

# Concerns Of Our Church And Communities

March 28, 2010

## This Week's Calendar At A Glance

<u>Today</u>	Forward Together_____	10:30 A.M.
<u>Monday</u>	Yoga Ministry_____	5:15 P.M.
	Jr. Bells_____	6:15 P.M.
	Mendelssohn Choir_____	7:00 P.M.
	No Bible Study	
<u>Tuesday</u>	TOPS_____	4:30 P.M.
	Chapel Chimers_____	6:15 P.M.
	Cherry Tree_____	6:30 P.M.
	Lenten Workshop_____	8:30 A.M.
<u>Wednesday</u>	No Confirmation Class_	
	...As One... Rehearsal_____	8:00 P.M.
	Women's Guild Meeting_____	1:30 P.M.
<u>Maundy Thursday</u>	Maundy Thursday Worship Service With Altar Communion_____	7:00 P.M.
	Good Friday Worship Service_____	2:00 P.M.
<u>Good Friday</u>	Ecumenical Worship Service At First Presbyterian Church, Kiel_____	6:30 P.M.
	Quest Easter Breakfast Set-Up_____	9:00 A.M. To Noon
<u>Holy Saturday</u>	Easter Sunrise Worship Service With Pew Communion_____	6:30 A.M.
<u>Easter Sunday</u>	Easter Breakfast_____	7:30 A.M.
	Easter Worship Service With Pew Communion_____	9:30 A.M.

Prayer Corner – Karen Arndt (Lisa Hintz's friend), Avis ("Pete") Austin (Kate Holfeltz's mother), Alma Awe, Heidi Bender (Rosie Bender's daughter), Wolfgang Buchholz (Elmer Buchholz's grandson), Mark Glasow, Adam Hecker, Nancy Klemme (Irene Lindemann/Virginia Klemme/Janice Woelfel/Selma Mayer's niece), Susan Kolb (Allan Utecht's sister), Darrick Lorbecki, Sharon Madigan, Linda Manz, Don Mathes (Virgie Mathes' son), Sylvia Mertens, Esther Neuhaus (Bonnie Neuhaus' mother-in-law/Michelle & Kevin Sixel's and Dawn & Eric Muehlbauer's grandmother), Kathy Rabe, Patricia Stephani (Janet & Jerome Wendling's daughter), Marilyn Wanish (Tammy Deubler's mother), *Arno Herwig & Nancy Mogenson (were hospitalized but now home)*, those of our Church Family who are homebound or in Nursing Homes

Serving Our Country In The Military – Courtney (Hering) Serrano, Evan Meyer (Marsha Meyer's brother-in-law), Brandon Rabe (Lillie & Rodney Rabe's grandson)

Our Good Wishes to Tabitha & Beau Walsdorf on the birth of their daughter, Harper Dene, on March 17. There is a Baby Card in the Lounge for you to sign.

## Take Special Note!

Palm Crosses Can Be Picked Up This Morning! The Crosses are not only an aid for our observance of Palm Sunday, they are also a way for us to help support self-help programs and community projects in East Africa. All proceeds are returned to East Africa in the form of non-denominational grants that support agricultural and vocational training schools, safe community water systems, and emergency relief for victims of civil strife, drought, and other disasters.

Please Pick Up Your Copy Of The Lamplighter. "Thanks" to Virginia Klemme, Karen Laack, Betty Mogenson, and Janice Woelfel for collating it for us.

The Official Church Record Book from 1930-1959 is missing. Anybody who was born and baptized, confirmed, married, or someone who has knowledge of a person who passed away during this time period should contact Dolores Schulz (894-2620), Nancy Zimmermann (894-2447 or [zimmie1@charter.net](mailto:zimmie1@charter.net)), or the Church Office. *Thank You!*

Position Opening... St. Peter's U.C.C. Financial Secretary, Ann Mathes, has indicated her intentions to step down from the position due to time commitments to other employment. Thus, we are looking for a new Financial Secretary. The position involves approximately 4-5 hours on a weekly basis, in addition to preparation of quarterly and annual reports. Skills needed: Cash handling, accounting, computer record keeping in Excel and other programs. Candidate must have an ability to keep confidentiality. If you are interested or willing to serve in this capacity, please submit your resume to St. Peter's U.C.C., Consistory President, Mike Mathes. You may drop this off in the Church Office, or mail to 424 Fremont St. Mike will also accept phone inquiries at 920-286-1312 or email inquiries to [mike@deltapublications.com](mailto:mike@deltapublications.com).

Lenten Workshops – Wednesday Mornings, 8:30 A.M., In The Fellowship Hall – All Ladies Of The Congregation Are Invited To Help!

It's Cherry Tree Time! – Thanks to everyone that helped, we made 1,510 cherries, almost half done! We will meet again on Tuesday, March 30 from 6:30 – 8:00 P.M. in the Youth Room and every Tuesday after that until further notice. All help is welcome, even if for only part of the time, every cherry counts and gets us closer to our goal of 10,000 cherries! If you have any questions, please call Warren (894-4132) or Ellen Krutzik at (286-1699). Thanks!

Poses & Pointers – Monday, April 5, 5:15 P.M. – St. Peter's U.C.C./Youth Room – Bring your mat and follow along at your own pace, as certified yoga instructor, Chris leads an hour informational yoga session. No charge. This is a wonderful opportunity for anyone needing a refresher on basic principles and poses of yoga, or for those who have never tried it before. If you aren't sure about participating, you are welcome to observe this session. Chris currently teaches yoga classes in Kiel and Plymouth area.

Lakeland College's Choir will be here at St. Peter's on Saturday, April 10, at 7 P.M. The program will feature both sacred and secular music. It opens with "Personent Hodie," a processional the college traditionally uses for its Christmas concert, and ends with the Lakeland Alma Mater. Featured are the Lakeland College Frauenchor, the Concert Choir, the Lakeland Singers, and the Lakeland Schilcutt Handbell Ensemble. Janet Herrick-Stuczynski serves as conductor and the groups are accompanied by Arthur Johnson.

United Churchmen Meeting – April 20, 6:30 P.M. – At Immanuel U.C.C., W3694 Cty FF, Plymouth – All Are Welcome To Attend! – Any Questions? Call Ed York At 920-893-0389

**Get Movies At Church** – New Movies Additions In Your Church Library By The Office On The Movie Display Stand – Shelf check-out like books, neither self check-in. Return movies to the rectangle wicker basket.

**Summer Church Camp** catalogs and church camp scholarship forms are available in the Lounge on the Youth Table.

**St. Peter's SCRIP** is available weekdays in the Church Office, after Sunday morning's service, by contacting either of our SCRIP coordinators: Nancy Mogenson ([jnmogenson@charter.net](mailto:jnmogenson@charter.net) or 920-286-2457) or Melissa Brandt (894-4548), or online at [www.shopwithscrip.com](http://www.shopwithscrip.com) (enrollment code is LCC8159C7749). You can place your own SCRIP order by creating an account online. **Orders placed by Sunday, 4 P.M., will be available for pick up the following Sunday.**

**SPECIALS:** Until April 2: Celebrity Cruise Lines – 12% instead of 9%; Exxon – 2.5% instead of 1.5%;

L.L. Bean – 17% instead of 15%; T.G.I. Fridays – 10% instead of 9%

Until April 16: iTunes - 8% instead of 5%

Until June 4: Fashion Bug – 8% instead of 6%

**St. Peter's Offers Congregation Members A Convenient Electronic Giving Option** for making donations. There are forms available on the table in the Church Lounge.

**Tape Ministry** – For the month of March, Millie & Don Vogel are making the deliveries. *Thank you!*

**Coffee Hour Hosts/Hostesses For The Month Of March** – Margie Steffes, Dianne Vorpahl, Delores Scheidt, Marilyn Hanke – *Thank You!*

**Articles For The May Lamplighter** are due in the Church Office Sunday, April 11.

**If You Wish To Receive E-Church News**, send your email address to [stpetersuc@tcei.com](mailto:stpetersuc@tcei.com).

### Youth News!

**Easter Breakfast Set-Up** is on April 3 from 9 A.M. to noon and the actual breakfast is (April 4<sup>th</sup>) Easter Sunday. Plan to be at church by 6:30 A.M. We will be finished cleaning up in time for you to attend worship with your families.

**Ipseity** is hosting a 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade dance on April 30 from 7 to 9 P.M. for all 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> graders in the community.

### Community News!

**Rainbow Kids Program Schedule** – For Children 4 & Up, Teens, And Adults Who Are Grieving A Loss Due To Death, Divorce, Separation, Or Abandonment – The Free 14-Week Session Is In Sheboygan On Tuesday Evenings And Plymouth (First Cong. U.C.C.) On Thursday Evenings, From 6:15 To 7:15 P.M. – Call 452-2838 To Register Or For More Information

**Living Pictures – “From Praise To Persecution”** – April 1, 7 P.M. – Bethlehem U.C.C. – 10 Freeze Frame Pictures With Live Actors Accompanied By Narration

**Chili Supper** – April 6, 4 To 8 P.M. – St. Peter Evangelical Church, Town Rhine – Adults/\$5.50, Children 6-12/\$1.50, Under 6/Free

**Elkhart Lake High School Band Presents Bandstock** – April 16 & 17, 6:30 P.M. – \$5 – 2 Nights Of Peace & Music

**The Kiel Recreation Forms** are now available ONLINE! Please go to [www.ci.kiel.wi.us](http://www.ci.kiel.wi.us) and click on "departments", click again on

Recreation Dept. to find all the current classes and events being offered and down load the form you need. Questions? Please call Melissa at 762-0790. The next sessions are:

**Tae kwon do** Begin April 1, 6 to 7:30 P.M. – Cost: \$30/6 Wks. – 5 Yrs. & Up - Kiel Middle School Multi-Purpose Room

**Ballroom Dance Lessons** Run From April 11 to May 2, 1 to 2:15 P.M. – Cost: \$40/Couple – Kiel City Hall Gym

**BiKe Club** Informational Meeting – March 31, 6 P.M. – Kiel Community Center, Upper Level – A Club Continues To Be Formed For People And Families, And All Abilities That Enjoy Bike Riding

**There Are Still Spots Available** for both the April and August classes of **Hunters Education**. If anyone would like to sign up, call 762-0790 (Missy Brandt).

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**Drop-In Office Hours** – The Pastors and Marsha Meyer are typically available in the office from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. Rev. Mercer is out of the office on Mondays; Rev. Duerwaechter and Marsha are out on Friday. Sandy Henschel is in the office Monday through Friday, 8 A.M. to Noon, 1 to 3 P.M. To ensure that a staff person is available to speak with you, please call the Church Office for an appointment.

**If You Are Hospitalized** and wish to let the pastor know, please contact the church or ask a hospital staff member to do so. We'd like to keep you in our thoughts and prayers!

**Cancellations** of St. Peter's worship services due to inclement weather may be heard on the following radio stations: WHBL 1330 AM, WCUB 980 AM, and WJUB 1420 AM. You may also tune in to WBAY TV2 or log on to [www.iwantthenews.com](http://www.iwantthenews.com).

### St. Peter's Mission Statement

*Our Mission as St. Peter United Church Of Christ is to celebrate God's love. As disciples of Jesus Christ, we respond to the needs of our congregation, community, and the world through worship, education, fellowship, and service to all.*