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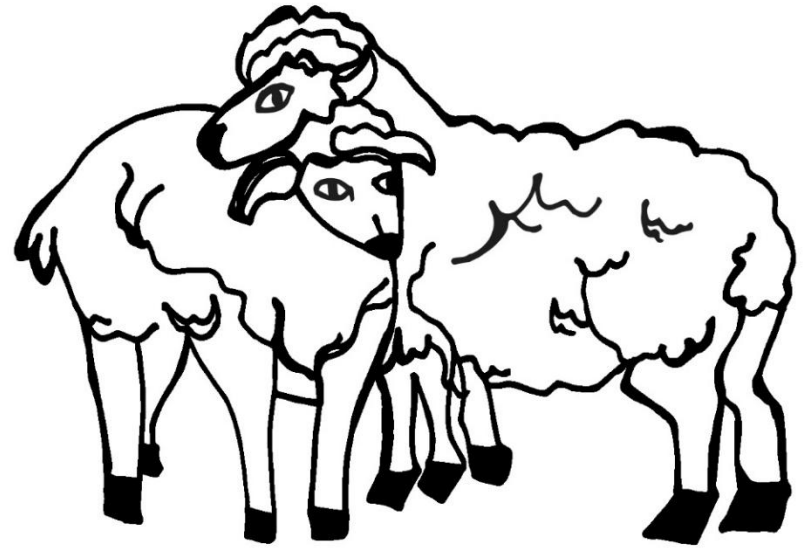
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Contributions (General Fund)

April 19, 2026 \$3,314. Attendance: 63

March 2026

income/expense -\$1,188.53
2026 YTD -\$1,831.50



CONFIRMATION SUNDAY FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

ST. PETRI EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

804 Grand Ave., Story City, IA 50248

Pastor Tim Malek

April 26, 2026

10:00 a.m.

Our Mission:

**We are disciples of Jesus Christ,
called to grow in Christ,
and to invite all to follow him.**

St. Petri Evangelical Lutheran Church
CONFIRMATION SUNDAY
Fourth Sunday of Easter

ELW = Evangelical Lutheran Worship (Red Hymnal)
p. =Liturgy pages in front of hymnal; # =Hymn numbers

Thanksgiving for Baptism

Gathering Song- *My Life Flows On in Endless Song* ELW #763

Greeting

Canticle of Praise ELW p. 204

Prayer of the Day

First Reading – Acts 2:42-47

Psalm 23

Second Reading – 1 Peter 2:19-25

Children’s Message

Gospel Acclamation ELW p. 205

Gospel: John 10:1-10

Sermon – Colbie Bauman

Hymn of the Day– *Jesus Is a Rock in a Weary Land* ELW #333

Confirmation Presentation ELW p. 234

Profession of Faith ELW p. 235

Affirmation of Baptism ELW p. 236

Prayers of Intercession–

Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

... Jesus Christ, our risen Savior. **Amen.**

Peace

Offering

Offering Song

Now All the Vault of Heaven Sounds

ELW# 367 v.4

Offering Prayer

Great Thanksgiving

Dialogue

Preface

Holy, Holy, Holy ELW p. 207

Thanksgiving at the Table

The Lord’s Prayer

Invitation to Communion

You are welcome to receive Communion at our services, regardless of age or church affiliation. If you prefer to receive a blessing instead of Communion, please come forward with arms crossed over your chest. Please fill out a communion card, found in the pew pocket, & hand it to an usher when you come forward. (Please be sure your card is readable.) **White grape juice is available please indicate to the server.**

Communion Song – *Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone*
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Post Communion Blessing

Prayer after Communion

Announcements

Blessing

Sending Song – *This Little Light of Mine* ELW # 677

Our Mission & Dismissal

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Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)



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I. A - ma - zing grace! How
grace that taught my

sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I
heart to fear, and grace my fears re - lieved. How

once was lost, but now am found; was blind but now I
pre - cious did that grace a - pear the hour I first be

1. see. 2. 'Twas lieved. My chains are gone, I've been set

free. My God and Sa - vior has ran - somed

me. And like a flood his mer - cy

reigns, un-end - ing love, a - ma - zing grace.

3. The Lord has promised good to me
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

Chorus
My chains are gone
I've been set free
My God, my Savior has ransomed me
And like a flood His mercy reigns
Unending love, amazing grace

4. The earth shall soon dissolve like snow
The sun forbear to shine
But God, who called me here below,
Will be forever mine.
Will be forever mine.
You are forever mine.

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St. Petri Youth Confirming Their Faith in Jesus Christ

Colbie Sophia Bauman
Kalen Evan Bauman
Lillian Marie Braucher
Owen Eugene Patterson
Jocelyn Jo Thorson

“If you confess with your mouth, ‘Jesus is Lord’ and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you confess and are saved.”

Romans 10:9,10



ST. PETRI ANNOUNCEMENTS April 26, 2026

~~ In Our Thoughts and Prayers ~~

OUR PRAYER LIST

Jaye Anderson, Virginia Egemo, Paul Ness,
Larry Reisetter, Judy Schnurstein,
Raejean Bickelhaupt (Troy's Mom)

PRAYERS OF ONGOING CONCERN

Linda Fevold, Paul Wierson

PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT NEAR TO US

Pat & Jacqueline Bencke-Japan ELCA Missionaries
Soldiers; Peace Workers; & Humanitarian Aid
Workers; For those in Ukraine and Russia

PRAYERS OF CELEBRATION

Baptism anniversaries this week:
Peg Patterson, Beth Dedic, Nancy Jewell,
Shirley Stakey, Jocelyn Thorson, Hubert Tussey

New Member Class – If you are interested in joining St. Petri or wanting to learn more about St. Petri, please join our New Member Class TODAY, April 26th with Pastor Tim after the worship service.

If interested, but cannot make it to the class, please call Pastor Tim at 515-598-6635.

New Member Sunday will be May 3rd.

Quarterly Giving Statements are ready. You may pick yours up in the narthex.

Worship Volunteer Opportunities- A sign-up sheet for May and June is available on the table outside the office. There is a line for every Sunday, & a column for Lector, Assisting Minister, & Children's Sermon. This sheet will replace the current online Sign-up Genius that we currently use. Many of you are missing out on this great opportunity because it is online! We'll try this for the next four months to see if we get more people.

St. Petri will deliver "Meals on Wheels" in the month of May. There is a sign-up sheet by the church office.

THIS WEEK AT ST. PETRI

Today Apr. 26

CONFIRMATION SUNDAY

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship Service - **Confirmation**
11:00 a.m. Coffee/Fellowship
11:15 a.m. New Member Class
11:45 a.m. Church Fellowship Hall/Kitchen in use
6:30 p.m. 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation-St. Petri

Monday Apr. 27

9a-noon Quilt Making
10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

Tuesday Apr. 28

9a-noon Quilt Making
9am-3pm Bethany Quilters

Wednesday Apr. 29

9a-noon Quilt Making
5:30 p.m. COMPASS Youth Group
6:30 p.m. Youth Meal
7:00 p.m. AXIS Youth Group

Thursday Apr. 30

Friday May 1

Saturday May 2

8:30a-noon Riverside Bible Camp Work Day

Sunday May 3

NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship Service
11:00 a.m. Coffee/Fellowship-Greet New Members
1-4 p.m. Girl Scouts
6:30 p.m. 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation-Bergen

The next Property/Trustees Comm. Mtg. will be Wednesday, May 6th at 5:30pm.

St. Petri's Clean Up Day will be Saturday, May 16th at 10:00am. We will be mulching, picking up, trimming...