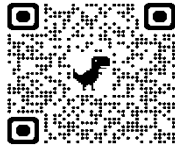


**We at St. Peter's are praying for:**

*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.



**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM:** This year's program is on December 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am...mark your calendars to come support our kiddos! There will be a special guest and a baked potato bar following the service.

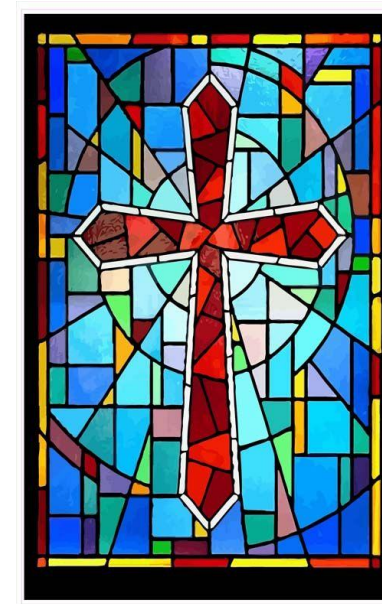
**COOKIE EXCHANGE:** Please join the Church Life Committee in a cookie exchange on Sunday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, after church. There is a sign-up sheet being passed around today. We ask for you to bring in 2+ dozen homemade cookies. There will also be a hot chocolate bar for you to enjoy! Come and enjoy some "Food, Fellowship, and Fun!"

**OUTDOOR SIGN:** Anyone interested in being the "Outdoor Sign Manager" please let the office know. We are in need of someone to update it with upcoming events. Not a difficult job, but a great title! I'm sure it is on someone's bucket list!

**VIDEO DOORBELL:** We now have a video doorbell located on the Sunday School entrance doors. The doors will be locked even when the office is open. Please ring the doorbell and you will be let in.

**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.

<b>Today</b>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Dart Tournament @ GP Shelter
<b>Monday</b>	24 <sup>th</sup>	Office Open 8am-12pm
<b>Tuesday</b>	25 <sup>th</sup>	Church Council @ 6:30pm
<b>Wednesday</b>	26 <sup>th</sup>	Office Open 8am-12pm; Thanksgiving Eve Service @ 7:00pm, Guest Speaker Rev. Tom Norwalk
<b>Thursday</b>	27 <sup>th</sup>	
<b>Friday</b>	28 <sup>th</sup>	
<b>Saturday</b>	29 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday School Program Practice 10-11am
<b>Next Sunday</b>	30 <sup>th</sup>	Guest Speaker Neal Currier



# **ST. PETER'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

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Wi-Fi Password for *St. Peters Guest*: Jesus4All

# Sunday, November 23, 2025

\*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

### Prelude

*“Harvest Home”*

Martin

### \*Call to Worship

Adelyn Karstensen

Leader: We dwell in a land God has loaned to us. Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth.

**People: We come with gladness to worship God. We enter God’s presence with joyous song.**

Leader: The fruits of our labor belong to God. Rejoice in the privilege of sharing God’s bounty

**People: God has made us, and we belong to God. We are sheep of God’s pasture.**

Leader: The God of peace greets us in this time of worship. Enter with thanksgiving and heartfelt praise.

**People: We thank God for steadfast love to sustain us. We praise God for faithfulness to all generations.**

### \*Prayer of Invocation (In Unison)

**Our baskets are full gracious God; with the bounty you have provided. Our hearts are full of thanksgiving and praise. We are eager to meet you here, to learn from you, to be changed by you, to become more fully the people you intend for us to be. Show us how to do the work you have planned for us. Equip us as your faithful stewards. Amen**

### \*Opening Hymn

*“Sing to The Lord of Harvest”*

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### Scripture Reading

Psalm 100

Adelyn Karstensen

### Adult Choir

*“In This Fellowship of Faith”*

Price and Besig

### 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

*“With Grateful Heart, I Thank You Lord”* Page 720

### Worshiping God with our Offerings

Offertory

*“Thanksgiving Prayer”*

Arr. Martin

\*Doxology

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\*Offertory Prayer

### Scripture Reading

Deuteronomy 26:1-11

### Sermon

*“Abundantly Abundant”*

Neal

### \*Closing Hymn

*“Savior, Again to Your Dear Name”*  
Verses 1, 2, 3

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### \*Benediction

### \*Postlude

*“Honor and Majesty”*

Broughton

### SERVING YOU TODAY:

*Guest Speaker*

Neal Currier

*Organist*

Ann Smith

*November Council Person*

Neal Currier

*Choir Director*

Ann Smith

*Liturgist*

Adelyn Karstensen

*Greeters/Ushers*

Eric & Jayne Frahm

*Acolyte*

Delaney Karstensen



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