”

Neal

Worshiping God with our Offerings

*Doxology

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*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn

“Loving Spirit”

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*Choral Benediction

“The Lord Bless You”

Lutkin

*Postlude

“Allegro Alla Marcia”

Brahms

We at St. Peter’s are praying for:
Ken & Sandy Erickson, Judy Schneider, Ed & Anita Bush, Dornita Hamann, Brad Fisher, Janey Fick, Kristopher Meyer (Krystal Frahm’s brother), Del Engleking, Tim Langlois, Mike Hansen, Barbara Karstensen (Chris Karstensen’s mom), and Tim Miller (Norma Lehnert’s brother).



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



STOCK THE BOX: The Blessing Box is always in need of nonperishable items (Mac-n-cheese, tuna, soup, veggies, spaghetti noodles & sauce, etc.).

BEECHER FOOD PANTRY: The Beecher Food Pantry is in need of the following items: paper towels, shampoo, ketchup, soup, canned fruit, beef stew, canned pasta, and mustard.

GRADUATES: If you have a 2026 graduate from Middle School/Junior High, High School, College or Graduate School, please let the office know by tomorrow. Include (if applicable) any pertinent information (future plans, degree, etc.).



SUMMER COFFEE HOUR: Church Life is bringing back the old monthly coffee hour (at least for the summer...). They will be held on June 14th, July 12th, and August 9th. Mark your calendars and plan on staying after church to enjoy community, coffee (or water), and confections...

Today	10 th	Mother’s Day
Monday	11 th	Office Open 8am-12pm
Tuesday	12 th	
Wednesday	13 th	Baccalaureate @ 6pm
Thursday	14 th	
Friday	15 th	Office Open 8am-12pm; Girl Scouts @ 4:30pm
Saturday	16 th	
Next Sunday	17 th	Guest Speaker Rev. Kelly Perotti

SERVING YOU TODAY:			
Guest Speaker	Neal Currier	Organist	Ann Smith
May Council Person	Jill Claussen	Choir Director	Ann Smith
Liturgist	Kevin Mussman	Greeters/Ushers	Kevin and Debbie Mussman
Acolyte	Summer Mussman		