



# St. Peter's Lutheran Church

343 E. Center Street

Petersburg, MI 49270

Church: 734-279-1949

Parsonage: 279-1108

**FEBRUARY 2018**

**Our Mission Statement:**

To Reach OUT with the WORD and  
LOVE of JESUS CHRIST to ALL People.

***John 3:16, "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life". (and***

**FEBRUARY 4      Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. . Communion**

**FEBRUARY 11      Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. .**

**FEBRUARY 18      Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. . Communion**

**FEBRUARY 25      Sunday Service 10:30 a.m. .**

## **FELLOWSHIP HALL AVAILABLE**

**Fellowship Hall is available to rent, for graduation parties, family Reunions, showers etc. contact Jim Waterstradt at 279-2065 or Eudora Judit at 279-2229.**

## **IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS**

**Shirley Gorr; Pearl Wiech; Norm Sieler; Donna Hagen; Barb Gerber; Allen and Joyce Siefert; Linda Moga; Donna Bognar; Betty Ott; Gwen Preston; Lincoln Lloyd; Larry Lloyd; Harold Gorr; and Delores Schultz.**

**Our Service Men - John Petcoff; Nicholas Hoover; Aaron Miller Blake Mason and Harry Bromley.**

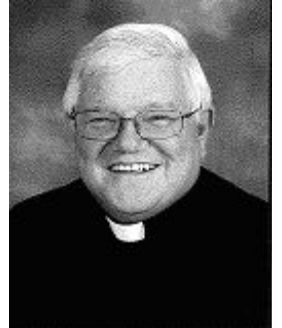
## **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

**Mike Mullins; Erin Wahl; Michael and Scott Kohlman; Josh MacDonald; Nathan Perkins; Paul and Kyle Harnica; Bonny Wright; Linda Gilson; Art Libstorff; John Beland; Sara Gilson; Rob Breitner; Andy Stahl; Brenda Eschenauer; Marilyn Ruble; Nancy Stahl**

**ALTAR GUILD FOR THE NEXT THREE MONTHS  
FEBRUARY - ANITA LEITER AND NANCY HUNTER  
MARCH - MARY WHITE AND ANITA LEITER.  
APRIL CHERYL FLORY AND BONNIE KREY**

# FROM PASTOR FLORY

**"A Heart for Jesus!"**



**The Lenten theme for this year is: "A Heart for Jesus!".**

**Thankfully and gratefully, we all know by heart and God's grace, the words to John 3:16, "*For God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life*". (and what it means to us.)**

**This thought alone should move us to action for the rest of our lives but we need those little reminders to spurs us into those actions.**

**Our Lenten season starts on Valentine's Day, February 14th, with our Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00 p.m. with communion. A wonderful little action to get us thinking about love and what it means for us and others in our lives. We need to remember St. Paul telling us in Romans 8:32, "*He Who did spare His own Son but gave Him up for us all, how will He not also with Him graciously give us all things?*" This should remind us that we belong to the Lord. He is our life, our salvation, and the reason that we know about love and what it means to us and our family. We need to tell them, we need to tell our friends, we need to tell the whole world that God loves us and takes care of us!**

**Circle the calendar, make it a part of the plans for the family, plan on being there to celebrate with the family of God that we appreciate everything, all, and being a part of God's plan for the whole world that He sent His Son to BE our Savior! And it is not only for Ash Wednesday, but we will have the next six weeks to remind ourselves that we need "A Heart for Jesus" and we can continue to share that constantly with our family, our friends, our neighbors, and YES, even, strangers the wonderful good news of the Gospel!**

**God the Holy Spirit wants everybody to hear about it! So during those six weeks invite them, and if they see you and start to turn away that means you are getting to them because the devil is trying the get them to run away.**

**As pastor and members, this is an exciting time of the year for us all. It is easy to continue to tell others about our LOVE for Jesus. "A Heart for Jesus," is exactly what we all need to tell each other. I pray that we together will continue to tell our community about the need for God's love and that we share God's love with one another.**

**Your brother in Christ,**

**Pastor Flory**

## **REFRESHMENTS LIST AND DATES FOR 2018**

***Each family is asked to please furnish 3 dozen cookies or some type of refreshment. Pastor will have coffee pots ready to be plugged in. You will need to put cups and napkins out ahead of time and you are responsible for cleaning up!***



**Feb. 11- Mable Skillman- Clint White- Wayne Harris- Art Libstorff- Harold Gorr.**

**Feb. 25- Amanda Ausmus- Larry Wright- Norm Sieler- Jacob Hoover; Lori Himburg.**

**Mar. 11- John Beland - John Straub- David Chmura - Pastor Flory.**

**Mar. 25 - Howard Hunter- Tom Preston- Nicole Dluzen- Melissa Perkins -**

**Apr. 8- Marvin Nieman- Dennis Winter- Andy Stahl- Eudora Judit.**

**Apr. 22- Fred Krey- Doug Jennings- Renee Larzelere- Cheryl Harnica.**

**May. 13- No refreshments, Mother's Day.**

**May. 27- Bill Saylor- Connie Jensen- Jeanne Pettcoff- Norm Sieler.**

**Jun. 10- Amanda Ausmus- Glen Diesing- Larry Wright- Michelle Krueger.**

**Jun. 24- Jacob Hoover- John Straub- David Chmura- Pastor Flory- John Beland.**

**July 8 - Janet Romano- Jeanne Pettcoff- Ken Mason- Michel Kohlman- Leon Cilley.**

**July 22 - Howard Hunter- Tom Preston- Nicole Dluzen- Melissa Perkins.**

**Aug. 12 - Ken Mason- Delmer Cilley- Ed Chmura- Betsy Winter- Jim Wright.**

**Aug. 26- Julie Mens- Jim Waterstradt- Anita Leiter- Tom Stahl.**

**Sept. 9 - No Refreshments, Picnic.**

**Sept. 23 - Harold Gorr- Michel Kohlman- Clint White- Ken Mason; Lori Himburg.**

**Oct. 14 - Eudora Judit- Linda Gilson Jr. - Connie Jensen- Bill Saylor.**

**Oct. 28 - Marvin Nieman- Dennis Winter- Doug Jennings- Jacob Hoover- Glenn Diesing**

**Nov. 11 - Fred Krey- Doug MacDonald- Renee Larzelere- Cheryl Harnica.**

**Nov. 25 - Mable Skillman- Wayne Harris- David Chmura- Art Libstorff- Harold Gorr.**

**Dec. 9 - Andy Stahl - Nancy Hunter - Jeanne Petcoff - Linda Gilson.**

**Dec. 23- Janet Romano- Doug MacDonald- Tom Stahl- Leon Cilley- Jim Wright.**

# FEBRUARY 2018

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 Shrove Tues. Pancake Dinner 5 to 7 :00 p.m.	14 Ash Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.	15	16	17
18	19	20 Mary Martha Sewing - 9:00 a.m. Council Meets 7:00	21 Lenten Service 7:00. Soup and Sandwich 6:00 p.m.	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 Lenten Service 7:00. Soup and Sandwich 6:00 p.m.			
4th.	<b>ALTAR GUILD</b> Anita Leiter and Nancy Hunter	<b>LECTOR</b> Tom Stahl	<b>COMMUNION</b> Clint White	<b>ELDERS ON DUTY</b> Clint White and Tom Preston	<b>ALTAR FLOWERS</b> Bob and Renee Larzelere Anniversary.	
11th.		Clint White			Bonny Wright Birthday.	
18th.		Jim Waterstradt	Tom Stahl		Art Libstorff Birthday.	
25th.		Tom Preston			Jeff and Betsy Winter Anniversary.	
		Tom Preston				

**SERVANTS OF THE LORD**

**Pastor: Mark Flory: 734-279-1949**

**Home: 734-279-1108**

**Organist: Anita Leiter & Mary Tomell**

**Fellowship Hall Rental:**

**Jim Waterstradt: 734-279-2065**

**Eudora Judit: 734-279-2229**

**Secretary: Eudora Judit**

**Church Council:**

**President:**

**Bill Saylor – Home: 734- 279-1117**

**Cell: 1-567-322-5696**

**Vice President:**

**Tom Stahl: 517- 447-3246**

**Secretary:**

**Michelle Krueger: 279-5049**

**Treasure:**

**Glenn Diesing:**

**734- 279-1498**

**Financial Secretary:**

**Andy Stahl: 517- 447-3852**

**Trustees**

**Jason Winter: 734- 777-1626**

**Jeff Winter: 734- 777-1627**

**Dave Chmura: 734- 868-0011**

**Elders:**

**Clint White: 517- 447-3633**

**Ken Mason: 734- 279-1796**

**Tom Stahl: 734- 447-3246**

**Jim Waterstradt: 734- 279-2065**

**Tom Preston: 734-4 39-2462**

**PANCAKE DINNER  
POTATO AND REGULAR  
SAUSAGE AND ALL THE TRIMMINGS  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH.**

**TIME: 5:00 - 7:00 P.M.**

**FREE WILL DONATION**

**THIS IS TO HELP A LOCAL FAMILY WITH  
MEDICAL EXPENSES**

**LOCATION**

**ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH  
343 E. CENTER ST.  
PETERSBURG, MI**

