



February 23, 2025

Seventh Sunday of the Epiphany

St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church

403 West Bridge Street, Brownstown, IN

The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church, LCMS

403 West Bridge Street, Brownstown Indiana 47220

Sunday Worship 8:00 AM & 10:30 AM

Sunday School and Adult Bible Class 9:15 AM

Scan QR Code for online services



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St. Peter's Child Care Ministry

812-358-7034

Lutheran Central School (Preschool 3 & 4 - Grade 8)

812-358-2512

HIS LOVE – OUR RESPONSE

Sunday, February 16: 179 General: \$ 7,317.00 Special Gifts \$ -----

SERVING US THIS WEEK

Pastor: Rev. Ryan Schneider

Organist: Lori Tabor

8:00 AM Elders: David Garrison -- Caleb Hackman -- Brandon Briner

10:30 AM Elders: Paul Pottschmidt -- Jeff Hackman -- Emmitt Hanner

8:00 AM Acolyte: Tyler Tormoehlen

10:30 AM Acolytes: Avery Robertson and Avery Cassidy

AT EITHER DOOR

- 1) Portal of Prayers – Winter issue (January, February, March)
- 2) My Devotions – Spring issue (March, April, May)
- 3) Special Voters' meeting agenda with teacher approvals and LCS 2025-2026 Budget

† SUNDAY MORNING ADULT BIBLE STUDY †

Biblical Themes of Scripture video series and study. Discover big ideas core to the biblical story from their first appearance through the entire narrative of the Bible. The great biblical themes are about God, his revealed works of creation, provision, judgment, deliverance, his covenant, and his promises. The Bible sees what happens to mankind in the light of God's nature, righteousness, faithfulness, mercy, and love. February 23.

DIRECTORY PICTURE EXTRA DAY

The Directory company has given us an extra day for you to

get your picture taken. **Tuesday -- March 4, 2025, 2:50 to 8:30 PM**

The on-line sign-up is now open. If you are not able to access this QR portal, please see Jo at the church office.



LENTEN SUPPERS

If you would be interested in sponsoring a supper before the Lenten services, **please sign the sheet in the narthex.** Dates available are March 5, March 12, March 19, March 26, April 2, and April 9. The supper attendance is approximately 50, just a simple menu.

ORPHAN GRAIN TRAIN VOLUNTEERS

If you would like to volunteer at Grain Train on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm, just show up and begin to work.

ST. PETER'S DAYCARE WISHLIST

The daycare is in need of supplies if you are willing to donate. The QR code will take you to the Daycare's Amazon Wishlist, where you can order the supplies directly. Thank you for your tremendous help!



DAY CARE - SPONSOR A CLASSROOM - 2025 FORMS

They are available at either door, please feel free to pick a form up, fill out the form, and return it to the Day Care. Thank You for your support.

ANNIVERSARY NOTES

The 125th Anniversary of St. Peter's has begun! There is a table set up in the Gathering Area with mementos of this occasion. You will find magnets, pens, and coloring books that you may pick up for a donation if choose. We are also making available a pencil drawing of the church drawn by our member, Kathy Nichols. These are being sold for \$ 10.00 a piece. This table will be up every Sunday through March 2. After that, it will be out every celebration Sunday. Continue to check out the table as new items will be added during the year.

SPECIAL VOTERS' MEETING SUNDAY MARCH 9, AT 6:00 PM

A Special Voters' Assembly is required to approve new teaching staff at Lutheran Central. The school board held interviews to fill two teaching positions at LC - 3rd & 4th Grades. Out of four candidates, two were selected by the school board. **Katie Tormoehlen** has been selected and has accepted the 3rd Grade teaching position. **Chelsey Peters** has been selected and has accepted the 4th Grade teaching position. All three association congregations need to vote to approve these two candidates. Since this special voters' meeting pertains to LC, the 2025 - 2026 LC Budget will also be presented for a vote to approve by our congregation. Please attend this voters' meeting.

LUTHERAN CENTRAL DEAN OF STUDENTS

At our November 2024 Voters' meeting, St. Peters approved the creation of a Dean of Students position at Lutheran Central. Interviews were held by the school board, and **Andrea McKinley** was selected and has accepted the Dean of Students position. Mrs. McKinley will be finishing the current year 2024 - 2025 as the 4th Grade teacher. She will begin as Dean of Students in the 2025 - 2026 school year.

RaiseRight ORDER (SCRIP) Final order of the year!

RaiseRight orders are due Friday, May12th. RaiseRight is an opportunity to support Lutheran Central by purchasing gift cards at cost to use on everyday purchases or as gifts. By purchasing them through the RaiseRight program, LC gets a percentage of each purchase that we then use for student activities and equipment. ***So far this year, our school has received \$1,027 through the purchase of RaiseRight gift cards. THANK YOU!*** We will ensure all orders are delivered the week after orders are due. Order forms can be found in each church or you may contact your church representative:

Trinity: Andrea McKinley

St. Paul's: Kasey Wischmeier

St. Peter's: Andrea Pendleton & Jessica Kellermeier

Thank you for your support!

REDEEMER MISSION PRESENTATION

Sunday March 2nd at 6pm at Redeemer in Seymour, we will have a special evening Mission Presentation of the recent Mission Trip to Kenya. Eighteen people went on the Mission trip, representing several Lutheran churches in Jackson County. Refreshments will be served along with some fun and fellowship. Come and learn more about our Lutheran Mission in Kenya.

CALENDAR FOR THIS WEEK of February 23, 2025

Today: Sunday (February 23)

- + 8:00 AM Worship Service with Holy Communion
- + 9:15 AM Sunday School and Adult Bible Classes
- + 10:30 AM Worship Service

A LOOK AHEAD

Next Sunday (March 2)

- + **10:00 AM** Special 125th Service with Holy Communion
- Guest Pastor is Pastor Jeff Nehrt
No Sunday School or Adult Bible Class

Tuesday (March 4)

Directory Photo Day (sign up now)

Wednesday (March 5)

- + 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Worship Service

THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR

Our Members:

Kristen Combs, recovering from gall bladder surgery**

Ella Waskom, dislocated knee***

Peggy Hehman***

Betty Wilson****

John Sparks, cancer treatments**

Todd Stark***

Those With Special Needs:

Shirley Wessel, mother of Sherri (Tim) Keithly, breast cancer*

Joan Ludban, surgery after a fall** (sister of Arlene Ayers) and Joan's daughter,

Leigh who was diagnosed with cancer**

Kathy Dillman, recovering at home***

Terry Schlehuser, (son-in-law of Bertie Roettger; brother-in-law of Rose & Gary Bischoff, Monie Cutter), **rectal cancer******

Arthur Kamman, brother of Marilyn & Mildred Kamman and Dorothy (Jim) Christopher, leukemia****

Celebrating Wedding Anniversaries This Week: none

Celebrating Birthdays This Week:

February 24 – Seth Brock, John Sparks

February 25 – Tim Hayden

February 26 – Buck Chastain, Kayla Lynn, Harry Rochner

February 27 – Cortney VanLiew

February 28 – Anna Spencer

February 29 – Linda Myers

March 1 – Olivia Hanner, Philip Pottschmidt

Special Request

The gift of a daughter, Charlotte Sophia, to Adam & Hannah (Hackman) Hanner, February 10

The gift of a son, Roger Dean Abner, to Matt & Emily Stuckwisch born February 14

Clarity Diaper Drive

Help us make a difference in supporting
new parents with DIAPERS!



Collection Drive:
February 2 – March 2

Drop-off Location:
Church Gathering Room

Need:
Diapers of all sizes

For more information about Clarity,
you can visit their website at:
Claritycares.org

Thank You for your donation ♥

“Children are a gift from the Lord”
Psalm 127:3





**9 More Days
To
Sign-Up
For
Directory Pictures**

**Please
Use The QR Code (in the church bulletin)
Or
Check With
The
Church
Office**



**Directory Pictures
Are On
Tuesday, March 4th.**





Sunday Service Reminder

Only One
Sunday Service
Mar. 2

10 AM

Church Meal
Following Service

Mar. 2nd No Sunday School

Let's Celebrate 125 Years

