

IN TOUCH with St. Peter's . . . Sharing Our Ministry with You

Saturday/Sunday, January 11 & 12, 2020

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THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S:

Monday, Jan 13:

Tuesday, Jan 14: 10am Bible Study

Wednesday, Jan 15: 6-7:30 Connect

Thursday, Jan 16:

Friday, Jan 17:

Saturday, Jan 18: 5:30 Worship with Communion

Sunday, Jan 19: 8:00 & 10:45 Worship with Communion

Helping Hands collected the first and third Sundays of each month.

Attendance: Jan 4, 5:30pm –17 Jan 5 8am-38 10:45am-49

***KEEP THOSE HOSPITALIZED OR WITH IMMEDIATE MEDICAL NEEDS IN OUR PRAYERS:**

Eldon Schoedel, Lori Gunther, Mike Sutton, E.J. Eberle, Dave brother of Julie Parlier, Marjorie Cutright Aunt of Les Newton, Ashley Howard-granddaughter of Dennis and Ruby Lindo, Nicole (VanBrooker) Sager, Jim brain cancer, Augie Eble friend of Paula Smart, Larry Howerter-Debbie Inman's brother, Nicholas Faichney grandson of Sandra Ragon, Harold Boe, Katie Bucio neck tumors, Frank Horvath, Pat Walker, Shana Petrucci-Tom Magnusson's niece diagnosed with MS., Marlene Nimmo, Pat Forquer friend of Nancy Schoedel, Eric Riley-son in law of Gordon Pullen, Michael health issues, Dr. Bruce Mathes cancer, Jack Bollinger friend of the Visocky's, Beryl Forman Friend of Karen Visocky Lung cancer, Gloria Burton, Cindy Johnson's daughter and granddaughter Julie Williams & Jaida please pray for healing, Don & Bonnie Theobald, Ruth Bohannon lung cancer sister of Colleen Dearman, Bob Kennedy, Cheryl renal failure, Phil Hess, Susie Davis friend of the Dusseau's, April Egart, Michael Shackelford-Michael Inmans grandfather aneurysm surgery, Colleen Dearman surgery, Dale Elliott.

If you have additions or changes to the prayer list please email to marsha@stpeters-epil.com or put in the offering plate. Thank you.

FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY AND THOSE SERVING IN HARM'S WAY!

Andrew Benedict, Jereme Martin, Brady Martin, Dalton Belcher (deployed), Jake Gunther, Michael Lewis, David Masters, Trent Barron, Doug and Delia Gardner, Lauren Tranchitella (Kuwait), Nick Barth, Traci Knott, Cody Margetis all deployed to the Middle East, Magnus Moeller.

Here are the shut-in birthdays for January, please send them a birthday greeting!

January 1 Bob Knock 136 Jay St., East Peoria IL 61611

January 12 Lyle Wright 313A Lakeside Ave, Pekin IL 61554

January 21 Barb Knock 136 Jay St., East Peoria IL 61611

There will be no Good Samaritan Meeting the months of January & February. The next meeting will be March 10th.

Updated Greeters Schedule are on the Welcome desk.

Please pick one up if you are a Greeter.

Mitten Tree count Gloves 44 pair, Mittens 6 pair, Hats 29, Scarves 5, Head bands-5. Thank you Joy Williams for taking them to the Children's Home.

A note to the Congregation from the Finance Committee and the Treasurer:

Financial Update:

While many of you are just reading the financial update that was shared in the weekly bulletin and the most recent newsletter, the Church Council felt it to be important to get everyone more information. At the current moment, as a congregation we are looking at ending the 2019 year with a shortfall. Here are the specifics. Our bills to finish off 2019 completely balanced currently sit at \$23,583. Based upon average giving with 2 Sundays remaining, we project a shortfall of \$11,450. Our hopes are that we can begin the 2020 year with no bills due. If you are so blessed to assist with this shortfall, we Thank You. Our hopes are that we can maintain our approved budget throughout the upcoming year and I again promise that I will continue to communicate the information as clearly as possible. If you ever have any questions or concerns about the Church's finances or other issues, please mark your calendar to attend the monthly council meeting. (We meet the 4th Tuesday of each month in the basement.)

John Vollrath- Treasurer



Call Committee Update

The committee has identified two new candidates for a potential call. The committee will be scheduling interviews with each candidate this week.

Update soon after the interviews.

Our Annual Basketball tournament. It will be **Friday, January 24-Sunday, January 26**. We will need help at the scorer's table, concession stand and ticket table.

I also need help with general oversight of the tournament. That weekend Brody has 2 basketball games and Bryce has his Senior recognition day for his Last home indoor track meet. I would like to attend those events on Friday and Saturday. I will be back at the tournament on Sunday. But I could really use help on Friday and Saturday.

I will have sign-up sheets hung on the bulletin board this weekend and if anyone has any questions of where they can help, they can always call me. John Vollrath

From Hilda:

As announced the offering envelopes have been delayed due to printing issues. They will not arrive until March. **Temporary Offering Envelopes** are in the pews.

Questions please call me at (309) 694-7115. Thank you.