



NEWS & NOTES

WELCOME!

November 12, 2017

We are glad you came to St. Peter today! If you are a guest, please visit our Welcome Center after worship. We have a special gift for you. Complimentary Bibles are also available.

Childcare is available during the 9 am worship service for children ages 0-3. It is located in the Early Childhood wing of school. For more information, visit the **Welcome Center**.

Ladies Advent by Candlelight – Sunday, December 3 @ 4 pm in Gym

Due to the great response we had with registering for this event this past weekend we are now limited to the space that is left for registering for this event. Please contact Rhonda Dietzler in the office at 739-2009 or rhonda.dietzler@922church.com with any questions or if you are still interested in attending.

Poinsettias for Christmas Season

Everyone has the opportunity to purchase Poinsettias to decorate our worship area for the Christmas season in honor or memory of a loved one. This will be acknowledged in one of the church services during Christmas. The cost will be \$20 per plant and St. Peter will order the flowers. Order forms are available in the November newsletter and also on the Welcome Center by the box that you will put your order form in no later than November 27th. Any questions, please call Rhonda Dietzler in the office @ 739-2009.

Congregation Meeting – Monday, November 20 @ 6:30 pm

This is a regular annual meeting to give updates on recent church council activities, answer questions and give updates on our various ministries.

Paper Recycling

The winter paper recycle drive will be held from Dec. 26 thru Jan. 7. Proceeds from the paper drive benefit our school's technology, library, and athletic equipment needs. All non-waxed coated (no wrapping paper) paper and cardboard is accepted. The dumpster will be located next to the 1910 Centre (old school building next to Pastor Bill's home).

OWLS (Organization of WELS Lutheran Seniors) All WELS seniors are invited to come and learn more about Katie and her life with Martin Luther on Tuesday,

November 14. The guest speaker will be Naomi Plocher who will present the topic "Katie Luther". The event starts with a meeting at noon at Pizza Ranch at N139 Eisenhower Drive in Darboy. Each individual is responsible for their own lunch.

LEAVEN (Christmas Gifts for those in need)

Boxes are now available for you to take (located in the Coat Room) to fill for children ages 2-14 yrs. old. *You can also wrap your own shoe box (lid needs to be able to come off) but we ask that you please take a copy of the instructions that will be available in the information racks so you will know the rules.* All boxes need to be returned back to St. Peter no later than December 4. Any questions, please call Rhonda in the office at 739-2009.

Christmas Cookie Decorating @ The CORE – Dec. 9 – 9 am until Noon

Come decorate cookies for you and your family – free will donation to cover supplies and raise funds for one of our mission partners, Kaleidoscope Academy in Appleton will be taken. Sign up at: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0b45a9ab28a3f85-cookie2> and if you would like to volunteer to help that day, please sign up at: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080b49ada62babf85-christmas>

Homeless Connections (one of our Mission Partners)

Homeless Connection will have a Giving Tree that will be set up in the Ministry Center beginning next week with ornaments stating different gifts that can be purchased for the Homeless. Gifts need to be returned back to St. Peter no later than December 18.

Max the Match

We've been given the opportunity to "Max the Match" again this year. Just like last year, any money that we put toward our loan principal, over and above our regular mortgage payments, will be matched. A generous, St. Peter family will match all this money. It is strongly encouraged that any money you give is "over and above" your normal giving – that way we "maximize" our debt reduction, while still meeting all our budgetary responsibilities. Please use the 'Max the Match' envelopes you have received either via a mailing or the newsletter.

St. Peter/The CORE Apparel

Check out the online store at <http://922church.logoshop.com/> - orders need to be placed no later than Nov. 27 and payment made to the office by that date as well. All apparel will be shipped to St. Peter.

