

APRIL 11, 2021

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

THE GATEKEEPER'S RECORD

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church 6167 Walmore Road Sanborn, N.Y. 14132

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This Week

4/11-Sun.
8:30 a.m.-Worship Service
11:00 a.m.-Worship Service

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School

No Confession Class Today

4/12—Mon.-Parish Board Meeting—
6:30 p.m.

4/13—Tues.—No Men's Bible Study
Today

4/14—Wed.- Church Council Meet-
ing—7:00 p.m.

Pastor Tom on Vacation-4/9—4/16

Next Week

4/18-Sun.-Communion
8:30 a.m.-Worship Service
11:00 a.m.-Worship Service

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School

No Confession Class Today

4/17-4/27—Ruth Pirinelli on vacation

4/20—Tues.—Men's Bible Study Re-
sumes

HERE AND NOW AT ST. PETER'S

EASTER FLOWER SALE: If you purchased flowers to decorate the church for Easter, today is the last day you can pick them up. Many thanks go to all who participated. The church looked beautiful for Easter Sunday!! A big thank you goes to Tim and Brenda Walck for organizing the flower sale. The money raised will be put toward the new audio/visual system for the church.

COMMUNION CHANGES: A hybrid communion service has been initiated. For those who wish to continue using the packets and remaining in the pews, they will take communion first at that point in the service. For those who wish to participate in continuous distribution, the following procedure will be followed. Pastor, gloved and masked, will serve the bread. Communicants should come forward, socially distanced with their mask on, and receive the bread from Pastor. After the bread is given, communicants should move to the side toward the Elder, lower their mask, eat the bread, raise their mask, and walk toward the Elder. When reaching the Elder, who will be gloved and masked, either wine or white grape juice will be given after which communicants should move away from the Elder, lower their mask, drink the wine/grape juice, raise the mask, and return to the pew. This process will be reviewed at the beginning of the service. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Pastor or the Elders.

PASTOR TOM is on vacation until Friday, April 16. If there is an emergency, please contact the Elders: Bob Lamb- 622-8918, Rodney Haseley- 731-9669 or Marty Hennemann-622-8405.

IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, PLEASE COMPLETE a communion card and either give it to an Elder or place it in the offering plate in the church entrance. This only needs to be done once annually. Thank you.

THE ARCHIVE COMMITTEE is always looking for photos and other items to add to the collection. Please contact a member of the committee if you have items you would like to donate.

THE READER/GREETER SCHEDULE for May, June, July and August 2021 is on the website. Click on "Connect" and then "Gatekeeper, Newsletters and Communication," and then scroll down to "Reader/Greeter Schedule." It is also on the cabinet in the narthex. For the time being, readers are also greeting at the entrance door.

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS are available on the church website. Click on "Connect" and then "Gatekeeper, Newsletters and Communication," and then scroll down to "Reader/Greeter Schedule & Monthly Daily Scripture Readings." Copies are also available in the old school entrance and on the table in the church entrance.

ONLINE GIVING—The online giving link is now available through Faith-life. The PayPal will be maintained for a bit longer as we continue to tran-

IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS!

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www.discoverstpeters.org

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All calendar dates should
be cleared through the
respective office.

**Articles for publication
in the *Gatekeeper* must
be submitted to Ruth by
Wed at 9 a.m.**

Save the Date:

**Weekly in-person church ser-
vices have resumed. Services
will continue to be livestreamed.**

5/23—Confirmation Sunday

OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD FOR HIS MANY BLESSINGS

ATTENDANCE	CURRENT GIVING	NEEDED EACH WEEK	OVER/SHORT
4/1 37			
4/2 88			
4/4 168	\$6,391.47	\$5,943.42	+\$448.05

Audio/Visual System: At the annual congregational meeting, the congrega-
tion approved the installation of a new audio/visual system for the church. The
total cost of this system is estimated at **\$8,800, including contingency**. If
you would like to donate to this project, please mark your church envelope or
online donation for "Audio/Visual System." Thank you!
DONATIONS AS OF 4/4/21—\$4,855.82

sition everything. The website has a tab that says "Giving." Offerings can be
safely and securely processed through the new website. If you have any ques-
tions, please call Pastor Tom.

IMPORTANT SIGN-ON INFORMATION:

For Sunday Night Confession Class:
<https://meet.google.com/oui-oyai-mrf>
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For Men's Bible Study:
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