

OCTOBER 17, 2021 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

# THE GATEKEEPER'S RECORD

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## **THIS WEEK:**

10/17—Sun.  
8:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
  
3:00 p.m.—Memorial Service  
for Lois Walck  
  
10/19—Men's Bible Study—  
9:00 to 10:30 a.m.  
  
10/21—Senior Luncheon—  
noon—Fieldstone  
10/21—Choir Practice—7:30  
p.m.

## **NEXT WEEK:**

10/24—Sun.  
8:30 a.m.—Worship Service  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
  
10/24—Trunk or Treat—4:00  
to 6:00 p.m.  
  
10/26—Men's Bible Study—  
9:00 to 10:30 a.m.  
10/26—Quilters—9:00 a.m.  
  
10/28—Chiavetta's Chicken  
BBQ—4:00 to 6:00 p.m.  
  
10/28—Choir Practice—7:30  
p.m.

## **HERE AND NOW AT ST. PETER'S**

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR** are in memory of Lois Walck and for the memorial service to be held today at 3:00 p.m. There are also flowers placed by Dale Walck and Wendy Hiddie for Lois Walck's birthday and celebration of life.

**THE SENIOR LUNCHEON** will be on October 21 at the Fieldstone in Lockport at noon. Please let Bob Shook (433-5366) or Gladys Haseley (731-4863) know whether or not you will be attending. The group is hoping for more seniors to join in.

**QUILTERS**— We will resume our quilting group on Tuesday, October 26, at 9:00 a.m. and continue through Tuesday, November 16 (four weeks) in the church basement. We will then start up again in January after the holidays. All are welcome to join in—seasoned quilters and newcomers alike. Normally we break for a pizza lunch at noon. It is a fun time and will be good to gather together again after 1-1/2 years of COVID. See you then! For more information, you may contact Donna Licursi at 716-704-2540 or [licursidonna@gmail.com](mailto:licursidonna@gmail.com).

**THE READER and GREETER SCHEDULES** for September, October, November and December 2021 are on the website. Click on "Connect" and then "Gatekeeper, Newsletters and Communication," and then scroll down to "Reader and Greeter Schedules." Please note we have gone back to two separate schedules for Readers and Greeters. Thank you to all our Readers and Greeters. You are deeply appreciated!

**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 on the table in the church side entrance.

**ONLINE GIVING**—The online giving link is available through Faithlife. The website has a tab that says "Giving." Offerings can be safely and securely processed through the website. If you have any questions, please call Pastor Tom.

## **SIGN-ON INFORMATION FOR BIBLE STUDY:**

Sunday Night Adult Class—*Life Together*  
Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/pix-quvv-caq>  
Or dial: (US) +1 669-241-3744 PIN: 132 994 378#  
More phone numbers: <https://tel.meet/pix-quvv-caq?pin=7537809932394>

Men's Bible Study: Tuesdays @ 9:00 a.m.  
Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/mtt-nkfh-brp>  
Or dial: (US) +1 346-314-0314 PIN: 506 120 248#  
More phone numbers: <https://tel.meet/mtt-nkfh-brp?pin+7185732550899>

## **ST. PETER'S SCHOOL TRUNK OR TREAT!**

**DATE:** Sunday, October 24, 2021  
**TIME:** 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. (Vehicle participants will be given a time to arrive.)

**IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS!**

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Lutheran Church  
6167 Walmore Road  
Sanborn, NY 14132**

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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:**

10/31—Sunday School Harvest Fest

12/10—German Christmas Carol  
Sing—7:00 p.m.**OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD FOR HIS MANY BLESSINGS**

ATTENDANCE	CURRENT GIVING	NEEDED EACH WEEK	OVER/SHORT
10/3 89	\$4,314.81	\$5,943.42	-\$1,628.61
10/10 95	\$4,675.70	\$5,943.42	-\$1,267.72

**HOUSE DEMOLITION DONATIONS TO DATE (Amount approved for project-\$20,000)—\$5,933.41**

**LOCATION:** St. Peter's Church Parking Lot/Cemetery (Vehicle participants will be notified of where to park.)

**PARTICIPATION:** St. Peter's Lutheran Church and School will be hosting a private event for our current St. Peter's Lutheran Church and School families. If you would like to participate by decorating your vehicle, please sign up in advance. Please contact Lynette Kroening at 310-7862 as soon as possible to secure your spot. Vehicles that are not pre-registered will NOT be permitted to participate.

Trunkers are asked to please provide your own candy to pass out. We are also asking members of the church who would like to help to donate bags of candy. There will be a collection bin on the table in the side entrance of the church. We will be accepting donations until the day of this event.

**Thank you for helping us make this a fun and special event for our church and school families.**

**CHIAVETTA'S DRIVE-THROUGH CHICKEN BBQ****DATE:** Thursday, October 28, 2021**TIME:** 4:00 TO 6:00 p.m.

**There will be tickets available for purchase between church services today.**

**Please see the attached flyer for additional information on the chicken BBQ.**

**Thank you for supporting our school!!!  
If you have any questions, please call Lynette at 310-7862.**

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!** The Mighty Niagara Discount Card. This card gives a lot of great discounts (our favorite is the Tim Horton's 5% off purchases for a whole year in Niagara Falls and Sanborn)!! This fundraiser runs from 10/6/2020 to 10/30/2020. For every card sold, St. Peter's School keeps \$10 and \$10 goes to Niagara Hospice to help us all on our great missions!! If you have questions, please feel free to call/text Brenda Walck at 695-4374. Again this year payment may be made via Venmo app. (Please call/text Brenda first). \$20/ card to @Brenda-Walck or text Brenda for other payment arrangements. Thank you !!

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**ST. JAMES LUTHERAN CHURCH** will be holding its 16th Annual Dinner and Auction on Sunday, October 24, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Proceeds from this event will benefit Lori Haseley and the Caring Friends of St. James. Please see the attached flyer for details.

**ST. JAMES** is also holding its annual "**Rise Against Hunger**" event on November 6th from 8:00 a.m. to approximately noon. It's a time where people get together and package dried goods into meals that are shipped to needy areas around the world. There's also a lot of singing and fun involved! If you plan to attend, please let Maureen Milleville know at 716-465-3724 (call or text) or email Maureen at MaureenMilleville@yahoo.com.

**NGRM**—See two communications attached.

**ALSO ATTACHED** is information on a **Whodunnit Dinner Theatre** sponsored by Lutheran Charities and a bazaar to be held at **Zion Lutheran Church**.

# **CHIAVETTA'S**

**Drive-Thru Chicken BBQ**

**Thursday,  
October 28, 2021**

**4:00-6:00pm**

**St. Peter's Lutheran School  
6168 Walmore Rd, Sanborn**

**\$13 per dinner**

**½ Chicken Dinner includes  
Potato Salad, Macaroni Salad, Roll  
and Butter, and a Brownie**

**To purchase tickets, please call or text  
Ruth at (716) 471-4677**

**Proceeds to benefit St. Peter's School**

St. James Lutheran Church  
2437 Niagara Rd  
Niagara Falls, NY 14304

## **Dinner & Basket Benefit**

Sunday, October 24, 2021  
10:00am – 2:00pm

***St. James Lutheran Church will be hosting a benefit  
for Lori Haseley, a recent liver transplant recipient,  
for her ongoing medical expenses.***

**Barbecue Dinner provided by BW's Barbecue**

Chicken or Rib Dinner \$13.00

Children's chicken nugget dinner \$4.00 (8 and under)

Includes ½ chicken or ¼ rib, potato salad, lettuce salad, roll & butter.

Desserts provided by the bakers of St. James.

**All food will be Served from 11:00am-1:00pm**

*Take out available*

*Wine Pull  
with over 25 bottles of  
wine with prizes  
attached!*

*Over 200 Gift Card  
baskets in the Auction  
Auction ends at 2:00pm  
Need not be present to win*

A small portion of the proceeds will go to the Caring Friends Organization of  
St. James that donate to families in need.

**Please join us to help make this benefit a success!**

**Zion's Bountiful Bazaar**

Nov 6th, 2021, from 9am - 2pm  
Zion Lutheran Church  
10<sup>th</sup> & Michigan Ave, Niagara Falls NY 14305



come shop for unique items at our rummage sale which includes, needle work, lap blankets, Christmas items, jewelry, and attic treasures



Basket Auction, then have lunch with us: Chicken Chowder, knockwurst, Sauerkraut, German potato salad, ham salad, or egg salad sandwiches, , or bowl of Chicken Chowder 3.50 each.

Or take home 1 quart of chowder:

\$6.50 when you provide the container

\$7.50 when we provide the container

**WHODUNNIT DINNER THEATRE**

**"Murder at Harry's Hideaway"**

November 5 & 6  
6:00pm Doors Open  
7:00pm Dinner Theatre

RIPA's Restaurant  
4218 Walden Ave  
Lancaster, NY 14086

Details and registration at  
[wnylutherancharities.org](http://wnylutherancharities.org)  
or call 716-632-2623



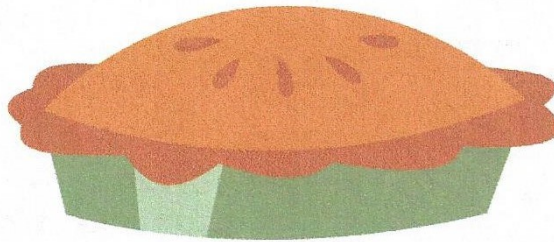


## **FEED THE FALLS**

### **Thanksgiving Eve "PIE PARTY"**

**NIAGARA GOSPEL MISSION  
1317 Portage Road, NF**

**Wednesday, November 24 @ 7:00 PM**



**Join us in a family-friendly gathering at the Mission where we will prepare for our Thanksgiving Day dinner deliveries.**

**If you can, please bring a shelf-stable pie. We will need about 200-250 pies!**

**We will be feeding the needy in the Niagara Falls area Thanksgiving Day.**

**If you have any questions or can help, please contact Donna Stevens at either [dstevens@niagaragrm.org](mailto:dstevens@niagaragrm.org) or 716-946-6163.**

***THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!***



September 28, 2021

Dear Church Family:

We are looking for some **dedicated individuals** who would be willing to be at our front desk from 4 AM – 8 AM. Even though it is for only four hours, this may seem like a monumental task. If we could find people who would be willing to work, one night a week or even one night a month this would help us immensely.

We have been staffing these shifts with our Disciples. Due to their intensive training, when they miss their sleep at night, it is sometimes hard for them to stay awake during the day for the classes.

This would be a great opportunity to minister to those in need. For the most part, this task would involve sitting at the desk, answering any telephone calls that might come in or answering the door. You would be working with one other person so you would not be alone.

If this is something you could do, please contact Donna Stevens, our Volunteer Coordinator by e-mail at [dstevens@niagaragrm.org](mailto:dstevens@niagaragrm.org) or by telephone at 716-946-6163.

We ask that you pray about this opportunity to serve our Lord.

Yours in Christ,

Tom McLaughlin  
Executive Director