

Join us November 14th @7pm for our next Council Meeting



Join us for our next Blood Drive on **October 23rd** from 11:30-5pm





Matthew 21:26 - "But if we say, 'From man,' we are afraid of the crowd ... " Foolish Pharisees! They fear men more than they fear God, and so they miss out on the great blessing of knowing Jesus and His love. All our sins are like this: we fear something more than we fear God. And how foolish that is! Just think of the blessings we miss out on whenever we place our fear or trust in something other than God.

Envelopes are available at the bulletin table & welcome desk for offerings General Fund- \$1895 (Weekly need \$3,028.00 Operating budget)



Weekly Announcements October 22, 2023

Wedne fellows

Wednesday Bible Study has resumed! Join us on Wednesday at 10am for fellowship and study !

Coat Drive – Thank you for your wonderful donations! We were able to deliver quite the collection of coats, ready to serve the community for the coming winter.

Nursing Home Collection - We will be collecting individual packs of snacks, puzzles, coloring books, and coloring utensils for the nursing home.

Trunk or Treat – Thank you to all who helped with Trunk or Treat! Your volunteering, dressing up, and donations all work together to make a fun and festive event that the kids of our community enjoy!

Blood Drive- Our blood drive is just days away, and patients need

your help: Kids fighting cancer, patients waiting for critical surgeries, and people in your town who need blood to survive traumatic injuries. Thank you for your dedication to those in need. Please consider signing up and donating at our October 23rd Blood Drive from 11:30am- 5pm! We still have open spots for regular AND power red donations.



Wednesday 10/25 Bible Study 10am

Sunday 10/29 Worship 9am and 11am

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Did you know that you can donate to St. Peter on your phone and online? Visit our website for our online giving page. Or Download the FREE Vanco APP on your phone by visiting your App store. Next, search "St. Peter Lutheran Church" or search by our zip code '46368' and select our Church. Then, log in to your existing account; create a new account OR select 'Give Now' to give without creating an account. Select which 'Fund' you would like to give towards & finally select the amount you'd like to give!

If you are a visitor looking for a new church home, please stop in at the office and pick up a membership form – we can get the process started!

We are saving used stamps and clean prescription bottles with the labels fully removed!

Pastor Waite will do visitations as community illness levels allow – if you or someone you know would like a pastoral visit please call or email the office and we will get that set up! (If you know of a shut-in who has been missing a visit, please let us know that as well!) Please be sure to keep yourself and others safe this cold, flu, and Covid season! Birthdays ""Month

Judy Anderson Oct 3 **Dorothy Coons** Oct 5 **Geoffrey Wells** Oct 6 Kim Rex Oct 10 David Hawkins Oct 11 Leslie Hawkins Oct 21 **Diane Driver** Oct 26 David Gaines Oct 26 Sharon Marino Oct 29 Rob Maynard Oct 29 Have a Happy Birthday! If for any reason we missed listing your special day, please email the church office



Did you know that St. Peter has a food pantry? If you know a congregation member or someone in our community in need, please arrange a pantry visit with the office or visit the pantry on Sunday mornings.

If you are able, please consider making a donation! It helps our St. Peter family!



Pray for James Edwards, Richard and Betty Hull, Alan Anderson, Carol Riley, Karen Snyder & Family, The Carroll Family, Judy Anderson, Carol Anderson and family, Sandy & Vinney Paloma, Tina Gurniewicz, Virgina Galanos, Margie Fites, Dorothy Coons, John Gallagher, Ruth Imhof, Donna Flint-Wood, Howard, Deb and Ari Wilson; Joleen Wilson, Linda Lemond and family, Karen Ackermann, Bob Busch, Pat and John Newlin, Michael Cooper, Kathy Levandoski, Pauline & Mark Krill, Joe Blackwell, Wendy Harnung, the Labonte Family, Peggy Berg and many people in our congregation who are battling serious illnesses; and those grieving the loss of loved ones. *Have a Prayer Request that you would like St. Peter's Prayer Chain to know about? Please feel free to fill out a prayer slip on the bulletin table, or email /call the office with your request.*

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