

Ripples of Faith 2019



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Sundays— 8:30 am St. Peter	
	10:30 am Trinity & Waverly
—9:15 Sunday school	
Trinity & Waverly	

UPCOMING EVENTS:

11/3	All Saints Sunday
11/5	Mary Circle WLC
11/6	WELCA StP
	Confirmation / Confirmation Event
11/12	Parish Council
	Trinity Council
11/13	Goldfinch Communion
	Confirmation
11/17	St. Peter Council
11/20	Articles due for December Ripples
11/27	Assemble Ripples
	Thanksgiving Eve Service



Reminder to turn your
 clocks back 1 hour on
 Saturday, November 2nd
 before you go to bed.



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NOVEMBER Worship Schedule

		St. Peter	Trinity	Waverly
21 st Week after Pentecost <i>Altar: White</i>	Sunday, November 3 rd <i>All Saints Sunday</i>	Worship w/Communion 8:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM
22 nd Week after Pentecost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Sunday, November 10 th	Worship 8:30 AM	Worship 10:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM
23 rd Week after Pentecost <i>Altar: Green</i>	Sunday, November 18 th	Worship 8:30 AM	Worship 10:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM
Final Week of the Church year	Sunday, November 24 th <i>Christ the King Sunday</i> <i>Altar: White</i>	Worship w/Communion 8:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM	Worship w/Communion 10:30 AM
	Wednesday, November 27 th <i>Thanksgiving Eve Worship</i> <i>Altar: Green</i>	Worship at St. Peter 6:30 PM		

REMEMBERING THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

All-Saints Sunday is November 3rd this year. Traditionally on All-Saints Sunday, we remember all of those faithful saints who have died, specifically those who have died since All-Saints Sunday last year. This year we will remember:



Melvin Knuth - St. Peter
Kathleen Allen - Waverly
DeElda Rose - Trinity
Doug Bettin - Waverly
Delano Bergemann - Trinity

Mavis Johnson - Waverly
Duane Anderson - Waverly
Walt Bettin - Waverly
Aldor Rose - Trinity

Please join us on Sunday, November 3rd as we remember and give thanks for these saints and all of the saints who now rest from their labors in the arms of their Savior. Worship with Holy Communion begins at 8:30 AM at St. Peter and 10:30 AM at Trinity and Waverly. Remember that Daylight Savings ends on Nov 3rd.



Please join us for a special worship service the night before Thanksgiving where we will hear scripture texts about how faithful and full of abundance our God is and sing our praise and thanks to Him for all that He has blessed us with. If you have family around, invite them to join us for worship. This year's Parish Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service will be on Wednesday, November 27th at St. Peter beginning at 6:30 pm

At Circle of Faith, we use Honeywell Instant Alert to communicate important messages about worship, confirmation, and meetings. So that you don't miss announcements such as: "No worship today due to a winter storm!" please ensure that your contact information is current and up to date in the parish office AND on Honeywell. Instructions for getting on Honeywell can be found on our website. If you need assistance updating or getting access to Honeywell, please call/email the parish office.



ELECTRONIC GIVING COMING SOON

The World is Changing. Technology is connecting us more with family and friends. Transportation is making us more mobile to explore God's creation and visit people we love. Online shopping and credit cards make giving and purchases more convenient. We use less cash and checks, and more credit/debit cards and automatic transfers. At Trinity Lutheran, we don't want to limit how you can support your church family. If cash or check is your preferred way of supporting your church family, great! If you'd prefer to offer your gifts using a credit/debit card, soon you will be able to do that too! Look for more information in the coming weeks.

Youth Event



Christian Hip-Hop Artist Agape & Spoken-Word Artist Joe Davis

Wednesday, November 6th 7:00 - 8:00 pm
Doors open at 6:30 pm
First Lutheran Church
719 6th Ave S, St. James
Youth of all ages welcome!



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St. Peter Council

The St. Peter Council met September 22nd following Sunday morning church

service. Those present were Pastor Anthony, Marilyn Cheever, Angie Schmidt, Aubrey Plumhoff, Jody and Keith Franck and Muriel Klenz.

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were discussed and accepted as written.

Marilyn and Jim will give church bushes a trim before winter. The LP tank has been filled at summer fill price.

Church insurance has changed as of July 1st. John Anthony is still our agent.

Aubrey will send Terry Muller a gift card at Christmas time. Christmas and Benevolence giving will be decided at our November meeting.

Parish Council has discussed pastor options for the future. We are working with Wartburg Seminary to use their intern pastor program when we need it. The student would work with us about 20 hours a week and take classes as well.

Thanksgiving services will be November 27th @ 6:30 pm. The 1st Sunday of advent is the following Sunday, December 1st. Advent candles will be ready to use that day.

The meeting adjourned, Secretary - Muriel Klenz

What: St. Peter Christmas Luncheon

For: All ladies of Circle of Faith Parish & other invited guests

When: Wed. Dec. 4th @ noon

Program: Pastor Eric on his life in Madagascar and New Guinea

Please RSVP by Dec. 1st to:
Muriel - 507-235-3047
Rosemary - 507-632-4652.



St. Peter Ripples



Next meeting: Nov. 6 1:30 pm
Hostesses: Janice & Jeannine
Bible Study: Session 3
Stewarding the Gift of Joy, in the God
who has redeemed us from despair, we find true joy.

I will be making the 2020 yearbook shortly. Any suggestions or changes? Let me know soon. My cell is 712-330-3857 or I have an answering machine at 712-865-3650. Thanks for any help you can give.

Ann reports a treasury balance of \$1,465.74. A \$50 offering was sent to the Watonwan Conference Fall Gathering. Christmas cheer donations will be decided on soon.

With Thanksgiving soon we will again have a collection box for food donations to the Salvation Army and Heaven's Table. Remember that the need is great.

Barb hosted Wine, Women & the Word on October 15. We will not meet again until next spring.

We have decided to have a Christmas Luncheon again this year. It will be Wednesday, Dec. 4th at noon. Pastor Eric will share his experiences of his life in Madagascar and New Guinea. This is for all ladies of Circle of Faith. (Men are welcome too.)

Prayers for Tuesdays @ 2: 11/5—continue praying for good weather for the continuing harvest. 11/12—pray for safety for all the farm workers. 10/19—remember all veterans on Veterans Day, 10/26—pray for all families to have a wonderful Thanksgiving Day.

Our continued Good Wishes to Bernice Lehmann. She has now moved to an apartment at Ingleside Assisted Living. She would love visits and mail. 2811 Roland Ave. Rm 110. Fairmont, 56031. Lets also remember Eileen and Ardis with prayers and mail and Goldfinch Estates.

The Estherville Ministerial Association will have their annual Christmas cheer on November 23rd. Many items such as clothes, bedding, toys, etc. will be given to those in need. We have donated 27 quilts.

I am still getting lilacs-I picked some on October 11. What a strange fall!

November Honorary Birthday: Ann Wenzel—21st
November Anniversaries: Barb & Larry Schmidt—7th,
Aubrey & Jim Plumhoff—10th and Jeanne and Dale Leiding—12th.

Next work duty: Group 1
November Altar Care: Marge Schley
Dear Lord. Thank you for this gift of food, you've placed upon our table, and help us all to do your work in any way we are able. Amen

Happy Thanksgiving - Jeannine

St. Peter council meeting is Sunday,
November 17, following worship

Trinity Ripples

Choice Thrivent Dollars

Remember, each year you have to designate where you want your Choice \$ to go.



Waverly Ripples



Anyone who has not received Holy Communion and would like to learn more about this important Sacrament of Holy Communion is invited to an instruction class.

First Communion Class
Sunday, November 17th at 9:00 am
Waverly Lutheran Church

If you cannot make it to this class but you are interested in learning more, please talk to Pastor Anthony.

MARY CIRCLE

Tuesday, November 5 - 7 pm
@ Rosemary Atzenhoefer



St Peter



Trinity



Waverly

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS
November 3	Jordan Petschke	Muriel and Darrel Klenz
10	Jeff Petschke	Shirley Schmidt / Jeannine Rasmussen
17	Jeannine Rasmussen	Dale and Jeanne Leiding
24	Muriel Klenz	Bob Nelson / Larry W Schmidt
December 1	Jordan Petschke	Jordan and Christian Petschke

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS	COMMUNION
November 3	Deb Philipp	Wayne and Marty Burmeister	Jon Saxen Bocky Borchardt
10	Liz Stahl	Laurie and Tony Truesdell	
17	MaryAnn Frerichs	John and MaryAnn Frerichs	
24	Deb Philipp	John and Zane Borchardt	Brian Burmeister John Frerichs
December 1	Liz Stahl	Bob Swanson Carlene Hand	John Frerichs Velma Schaal

DATE	LECTOR	CHILDRENS TIME	ACOLYTE	COMMUNION ASSISTANT
November 3	Deanne Gaalswyk	Tom Peterson	Ushers	Laurie Sherman
10	Rosemary Atzenhoefer	Pastor	Ushers	Laurie Sherman
17	Gwen Matz		Ushers	Laurie Sherman
24	Tom Peteson		Ushers	Laurie Sherman
December 1	Tim Peterson		Ushers	Lynette Shaw

November Ushers: Steve Williamson, Troy Schmidtke, Jeff Matz, Todd Rathman

December Ushers: Jon Helvig, Erwin Atzenhoefer, Jeff Lueth, Tom Peterson





November

BIRTHDAYS




November

ANNIVERSARIES

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
				1 Harper Armbrust Jason Bakke John Schmidtke	2 Melanie Koehler Tami Rasmussen	
3 Sheila Jones Cameron Meyer <i>Don & Marilyn Schlager</i>	4 Stephanie Sherman 	5 Kristie Pomeranke	6 Kathy Anderson Daniel Helvig	7 Russell Rosenberg <i>Larry & Barb Schmidt</i> <i>Richard & Marlys Traetow</i>	8 Philip Bettin Carmyne Hecht Gracie Mulso 	9
10 Sandra Ehlert Wyatt Harder <i>James & Aubrey Plumhoff</i>	11 Cory Cheever Joan Ellis Marilyn Oelke Robert Olson	12 Carl Hughes Carl Rabbe <i>Dale & Jeanne Leiding</i>	13 Pauline Gibson 	14 Jocelyn Schmidtke Marlys Traetow Ruthe Young <i>Steve & Eileen Morrow 50</i>	15 Kelsey Binner Kyle Binner Elaine Johnson	16 Travis Winter
17 Camryn Clow Nancy Nordstrom Nathan Nordstrom	18 Gary Roberts Lynette Shaw	19 Lon Oelke 	20 John Borchardt Mikayla Casias David Jensen	21 Annette Wenzel Sibyl Anderson	22 Gavin Hand 	23 Cheryl Schweiger <i>Tim & Liz Stahl</i>
24 Harold Juhl <i>Troy & Lacey Schmidtke</i>	25 	26	27 James Armbrust Jill Schwanz <i>Bruce & Kathy Johnson</i>	28 Mariah Rasmussen	29 Jim Sherman <i>Jeff & Chelsey Armbrust</i>	30 Kathy Bremer <i>John and Rita Garbers</i>



November



Sun

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				<p>1 Parish Office Closed —Fridays</p>	<p>2</p>	
<p>3 <i>All Saints Sunday</i></p> <p>8:30 am Worship StP Communion</p> <p>9:15 am Sunday school—TLC/WLC</p> <p>10:30 am Worship TLC Communion WLC Communion</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5</p> <p>7 pm Mary Circle-WLC</p>	<p>6</p> <p>1:30 pm WELCA StP</p> <p>4-6 pm Confirmation</p> <p>7-8 pm Watonwan River Conference Confirmation Event</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>9</p>
<p>10</p> <p>8:30 am Worship StP</p> <p>9:15 am Sunday school—TLC/WLC</p> <p>10:30 am Worship TLC WLC Communion</p> <p>4 pm Fox Lake 4-H</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12</p> <p>6:00 pm Parish Council</p> <p>7:30 pm TLC Council Mtg.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>1 pm Goldfinch Communion</p> <p>4-6 pm Confirmation</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p>
<p>17</p> <p>8:30 am Worship StP Council mtg follows</p> <p>9:15 am Sunday school—TLC/WLC</p> <p>10:30 am Worship TLC WLC Communion</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Articles due for December Ripples</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>
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A PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Lord God, on this day of Thanksgiving,
We ask your blessings on our family,
our friends, our home, our health—and
on the food we are about to eat.

We thank you for this time together and
the many gifts that you have given us.

Help us to remember in this time of
bounty those less fortunate. And may
your love consume us all that we
might share in your glory.

Amen.

