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# Upcoming Events:





ON JUNE 5, three of our youth will complete their confirmation instruction by affirming their baptisms. We rejoice with them as they take this step in their faith journeys!

Marleigh Marie Luker is the daughter of Ryan and Margaret Luker. Her confirmation mentor was Brenda Bade, and her service projects were delivering valentines to the nursing home and ushering for two services.

Maevyn Lindley Wunsch is the daughter of Trace and Leslie Wunsch. Her confirmation mentor was Sarah Brandes, and her service projects were raking the church cemetery and baking communion bread.

Karolynn Diane Youngblood is the daughter of Justin and Lindsey Youngblood. Her confirmation mentor was Shelby Taylor, and although she has served the church in many ways, her two service projects were ushering two services and working the Country Store at Oktoberfest.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR Goliad High School Graduates who received their diplomas on May 27, 2022! *Payge Dixie Brown* is the daughter of Kelly Rankin and the late Jacob Brown, granddaughter of Jim and Beverly Martin. After taking a year off to work, Payge plans to study to become a veterinarian technician.

Walker Abraham Wimberley is the son of Trey and Karie Wimberly. Walker plans to attend Blinn Junior College, then transfer to Texas A&M to major in Agriculture leadership and development.

(\*see picture page 4-celebrations)

### St. Peter's Staff

The Rev. Anne Kolmeier Pastor

**Sandra Post**Office Administrator

**Dorothy Bowman**Organist and Choir Director

Jerry Kolmeier Custodian

### Congregation Council:

David Bowman
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(term ends 12/31/23)

Regina Calhoun Safety/Security liaison (term ends 12/31/22)

Billy Dornburg Vice-President Stewardship/Finance liaison (term ends 12/31/24)

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(term ends 12/31/22)

Gerald Griffith
Outreach liaison
(term ends 12/31/24)

Paul Post
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(term ends 12/31/22)

Wendi Yendrey
Christian Education and Youth
Ministry liaison
(term ends 12/31/24)

Lindsey Youngblood
Secretary,
Christian Education and Youth
Ministry liaison
(term ends 12/31/23)

The Rev. Anne Kolmeier Pastor (ex-officio)



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF workdays will continue through the summer months, on the third Wednesday of each month. The only change will be that there will be no "stone soup" made, so everyone is asked to bring their own lunch. Can you tie a knot? Tear and/or cut fabric? Lay things out on a table? Use an iron/ironing board? Sew with a machine? Cheerlead? Then we need you! Especially in these summer months, we are hoping that some of our



us!

youth of all ages can join

Group Sunday School is scheduled for June 12th, with a lesson and a craft. (seeds of faith)



THE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY of our Southwestern Texas Synod happens June 10-12 in New Braunfels. Gerald and Eva Nell Griffith will be our representatives, along with Pastor Anne.

THE OFFERING at the synod assembly will go to the Evangelical Mission Endowment Fund, inspired by the story of Philip and the Ethiopian. In Acts 8, an angel of the Lord told Philip to "get up and go" to a wilderness road south of Jerusalem. Philip got up and went. After spotting a chariot, the Spirit told Philip to go and join it, and he ran up to the chariot. What follows is a life-changing conversation between Philip and the Ethiopian Eunuch. Because of the Evangelical Mission Endowment Fund, ministries in our synod change lives by accompanying migrants, feeding hungry people, offering spiritual nourishment, and more. The Fund currently provides sustaining financial support to ministries in our synod in vulnerable settings like Pláticas de Santa Sophia in San Antonio, Eagle Pass Frontera Ministries on the border, and the New Lutheran Apostolic Network of South Texas. Anytime the Spirit calls us forward, we want to be ready, and an additional \$180,000 to the fund will allow us to create and sustain meaningful ministries for years to come! All offerings from the weeknight Lenten services will go towards this offering. If you'd like to add to it, put your donation in the offering plate marked for Synod Assembly Offering by June 5.

JUNE 19-24 IS CAMP WEEK! Twelve of our youth and Pastor Anne will be going to Camp Chrysalis for a week of fellowship with other young Christians, Bible Study, and lots of fun! Please keep these youth (and Pastor!) in your prayers .... Olivia Ball, Gunner, Kora and Maely Brandes, Grace, Lynleigh, Jillian and Tyler Griffith, Arlen and Lane Henke, Mallory Luker and Zaynee Parma. They love receiving mail, so if you have time to drop them a note that would be great ... send it at least a week ahead of time to:

(Camper Name/from Ander) Camp Chrysalis 391 Upper Turtle Creek Rd. Kerrville, TX 78028

As you know, our congregation pays 75% of the cost for campers, so any special offerings you'd like to make would also be appreciated!



these



Adult Bible Study will meet during the summer, but just once a month, on June 8, July 6, and August 10 at 6:30pm. Please join us, as we study Luther's Catechism on the Apostle's Creed. All are welcome!

25 workers from St. Peter's at Camp Chrysalis, helped accomplish many goals.

Many thanks to all who were able to attend this event.













June 1 Boyd Schendel

June 2 JR Pruski

Drake Rogers

Leota Romine

June 4 Bill Bates

Mike Wilburn

June 7 Debbie Foster

June 15 Amanda Beutnagel

June 17 Chris Ideus

Shelby Torres

June 20 Fischer Saxton

June 21 Andrew Abrameit

June 24 Loyce McCullough

Laren Rogers

June 27 Kathy Albrecht

June 28 Mark Jacobs

Gary Wacker





Kirk & Karen Klinkerman Lyle & Wanda Schendel Jerry & Anne Kolmeier Mike & Amy Wilburn Pat & Denise Lovett Trey & Karie Wimberly

Allen & Ruby Jank

June 9, 1984 June 10, 1995 June 21, 1986 June 24, 1995 June 27, 1954

June 1, 1996

June 2, 1968

Justin & Lindsey Youngblood

June 29, 2006

Congratulations to our 2022 Goliad High School Graduates Payge Brown and Walker Wimberly







Randy Willms is a friend of the community and son of St. Peter's beloved Vernette Willms, who is battling colon cancer. He can no longer run his business while he is fighting this formidable foe. He has finished radiation and chemo will start very soon. A group of us have gotten together to hold a fundraiser for Randy and his wife Grace. I am in charge of the Bake Sale portion of the fundraiser. So, if any of you supreme St. Peter's bakers would like to donate items for the sale, please let me know. I can see that they are picked up from St. Peter's by 9:30 AM on Saturday, the 18th of June, or you could choose to bring them to the fire station by 10:00 on that morning. Just let me know - Sharon Abrameit - 361-405-9772 or <a href="mailto:s.abrameit@gmail.com">s.abrameit@gmail.com</a>. Graciously, Lana Jarzombek and her 4-H group have volunteered to bake and help that day as well. God is good all the time.

This medical fundraiser for Randy Willms is Saturday, June 18th from 11 - 2 at the Ander Weser Volunteer Fire Department Complex. BBQ chicken, potatoes, green beans, and dessert will be served starting at 11:00. Plates can be "to go" or eaten there. It should be a warm June day for sure, but plan to stay and enjoy! An auction will begin at 1:00 PM. Live music. Raffle tickets are available - \$10.00 each or 6 for \$50.00. Mike and I have some meal tickets and raffle tickets left. This will be a great time of fellowship, love, and support. Any monetary donations for Randy should be made out to CCBBQA, the Coleto Creek Barbeque Association. If you are purchasing meal or raffle tickets by check, please make them out to CCBBQA. If you would like to donate baked items, please let me know at 361-405-9772 or s.abrameit@gmail.com.

\*Sign-up sheet is on the table in the narthex. Council voted to send \$1,000 to this benefit.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church Treasurer's Report as of

**4**/30/2022

	Monthly	Year-To-Date
- Beginning Balan	ce \$ 109,864.73	\$ 119,937.08
Income	\$ 14,947.40	\$ 60,270.10
<ul><li>Expenses</li></ul>	\$ 18,810.12	\$ 74,205.17
Ending Balance	\$ 106,002.01	\$ 106,002.01



# HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Walt With Me, Daddy

Walt alongside me, Daddy and hold my little hand I have so many things to learn that I don't yet understand

Teach me things to reep me safe from dangers every day.

Show me how to do my best at home, at school at play

Every child needs a gentle hand to guide them as they grow. So walk alongside me, Daddy. We have a long way to go. Page 6 The Cross Word June 2022



St. Peter's Lutheran Church will be hosting VBS, July 12<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> from 6:00pm – 8:00pm. Youth ages 4 – 11 are welcome to join in for lessons, crafts, and games! Closing will be held Sunday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 9:00am.

At HayDay VBS, kids experience God's Word in surprising and unforgettable ways! Kids will be up to their elbows in farmin'

fun as they explore one simple Bible truth: Jesus will always love us! Registration forms will be available starting Sunday, June 5th in the back of the church. If you are interested in being a volunteer (12 years or older). Please contact Julie Franke at julie.franke@hotmail.com or 361-935-0093.

ACOLYTE TRAINING will happen on Tuesday, June 7, at 10:00 am in the sanctuary. Anyone 5th grade or older is welcome to come learn the hows and whys of acolyting as they serve the church. If you want to acolyte but cannot come on June 7, talk to Pastor Anne about meeting with her individually to "learn the ropes." Current acolytes are encouraged to attend to "refresh" their memories and to help teach the new students.



# Pentecost Prayer

Breathe in me O Holy Spirit
that my thoughts may all be holy;
Act in me O Holy Spirit
that my works, too, may be holy;
Draw my heart O Holy Spirit
that I love but what is holy;
Strengthen me O Holy Spirit
to defend that is holy;
Guard me then O Holy Spirit
that I always may be holy.

- St. Augustine of Hippo (AD 354-430)





### WE LOVE A CLEAN CHURCH BUILDING!

Jerry Kolmeier does a great job of keeping it sparkling clean for our Sunday worship services so that it is welcoming for members and visitors alike. Because he and Pastor will be on vacation he will not be able to clean for Sundays July 31 and August 7. Council is asking for vol-



unteers to clean for those dates (a list of duties is by the brooms in the storage room). You can sign up for part of the job, or all of it (eg:sanctuary/fellowship hall). Please contact Paul Post if you

would be willing to help! What a great service project this would be for our youth!

# St. Peter's Children and Youth,

Thank you for a wonderful Mother's Day worship service! It was so meaningful even for us who are not your actual mothers – we other mothers feel you are ours also! From the greeters' smiling faces to the ushers who stayed on point the whole service, to the Communion helpers, flower distributers and teapot holders, all did their jobs with practiced ease!

The readers did a super job, it was obvious that time and practice went into their presentations – I could understand every word! And the content was heartwarming and inspirational, you brought tears to my eyes. Again, thanks to all involved for a wonderful start to my Mother's Day!

In Christian love, Sherry Sanders





# Family and friends—

\*June Bethke-church family member

**Dwane Bruns**—brother of Deanna Wacker

Pauladeen Calhoun - mother of Mike Calhoun

Kim Curlee - friend of Klinkerman's

**Denise Engle** – friend of Amy Wilburn

**Joyce Foster** – grandmother of Shelby Foster

Ainsley Garza – cousin of
Arlene DeForest and
Eva Nell Griffith

\*Barry Geary-church family member (homebound)

\*Bob Gerhardt-church family member

Rebecca Graves - greatniece of Joyce Franklin, friend of Alvin and Arlene DeForest

Olga Gutierrez -friend of Ruby Jank

Joe Haschke—brother of Beverly Martin

Dale Henderson -Margaret Luker's dad.

**Kenneth Jacob** - friend of Glenn Karnei

**Donna Justice** - friend of community

Rosie Karnei—mother of Glenn Karnei

**Terry Karnei** -brother of Glenn Karnei

**Melita Keith** - friend of Margaret Luker

**Joe Ladeairus** - father of Regina Calhoun

Kristen Lambright—friend of Shelby Foster

**Butch Lorenz**-Linda Koehler's brother

**Dorothy Lude-**Glenn Karnei's aunt

Jo Nell Martin - friend of Debbie Foster

**Herbie Mauer** -brother of Brenda Bade

**Doris Moore** - cousin of Fritz Sturm

\*Tom & Marilyn Morrischurch family members

Carolyn Nunley – cousin of Alvin DeForest and Sis DeForest

Mary Poppert - sister of Ina DeForest and Alvin DeForest **James Rung** – son of Greta Henke's friend

Sara -

Riley Smith -family friend of Sturm family

Ronnie Sturm—son of Fritz & Geraldine Sturm

Jay Thigpen - friend of Brandes family

Victor Vargas – nephew of Alyssa and Luke Abrameit

\*Mike Wilburn-church family member

Randy Willms—family member of Morelands

Buddy and Mary Nell Young - friends of the community





### REMEMBER TO CONTACT

Pastor Anne by email at <a href="mailto:revsplca@gmail.com">revsplca@gmail.com</a>, or by texting or calling her at 361-676-4799, with St. Peter's prayer list updates, the person's current needs, or when they can be re-

moved from the list.





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# June Ministry Leaders





<u>Ushers:</u>

June 5 David Bowman,

Jim Martin

June 12 Ball Family

June 19 Sandy & Sherry

Sanders

June 26 Sandy & Sherry

Sanders

Greeters:

June 5 Pat McDonald June 12 Ball Family June 19 Sandra Post

June 26 Terrell Wiggins

Altar Guild:

Kathy Albrecht Cody Foil

Deanna Wacker Wendi Yendre

Offering counters: Fellowship:

Cody Foil Valerie Albrecht Wendi Yendrey Eva Nell Griffith







## Flowers for Altar:

June 5 Confirmation parents
June 12 Kolmeier (anniversary)

June 19 June 26

# St. Peter's Lutheran Church

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nday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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	26 9:00 am Worship 10:15am Church Council 10:15 am Mutual Ministry	Camp Chrysalis 9:00 am Worship	9:00 am Worship 10:15 am Group Sunday School	5 PENTECOST SUNDAY 9:00 am Worship with Confirmation		Sunday
	27 Pastor's Sabbath 28 Day	20 Camp Chrysalis	13 Pastor's Sabbath 14 Day	6 Pastor's Sabbath 7 Day		Monday
	28	21 Camp Chrysalis	The Jane 14	7 10:00 am Acolyte Training		Tuesday
	29	22 Camp Chrysalis	15 9:00 am LWR Quilting	8 6:30 pm Adult Bible Study 10:00 amPr. Pericope Study in Victoria	1 6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal	Wednesday
	30	23 Camp Chrysalis	16	9 10:00 am Pr. Pericope Study in Victoria	2	Thursday
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