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November 9, 2023 - School Notes

NOTE FROM PRINCIPAL MESSINA: With Thanksgiving approaching, I wanted to share some Thoughtful Thursday ideas. The following acts/actions allow you to spread kindness and joy to others and help you reflect on your awareness. Being mindful can help decrease stress and anxiety, and strengthen resilience.



At Home Ideas:

- Do a chore you would not normally do.
- Plan a movie night.
- Cook a family member's favorite meal.
- Write a love note and leave it on a family member's pillow.
- Help out without being asked.
- Start a gratitude journal.

Thank you, St. Peter's, for making me feel so welcome. It has been such a blessing to get to know the faculty and staff, students, parents, and church members. THANK YOU!

UPCOMING THIS WEEK



RETAKE PICTURE DAY: Just a reminder that retakes are on Tuesday, November 14th. If you want to have their child's picture retaken, they need to bring back the complete original package. Retakes are from 8:15-10:30.



HOT LUNCH: Order Hot & Fun Lunches by November 17. Click here for the [hot lunch form](#). Payment for hot lunch is made through the account on file by initialing the form. Click here for the [Fun Lunch form](#) or pay online at [this link](#).



FUNDRAISERS



8TH GRADE BANQUET FUNDRAISER: **LAST CALL...**

Butter Braids and Lou's frozen pizza coupons on sale now through November 10. The pastries are \$16 each. A variety of flavors are available. You can use the form distributed or order directly online at [this link](#). The Lou's Coupons are \$15 per pizza and can be used to redeem for a frozen pizza at all locations. [Download order form for Lou Malnati Coupons](#)

[here](#). The Butter Braids will be delivered prior to Thanksgiving and the coupons shortly after.

UPCOMING EVENTS



PTL RNO

Nov. 13, 2023

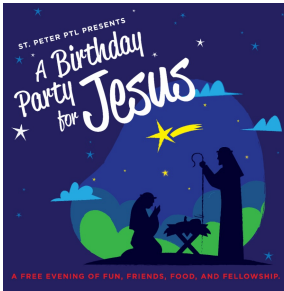
11am - 9pm

Don't forget to bring
a Pilot Pete's RNO flyer

WILDCAT HOLIDAY SHOPPE

HOLIDAY SHOPPE: Holiday Shoppe is coming Nov 20 & 21! We've brought the Shoppe IN-HOUSE as a fundraiser this year and your PTL elves have been hard at work all year to bring you lots of great gifts from many familiar brands. Volunteers are very much needed to help kids shop and wrap gifts! Sign up here to volunteer:

<https://signup.com/Group/3149407920127/>



BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JESUS: Birthday Party for Jesus is coming up on Friday, December 1st from 5:30-7pm. Donate non-perishable food items and kick off your Christmas festivities with your St. Peter family in the gym from 5:30pm - 7:00pm. Play carnival games and pick from great prizes, make crafts, get a tattoo, jump in the bounce house, and try your luck at the guessing jars. Concessions will be available for sale in the cafeteria. Adult and youth

volunteers are still needed to help run games: Click this link to volunteer

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NEWS



VETERAN COLLECTION: St. Peter is participating in the Veterans Exiting Homelessness Drive. Many veterans struggle to regain their footing when returning to civilian life. When veterans in the Veterans Exiting Homelessness program leave a shelter or transitional housing, they need basic household items for their new home. This drive is a collection of common household items and will be given to veterans in the program. Donations can be dropped off

during weekend worship on November 25 and 26. Students will also collect items and bring items to school between November 28-30. The students will bring the items with their class to the storage unit provided. Items being collected are listed below or you can print the list by [clicking here](#).

VETERANS EXITING HOMELESSNESS MOVE-IN-ESSENTIALS

Personal Hygiene

Bath Soap Hand
Soap Deodorant
Toothpaste Shaving
Cream Toothbrush
Hair Brush /Comb
Nail Clipper

Kitchen + Cleaning

Dishwashing Liquid
Paper Towels Kitchen
Trash Can Dish Cloth
Mop & Bucket
Sponge Broom &
Dust Pan Windex

Bathroom

Toilet Brush Toilet
Bowl Cleaner
Towels/Wash Cloth
Plunger Shower
Curtain Laundry
Basket Light Bulbs
Toilet Paper

Miscellaneous

Flashlight Garbage
Bags Sandwich Bags
Laundry Detergent
Aluminum Foil Pot
Holders Hamper

PASTOR MATT ACCEPTS THE CALL: Pastor Matthew Dubensky has accepted the call to serve as the associate pastor at St. Peter. Joining him will be his bride, Addie, and a soon to be born baby! He comes to us from St. Paul, Chicago Heights and Immanuel, Steger. We would be honored to have you and your family join us for his



Service of Installation. The Service of Installation will be on Sunday, December 10 at 2pm. There will be a card box and a light reception to follow.



YEARBOOK CONTEST: Calling all artists! You can design the cover of our school yearbook! Entries will be accepted now through December 8th. **Guidelines:** Please include the name of the school and the year 2023-2324. You can also add the logo or school theme of I am the Vine, You are the Branches. Please turn in a hard copy to Kristen Relaz or email a scanned copy to krelaz@stpeterlcms.org. Get creative and have fun!

YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE: You can use [THIS LINK](#) to purchase your 2023-2024 yearbook and create your account. Each book is \$20.00. We have lots of changes this year, including adding two free custom pages to personalize your child's book! Orders are due by April 3.



BUSINESS MANAGER: St. Peter is seeking a Business Manager to manage the financial matters of the congregation and school. Resumes will be received in person during office hours, via email at hcollier@stpeterlcms.org.

SCHOOL ACTIVITIES



Girl Scouts®

GIRL SCOUTS AT ST. PETER: St Peter officially has a Girl Scout Troop! Join St. Peter's Girl Scout Troop! **Troop 47786**

We have started a multi-level Girl Scout Troop open to girls in grades K-8. If your daughter is looking to make new friends, grow in confidence, and learn new skills to empower her to be a change-maker in the world, Girl Scouts is for her! Girl Scouts meetings will be held 1-2 times a month on Thursdays (Dates TBA) from 2:15-3:15PM in Miss Lamberty's Room.

Please join us for a parent meeting on Monday, November 13th 5:30-6:15pm in St. Peter's cafeteria to get started & bring your future Girl Scout! Questions? Please contact Troop47786@gmail.com

UPCOMING DATES:

Nov. 10: Stuffed Animal Day!

Nov. 10: Report Cards Go Home

Nov. 11: Veterans' Day
Nov. 13: Red, White, and Blue Day
Nov. 13: Veterans Breakfast @ 9:30am
Nov. 14: Picture Retake Day
Nov. 17: Fall Colors Day
Nov. 19: Deck the Halls (Decorate School Hallway)
Nov. 20-21: NO BUS SERVICE
Nov. 20-21: Holiday Shoppe
Nov. 22-24: Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL
Dec. 1: Pajama Day
Dec. 1: Birthday Party for Jesus

The 2023/2024 At-A-Glance Calendar is ready. [Click here](#) to view next year's at a glance calendar or for full schedule go to stpeterlcms.org/schoolcalendar.

ANNOUNCEMENT
NO BUS

NOVEMBER 20 & 21

Please make alternative arrangements.



TAKE NOTE
**ALL SCHOOL
CHAPEL**
TUESDAY - NOV 21
@ 9:15AM
THANKSGIVING
WORSHIP!



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