

St. Peter's Lutheran Church & School, LCMS

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Sunday July 27, 2014

Service: LSB pg. 184 Divine Service 3

Hymns: 902, 851, 743

Welcome to all our guests and visitors today! We hope you return and worship with us again soon! Large print bulletins are available from the ushers.

Events for July 27 - August 3

Today: 9:00AM Divine Service

Thursday: *Bulletin entries due today*

Next Sunday: 9:00AM Divine Service

Blood pressure screening

 Happy Birthday to: Darlyne Lehrke (Mon), Brian Grewe (Wed) and Jenny Bruns, Spencer Dolly & Kersten Schafer (Sat).
God bless your special day!!

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Going to college? Can't be here on a regular basis? Just want to get the weekly bulletins and calendars by email so you have them handy?

Contact Loretta at any time to join the list, cancel at any time!

ALSO:

Check out our new website at www.splcgibbon.org

You can find church & school news, events, history, Sunday service info, a link for the weekly bulletins, monthly calendars, and more!

(There is NO personal information stored on this site.)

OR:

Find all kinds of fun photos and socializing on facebook group page! This is a closed group, you must request to be added. Contact Loretta if you have any questions.

Our response to God's Love:

Sunday July 20, 2014: Attendance: **63** Giving Total: **\$6225.56**
General: \$2355.50 Missions: \$53 Commodities: \$3617.06 School: \$200
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Please prayerfully consider our deficit as you contemplate your giving in the upcoming months. Help us through the "summer-slump"! Thanks!!

A wonderful time was had by all at Camp Omega VBS this year! We tallied in as many as 40 "campers" for this fun-filled week of praise of learning, and 18 attendees at the youth night! Special thanks to Micah, Jessi B. and Maggie for organizing, Liz for teaching the preschool, Cody for organizing the youth night and for all the volunteers who helped during the week! Also, thanks to everyone who donated for snacks and to the LWML for organizing the bake sale! This week could not be possible without all of your help!! *God's blessings to all of you!!*

Thank you to all who attended and supported VBS at the band concert last week. Thank you to the families who brought food and beverages, and a special thank you to the wonderful ladies who made extra pies for us. It was very successful night and the weather couldn't have been better! Mandy & Patty

Box Tops for Education is ending July 31st. We will be sending in the last batch TOMORROW (28th). Our school gets valuable funds from these programs! The Cashwise points we sent in came to \$196.81! *Not too shabby for little slips of paper!!*

Bulletin entries will be due on Thursday.

The Board of Ed is seeking Sunday School volunteers for the next school year. Several more teachers are needed as well as a superintendent (no teaching, just coordinating curriculum, etc.) Please consider volunteering, teaching a class or team teaching! The curriculum is very well written with plenty of activities to cover the hour of class time! Contact Robb, Marilee, or Julie if interested.

Looking for something to do this week? How about revisiting the Sibley County Fair? Many of our congregation members have worked hard on some beautiful exhibits for 4-H and Open Class, come check it out!!

The month of August is going to be spent learning Divine Service Setting 2, pg. 167, in the new hymnal. Yes, it was in the old blue hymnal, Lutheran Worship, on pg. 178 and following. It was though an unfamiliar service, and not really used. Its word and praise are very close to the First Setting of worship, it's big difference is the music. It is a more somber service. A brief time before worship will be spent hearing the melody and practicing parts. These portions will be sung as the hymn before the message, and the message will also handle the text of these portions of service. The point is to familiarize and practice and add this wonderful setting to what St. Peter's uses for her Divine Service.

About today: When our Lord continues to unpack the mystery of the Kingdom, He says the Gospel is like a net tossed into the sea, gathering “fish of every kind” (Matthew 13:47). On the Last Day, it’s drawn to shore and sorted. The angels will, on that day, separate those with faith in Jesus from those without such faith. The end of the way of faith is unutterable joy, but unutterable misery awaits those who will not believe.

Hymns:

902 *Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now*

851 *Lord of Glory, You Have Bought Us*

743 *Jesus, Priceless Treasure*