



Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS)

riveroflifelutheran.com

830 Sunrise Drive | St. Peter, MN

WORSHIP SERVICES

Every Sunday @ 8:00am and 10:30am

(Beginning May 28th - 10:00am Service Only)

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Toddlers-Grade 6 | Sundays @ 9:15am

CONFIRMATION

Grades 7 & 8 | Sundays @ 9:15am

JR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Grades 5-8

Every other Wednesday @ 6:00pm

River of LIFE Fellowship Room

SR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Grades 9-12 | Every Sunday @ 6:30

Friends Building – 201 S 3rd Street

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday (Men and Women) @ 7:00pm | River of LIFE

Wednesday (Men) @ 7:30pm | River of LIFE

Thursday @ 9:00am | River of LIFE

Sundays @ 9:30am | Fellowship Room

Sundays @ 6:00pm | Fellowship Room

(ALWAYS CHECK WEBSITE FOR POSSIBLE SCHEDULE CHANGES!)

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April 30, 2023

River of LIFE Lutheran Church

SPRING CLEANING DAY

Mark your calendar for Saturday, May 6th from 9:00-noon. It is spring cleaning time here at River of LIFE. We will have a list of chores to be done and as you know, many hands make light work. We hope to see you there!

NOW HIRING - DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

River of LIFE is hiring a Director of Music. This is a part time, non-benefit, paid position. The Director of Music supports and affirms the identity, mission, and vision of River of LIFE by enhancing the worship experience through music that aims to correspond with sermon topics and scripture readings. If you would like to know more or see the full job description talk to an elder or Pastor Brian.

ONE SERVICE

Beginning Memorial Weekend, Sunday, May 28th, our worship service time will be changing to 10:00am and there will be one service only during the summer months. Please make a note of this time change.

PICKLEBALL

We have five pickleball courts reserved at Mankato's Picklebarn on Saturday, May 20, from 3 - 5pm. We will get a brief pickleball lesson to learn the rules of the game and then start playing. Based on 20 people attending this event, the cost will be \$15 per person. Paddles and balls will be included. As the date draws nearer; we'll solidify the final headcount. If you have questions, talk to Scott Eyler.

LADIES DAY OUT

Relax with friends at Chankaska Winery on Sunday, April 30th @ 2:00pm. Contact Jessie McQuiggin if interested, or just show up!

SPRING 2023 CONFIRMATION

Spring 2023 confirmation will be on Sunday, May 7th during the 10:30am service. Students, please note the final class dates are April 26 and May 3 from 6:30-7:30.

VBS OPPORTUNITY FOR 5TH & 6TH GRADE STUDENTS

Current 5th & 6th grade students are invited to become part of a new team here at River of LIFE. They will Shine Jesus' Light on the younger kids by adding visual excitement and energy to the singing portion of the Sing & Play Blast Off and Cosmic Closing at VBS. Prior to VBS they will learn the words and motions to all the songs. Rehearsal schedule are TBD. There is an online and paper signup. Call or text Dawn Eberhart (507-327-3783) or Dani Syverson (320-296-1624) with any questions.

All announcements and/or event changes or additions need to be emailed to the office by noon on Thursday in order to appear in the upcoming Sunday's bulletin and on the announcement screen. Not ALL events will always be posted on Facebook, but all events WILL always be on the website.

Upcoming Events

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday, April 30th @ 9:30am

LADIES DAY OUT - CHANKASKA WINERY

Sunday, April 30th @ 2:00pm

SR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Sunday, April 30th @ 6:30pm

SPRING 2023 CONFIRMATION CLASS

Wednesday, May 3rd @ 6:30-8:30pm

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, May 3rd @ 7:30pm

BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, May 4th @ 9:00am

SPRING CLEAN UP

Saturday, May 6th – 9:00am-noon

CONFIRMATION

Sunday, May 7th @ 10:30am

LAST DAY OF SCHEDULED SUNDAY

SCHOOL FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR

Sunday, May 7th

JR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday, May 10th @ 6:00pm

PICKLEBALL

Saturday, May 20th 3:00-5:00

SERVICE TIME CHANGE

Sunday, May 28th – 10:00 service throughout the summer months

YOUTH WORK TRIP

July 16th – 22nd

2023 VBS

Sunday, July 30th - Thursday, Aug 3rd
5:00 – Meal, 5:45 – VBS Program

CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

Birthday:

Beth Jopp (May 3)
Holly Halldorson (May 5)
Jacob Smith (May 5)
Olivia Enz (May 6)
Richard Malecek (May 6)
Logan Mueller (May 6)

Anniversary:

Tim & Tammy Balder (May 1)

*Help us update our records.
Email the office with your
birthdate and/or
anniversary, so that we can
celebrate with you.*

Altar Flowers:

Sign up to bring altar flowers.
The signup calendar
is on the wall in the narthex
around the corner from the
men's restrooms.



Download the
River of LIFE Church App

FAMILY ROOM AVAILABLE: There is a live video feed of the service available at all times in our Fellowship Room at the back of the

Sunday, April 30, 2023
"Fourth Sunday of Easter"

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Opening Song

"We Are"

Invocation

Confession of Sins

Song of Response

"Lord I Need You"

Scripture Readings

Psalm 23

Acts 2:42-47

Apostles Creed

John 10:1-10

Children's Message

Sermon Song

"My Jesus"

Sermon

"The Shepherd That Speaks"

Receiving of Offerings

Text to Give # 507-479-7400

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Communion

Communion Blessing

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song

"Glorious Day"

Announcements

Giving Update
March
2023

Budget: \$20,101

Actual: \$15,581

Sunday Attendance
Total for Month
March

2022: 642

2023: 560

Sunday Attendance
Average per Service
March

2022: 161

2023: 140