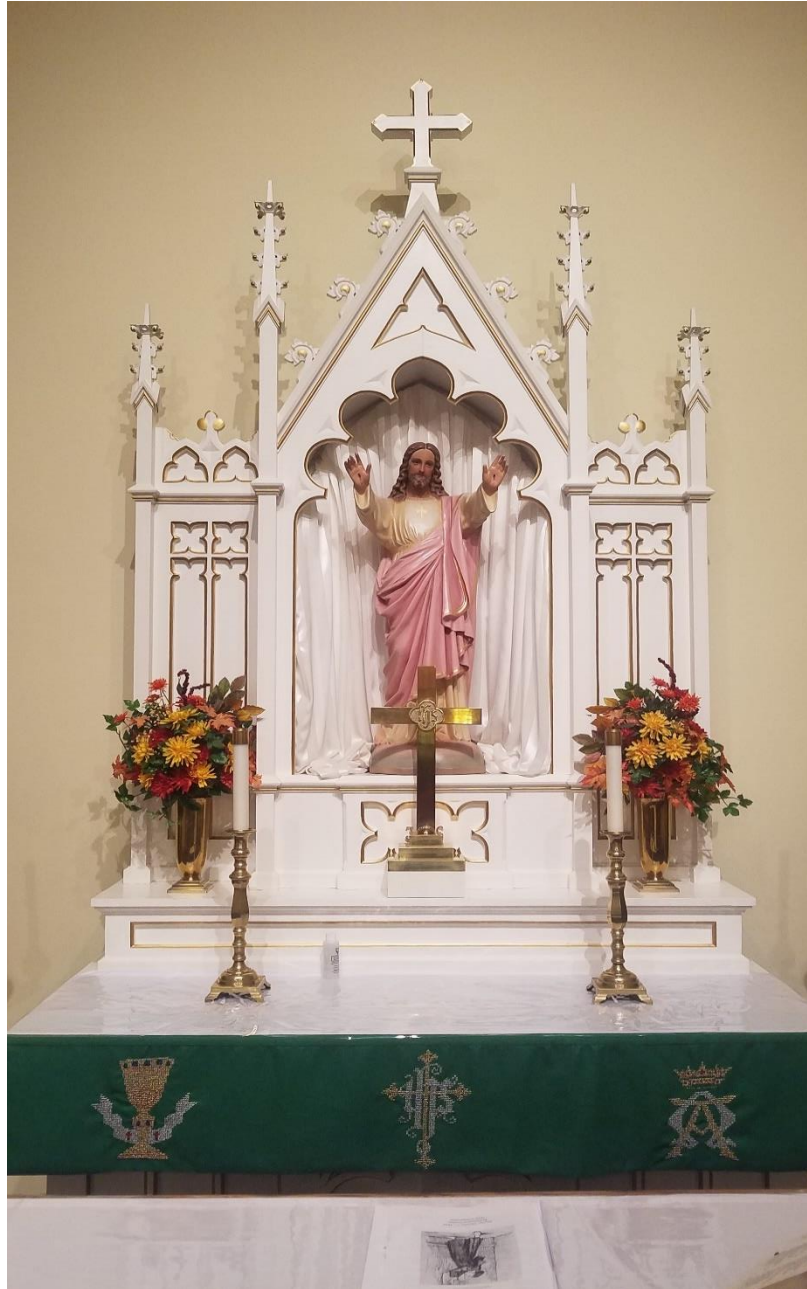


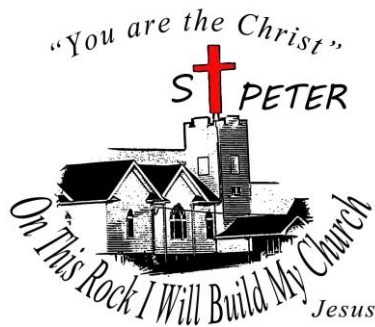
# ST. PETER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH



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*Please watch St. Peter Facebook page: St. Peter Lutheran Church ("Like" our page!)*

*Our website: [www.stpeterlutheranchurch.net](http://www.stpeterlutheranchurch.net), and your emails for any updates on activities during the Covid-19 Pandemic as things change rapidly and often.*

If you would like to add something to the monthly messenger or weekly bulletin, please call or text our church Secretary Aletta at:

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Weekly bulletin notice deadline is:

**Wednesdays by 9am**

Monthly Messenger deadline is:

**The 21st of the month**

# COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES      April 10, 2024

Submitted by: Trish Depperman Church Council Secretary

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm by Council President, Alice Diver

In Attendance: Alice Diver, Brad Bolton, Ed Fischer, Darrell Moore, Marilyn Strickfaden. Absent: Bill Riekema was in the hospital.

- Motion was made, seconded, and carried accepting the March 14, 2024, meeting minutes.
  - Motion was made, seconded, and carried accepting the March Treasurer's Report.
  - Motion was made, seconded, and carried to add Patricia Deppermann (Trish) to the CD renewal at Busey bank.
  - Motion was made, seconded, and carried accepting the March Building/Maintenance Report.
- Committee Reports:
- WELCA - April 13th has been set for the SOS Luncheon. The WELCA Pound Sale/Meeting will be April 22, 2024.

No other reports were made.

## Old Business:

- Call Process Update –Nothing new
- Cemetery Updates - Darrell reported that the letters to families had been sent out.
- Future Projects -Bids are coming on the concrete work needed done and the door replacement. Ed is waiting on a couple more bids. No action was taken.
- Special Project - Discussion on removing the trees adjacent to the sanctuary to the south in the berm.
- Roof Repairs - Ed is waiting on a couple of bids.
- Spring Clean Up - April 27th @ 8:00AM. Some items to follow up on are the hail damage to screens, outlets & some inactive switches in the parsonage.

## New Business:

- Confirmation - April 13, 2025, this date will not be changed.
- File Organization - Alice will update and organize the in/out transfer file with a blessing from the council.
- Foosball Table - A follow up with Janelle King in regard to who owns the foosball table.
- Council Position - Motion was made, seconded, and carried to appoint Tom Haynes as a temporary replacement for the position held by Bill Riekema until time Bill can continue his duties.
- Checking Signing- A motion was made, seconded, and carried to approve Brad Bolton as the new signatory on the Building Fund account in Bill Riekema's medical absence.
- Outdoor Service - Council agreed to hold outdoor services on the following dates, weather permitting: June 9; July 14, August 11, September 8.

## Other Business: May

- Thank you Note - A letter was received from Lutheran Hillside Village and LSSI for our donations.

Next Council Meeting will be Wednesday, May 8, 2024, at 6:00 p.m.  
Meeting was adjourned at 8:30p.m. and closed with the Lord's Prayer.

# MARCH FINANCIALS



## Building Fund Report April 10, 2024

### Financials:

#### Checking Account

Beginning Balance	\$6265.11
Expenses	0.00
<u>Deposits</u>	<u>\$331.15</u>
Ending Balance	\$6596.22

#### Savings Account

Beginning Balance	\$11,118.47
Interest Received	2.77
Ending Balance	\$11121.24

### Pedez Memorial Monies:

#### CD's

Busey Bank (rate 5.25%)	
Maturity date 06-13-2024	\$55,000.00

#### Pedez Memorial Annuity

Country Financial (rate 3.95%)	
Maturity Date 07-07-2026	\$58,341.21

### Activities:

#### Portico door project

- Spoke with Joseph Construction as I had not received a bid.
- Met with Pekin Glass, Kelly Glass, Aupperle Contractors, and Mid Illinois contractors.

NO UPDATE AT THIS TIME

Monthly Messenger Report 2024		March
<b>Regular Checking</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$66,320.68
Income		\$10,088.00
Expenses		\$5,315.38
Ending Balance		\$71,093.30
<b>Social Ministry</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$324.13
Income		\$0.00
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$324.13
<b>Regular Savings</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$69,528.76
Income		\$17.33
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$69,546.09
<b>Savings Transfer - Busey CD</b>		Matures 10/13/24
11/13/23 Beginning Balance		\$75,000.00
Income		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$75,000.00
<b>Education Fund</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$4,260.64
Income		\$1.02
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$4,261.66
<b>Local Benevolence</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$446.27
Income		\$187.78
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$634.05
<b>LP &amp; Insurance</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$28,486.75
Income		\$917.05
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$29,403.80
<b>LP &amp; Insurance Busey CD</b>		Matures on 5/15/24
6/16/23 Beginning Balance		\$30,000.00
Income		\$0.00
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$30,000.00
<b>Special Project Fund</b>		
Beginning Balance		\$203.04
Income		\$50.05
Expenses		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$253.09
<b>Wilma Sutton Inheritance Busey CD</b>		Matures on 4/17/24
5/17/23 Beginning Balance		\$40,000.00
Income		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$40,000.00
<b>Auto Owners Annuity (Sutton)</b>		
5/18/23 Beginning Balance		\$50,000.00
Income		\$0.00
Ending Balance		\$50,000.00

# ~ MAY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES~

CAITLIN	SCOTT	5	1
CYNDI	BENSON	5	2
AMY	RYNEARSON	5	3
KAREN	BEHREND	5	5
JULIE	FISCHER	5	7
LOIS	CHITWOOD	5	8
RUSSELL (TREY)	ZEINE III	5	8
JONI	GEIER	5	9
KATHERINE	HAAGE	5	10
KATHY	WILLIAMSON	5	11
COLTON	MEYER	5	13
AMY	PILLE	5	14
ROSELYN	GLOVER	5	16
RENEE	NANNEN	5	16
IMAGEN	ROBERTS	5	17
VIOLET	HAAGE	5	18
RENEE	DIVER	5	18
JACKIE	CRANK	5	18
KRISTIE	HAAGE	5	21
PAT	GELTMAKER	5	21
CECILIA	DEWEERTH	5	22
KASSANDRA	HAAGE	5	23
MARY	PILLE	5	23
JULIAN	LENNE	5	24
JOAN	PFAHL	5	26
KINLEY	ELLIOTT	5	27
EMILY	RUCHOTZKE	5	29
JENNIFER	CRUIT	5	31



PATRICK	& CRYSTAL	ELLIOTT	May	12
TERRY	& ABBY	MERRICK	May	18

**Celebrating Milestone Anniversaries this year are:**  
 Del & Penny Nannen on April 6<sup>th</sup> – 50 years  
 Arlan & Martie Janssen on April 11<sup>th</sup> – 60 years  
 Gary & Kathy Rosenbohm on July 4<sup>th</sup> – 60 years  
 Bob & Caryn Alonzo on Aug. 13<sup>th</sup> – 30 years

## ~ Strength & Healing Concerns~

### \*PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS\*

Violet Haage	Pam Rabe	Pat Webb	Joan Pfahl	Judy Livingston	Pat Janssen
Lyle & Mary Lou Nannen		Bill Juraco	Phyllis Fischer	Judy Wyss	Ray Hammerich
Virginia Mahan	Pat Geltmaker		Jim Uphoff	Richard Sathoff	Rita Scott
Cyndi Benson	Bill Riekena				



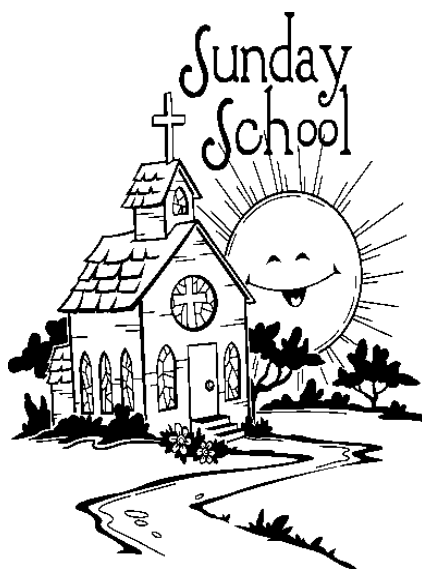
Some extra prayers are needed for Bill and Lynda Riekena and Crystal Elliott and family.

Extra prayers for MaryLou Nannen who has been admitted to the hospital.

Extra prayers for Richard Sathoff who has been admitted to the hospital.

\*Update: Penny Nannen's cancer has been completely removed and she is doing fine now. Thank you for the prayers.

**And All Soldiers Serving Our Country**



## Sunday School Begins at 9am!!

### Our Classes:

3 yr olds – 2<sup>nd</sup> grade -  
3<sup>rd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> grades -  
7<sup>th</sup> –High School  
LYO -  
Adult Class  
SS Superintendent  
SS Treasurer

### Staff

Sharon Phelps  
Alice Diver & Amber Darrow  
Heather Harmon  
Amber Darrow & Crystal Elliott  
Various Leaders  
Amber Darrow  
Heather Harmon

# ~WELCA~

### News From the Women of St Peter Lutheran Church

The ladies of St Peters met on Monday for their general meeting with the Pound Sale as the special event. A good time was had by all and around \$235 was raised for our treasury and we all took home some beautiful surprises. There were books flowers, plants, food items, plaques, and other things too numerous to mention. We secretly place our bids on the items and then if there is a tie on any items we auction them off (that's where the real fun begins).

There are some new things for everyone to look forward to. On Saturday June 1st we have 20 tickets reserved for Cornstock's "Legally Blond". We're inviting anyone who enjoys a play in the park to join us for this event. The tickets are at a reduced price of \$20 each. Again, this year there will be a food cart if you wish to arrive early and eat at picnic tables by the tent. During May see Kathy Rosenbohm and reserve your ticket because this is only 4 weeks away.

Another event that you might want to put on your calendar is Sunday August 11th we will have Family Quilt Sunday. The quilters will have the basement set up to display how the mission quilts are assembled so you can observe the process. We plan to start at 3pm and finish and serve pizza at 5pm. Our church has such a long history of making these quilts and sending them to needed areas that everyone should get a chance to see how this happens. You'll hear more about this closer to time.

Lastly, we're decided to try another change. Rather than having our meeting at night, we've elected to try Sunday afternoon at 3 pm for our next meeting on September 22, 2024.



## HELPING HANDS FOR APRIL

### COMMUNION ASSISTANTS:

5<sup>th</sup> - Mike Rabe  
Loren Benson  
Colleen Juraco

19<sup>th</sup> - Mike Rabe  
Loren Benson  
Bobbie Dean

### PIANIST/ORGANIST:

Linda Garmon  
Marilyn Strickfaden

### ALTAR GUILD

Sharon Benson

### KITCHEN WATCH:

Volunteer

### READERS:

5<sup>th</sup> - Mike Rabe  
12<sup>th</sup> - Greg Strickfaden  
19<sup>th</sup> - Kathy Rosenbohm  
26<sup>th</sup> - LYO

### GREETERS & USHERS:

1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY - COUNCIL  
2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY - LADIES'  
3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY - GENTS'  
4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY - VOLUNTEERS  
5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY - LYO

### ~ ST. PETER HAPPENINGS ~

May 5<sup>th</sup> - Communion Sunday  
Rachel's Day

May 8<sup>th</sup> - 9am Sewing  
6pm Council Meeting

May 12<sup>th</sup> - Mother's Day

May 18<sup>th</sup> - 8am Men's Breakfast @ Glasford Baptist

May 19<sup>th</sup> - Communion Sunday

*(May 24<sup>th</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup> - Aletta will be out of the office - all bulletin info  
needs turned in to me by 9am Wednesday morning (5/22))*

May 27<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Day!



### ~ THANK YOU ~

A BIG THANK YOU to Tom Haynes and Darrell Moore for trimming my tree before it fell and for cutting down another tree and putting stuff on the trunk to kill it. They also had Dave Bergland come and remove the tree. It looks so good - I love it. God is good!!!

**Judy Livingston**

Thanks so much to Caryn Alonzo for sharing her Christ filled life with us at the SOS Luncheon. We were blessed to hear her story.

**Alice Diver**

APRIL

SHOWERS

BRING MAY

flowers