



Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS)
830 Sunrise Drive | St. Peter, MN
riveroflifelutheran.com

WORSHIP SERVICES

Every Sunday @ 10:00am

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Toddlers-Grade 6 @ 8:45am

CONFIRMATION

Grades 7 & 8 @ 8:45am

JR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Grades 5-8

Wednesdays @ 6:00pm

River of LIFE Fellowship Room

SR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Grades 9-12

Wednesdays @ 6:00pm

River of LIFE Fellowship Room

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

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

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

Thursday @ 9:00am | River of LIFE

Sundays @ 6:00pm | Fellowship Room

ALWAYS CHECK WEBSITE FOR POSSIBLE SCHEDULE CHANGES!

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October 1, 2023

River of LIFE Lutheran Church

NAME TAGS

We are asking for everyone to please wear a name tag today. The first Sunday of each month, we wear name tags and the best part is we have treats after the worship service. We hope you are able to stay for a few minutes after the service and we hope you meet someone new today!

BIBLE STUDIES

The men started a new Bible study last week. The study “Stepping Up” gives men the vision and the tools to live godly, courageous lives. The women’s Bible study is “Kingdom Women” by Tony Evans. Both groups meet on Wednesdays, the women meet @ 7:00, the men meet from 7:30-9:00.

FALL FESTIVAL

There will be a Fall Festival on Sunday, October 29th. This will be immediately following the worship service. More details regarding this event will be coming soon, but we wanted you to get this date saved on your calendar now.

FALL CLEAN UP

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, October 14th for our Fall Cleanup Day. Many hands makes light work. We are also looking for a group of people that would be interested in helping a light meal for the helpers to eat after the cleanup. This is always a good incentive to come and help and a great way to fellowship with one another.

FREEZER MEAL WORKSHOP

Join us for a freezer meal workshop on Sunday, October 8th in the afternoon (exact time TBD). In this workshop, we will be assembling freezer meals for you to enjoy. These freezer meal recipes can be made in 2,4 or 6 serving increments. You can choose up to different 10 meals. We will offer a questionnaire for you to pick your recipes and then you will receive a custom grocery shopping list to purchase your supplies for the specific recipes you chose prior to our workshop. On assembly day we will meet at church together and assemble our meals, get to know each other better and have fun. More information can be found on our website.

RIVER OF LIFE SPORTING CLAYS SHOOT

Saturday, October 7th @ 12:30pm @ Caribou Gun Club | If you have questions, please call Steve Peterson @ 507-995-4405.

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. **Please check the church website for up-to-date information and announcements throughout the week.**

Upcoming Events

BIBLE STUDY

Sunday, October 1st @ 6:00pm

SR AND JR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

Wednesday, October 4th @ 6:00pm

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, October 4th @ 7:00pm

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, October 4th @ 7:30pm

BIBLE STUDY

Thursday, October 4th @ 9:00am

THIRD GRADE BIBLE DISTRIBUTION

Sunday, October 8th

CLAY TARGET SHOOTING

Saturday, October 7 @ 12:30

FREEZER MEAL WORKSHOP

Sunday, October 8 @ TBD

FALL CLEAN UP

Saturday, October 14th

FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, October 29th

CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

Birthday:

Bill Stuewe (Oct 2)

Thomas Lloyd (Oct 2)

Elorie Gregor (Oct 3)

Emily Landass (Oct 7)

Everett Pettis (Oct 7)

Anniversary:

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.
A signup calendar can be found in the hallway outside the fellowship room.

Sunday, October 1, 2023
“Eighteenth Sunday After Pentecost”

Welcome

Prayer

Opening Song

“Trust in You”

Invocation

Confession

Song of Response

“I Will Rise”

Scripture Readings

Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32

Philippians 2:1-18

Apostles Creed

Matthew 21:23-32

Presentation of Bibles

Sermon Song

“Good Good Father”

Sermon

Receiving of Offerings

Text to Give # 507-479-7400

Prayers of the Church

Lord’s Prayer

Communion

Communion Blessing

Closing Prayer

Benediction

Closing Song

“This is Amazing Grace”

Announcements

MRCI Presentation

Giving Update
August
2023

Budget: \$19,512

Actual: \$15,467

Sunday Attendance
Total for Month
September

2022: 634

2023: 514

Sunday Attendance
Average per Service
September

2022: 159

2023: 129