### St. Peter's Epistle

June/July 2022

St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church 145 S. 6th Street, Waterford, WI 53185



### **Upcoming Events**

We are presently on Our summer Worship Schedule with Sunday Divine Service at 9:00 a.m.

Celebrate Waterford July 9

Be sure to follow us on facebook and visit our website at www.stpeterswaterford.com

Sign up for updates by emailing Pastor Conradt and asking to be put on the list.

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### From the Desk of Pastor Couradt

Welcoming a New Baby

Dear church family: rejoice with me. The Lord has seen fit to bless my family with a baby girl. She arrived early Sunday morning at 3:30 am May 22nd. She and Stephanie are both doing well.

It was a whirlwind of a week since she ended up being born Sunday morning, we had services at 8:00 and 10:30 am, and then I was on vacation. Originally I scheduled the week thinking she would be born the previous week and could have her baptized on the 22nd, but God, as He often does, had other plans.

Because of this vacation I was off Sunday May 29th. However, we did not want to wait any longer to have her brought into the waters of Holy Baptism and so scheduled her baptism for later on the 29th. Thank you to those who came to witness her rebirth.

It is such a blessing to witness a birth, but also the adoption into God's family. As we did when Samuel was born we announced the name during the baptism at the point where the pastor asks, "How are you named?"

"Katharine Jane Conradt".

The name Katharine comes from the Greek word καθαρος (katharos), meaning pure. The day of her

birth that word was in the text (James 1:26 as καθαρα) that I preached on. It was regarding pure religion. We have also long admired Katharina Luther (anglicized Katharine) and she has received her namesake.

If you haven't learned much about Dr. Luther's wife there are a few great resources out there (including for children). Some of these include: Kitty, My Rib by E. Jane Mall, The Mother of the Reformation by Ernst Kroker, and the Hero of the Faith series for children and the graphic novel: Katie Luther.

She is indeed a fascinating figure in church history and served as a remarkable helpment to Martin. The church remembers her on December 20th (the date of her death).

Jane is a family name and is Stephanie's Mother's middle name.

We rejoice to receive these blessings from the Lord as He chooses to send them.

As the psalmist writes, "Except the LORD build the house, they labor in vain that build it.... Children are a heritage of the LORD, and the fruit of the womb is His reward. As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man, so are the children of the youth. Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them;" (Ps. 127). Thanks be to God.

In Christ,

Parter Count

### OFFICIAL ACTS



### **BAPTISM**

Katharine Jane Conradt, daughter of Pastor & Stephanie Conradt 5-22-22 5-29-22



### **NEW MEMBERS**

By Transfer:

Jim & Jean Dumke



### MEMBERS LEAVING

By Transfer:

Nick & Cynthia Carriker

### Removed by Self-Exclusion:

Taylor Badzinski
Roy & Jill Benson
Phil Bischoff
Michael, Joseph & Benjamin Chart
Casey Griebel
Kace & Mary Kaiser
Daniel Majchrzak
Joe Majchrzak (Maddie)
Tim, Shawntay & Tyler Schmidt
Nicole Strueder



### **2022 CONFIRMANDS**

It is our prayer that the Lord would bless our confirmands as they make their vows of faithfulness to their Savior and His church and continue to bless them in their Christian walk.

Gabriel Eberhardt Logan Eberhardt Robert Gorsiski Trevor Myren Mackenzie Sekey

Newslette	r Due Date
August/Sept	July 25



### **FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT**



Beginning June 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm and continuing throughout the year the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month, the Board of Parish Education will host a Family Movie Night. Popcorn will be served. The first movie, in June, will be "God With Us" (the first movie in "The Witness Trilogy"), an animated film retelling the life of Jesus Christ, as seen through the eyes of the last surviving apostle, John. July's movie will be "The Messengers" (the second movie in "The Witness Trilogy") and looking ahead to August, the movie will be "To Every Nation" (the final movie in "The Witness Trilogy").

### SENIOR FRIENDSHIP GROUP



Join us for Christian fellowship and cards every second and fourth Monday of the month, at 11am here at St Peter's Lutheran Church. Feel free to bring your own bag lunch and we take turns bringing the desserts. Coffee and water are also available. This group is for all you youngsters 55 and over. Members and your friends. Regular meetings, with Bible study, will resume on September 12th.

For those of you who can't get enough of playing cards, the following dates are for cards only during the summer months. Meeting at 11am. Bring your own drinks and snacks please.

June 13th and 27th July 11th and 25th August 8th and 22nd

We look forward to meeting lots of new friends. Come join us!





### PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to request a prayer on Sunday morning for birthdays, anniversaries, etc., please call the church office. We would be happy to share with you those special days in prayer.



### **CHURCH LIBRARY WEBSITE**

Go to stpeterswaterford.com and click on the church's website icon. Then click on the Library website icon for library information. Then click on Search Library Database to find a listing of all the books in the library. Check it out!



### **MOVING?**

If you are moving, please notify the church office of your change of address and new phone number. If you are unsure of where to worship, we will also help you locate a new LCMS Church.

### **PLEASE CALL**



If you should find yourself hospitalized or confined to your home for health reasons, please notify the church office. Pastor can only minister to your needs if he is aware of your situation. Pastor is eager and willing to make regular visits with you, but he can do so only if you let him know.



### **TRACTS**

Tracts are a great resource to use while sharing God's Word with others, or if you or someone you know is going through a difficult time. Please check out the assortment of tracts found in the racks in the narthex and feel free to share with your family and friends.

### **EMAIL LIST!**



Pastor Conradt periodically sends out an email to church members who want to be informed of important updates. To be included on Pastor's email list, please send an email to Pastor Conradt at pastorconradt@stpeterswaterford.com and include in the subject line: "Add me to the list."



### **USED EYEGLASSES & HEARING AIDS**

Please consider depositing your used eyeglasses & hearing aids in the container provided in the narthex. By donating these used items, someone is seeing and hearing the world differently. The Lions Club distributes these items to those in need.



### ALTAR FLOWERS

The Flower Chart is in the Narthex, to the right of the door to the sanctuary, and to the left of the coat racks. You can sign up to provide and place Altar flowers in church for a birthday, anniversary, or any special occasion or memorial.



### **STICKERS**

Do you get stickers in the mail and don't use them? If that is the case, please consider giving them to the church for the children's activity bags. The children love using stickers.

### **AMAZON SHOPPING**



When you do your shopping at <a href="mailto:smile.amazon.com">smile.amazon.com</a>, Amazon will donate to St. Peter's. You can increase St. Peter's donation potential by spreading the word about <a href="mailto:AmazonSmile">AmazonSmile</a>. Sign in to <a href="http://org.amazon.com">http://org.amazon.com</a> and choose to support St. Peter's Church and Rainbow Preschool.



### HANDICAPPED PARKING

On the East side of our building there are several parking spaces marked for handicapped parking only. We remind you that by state law, these spaces can be used only by individuals displaying a handicapped motorist sign in their car window or having the prefix "dis" on their license plate. Please respect the rights of our disabled members and quests!



### **JUNE BIRTHDAYS**

Elaine Beguhl	6/01
Peter Berndt	6/01
Nicholas Hunt	6/01
Cole Hein	6/03
Brooke Baumeister	6/04
Doug Holden	6/04
Heather Peterson	6/04
Kelly Schwarten	6/04
Carolyn Strueder	6/04
Emilia Stephan	6/05
Daniel Taggatz	6/06
	6/07
Ryan Gilgenbach	6/08
Abigail Grindeland  Dawn Blawat	
	6/09
Brian Blawat	6/10
Frank Czuta	6/10
Luke Perz	6/11
June Ulbing	6/12
Nick Brown	6/14
Jillane Persch	6/14
Jeanette Schoen	6/14
Mark Grebe	6/15
Kory Chart	6/16
Zoe Conradt	6/17
Aiden Draves	6/18
Lyla Baumeister	6/19
Charlotte Draves	6/19
Cheryl Myers	6/21
Nathan Schmidt	6/21
Kay Borgwardt	6/23
Ava Flower	6/23
Roman Baumeister	6/26
Leona Robran	6/26
Kandiss Beck	6/27
Debbie Berndt	6/27
Lori Everett	6/27
Whitney Poulter	6/27
Mark Somers	6/27
Marian Dolezal	6/29
Kenneth Jacobs	6/29
Joseph Campbell	6/30
Isabella Kin	6/30
Towns of the Child	0,00



### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

To the following couples who are celebrating June wedding anniversaries:

Ronald & Elaine Baumgart	6/04
Rodney & Lori Everett	6/06
Brian & Christine Blawat	6/08
Scott & Tammy Peterson	6/10
Gerald & Diana Storm	6/10
Matthew & Katie Dolezal	6/11
Kevin & Charlene Eisenhut	6/11
Gary & Kay Borgwardt	6/12
Jacob & Patricia Guentzel	6/12
Kevin & Lana Mullikin	6/12
Norman & Irene Tuscany	6/12
Gerald & Janet Christiansen	6/16
Terry & Kathy Wojtal	6/16
James & Brenda Bakke	6/20
Ronald & Kelsey Domke	6/22
Adam & Kat Perz	6/22
Edward & Lenore Zimmerman	6/22
Robert & Joan Somers	6/24
Jim & Kathy Anderson	6/25
Pastor & Stephanie Conradt	6/25
Andrew & Heather Peterson	6/26
Ronald & Patricia Jung	6/28
Matthew & Abigail Stephan	6/28
David & Karen Engelmann	6/29
Charles & Shelley Kempken	6/30





### **JULY BIRTHDAYS**



To the following couples who are celebrating July wedding anniversaries:

Frank & Sandi Czuta Adam & Samantha Draves	7/05 7/06
Peter & Bonnie Lukas	7/06
Jeff & Lisa Checker	7/11
Klayton & Breanne Schultz	7/12
Steve & Wendy Grindeland	7/13
Ronald & Cynthia Hunt	7/14
Arnold & Katherene Oelkers	7/14
Ryan & Cheryl Gilgenbach	7/17
George & Bertha Neumueller	7/17
Tom & Joan Schlehlein	7/19
Harry & Judith Knoblauch	7/23
Nick & Amanda Brown	7/27
Jerry & Belinda Kisley	7/29
David & Julie McLaughlin	7/29





LWML South Wisconsin District

SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS

May 2022

### What does LWML mean to you?

Dear LWML SWD Sisters,

Have you ever thought about "What does LWML mean to you?" This question is different from "What is LWML?" or "What does LWML do?" This question looks for a personal response, a possible one-of-a-kind answer. "What does LWML mean to you?"

This year we celebrate 80 years of LWML being the official women's auxiliary of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod. For 80 years, mites were collected, missions supported, Bibles studied, mission education learned, mission service performed, fellowship enjoyed. For 80 years Lutheran women have served their Lord gladness. "What's your 80?" with opportunity to use individual and aroup creativity to celebrate the 80th year of the LWML. Such joy is expressed in the celebration and sharing of different activities! Barb Kurth recently shared that Carmen Nieting celebrated her 100th birthday. Be sure to read article about Carmen and her role in LWML at the local and national levels in this Mission Lamp issue.

This year we also celebrate 75 years of the LWML South Wisconsin District. Here too, we have collected mites, supported missions, studied the Bible, learned about missionary needs, performed mission service, and enjoyed Christian fellowship! Along with the North

Wisconsin and Northern Illinois Districts, South Wisconsin District has the privilege to serve as part of the Host Committee for the LWML Convention 2023 in Milwaukee. More information about volunteer opportunities can be found in this Mission Lamp.

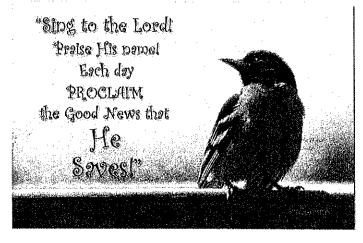
What does LWML mean to you? A grant recipient may answer differently than a mite box filler. A "planner" may answer differently than an event "attendee." LWML needs grant recipients and mite box fillers, planners and attendees! What does LWML mean to you? You, the heart of LWML, as you serve and are served through the LWML, boldly share what this organization means to you. Ask others what it means to them.

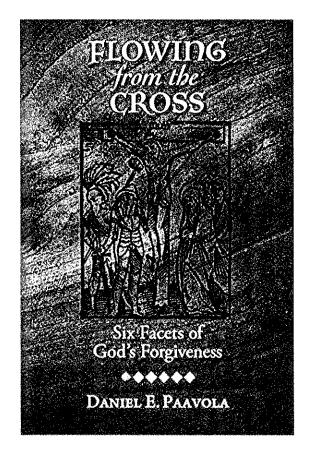
Serving our Lord with you,

See more at LWML-SWD.org

Cinda Poppe

LWML SWD President 2020-2024





# You Are Invited to Women's Monday Bible Study

Starting Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm - 7:30ish pm

We will study

### FLOWING from the CROSS:

Six Facets of God's Forgiveness

by Daniel E. Paavola

### Please join us for this study on forgiveness!

### From CPH:

Forgiveness is the heart of our relationship with God. Through Jesus' sacrifice on the cross, we know we can now come into God's presence and, covered by forgiveness, walk in His peace. But when was the last time we stopped to really consider the depth and richness of that forgiveness?

Flowing from the Cross uses the six faces of a cube and images drawn from the Bible to explore different facets of God's forgiveness. With relatable anecdotes, discussion questions, and hymn connections, this book will help you understand the complexity and comfort of the forgiveness that flows to us from the cross of Christ.

### I would like to attend!

The ladies of Women's Bible Study (WBS) invite you to join us every Monday as we gather together in the conference room at church to hear and learn God's Word, pray for one another, and enjoy the fellowship of being together as Sisters in Christ. Register on the Women's Bible Study sign up sheet posted on the church office window or call the church at 262-534-3639. Books will be distributed during the first class and there is a \$15.75 book fee.

Go, My children, sins forgiven, At peace and pure.

Here you learned how much I love you, What I can cure.

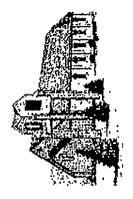
Here you heard My dear Son's story;

Here you touched Him, saw His glory.

Go, My children, sins forgiven, At peace and pure. (LSB 922:2)



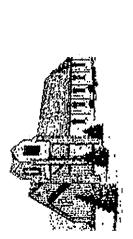
## **JUNE 2022**



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Sat	4	11	18	25	
Fri	8	10 Family Movie Night "God With Us" 6:00pm	17	24	
Thu	2	6	16	23	30
Wed	<i>I</i> Worship 6:30pm	8 Worship 6:30pm	15 Worship 6:30pm Elders 7:30pm	22 Worship 6:30pm	29 Worship 6:30pm
Tue		7	14	21	28
Mon	Abbreviations W.B.S. Women's Bible Study	9	Senior Group 11:00am (cards only)  Bd. of Finance 6:00pm  Council 7:00pm	20 W.B.S. Summer session begins 6:00pm	Senior Group 11:00 (cards only) W.B.S 6:00pm
Sun	Abbrei W.B.S. Woi	S Worship 9:00am Voter's Meeting 10:15am	12 Worship 9:00am	19 Worship 9:00am Father's Day Fellowship in Narthex after service	26 Worship 9:00am

## JULY 2022



St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church Waterford, WI

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 Worship 9:00am	4 Happy 4th of July! Parade starts at 11:00	5	<i>6</i> Worship 6:30 pm	7	8 Family Movie Night "The Messengers" 6:00pm	6
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