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**St. Peter Lutheran Church**

**Serving the Lodi Community for 127 Years**

**Liturgical Service 8:15**

**New Song Service 10:15**

**JAM Time at Both Services**

**You can reach us by visiting us at:**

2400 Oxford Way, Lodi, CA 95242

**or by contacting one of our offices:**

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**October 19th, 2025**

Today’s Theme: Blessed Are Those Who Are Persecuted

Readings: Acts 16: 16-24 and Matthew 5:11-12

Today’s Schedule

8:15am Liturgical Service with JAM Time in the gym

9:30am  Bible Study in Hospitality

10:15am New Song Service with JAM Time in the gym

11:45am Middle & High Schoolers meet at Funworks in Modesto!

Next Sunday: October 26th

9:15am Unity Service

No Bible Study This Week

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| **CHURCH MINISTRY**  **UNITY, NEXT SUNDAY, OCT. 26TH - REFORMATION AND CONFIRMATION** at 9:15am. We will celebrate the confirmation of our youth as they take their first communion! Our confirmands are **Charles Frederic Little, Johnny Michael Steeter, Kyler Wyatt Richter, Anthony Joseph Willet, Olivia Janel Avery, Allison Nicole DeOliveira, and Jordyn Delanie Van Matre.**  **CO-ED ADULT VOLLEYBALL** meetsevery Tuesday evening from 6pm-8pm in the St. Peter gym! Can you dig it? Come find out!  **GUTEN TAG, MEALS WITH MELODIES!** It’s Oktoberfest und we’re dreaming of schnitzel und sausages! So dig out those lederhosen, dirndls und fill your biersteins with your favorite bier! Ok, nein bier… but join us anyway Oktober 20th in the Hospitality room from 4pm-6pm, only $2/person for unlimited fun und festivities! Auf wiedersehen!  **ANNIE TICKETS**St. Peter Community Theater presents "Annie" on 11/7-11/9 & 11/14-11/16. Tickets can be purchased each Sunday between services or online at  [www.splodichurch.org/events](http://www.splodichurch.org/events.) **Volunteer opportunities are listed on the back page! See Rebecka Schumacher or Pastor Tim for details!**  **NEW MEMBERS’ CLASS** **TODAY!** Have questions about St. Peter? Want to call St. Peter your home church? Look no further and join Pastor Tim for the New Membership course. Class Schedule as follows: 10/19, 11/16, 12/14, 1/11, 1/25, 2/8 and 2/22. Classes will be held in the Seminar room from 9:30am-10:10am. Call the church office to register! |

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| **YOUTH MINISTRY**  **YOUTH EVENT TODAY** at 11:45am – Funworks in Modesto, HS and MS! |

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| **MEN’S MINISTRY**  **WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY** is from 9:45am to 11:00am. This week, Exodus 16.  **TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** is from 6:45pm-8pm in Pastor Tim’s office. |

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| **WOMEN’S MINISTRY**  **TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** is studying *Heaven: When Faith Becomes Sight* in the Seminar room at 6:45pm.  **NEW TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** studying Crickett Keeth’s book *On Bended Knee: Praying Like Prophets, Warriors and Kings*  in the Hospitality room from 6:45pm-8:15pm.  **WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY** is studying *Great Miracles of the Old Testament.* Wednesday studies are at 9:30am and 12:30pm in the Seminar room. |

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| **CHILDREN’S MINISTRY**  **SPARKS & SPARKLERS** isour ministry for public school children. Wemeet on the second Tuesday of each month from 3:15pm – 5:15pm. November’s gathering will be Tuesday the 4th and it’s Friendsgiving! |

October 19th, Hymn and Song List

**Liturgical Service Hymn List**

Lift High the Cross; Praise and Thanksgiving; Guide Me, Oh Thou Great Redeemer; A Mighty Fortress is Our God

Organist: Sandy Paulson

**New Song Service Worship**

Graves Into Gardens; Same God; Do It Again, My Testimony

Musician: Vicki Dougherty, New Song Band

**~ COUNTING OUR BLESSINGS ~**

**Monthly Tithing Goal: $110,000.00**

Oct 5 Attend 8:15 = **135** 10:15 = **58** Giving = **$75,012.00**

Oct 12 Attend 8:15 = **174** 10:15 = **65** Giving = $7,693.00

YTD Goal = **$330,000.00** - YTD Tithing Total = **$305,176.10**

YTD Difference = **$24,823.90**

You can text STPETERLODI to 1.888.364.4483 to give a one-time gift OR set up a recurring gift OR download our app under St. Peter LCMS.

Annie Volunteers Needed

* **Dessert Buffet Crew-** help with setting 10 tables, replenishing water pitchers, coffee carafes & the buffet tables, and help with clean up. This is on Friday 11/7; the buffet starts at 6:30 and the play starts at 7:30 and you get to see the play for free.
* **Snack Bar Crew**- help with gathering the items that people have selected to purchase & the Mgr. will handle the cash. We need help on any of the following dates, and you get to see the show for free. 11/8 show starts at 7pm, 11/9 show starts at 1pm, 11/14 show starts at 7pm, 11/15 show starts at 7pm, 11/16 show starts at 1pm.
* **Usher-** Greet people at the door and escort them to their seats. We need help on any of the following dates, and you get to see the show for free. 11/8 show starts at 7pm, 11/9 show starts at 1pm. 11/14 show starts at 7pm, 11/15 show starts at 7pm, 11/16 show starts at 1pm.
* **Young cast supervision**- During parts of the play our younger cast members (7 between the ages 6-12) will not need to be onstage. To keep backstage quiet, and less crowded, at these times they will be in another area of the campus (probably the hospitality room). We need 1 adult (per performance) to supervise them, so they don't get too rowdy and are ready to get back on stage when needed. We need help on any of the following dates: 11/7 show starts at 7:30pm, 11/8 show starts at 7pm, 11/9 show starts at 1pm, 11/14 show starts at 7pm, 11/15 show starts at 7pm, 11/16 show starts at 1pm.
* **Stage Crew**- will need at least three volunteers to run the lights, spotlight and projector. Early rehearsals will run the week of 10/27-10/30 and will be required to be at each show 11/7 show starts at 7:30pm, 11/8 show starts at 7pm, 11/9 show starts at 1pm, 11/14 show starts at 7pm, 11/15 show starts at 7pm, 11/16 show starts at 1pm.