THE GATEKEEPER'S RECORD

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church 6167 Walmore Road Sanborn, N.Y. 14132 Website: www.stpetersanborn.com Telephone # 716-731-4433



THIS WEEK:

01/08– Sunday 8:30am - Worship Service 9:45am- Sunday School-school 9:45am - Adult Sunday School -Church meeting room 11:00am - Worship Service

01/09 - Monday 6:00pm—Parish Board -Church meeting room

01/10 - Tuesday 9:00am - Men's Bible Study -Church meeting room 9:30am - Quilting begins-Church basement

01/11 - Wednesday 7:00pm - Church Council Church meeting room

NEXT WEEK:

01/15- Sunday 8:30am - Worship Service 9:45am- Sunday School-school 9:45am - Adult Sunday School Church meeting room 11:00am - Worship Service

01/17 - Tuesday 9:00am - Men's Bible Study -

Church meeting room 9:30am - Quilting - Church basement

HERE AND NOW AT ST. PETER'S

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 the Financial Secretaries.

2023 ENVELOPES

Due to production delays, we have not received our envelopes for 2023. Old envelopes or a plain envelope with your name, envelope number, if known, and the amount designated, can be used until they arrive.

<u>GREETERS AND READERS SCHEDULES</u> for January and February are on the counter in the Narthex.

SAVE THE DATE

The annual Congregational Meeting is January 23, 2023 at 7:00pm

2022 ANNUAL REPORTS

For those who need to complete an annual report for 2022, please complete your report and email it or give a typed copy to Lisa no later than *Friday, January 13*. (office@stpetersanborn.com) Thank you for your service to the congregation in 2022!

QUILTING will begin on Tuesday, January 10th at 9:30 am in the church basement. PLEASE NOTE that there are NOT any quilts ready to be tied. On this first day of quilting, fiberfill will need to be cut to size, tops and bottoms will need to be pinned together and odd pieces of fiberfill will need to be pieced together. More than anything we will need people to take turns standing to complete these tasks. Thank you! Any questions call/text Donna Licursi 716/704-2540. Looking forward to seeing you!

CAN YOU HELP ? In the spring we will need more boxes for shipping quilts. We generally get "egg carton" boxes from the grocery store. If you are out shopping and can ask if they have any egg carton boxes available that would be great! Any boxes that are generally that size will also do. They can be left in the quilting room in the church basement. Thanking you in advance for your help!!

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All calendar dates should be cleared through the respective office.

ARTICLES FOR PUBLICATION IN THE GATEKEEPER MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE CHURCH OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY AT 10 AM.

IN EVERYTHING GIVE THANKS!

OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD FOR HIS MANY BLESSINGS

Needed each week \$6131.96 ATTENDANCE CURRENT GIVING 12/04 123 \$8360.16

 12/11
 120
 \$8725.70

 12/18
 152
 \$6733.46

 No monies to report from Christmas Week until next week.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND

Amount received since start :\$44,636.00 Amount currently in Capital Improvement Fund :\$36093.13 Future projects not yet approved: New roof on Church entrance/meeting room, reconstruct school parking lot, new HVAC units at school. Loan payment: \$897.32

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL

ST. PETER'S MEAT RAFFLE IS BACK!

After a two-year hiatus, we're excited to bring back a night of fellowship to raise money to support the School. Admission tickets will be available for purchase after each service on Sunday, January 22 and Sunday, January 29. Presale: \$10 each or \$90 for a table of 10. At the door: \$12. Extra fliers are on the white table in the side entrance.

COMMUNITY NEWS

The Historical Society of North German Settlements

of Western New York is hosting a presentation **January 19th at 2 PM** at the Wheatfield Community Center 2790 Church Rd, North Tonawanda, NY 14120. John Schultz will present on "Churches in the Uckermark" from his recent trip to Germany. Since he has so much information to share from his recent Germany trip John Schultz will present more on **February 16th at 2 PM.** All are invited to attend these free presentations.