

## LEAD WITH LOVE

**St. Peter Lutheran School accepting students:** Please encourage applications through the school office or online at [www.splcs.com](http://www.splcs.com).

**Remember This Date:** March 10 after the 7p.m. Lenten service will be our Lutheran High Parent/Student meeting – a mandatory meeting for all families with students in Lutheran High School this coming fall.

**Did You Know?** St. Peter Lutheran Church and School/Preschool will be represented at the Macomb Township “Egg”stravaganza, Saturday, March 27, 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. Children can join in games, crafts, the “Hippity Hop Trail,” and other activities. Our Church, School, and Preschool will host a table to share information about our ministry. For more information, contact the Parks and Recreation department at 586.992-2900.

**Come Support Our Troops!!!** Germack Nut sale this weekend Saturday & Sunday in the Crossroads. Buy nuts, dried fruit and candy to help us pay for shipping costs, and on occasion purchasing additional items to send in care packages. We also send cards for holidays and birthdays. Please keep all our men and women in uniform in your prayers. Thank you. Vera Pinterpe & Patty Wiegand

**New Principal:** Our Principal, Terry Davis, has announced his retirement after the end of this school year. A Call Committee is currently being formed with the objective of calling a new Principal for St. Peter Lutheran School. The congregation is invited to submit names of potential candidates for consideration by the Call Committee. Please fill out a submission form (in church and school offices) and place in a sealed envelope and submit to the Church Office attention John Fitzpatrick by Monday, March 22nd. Your prayers for God’s will to be apparent throughout the process are also encouraged.

**Welcome to God’s Family, Preparing for Your Child’s Baptism...**  
A one-hour orientation to introduce (or re-introduce) you to what St. Peter believes and teaches about Baptism and to prepare you for your child’s Baptism in worship. Contact the Church Office for details.

**When:** **First Sundays** of the Month, 9:30 – 10:30 a.m., Music Room

March 7, April 11 (note date), May 2, and June 6.

**Tuesdays following** the First Sunday, 7 p.m. – 8 p.m., in Music Room.

March 9, April 13 (note date), May 4, and June 8

## SIT FOR WORSHIP

**When is Lent?** Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and lasts all the way to Easter, a 46 day period. If all Sundays are excluded, there are 40 days of Lent. This reminds us of the 40 days that our Lord spent in the wilderness before He began His public ministry.

**Our 2010 Weekend Lenten Theme...** “Mission: Deliverance”  
We’ll focus on Luke’s Gospel with these themes: Today: “God Waits”

March 14: “God Runs”

March 21: “God Dies”

March 28: “God Plants”

**Midweek Lenten Schedule:** Wednesday Worship – 4 & 7 p.m.  
Please join us for our Lenten suppers in the gym, served 5 – 6:30 p.m. St. Peter Boards and leaders take turns preparing and serving a variety of soups, salads, and dishes. Freewill donations benefit the Seminary Fund for St. Peter men studying for the ministry.

**Imagine an entire congregation** prioritizing their time based on making an eternal difference rather than just what’s most popular, most attractive or “the thing to do.” Imagine an entire community deciding as people of God, as families, as a congregation, to get out of the “rat race” by cutting out things that don’t advance the kingdom. Imagine the impact of focused, intentional, content living.

**Help! For the Hurried Life...** Browse our narthex tables today.

**Former Pews Back In Service in God’s Kingdom!** Just as we did with our former sanctuary’s altar furniture, and with the approval of the St. Peter Planning Council, many of our former pews have been donated to Total Life Change Ministries, a new church moving from Roseville and starting in Detroit. **Since we still have a few pews left (they were not able to use all of them) we are offering them to anyone in the congregation who would want one, first come, first served.** These pews are 17 feet long and quite heavy and you would need a method of moving them. Any pews not spoken for by Sunday March 28 will be donated for resale to Habitat for Humanity, which has also expressed an interest in them. Please call Michael Krause at 586-781-3434 if you are interested.

03/07/2010

## WALK IN HIS WORD

**BIBLE CLASSES AND SUNDAY SCHOOL** each Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

**Love Languages (DVD series):** Meets with Amy Zael in Room 1

**Growing Character (Family Class):** Meets with Room 6

**Discovery:** Meets with Dave Bratkowski in Room 11

**Listen! God Is Speaking (Our Worship Readings)**

Meets with Terry Davis in Room 9

**Gospel of John:** Meets with Phil & Nicki Wargo in Library

**LifeLight on Sundays**

Faculty Lounge... Charlie Wolf, leader

Room 8... Chris Oberly, leader

**8<sup>th</sup> / 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Confirmation:** in Kaiser Hall and Kaiser Lounge.

**Sunday Morning Bible Classes continue until March 28<sup>th</sup> (Palm Sunday).**

**No Bible Classes or Sunday School on Easter (April 4) or April 11.**

**Financial Peace University... meets Sundays, 6 p.m., in Room 6.**

**Confirmants:** Don't forget our three special classes after Easter:

April 18, April 25, and May 2: Sunday mornings only.

### Wednesdays in the Word

New Member Class with pastors in Library - 6 p.m.

JEREMIAH CLASS does not meet during Lent. We'll pick up the prophet's message from the Lord on Wednesday, April 7, 7 p.m.

### Bible 101... I want to know more about God's Book!

Are you interested in "getting a handle" on reading and studying the Bible? Starting Wednesday, April 7, St. Peter will offer an 8-week overview of understanding, knowing, and applying God's Word. Pastor Kasper and Pastor Wagener will focus on topics such as "God's Library," how we got the Bible, translations and tools, the great figures of Bible history, and why we can trust the Bible. But most of all, our time together will help you to read—really read!—and get the most out of your personal Bible. The course begins April 7 and runs to May 26, 7 – 8 p.m. Plan to attend! Invite a friend!

**College:** Our Monday night college Bible study will resume in the spring. Join us though for worship during Lent on Wednesday nights at 7p.m. over at HIS Rock.

## FOLLOW TO SERVE

**Students,** we will be hosting the Lenten dinner on Wednesday night, March 10th. Those interested in lending a hand that evening please get in touch with Bo at 586-992-9816. Thank you in advance for making a difference.

**Laugh Out Loud 8** is happening Fri. night, Mar. 26<sup>th</sup>. It is one of the best nights of the year made even better because you are there. So grab a friend and join us for an evening of food, dancing, fellowship, and lots of laughter. And if you are interested in donating an auction item for our event and/or need further information, please feel free to contact Bo Chapman (586-992-9816 or [bchapman@splcs.com](mailto:bchapman@splcs.com)).

**Job Seekers Network:** Mark your calendars for Mar 23rd – 7pm – "Establishing Your Brand" with Contessa Lopez.

### Lenten Supper Schedule:

Mar. 10	Student Ministry	Brats
Mar. 17	Women's Ministry	Sloppy Joes
Mar. 24	Bd. of Parish Fellowship	Pizza

**Upcoming Marriage Retreat:** April 23-25 at Skyline Conference Center in Almont. "Celebration and Battle: Bringing His Heart to Your Marriage". Registration forms available in the narthex. (This is not the St. Peter retreat for couples getting married in 2010.)

**Vintage Fashion Show:** Ladies of all ages are invited to attend the next get-together of the **Women's Ministry** on **THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2010, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 6.** We are planning to have our own fashion show, made up with vintage clothing from years past. Please join us for some fun, good food and fellowship - and bring along a friend! All are welcome!

**We Need Callers:** The Board of Evangelism will host a short information meeting, March 25 at 7:00p.m. in Room 6 regarding a ONE TIME CALL to visitors who have attended our Easter Services. We are also in search of We Care Callers, (calling church members who have been absent from our church services). If you have been thinking about becoming involved with a church activity that you can do from your home, please attend this meeting. We are inviting our current callers as well - We want to THANK YOU in person for your continued service to our church. For further info: Contact Rich & Karen Gluski, 586-207-6201 or [richardgluski@comcast.net](mailto:richardgluski@comcast.net)

Thank you!

Board of Evangelism