

We at St. Peter's are praying for:

Dorothy Kutemeier, Ken & Sandy Erickson, Judy Schneider, Ed & Anita Bush, 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).

UPDATES: Ed and Anita Bush ~ Ed is currently at Miller Rehab, visitors are welcome; Anita is spending the next 5 or so weeks with her daughter in Oklahoma...she would love to hear from her family here at St. Peter's. The address is: Anita Bush, %Amy Devore, 6817 E 125th St S, Bixby OK 74008.

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



WIFI PASSWORD: The information to log onto the Wi-Fi is: Network name is **St Peters Guest** and **Jesus4All** is the Password!

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM: This year's program is on December 7th at 10:30am...mark your calendars.

HANGING OF THE GREENS: We will decorate the church on November 9th, NEXT SUNDAY, bring an appetizer to share, gather to hang an ornament, have fun....

BEECHER FOOD PANTRY: The food pantry is in need of the following items: deodorant, body wash, shampoo, conditioner, paper towels, tuna, Jello, pudding, may, canned pasta, beef stew, chili, and crackers.

Today	2 nd	
Monday	3 rd	Office Open 8am-12pm; 4-H Meeting
Tuesday	4 th	Christian Ed @ 6:30pm; Church Life @ 7:00pm
Wednesday	5 th	Adult Choir, 7:00pm, Dart @ Home, 7:30pm
Thursday	6 th	Budget Meeting @ 6:30pm
Friday	7 th	Office Open 8am-12pm; Girl Scouts @ 4:30
Saturday	8 th	
Next Sunday	9 th	Guest Speaker Neal Currier; Hanging of the Greens after church



In Memory Of:

Minnie Pfingsten	05/26/1920 – 04/12/2025
Shirley Riley	08/04/1939 – 07/24/2025
Sharon Dillman	05/30/1937 – 09/11/2025
Ione Engleking	06/09/1932 – 09/14/2025

Baptisms:

Aria Marie Schroeder	03/16/2025
Ivy LeeAnn Schroeder	03/16/2025
Sophia Rose Pappas	06/29/2025
Brooklyn Marie Pappas	06/29/2025
Athena Mae Pappas	06/29/2025
Melina Evelyn Pappas	06/29/2025
Nathan Michael Schneider	06/29/2025
Michael Patrick Breier II	07/06/2025

Sunday, November 2, 2025

All Saints (Totenfest) Sunday

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



Welcome & Announcements

Ringling of the Bell and Lighting of the Candles

Prelude

"With the Saints in Glory Shining"

Broughton

*Call to Worship

Kevin Mussman

One: O God, we cry out to you in the midst of a fractured world. We call to you.

All: Hear our cry as we worship you. Continue to bless us with the gift of your Son, Jesus Christ, who has untied us with you and with one another to be your chosen saints.

*Prayer of Invocation (In Unison)

O God of saints and sinners, young and old, we praise you for those whose lives have lighted our way – for those who have paid the cost of discipleship in lives given to serving, and for those who have been faithful in seen and unseen ways. With the saints of every age, may we show ourselves to be your children by preferring peace to violence. Amen.

*Opening Hymn

"For All the Saints" (Verses 1, 2, and 5) Page 529

Remembering Our Saints

Greeting

Scripture Reading – Psalm 23

Reading of the Names of our Saints

Moment of Silence

Litany of Thanksgiving (Responsively)

One: Jesus said, "Blessed are those who know they are spiritually poor; the Kingdom of heaven belongs to them! Blessed are those who mourn; God will comfort them! Blessed are the pure in heart; they will see God!" Jesus named those who are blessed. On this day of remembrance, let us give thanks for the lives of the blessed ones who have gone before us.

All: O God, keep these blessed ones forever in your care. May they stay forever in our hearts. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 149

Kevin Mussman

Youth Choir

"I Love to Praise Him"

Harrison

Children's Message

Honoring Those Who Have Been Baptized this Year

Scripture Reading – Mark 10:13-16

Reading of the Names

Prayer

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** *"Praise and Thanksgiving Be to God"* Page 140

Worshiping God with our Offerings

Offertory *"All Soul's Day"* Lassen

*Doxology Page 34

*Offertory Prayer (In Unison)

God of love and blessings, on this day we give you thanks for those faithful saints who have departed this life. We thank you for their witness as well as their sacrifice. As we present our gifts and ourselves before you, give us a sense of commitment, dedication and thankfulness for all that we have. Amen

Scripture Reading Ephesians 1:11-23

Sermon Rev. Doug

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation

Words of Institution

Consecration of and Sharing the Elements

Prayer (In Unison)

We thank you, God, for inviting us to this table where we have known the presence of Christ and have received Christ's gifts. Strengthen our faith, increase our love for one another, and let us show forth your praise in our lives. Amen.

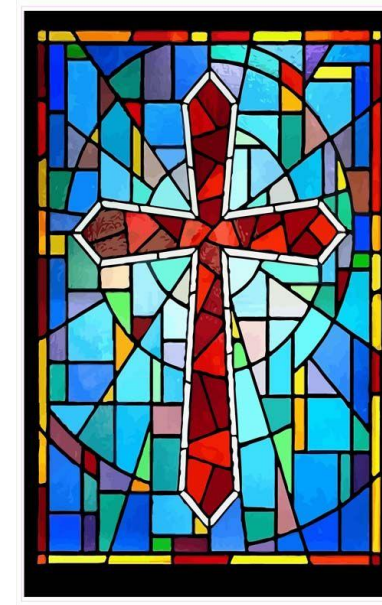
***Closing Hymn** *"We Come as Guests Invited"* Page 702

***Benediction**

***Postlude** *"Fanfare of Praise"* Krug

SERVING YOU TODAY:

<i>Guest Speaker</i>	Rev. Doug Zimmerman	<i>Organist</i>	Shari Ohm
<i>November Council Person</i>	Neal Currier	<i>Choir Director</i>	Betty Wolfe
<i>Liturgist</i>	Kevin Mussman	<i>Greeters/Ushers</i>	Hollie O'Nions and Family
<i>Acolyte</i>	Aria Schroeder		



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