

# ST PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH



**Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost  
October 24, 2021**

**“Lord, to whom shall we go?  
You have the words of eternal life.”**

**John 6:68**

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**WELCOME TO St Peter's Lutheran! We pray this worship hour is a blessing for you and invite you to please come again soon. If you are a visitor, please sign the Guest Register.**

**Divine Service Setting Four with Communion**

**HYMN OF INVOCATION "Amazing Grace"      LSB # 744**

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**SERVICE OF THE WORD**

**INTROIT**

P: Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord!

**C: O Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!**

P: O Lord, my heart is not lifted up; my eyes are not raised too high;

**C: I do not occupy myself with things too great and too marvelous for me.**

P: But I have calmed and quieted my soul, like a weaned child with its mother;

**C: like a weaned child is my soul within me.**

P: O Israel, hope in the Lord

**C: from this time forth and forevermore.**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son  
and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

P: Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord!

**C: O Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!**

**SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. O God, the Helper of all who call on You, have mercy on us and give us eyes of faith to see Your Son that we may follow Him on the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

**Jeremiah 31:7-9**

*Thus says the Lord: "Sing aloud with gladness for Jacob, and raise shouts for the chief of the nations; proclaim, give praise, and say, 'O Lord, save Your people, the remnant of Israel.'*

*Behold, I will bring them from the north country and gather them from the farthest parts of the earth, among them the blind and the lame, the pregnant woman and she who is in labor, together; a great company, they shall return here. With weeping they shall come, and with pleas for mercy I will lead them back, I will make them walk by brooks of water, in a straight path in which they shall not stumble, for I am a Father to Israel, and Ephraim is My firstborn."*

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**PSALM**

**Psalm 126, vs. 1-3**

P: When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,

**C: We were like those who dream.**

P: Then our mouth was filled with laughter,

**C: And our tongue with shouts of joy;**

P: Then they said among the nations,

**C: “The Lord has done great things for them.”**

P: The Lord has done great things for us;

**C: We are glad.**

**EPISTLE READING**

**Hebrews 7:23–28**

*The former priests were many in number, because they were prevented by death from continuing in office, but He holds His priesthood permanently, because He continues forever. Consequently, He is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them. For it was indeed fitting that we should have such a High Priest, holy, innocent, unstained, separated from sinners, and exalted above the heavens. He has no need, like those high priests, to offer sacrifices daily, first for His own sins and then for those of the people, since He did this once for all when He offered up Himself. For the law appoints men in their weakness as high priests, but the word of the oath, which came later than the law, appoints a Son who has been made perfect forever.*

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**ALLELUIA**

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P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the tenth chapter.

**C: Glory to You, O Lord.**

*They came to Jericho. And as [Jesus] was leaving Jericho with His disciples and a great crowd, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, the son of Timaeus, was sitting by the roadside. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" And many rebuked him, telling him to be silent. But he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" And Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they called the blind man, saying to him, "Take heart. Get up; He is calling you." And throwing off his cloak, he sprang up and came to Jesus. And Jesus said to him, "What do you want Me to do for you?" And the blind man said to Him, "Rabbi, let me recover my sight." And Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he recovered his sight and followed Him on the way.*

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to You, O Christ.**

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**SERMON HYMN**

**LSB # 720**

**"We Walk By Faith and Not By Sight"**

**Bible Verse for the Week:**

**Jeremiah 31:7**

*This is what the Lord says:  
"Sing with joy for Jacob;  
shout for the foremost of the nations.  
Make Your praises heard, and say,  
'Lord, save Your people,  
the remnant of Israel.'*

**SERMON**

**God Never Forgets Us**

**Jeremiah 31:7-9**

**OFFERTORY**

**LSB # 806**

**“Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart”**

**PRAYERS of the CHURCH**

**PRAYER FOR PASTOR JENNINGS**

**O Gracious Father, You led Your holy apostles to ordain ministers for the proclamation of Your Word and the faithful administration of the sacraments of Christ. Grant Pastor Jennings the guidance of the Holy Spirit as he prepares to come to St. Peter’s and serve as our pastor, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Keep him safe and bring him into our midst in January. Amen.**

**SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT**

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**POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

**CLOSING HYMN “O Bless The Lord, My Soul” LSB # 814**

**The Lord’s Supper is celebrated at this congregation in the confession and glad confidence that, as he says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread and wine but his very body and blood to eat and to drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with him and with one another. Our Lord invites to his table those who trust his words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as he forgives and loves us, that they may show forth his death until he comes. Because those who eat and drink our Lord’s body and blood unworthily do so to their great harm and because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod, and yet desire to receive the sacrament, are asked first to speak with the pastor or an usher. You may come to the Altar for a blessing from Pastor without receiving Holy Communion. Simply cross your arms across your chest to indicate to not receive the hosts.**

### **Birthday Song:**

**Thanks for our friends who celebrate  
Another year they contemplate  
The life You gave them here on earth.  
Praise to the Lord who gives us birth!**

### **Baptismal Song:**

**Thanks for our friends who celebrate  
Another year You consecrate.  
Praise God who baptized them below.  
Praise to the Lord, His Church to grow!**

### **Anniversary Song:**

**Thanks for two friends who celebrate  
Yet one more year in this estate.  
Praise God who made their flesh unite.  
Praise to the Lord for this delight!**

### **IN OUR PRAYERS**

The family of Melvin Baker, as he went home to the Lord this past Sunday.

**Glodine Clements, Ron Clements, Joan Colvin, Judy Daniels, Neil Hartwig, Caleb Henrichs, Sherry Herder, Bob Krone, Phil Kubler, Adam Kucera, Kathy Kucera, Norma Moore, Susan Owens, Frank Schomaker, Wayne Smith, Shane Wade. Also, military members: Sgt. Kelsey Kubler, and Pvt. Nicklous Shultz, MSgt. Kevin Beeman.**

### **Members in Care Homes**

*Tri-Valley:* Karen Bruenger

*Heritage Health:* Eileen Robertson, Ellery Robertson:

*Lawrence-Norma Moore*

*Olathe-* Doris Wilhite

**Missionaries in**

**Guinea, West Africa**

**Indonesia**

**Belize Mission Society**

Tim & Beth Heiney Family

Rev. Matthew & Kali Wood Family

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Humboldt Food Pantry is in need of **instant potatoes and beef and chicken ramen noodles**. The Humboldt Food Pantry, 718 Bridge Street, is OPEN EVERY TUESDAY FROM 5-6 PM.

THE FEEDING AMERICA PROGRAM (Wal Mart Donations) distributes food on the SECOND AND FOURTH MONDAYS of the month from 10-11 AM at the Humboldt Senior Center/Pantry, 718 Bridge Street. This is a first come/first served type distribution, with no guarantee of any food boxes left by 11 AM.

ANYONE who lives in the USD # 258 school district, who is experiencing food insecurity, is encouraged to come to the Food Pantry and to the Feeding America Programs.

You may help support the Humboldt Food Pantry by taking your gently used clothing/household items and furniture to "Everything Fitz" and designate the sales to the Humboldt Food Pantry.

**Biblesta Meeting** will be October 25, 2021, at 6:00 PM at the Von Humboldt Housing meeting room, 410 South 9th Street Humboldt KS.

**The Christian Board Of Education** continues to offer transportation to and from Sunday School and/or Wednesday Midweek School for anyone needing a ride. Please contact Jenny Krone 620-433-2867

It is never too late to begin attending Wednesday Midweek Christian education for preschool students to 8th grade from 6:00-7:30 PM. Chapel time begins at 6PM, followed by classroom instructions with a closing at 7:20 PM. Hope to see you on Wednesday.

Children Sunday School begins at 8:30 AM We offer classes for children preschool to High School. Please come and be amazed what you can learn in Sunday School!!

**THEME VERSE FOR THE YEAR:** It is that time of the year when a new Theme Verse of the Year needs to be selected by the Elders. Please put your thinking cap on and turn in suggestions to Pastor Daugherty's mailbox. We already have four verses to consider.

**Pastor Daugherty has three small pecan trees that need a home. If you are interested, please speak with him today.**

**Please consider signing up to help with communion in November or December.** You may sign up for the entire month or a week. The sheet is located on the table in the narthex. There are individuals willing to help you through the process of setting up and clearing communion. If you're trying to limit the number of trips to Humboldt, we can work out a schedule for that as well. Contact DeAnn Hauser if you would like to help or need more information.

**Trunk or Treat:** We are planning to have Trunk or Treat this year. We will be handing out candy only from 4:30 to 5:30 on Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. We will have a drive thru instead of the kids walking along the sidewalk. We will NOT be cooking, only handing out candy.

We will require that everyone handing out candy and representing St. Peters wear a mask.

The vehicles will come in the drive at the front of the church and exit on the backside of the church. We will park the vehicles, so the trunks are facing out. We will also space the vehicles 6 feet apart. If you plan on having a trunk, we will divide the candy in buckets and hand out all the goodies at the beginning of the event.

1.) If you plan on having a trunk, please sign the sign-up sheet in the Narthex.

2.) If you would like to donate candy to this outreach project, please leave it in the church office.

If you have any questions, please contact Curt or Alisha Mueller, 620-496-7919 or muellerlish@gmail.com . Or Tom and Alicia Schomaker, 620-473-0679.

**If you leave a note for Carman in the office, be sure to include your name and date. There have been too many notes that do not have names. Thank you for your help. Leon Storck, Head Elder.**

**Church Directory:** On the table in the narthex are 2 copies of the old directory. I need to have the information updated. If your information is correct, please put ok beside your name. If there is a change, please write in the change. I would like to print a new directory in January after Pastor Jennings is here. Thank you, Carman.

**Lutheran Witness:** If you are interested in receiving the Lutheran Witness, please let the office know by Nov. 7th. The cost is \$16.25, payable to the church, put Lutheran Witness in the memo.

**Attendance & Offering Reports:**

**Oct 17 Attendance**

**Offerings**

Sunday School 19 + 0V

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**WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES:**

**Oct 24-Oct 31**

TODAY 8:30 AM Sunday  
9:30 AM Communion  
11:00 AM Voter's Meeting

WED 6:00 PM Midweek

THUR 9:00 AM Mission of Love  
5:00 PM Men's & Women's Bible Study  
6:00 PM Choir Practice

SUN 8:30 AM Sunday School  
9:30 AM Communion  
4:30 PM Trunk or Treat

**Birthdays**

25 Staci Rather  
27 Ryan Munro

27 Dorothy Cartwright\*

**Anniversaries**

27 Barry & Sue Adams- 58 Yrs.\*

**Baptismal Birthdays**

29 Judy Kubler

**\*Special Birthday or Anniversary**