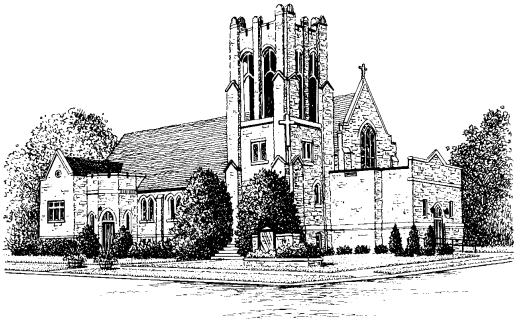




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## CHANGE SERVICE REQUESTED



# ST. PETER'S NET

# MAY 2022

Beloved in the Lord:

Whew! The last three months have been a blur for me! You've heard me say it's been like swimming in concrete getting to know you, as well as getting to know the ins and outs of daily ministry at St. Peter's. Now that Lent has come and gone, midweek confirmation instruction has paused for the summer, and a round of adult instruction has ended, I have some time to start getting to know you better.

Starting this month, a calendar is on the narthex bulletin board for you to choose a day for a visit. Certain days are blocked out when I am not available. Please don't feel forced to sign up for a visit. You can choose one of four options: 1. Pastor alone, 2. Pastor and Becky, 3. The entire Juhl family, or 4. You come to the parsonage instead of me coming to your home. The last option is if you are uncomfortable with visitors in your home. We can meet inside or, if the weather is cooperative, outside the parsonage.

Why am I doing this? Our Lord Jesus visited

people's homes. He broke bread with them. He talked with them. He is the friend of sinners. He was not afraid to be with people. Even the apostles visited people's homes. St. Peter went to the home of Cornelius, a Gentile convert, to hear how they heard the Good News and how his household desired baptism. If Jesus and the apostles were among people, your pastor also should be among people.



Being with you in your home helps me become a better pastor to you. In this age of texting, emailing, caller ID, and doorbells with cameras, we seem to have lost the art of conversation. The pandemic hasn't helped as we grew accustomed to staying home and not seeing other people except from a distance or over a computer screen. Home visits are a great way for us to get to know each other beyond a handshake on the way in and out of church. I have no agenda except to visit and pray as pastor and people. I hope to see you sometime this spring and summer!

*Your partner in the Gospel,  
Pastor Juhl*

# Music Ministry



Thank you to our active musicians who joyously enhanced our Easter Festival! Handbell choir members are: Lori Saager\*, Matthew Saager, John Smith, Katze Zieroth\*, Judy Smith, Stephen Saager\*, Cynthia Hemp, Linda Manthey\*, Debbie McVey\*, Nora Zieroth\*, and Cate Juhl. (\* = adult choir also.)

Easter instrumentalists were: Becky Juhl, *Trumpet*; Debbie McVey, *Flute*; Cate Juhl, *Violin*; Matthew Saager, *Tuba*.

As summer gets closer, there is plenty of room for small groups, solos, and instrumentalists ANY week. Cantor is happy to work with your schedule!

## A WALK THROUGH THE LITURGY: The COLLECT Of The DAY

As we continue to walk through the divine service, we move on to the Collect of the Day. the prayer which, "collects" the thoughts of the day's readings and succinctly summarizes them in prayer form and continues pointing us toward the theme of the whole day. Now, there are other "Collects" that we say in other services. Sometimes you might read in the service of Matins the "Collect for the Word" or something else, but they all follow a typical pattern. The pattern is this: There is an address to God, recalling His character or action in the world on our behalf. Then we make our request known to God. Then we close the prayer typically in this fashion, "through Jesus Christ, Your Son our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. Amen."



If you are a parishioner, you probably do not see the text of "Collect of the Day" unless you use the large-print bulletin. In past hymnals, you could find each collect printed next to the appropriate readings for the day. The Collect, like the readings for each day of the church year, is considered one of the propers.

The Collect of the Day should help tune, prepare, and ready our ears to hear that for which we just prayed in the upcoming readings. So we pray this prayer with great anticipation waiting to hear from Christ's own Word concerning the fulfill-

ment of what we just prayed. May you take a moment in worship to truly hear and listen to the Collect of the Day this Sunday and always.

For a more in-depth study, it is highly recommended that you visit a historical article as written in the 1994 edition of *Logia* magazine. It can be found at [ctsfw.net/media/pdfs/DavidPScaerLetUsPrayAHistoricalExaminationoftheCollectoftheDay.pdf](http://ctsfw.net/media/pdfs/DavidPScaerLetUsPrayAHistoricalExaminationoftheCollectoftheDay.pdf)

In His service,  
*Cantor Jeremy Zieroth*


## *Christian Women's Council Spring Plant Sale & Bake Sale*

*Arlington Garage Sale Days  
May 13<sup>th</sup> 8 am to 4 pm  
& May 14<sup>th</sup> 8 am to 12 pm  
303 Park St., Arlington*





A group of 21 members of the Christian Women's Council met at Buck & Honey's on April 23rd for a welcome luncheon for Becky Juhl. What a fun time for all involved.



5/1	Nina Schroeder
5/3	David Qualle
5/3	Herb Schultz
5/4	Jerran Hanson
5/4	Jacque Peshorn
5/14	Connie Hendrickson
5/14	Steve Paskey
5/23	Sandra Smith
5/24	Brita Schoeneberg
5/24	Veronica Lerch
5/29	Jane Tomlinson



*Congrats to the Class of 2022*

**Poynette High School**

- Tucker Johnson
- Austin Kruger
- William Plenty
- Aven Purves

**Lodi High School**

- Owen Wendt

**Columbus High School**

- Emma Osterloth

**2022 Esther Herwig Memorial Scholarship Recipients**

- Tucker Johnson
- Austin Kruger
- Emma Osterloth
- Owen Wendt

*Congratulations to you all!*



St. Peter's is open and welcoming everyone to come to worship. We offer three Divine services:

**Sundays at 8:00 am  
and 10:30 am,  
Mondays at 6:30 pm.**

YOU are invited to come to worship for the outpouring of God's love and receive the Sacraments.

Remember, you can give online at [StPetersArlington.org](http://StPetersArlington.org), with options for designated and automatic giving. Thanks for your generosity and support.



# Egg-cellent bouquet

Transform an egg carton into a Mother's Day keepsake.

## What you need:

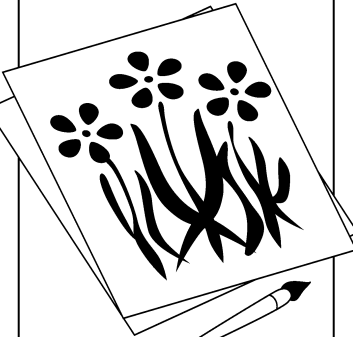
- Clean cardboard egg carton
- Scissors
- Acrylic paint and paintbrush
- Flat cardboard
- Photo, drawing or note
- Small pom-poms
- Hot glue
- Adult help

## What you do:

1. Bend, stretch and cut the carton cups to make 3-D flower shapes. Also cut leaf shapes from the carton top.
2. Paint the flowers and leaves. Let dry.
3. Cut the flat cardboard to a size and shape you desire. Leave a border at least 2 inches larger than your photo, drawing or note.
4. With hot glue, attach the photo, drawing or note to the cardboard.
5. Arrange and glue flowers and leaves around the border. Attach pom-poms for more color and texture.
6. Present the gift to your mom or a special woman in your life.

# SPRING

Make this beautiful craft to remind you of God's gift of new life at springtime.



## What you need:

- White 11" x 17" paper
- Acrylic paint (various spring colors, including green)
- Paintbrush
- Empty two-liter plastic bottle
- Paper plates
- Paper towels

## What you do:

1. With the paper placed vertically, paint stems and leaves with green paint.
2. Pour a different color of paint onto a paper plate. Then place the bottom of the bottle into the paint.
3. Using the bottle as a stamp, press it onto the paper to create a flower atop a green stem.
4. Repeat with different colors on different plates, cleaning the bottle each time, to create a beautiful spring bouquet.

**St. Peter's Child Care & Preschool**  
4-K Host Site for *Poynette School District*  
Kelly Pieper, *Director*

We hope that everyone enjoyed their Easter celebrations. The children learned about Jesus dying on the cross to forgive our sins in chapel and at daycare. They made crosses to show the love that Jesus has for us and that we have for Jesus. We also painted and played with Easter eggs.

We're hoping for more warm weather and less rainy/snowy days in May. This month we will take time to show appreciation to our mothers and the motherly figures in our lives. God has blessed us with many wonderful women that love us, whether they be mothers, aunts, grandmothers, stepmothers, foster mothers, adoptive mothers, or anyone else who helps take care of us every day. Thank you to all of the motherly figures! We will also learn about bugs and insects, as well as different cultures and traditions around the world. In addition, we will use our imaginations to explore the various parts of the circus.



## BIBLE STUDIES

Bible Study is on Sundays and meets in the sanctuary.

Saturday morning Men's Bible Study is held in the classroom across from the office at 8:00am.

Join in time of fellowship and discussion of God's Word.



## Parents and College Students:

Please let us know what your college address is going to be so that we can keep in touch through the coming year! Just email the Church Office:

**stpeterluth@gmail.com**

## DIVINE SERVICE SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

<p><b>May 1     3rd Sunday of Easter</b>                  Ezekiel 34:11-16                  Psalm 23                  1 Peter 2:21-25                  John 10:11-16</p>	<p>Order: DSII, p. 167                  w/ Rite of Confirmation (10:30am)                  Hymns: 865 - 710 - 708 - 740, 711, 735 - 864                  Organist: Cantor Jeremy Zieroth                  Choir: Adult Choir</p>
<p><b>May 8/9    4th Sunday of Easter</b>                  Isaiah 40:25-31                  Psalm 147:1-11                  1 Peter 2:11-20                  John 16:16-22</p>	<p>Order: DSII, p. 167                  Hymns: 480 - 483 - 633, 818, 727 - 597                  Organist: Cantor Jeremy Zieroth                  Choir: Lower Grades Sunday School (10:30am)</p>
<p><b>May 15/16   5th Sunday of Easter</b>                  Isaiah 12:1-6                  Psalm 66:1-8                  James 1:16-21                  John 16:5-15</p>	<p>Order: DSII, p. 167                  Hymns: 809 - 556 - 411, 729, 790 - 726                  Organist: Cantor Jeremy Zieroth                  Choir: Handbells</p>
<p><b>May 22/23   6th Sunday of Easter</b>                  Numbers 21:4-9                  Psalm 107:1-9                  James 1:22-27                  John 16:23-33</p>	<p>Order: DSII, p. 167                  Hymns: 837 - 772 - 702, 706, 474 - 469                  Organist: Cantor Jeremy Zieroth                  Choir: All Sunday School (10:30am)</p>
<p><b>May 29/30     The Ascension of Our Lord (Observed)</b>                  2 Kings 2:5-15                  Psalm 110                  Acts 1:1-11                  Mark 16:14-20</p>	<p>Order: DSII, p. 167                  Hymns: 493 - 491 - 494, 495 - 492                  Organist: Cantor Jeremy Zieroth</p>

### God's hands

Exactly a century ago, Irish physician Alexander Irvine published *My Lady of the Chimney Corner*, a book dedicated to his saintly mother. The protagonist, Anna, lives and ministers to others as Irvine's own mother had done.

In the story, Anna visits a neighbor who has just lost a son at sea. After talking for a while, Anna suggests they pray together. With heads bowed, she reaches to place a loving hand on the grieving mother's forehead. Afterward, the woman says, "I think I felt his touch upon my brow," referring to God.

Anna says, "God is everywhere looking for hands to use. Sometimes he takes the hand of a doctor and uses it in healing. Sometimes he takes the hand of a mother to soothe the brow of a fevered child. And sometimes he takes the hand of an old critter like me to bring a bit of help and comfort to a neighbor. But they are all God's hands, and God is everywhere looking for hands to use."



### Altar Guild Training Session

Saturday, May 21, 2022  
 9:30 AM

St. Peter's Lutheran Church

*God of all grace and mercy, bless those who serve as members of the altar guild that they may be faithful in their service. Grant them steadfast devotion and strong faith. By their loving service to your house of prayer and your altar of worship may your church be built up to the praise and honor of your most holy name; through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

Join us as we learn the ins and outs for what the Altar Guild is responsible, before, during, and after the church services. Anyone is welcome to join, it is not limited to just the ladies.

## COUNCIL MINUTES April 12, 2022

The April meeting of the Church Council was called to order at 6:34 pm. Pastor Juhl gave the opening devotion based on the hymn "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" that we will sing this week. It was written based on seven parts of the body. Jesus' head has the thoughts of God and how he thinks of us, He always thinks good of us, no matter what. The Lord's face that we can look upon and cast all of our sins to him. His feet, may we always walk with Him. His heart that we declare our own hearts desire asking God to always uphold us.

The agenda was presented. Bob Hagenow moved approval, Keith Podoll provided the second, motion carried.

Secretary's minutes were read. Camerone Gramse moved to approve the report, Brad Larson second, carried.

The Financial Secretary's report was given by Bob Hagenow. March was again a very solid month for giving. General fund giving was at 97.4% of the previous month and 153% of the previous year in March and 149% of previous month and 141% of the previous year for missions giving. Online giving in March was 11% of the total giving to the general fund and 13% of the mission giving which is to be expected as more people come back to the church but this is still a viable option to have available to our members. Bob mentioned that this is the first time in a very long time that giving for the quarter has exceeded the projected expenses as well as our pledged mission funds. Bill Manthey moved approval of the Financial Secretary's report, Tyson Miller second, carried.

The Treasurer's report was given by Meg Hanson. The current checkbook balance is \$17,891.57. This includes all bills on the report paid, two deposits and one payroll this month. Meg let us know that the Rock Solid bill will be paid out of the PreK Building Use fund for the Saturday call that they performed. Bob Hagenow moved approval of the treasurer's report, Charlotte Reddeman second, motion carried.

Elders report was presented. The Easter Egg Hunt held on April 9<sup>th</sup> generated an outreach to 93 people (56 of those being the children that received treat bags and did the egg hunting). There were many people in the church afterwards who enjoyed the donut holes and juice/coffee treats available. Military Care indicated that at this time all servicemen are home. Maundy Thursday's service will be 1<sup>st</sup> Communion for four of our midweek students. The Christian Women's Council held a meeting Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> and voted on groups to receive their annual tithes as well as set dates for their annual Plant/Bake Sale (May 13 & 14) and will be hosting a welcome luncheon for Becky Juhl on April 23<sup>rd</sup> at Buck & Honey's in Waunakee. Cantor Jeremy Zieroth stated that all choirs are gearing up for their last few performances of the year. There will be instrumentalists here to play the joyous Easter services.

Trustees reported that Rock Solid Heating was here on Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> due to a smell of burning electrical that they thought was coming from the downstairs heater. All parts of that heater were checked over but nothing was found. They did come back later in the day to re-check but again found nothing and so far no more burning smells have been noticed. The estimates for the outdoor signs were discussed. Changing to LED bulbs while keeping everything else the same came in at \$1,712.96. Using the same cabinet and replacing the manual signs with a digital sign would cost \$31,665 or putting in a two part sign with the church on top and Child Care on the bottom would be an additional \$23,000. Bob Hagenow moved to just replace the bulbs with LED's for the \$1,712.96 for now. Brad Larson second, motion carried. Bill Manthey was commended for doing an excellent job repainting the narthex bathroom. The Trustees are still looking for volunteers to help clean up the landscaping this spring, a sign up sheet is on the narthex bulletin board.

The Board of Christian Education report was given by Charlotte Reddeman. The Child Care Center is doing fine. They will be closed on Good Friday and are in preparations for summer enrollment and activities. The Sunday School will have its final day of the year on Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. They will be looking for a new superintendent as well as a few new teachers this fall as Bob and Lisa Hagenow are going to be stepping down after 16 years of teaching and leading. Midweek classes are in the final stretch with 4 members receiving their first communion on Maundy Thursday and Confirmation set for May 1<sup>st</sup> at the 10:30 service. Next year the midweek classes are also going to need a second teacher. The Sunday Morning Bible study groups are studying the book of Habakkuk. The Men's Bible Study having moved to Saturday mornings has doubled in size and they are studying the book of Psalms. The High School Youth are gearing up for hosting the Easter Breakfast.

Pastor's report began with Pastor Juhl giving us the average attendance for the first quarter of 2022 is at 96 members. He performed a baptism for Owen Michael Rehlinger on April 3<sup>rd</sup>. First Communion will be held Maundy Thursday. We will welcome four adult members into fellowship with us on Easter Sunday at the 9:30 am service. Youth confirmation will be held May 1<sup>st</sup>. He is participating in the Tre Ore service with St. John's on Good Friday. There will be a calendar put up in the narthex after Easter for all families in the congregation to sign up for a time when Pastor Juhl can come to meet them, an informal and voluntary way for him to get to know the families. Women's Bible Study is looking to restart after Easter as well, most likely will start with looking at holding it on Tuesday but that can certainly be changed if deemed more practical. Pastor would also like to get some kind of group gathering organized for the High School Youth, probably beginning in the fall. He has made a few visits to homebound members and is still trying to contact other homebound members and if any member of the congregation knows of a family that needs visiting please feel free to pass their name along to Pastor Juhl. Thanks to those who have done so already. Also is anyone knows of a family that has not been to church in awhile and would like Pastor to reach out to them, let him know who they are and the best way to contact them. Spring Pastor's Conference will be held May 2-4 in Stevens Point.

Michael Hendrickson moved to send the acceptance of four adult confirmands to the Voters' meeting for ratification. Those include Michael & Melissa Pertzborn (as well as Macie and Maya), Kristina Jensen, and Joey Pascavis after their completion of the adult confirmation class. Alex Rehlinger provided the second, motion carried. Michael Hendrickson then made the motion to accept the transfer in of Bill & Jan Stancer from *Immanuel Lutheran* (LCMS) West Plains, MO, as well as the transfer out of Hannah Taylor to *Risen Savior Lutheran* (LCMS) Basehor, KS. Brad Larson second, motion carried.

Old business began with the notice that the 56<sup>th</sup> triennial convention of the South Wisconsin District will be held at Concordia University Wisconsin on June 12-14, 2022. Keith Podoll moved to hold elections for our lay delegate at the Quarterly Voters' Meeting on April 24, 2022, Charlotte Reddeman second, motion carried.

New Business included notifications that the National LCMS Convention will be held July 29-Aug3, 2023 in Milwaukee. Also reports to be included in the quarterly voters' packet need to be in to the church office by Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. Cantor Zieroth led the council in the common doxology, then the meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm. Elder meeting follows.

Respectfully submitted,  
Lynnette Taylor, *Council Secretary*





**FINANCIAL REPORT  
CURRENT EXPENSE FUND:**



Balance on Mar 31, 2022 .....	\$25,083.44
Receipts for Apr (est.) .....	\$18,019.64
Expenses for Apr (est.) .....	\$(20,200.14)
Shortage/Overage .....	\$22,902.94

# ELDERS

May 1	8:00 a.m.	Michael Hendrickson
	10:30 a.m.	Michael Hendrickson
May 8	8:00 a.m.	Michael Hendrickson
	10:30 a.m.	Alex Rehlinger
May 9	6:30 p.m.	Benjamin Robinson
May 15	8:00 a.m.	Cameron Gramse
	10:30 a.m.	Bill Manthey
May 16	6:30 p.m.	Benjamin Robinson
May 22	8:00 a.m.	Cameron Gramse
	10:30 a.m.	Alex Rehlinger
May 23	6:30 p.m.	Benjamin Robinson
May 29	8:00 a.m.	Brad Larson
	10:30 a.m.	Bill Manthey
May 23	6:30 p.m.	Tyson Miller



## A VALUABLE *command*

God instructs children how to relate to their parents.

*Directions: Arrange the words in alphabetical order. Then insert the circled letters in order to complete Exodus 20:12, NIV.*



son	mother	father
daughter	honor	home
respect	family	obey
	love	

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2. ○ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ ○ \_ \_
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9. ○ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_
10. \_ \_ \_ \_ ○

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so t \_ at y \_ u may \_ \_ i \_ e l \_ ng in t \_ e land  
the L \_ \_ RD \_ \_ ou \_ \_ God i \_ \_ givi \_ g you.

EXODUS 20:12, NIV

Answer: 1. daughter, 2. family, 3. father, 4. home, 5. honor, 6. love, 7. mother, 8. obey, 9. respect, 10. son; Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.



### May 1, 8 & 15

**Early**

*No Chairman*  
Wade Senft  
George Schoeneberg  
Jeff, Brandon, Jacob Rowe  
Phil & Austin Kruger

**Late**

*Tyson Miller, Chr.*  
(635-8504)  
Mitch & Ahren Schoeckert  
Matthew Hendrickson  
Michael Hendrickson  
Stephen Saager  
James & Matthew Saager

### May 22 & 29

*Philip Hanson, Chr*  
(635-2244)  
Randy Schuster  
Robert Rittmeyer  
Mark Hirssig  
Justin, Jacob, Caleb Reddeman  
Richard & Tony Rittmeyer

*No Chairman*

Bob Hagenow  
Al Stoltenberg  
Brad Larson


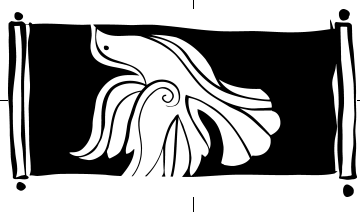


The table in the narthex has a good selection of cards available Stop by and check it out! There is a wide range of cards to fit every occasion and all proceeds go to the *Christian Women's Council* to help support all their good works. There are also a number of craft items available for sale. You may leave your cash or check in the basket on the table.



**MAY**  
635-4825  
*Kris Manke*

# CALENDAR FOR MAY 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>Easter 3 1</b> 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:15 AM SS/Bible Class 10:30 AM Divine Service <b>10:30 AM Rite of Confirmation</b>	<b>2</b> No Monday Service Pastor Juhl at Spring Pastors' Conference	<b>3</b> 6:30 PM Handbells	<b>4</b> 6:30 PM Handbells	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 8:00 AM Men's Bible Class
<b>Easter 4 8</b> <b>Mother's Day</b> 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:15 AM Bible Class 10:30 AM Divine Service <b>10:30 AM Lower Gr Sing</b>	<b>9</b> 6:30PM Divine Service	<b>10</b> 6:00 PM Bd of Ed 6:30 PM Council 7:30 PM Bd of Elders	<b>11</b> 6:30 PM Handbells	<b>12</b> 5PM - 7PM Set up Plant & Bake Sale	<b>13</b> 8AM - 4 PM CWC Plant & Bake Sale	<b>14</b> 8:00 AM Men's Bible Class 8 AM - Noon CWC Plant & Bake Sale
<b>Easter 5 15</b> 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:15 AM Bible Class/SS 10:30 AM Divine Service	<b>16</b> 6:30PM Divine Service	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 8:00 AM Men's Bible Class 9:30 AM Altar Guild Training
<b>Easter 6 22</b> 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:15 AM Bible Class/SS 10:30 AM Divine Service <b>10:30 AM All Grades Sing</b>	<b>23</b> 6:30PM Divine Service	<b>24</b> 	<b>25</b>	<b>Ascension 26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 8:00 AM Men's Bible Class
<b>Ascension (observed)</b> 8:00 AM Divine Service 10:30 AM Divine Service	<b>Memorial Day 30</b> 6:30PM Divine Service	<b>31</b>				

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