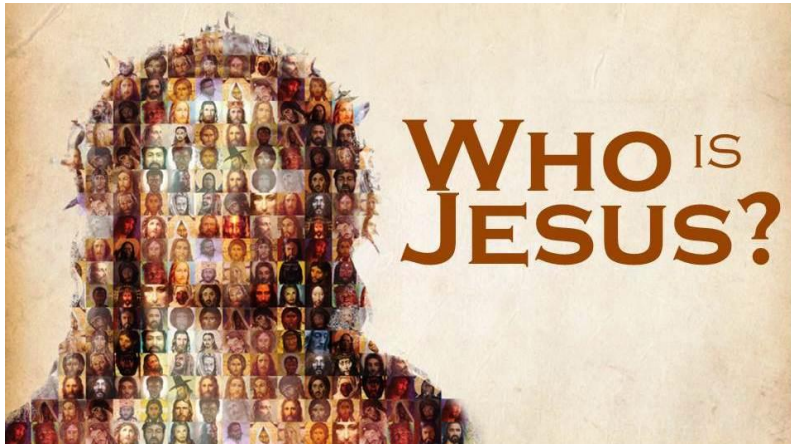



# ST. PETER'S UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST



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Sunday School – 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship – 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
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# **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021

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

## **Pre-Service Music and Ringing of the Bell**

### **Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude**            “In Joy I Come to Greet My Lord” (*Chopin*)            Shari Ohm

### **Call to Worship**

### **Prayer of Invocation**

**Worship with Music**            “Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

### **Pastoral Prayer & Lord’s Prayer**

Sharing of Concerns & Joys

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord’s Prayer

**Song**                                “It is Well”

**Scripture Reading**    Matthew 4:12-22

**Sermon:**                                “Who is this Jesus? Part IV – A Preacher & a Picker”

**Closing Hymn**                                “Grace Greater Than Our Sin”

### **Spoken Benediction**

**Postlude**                                “Variants on ‘St. Anne’” (*Williamson*)            Shari Ohm

## **Offering Envelopes:**

Offering envelopes for 2021 are on the table near the courtyard entrance. If you do not have envelopes, but would like to receive them, please contact the church office and we will make sure you receive a box.

## **The 2020 Financial Statements available**

2020 financial statements are ready to be picked up. They are on the cabinet shelf at the top of the steps near the entry doors leading to the church office.

## **Ways to Give:**

Option 1 – Place your offering envelope or gift in the offering plate on Sunday mornings.

Option 2 – You can mail in your financial gifts to the church office. The address is St. Peter's UCC, PO Box 220, Grant Park, IL 60940.

Option 3 – You can drop off your financial gifts to the church during office hours.

Option 4 – You can sign up to give automatically from your checking or savings account via an EFT automatic withdrawal – if you'd like a form to fill out, please contact the church office and we'll help you set one up.

Option 5 – You can visit our church webpage for giving and make a secure donation at [www.stpetersgp.org/give/](http://www.stpetersgp.org/give/) . You can give just one time or set it up for reoccurring gifts as well.

## **2021 Congregational Meeting:**

The 2021 Congregational Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup> , immediately following the 10:30 service. If you can't be in attendance, but would like to participate via Zoom, please contact the church office by January 27<sup>th</sup> and let them know. We will email you an invitation to the Zoom meeting a day prior to the meeting.

If you are unfamiliar with Zoom, but would like to vote for the church budget and/or replacement council members, please let us know. We can provide that information over the phone and you can submit your vote over the phone or via mail.

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

*(If you wish for your name to be taken off this list or would like to be added to the list, please let Pastor Kyle or the church office know. Thanks in advance).*

Gary Ekhoﬀ	Gene Sievers	Sherrie Hruby
Nancy Lewke	Melissa Mort	Carter Fortin
Austin Delaney	Mason Beseke	Rev. Frank Hoss
Delores & James Caton	Linda Havely	Paul Loverin
Ken Erickson	Mildred Katz	Ralph Kutemeier
Pauline Mitchell	Minnie Pﬀingsten	Louise Sievers
Jerry Regnier	The family of Steve Voigt	Sharon Heideman

**Join us Saturday, January 30<sup>th</sup> , at 2 pm in the church parking lot for a drive-by birthday parade for Mildred Katz. Mildred will be turning 105!**

## Matthew 4:12-22

### Jesus Begins to Preach

<sup>12</sup> When Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, he withdrew to Galilee. <sup>13</sup> Leaving Nazareth, he went and lived in Capernaum, which was by the lake in the area of Zebulun and Naphtali— <sup>14</sup> to fulfill what was said through the prophet Isaiah:

<sup>15</sup> “Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali,  
the Way of the Sea, beyond the Jordan,  
Galilee of the Gentiles—

<sup>16</sup> the people living in darkness  
have seen a great light;  
on those living in the land of the shadow of death  
a light has dawned.”<sup>[f]</sup>

<sup>17</sup> From that time on Jesus began to preach, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

### Jesus Calls His First Disciples

<sup>18</sup> As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. <sup>19</sup> “Come, follow me,” Jesus said, “and I will send you out to fish for people.” <sup>20</sup> At once they left their nets and followed him.

<sup>21</sup> Going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John. They were in a boat with their father Zebedee, preparing their nets. Jesus called them, <sup>22</sup> and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.

# Men's Meat & Potato Dinner



**Friday, February 12<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 PM (Dinner at 6 pm)**

**\*RSVP's need to be made by Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> @ 5 pm**  
**Call church office or email [pastorkyletimmons@live.com](mailto:pastorkyletimmons@live.com)**

**Cost is \$15 adult or \$10 (16 & under)**

**\*\*\*Due to Covid-safety regulations, a limited amount of seating will be available.**  
**If you don't want to come in person, you may pre-order a carry-out dinner for yourself/spouse/family. (Limited dinners available)**  
**Includes meat, potato, veggie, roll, dessert & drink.**

**You may also choose to BYOB if you desire.**