

Welcome, guests!

We're glad you're worshipping with us today! We pray the time you spend here is uplifting. Please join us again! While here you are invited to:

- ... Complete an attendance card located in the pocket of the pew in front of you, it will be collected by an usher during the service.
- ... Come join us in the cafeteria from 9-9:30am on Sundays for donuts, coffee and fellowship.
- ... Connect with a St. Peter's Lutheran volunteer at the Information Center in the narthex for information on Bible studies and other events.
- ... Celebrate the Lord's Supper with us. Refer to the card in the pocket of the pew in front of you for a summary of our beliefs. If you still have questions, please talk with a pastor. For those with special needs, we offer white grape juice and gluten-free wafers.

We welcome children in worship. A staffed nursery is available in the hallway south of the narthex (for infants to age 4) during weekend worship services. A cry room is on the right before entering the sanctuary where you can take children and still enjoy worship. Kids Church is available (for 4yrs-kindergarten and children with special needs) during the 10:45am service.

If you're interested in joining St. Peter's Lutheran Church, sign up for an upcoming Bible Investigation Class (BIC)! You'll find out more about who we are, what we believe, and how you can get further connected. For class times or to register, call the church office at 812-372-1571 and speak with Vicki Salo.

More Info & Prayer Support

For the latest St. Peter's news, events, and sermon videos of weekend services:

- Visit www.stpeterscolumbus.org/about-spl/news
- Call the church office at 812-372-1571

To submit a prayer request to our pastors, "A Time to Pray" and prayer team:

- Write it on your attendance card and give it to the usher when collected during the service
- Call the prayer line at 812-372-1571 x2121
- Submit to [stpeterscolumbus.org \(contact us/prayer request form\)](http://stpeterscolumbus.org/contact-us/prayer-request-form)

To pray for the specific needs of our church family:

- Pick up a copy of the "A Time to Pray" handout, available under the Gethsemane stained-glass window in the narthex.



Sermon Notes

Palm Sunday: A Place of Emotion
Luke 19:41

Other Places of Palm Sunday:

Hospitality

Generosity

Advocacy

Take Aways:

- E_____ are a gift from God.
- All of life is to be e_____.
- Try to see things through G_____ eyes.

"beyond the sun" (G_____ Perspective)

Vs

"under the sun" (M_____ Perspective)

- Our connectedness to God, brings j_____ to His heart.

*Nursery is provided for children ages 0-4 in room 2123 during all services.
For ages 4-kindergarten and for special needs children, Kids church is available at 10:45am.*

A detailed, large-print bulletin is available from the ushers for those who experience difficulties reading projected items. Children's bulletins are also available from an usher.



Classical Praise

April 11 & 14, 2019

Welcome

Special Music Palm Sunday Processional (Sunday) Joyful Noise

Holy Gospel Matthew 21:1-11

Processional Hymn Hosanna, Loud Hosanna #106

Invocation

Statement of Faith

(Martin Luther's Explanation of the 2nd Article of the Apostles' Creed)

Confession of Sins

Special Music Lord, I Need You (Sunday) Joyful Noise

Words of Forgiveness

Hymn All Glory, Laud, and Honor #102 v. 1 & 2

Old Testament Reading Zechariah 9:9

Hymn All Glory, Laud, and Honor #102 v. 3 & 4

Message A Place of Emotion

Hymn All Glory, Laud, and Honor #102 v. 5

Prayers & Our Lord's Prayer

Special Announcements

Offerings

Announcements

Sending

Closing Hymn Ride On, Ride On in Majesty #105

The flowers, in memory of Minnie Schultz, are presented to the glory of God by St. Peter's Foundation.

The "A Time to Pray" handouts are available under the Gethsemane stained-glass window outside the entrance to the sanctuary.

Easter Breakfast Volunteers Needed

Easter Breakfast will be hosted by the youth of St. Peter's. Youth and their families can help make Easter breakfast great by volunteering for any of the following needs:

Bring food items

Sign up for specific food items at <https://signup.com/go/imXdKRV> then deliver them to the St. Peter's cafeteria between 10am–12pm.

Please bring bacon on Friday, April 19, 1-3pm.

Set up Saturday, April 20, 10am–12pm

Prepare and serve food on Sunday, April 21

two shifts, 6am–8:30am or 8:30am-10:30am

Clean up at the end of breakfast Sunday, April 21 10:30am–11:30am

Please sign up by Monday, April 15.

We're using SignUp.com to organize food items and serving shifts. **1:** Click this link to see our signup on SignUp.com: <https://signup.com/go/imXdKRV> **2:** Review the options listed and choose the food(s) to bring and the shifts to serve. **3:** Sign up! You will NOT need to create an account or keep a password on SignUp.com. Contact Beckie Eckelman at 812-669-2211 or reckelman@stpeters-columbus.org with questions.

Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thursday: April 18 at 12:15 & 7pm

Good Friday: April 19 at 12:15 & 7pm

We will have a full day of school, public school busing will not be available. Please join us for a special school Good Friday worship service at 8:10am.

Easter: Sunday, April 21–Sunrise service indoors at 6:30am

Easter breakfast, 7–10:30am in the cafeteria (egg casserole, French toast casserole, and fruit) Freewill offering: all proceeds benefit youth NYG trip and Nashville, TN mission trip.

Worship in sanctuary at 8am, 9:30am, and 11am

Due to the expanded worship schedule, there will be no Sunday morning classes on Easter Sunday, April 21.

Baby Kits

Lutheran Women's Missionary League will be collecting items for newborn through 24 months old during April for Lutheran World Relief. The donation drop-off will be inside entrance H.

These items are needed for each baby kit (for newborn-24 mos.):

diaper bag, fleece blanket or baby quilt, baby wipes, hooded towel and washcloth, 1–2 sleepers, 1–2 outfits, 8–12 disposable diapers, 2–3 burp pads, 2–3 pairs of socks, baby toy



Flower and Gift Card Sale: 8th Grade DC Trip Fundraiser

Whipker's market flower baskets and gift cards will be on sale outside the sanctuary before and after all worship services this week.

Voters' Meeting Monday, April 15, 6:30pm, The Park (room 2122)

The purpose of this meeting is two-fold:

- To call a Classical Praise Specialist (candidate's bio will be provided at the meeting)
- To approve the Church Council's request for a construction loan through the Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF).

The LCEF requires the approval of our voters to finalize the loan application. Please know that a team from the Operations Board researched a variety of options and recommended that the Church Council proceed with the LCEF. The construction loan is a short-term loan to cover the construction expenses that are incurred before we receive the funds from our members that made a TWL 2.0 pledge. We will only pay interest on the amount of the loan we use. The maximum we can borrow is \$3.9 million. *Important to know:* If we have the pledged funds in-hand, we will not draw on the loan, therefore no interest fees. The earlier we receive pledged funds the less interest we'll have to pay!

Have questions—need more information?

TWL 2.0 Construction Loan: Mike Hinckfoot, Executive Director of Ministries

Contact: mhinckfoot@stpeters-columbus.org

Commitments and Matching Funds & Donor Development Team:

Matt Carothers, Scott Schumacher, Roger Hackman, Dan Arnholt, Randy Tucker, John Havenaar, Joe Lohmeyer

Contact: Scott Schumacher at sschumacher@stpeters-columbus.org

Construction Team:

Bob Schwartzkopf, Joe Lohmeyer (chair), Steve Forster, Tim Pinnow, Sarah Schwartzkopf, Dustin Weber, Dave Bush

Contact: Joe Lohmeyer at joe@lohmeyerplumbing.com

TREK (Jr. High): Sunday, April 14, from 4-6pm. Join us for games, fun, and worship! Hope to see you there! Bring a friend!

VENTURE: Sunday, April 14, from 6-8pm at St. Peter's. Join us for food, fun, and worship!

VENTURE Lock-Out: Join us April 26 for our Venture Lock-Out, an overnight event where we spend the night traveling from location to location having lots of fun! Cost \$50 due by Sunday, April 14. Space is limited.

Auto Maintenance Ministry Day Saturday April 27

In partnership with our Lincoln Central Family Neighborhood Center, you can help serve our members and neighbors:

1. Sponsor a car or provide supplies and materials—grab a Love Bug tag listing needed items from the windows in the narthex.
2. Contact Ian Package to sign up to work on cars (740-412-1533).

New Song Mission Fundraiser Lunch Sunday, May 5, cafeteria

This year at our delicious lunch we will accept freewill donations to help children at New Song Mission to equip children for life with the love of Jesus. Please visit <http://www.newsongmission.org> to learn about this ministry.

St. Peter's Ministry Budget Highlights

Please take a moment to give thanks to the Lord...

- March Offerings: \$359,663 Budget: \$369,292 Delta: -\$9,629
- Third Sunday Offering "Alms" (emergency relief fund): \$5,201

For July 2018–March 2019 (aka year-to-date)

- Missions sent: \$329,583
- Savings for capital improvements: \$399,097
- **Total income:** \$5,486,930 Budget: \$5,583,017
For the year, we are below plan by (\$96,086) due to the shortfall in tuition payments (enrollment is lower than planned), SGO gifts, and donations that are "above and beyond" normal offerings (designated gifts).
- **Offerings are on track – praise the Lord!**
- **Total expenses:** \$5,027,837 Budget: \$5,140,560
We are under budget by \$112,722 (*Oh yeah!*)
- **Net income:** \$459,093 Budget: \$442,457
We are ahead of plan by \$16,636 (*Yippee!*)

For more detail, contact:

Mike Hinckfoot, Executive Director of Ministries:

MHinckfoot@stpeters-columbus.org

You may also contact a member of the Operations Board:

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Check out our website (stpeterscolumbus.org). On the home page, click the GIVE tab (top right corner), then **FINANCIAL DASHBOARD**.

Printed Dashboards are at the stained-glass window outside the sanctuary.

TWL 2.0 Ground Breaking!

Palm Sunday—April 14

Join us immediately after 10:45am worship in the east lot as we break ground to start construction of our new athletic complex.



Pastor Teike's Sabbatical April 22—June 30

In recognition of his many years of ministry at St. Peter's, the Church Council has granted Pastor Teike a Sabbatical to give him time away from Columbus for physical, mental and emotional rest, extended time in the Word and in prayer, and to contemplate the next few years in the life of St. Peter's.

Pastors Galligar and Foster will be able to assist with any pastoral care needs. Messages may be left with Vicki Salo who will relay them when Pastor Teike returns. A note from Pastor Teike regarding his sabbatical will be featured in the April issue of YES! Magazine—sent by mail April 18.