

Last Sunday after the Epiphany

## Children's Sunday

February 19, 2012, 10:15 A.M.

The Rev. Samuel Nsengiyumva, *Celebrant*;

The Rev. Gregory Schultz, *Deacon*

Mary Jo Holzer, *Organist*

*Welcome to St. Peter's Church. We are delighted that you chose to worship with us today. Please join us for coffee immediately following the service. If you're visiting for the first time, please sign our guest book at the back of the church. The books referred to in this bulletin can be found in the pews. BCP = Book of Common Prayer. Green: Refers to the Green Gather Hymnal. The words for the prayers, hymns and readings are also projected on the screen.*

**Prelude**

**Musicians**

**Processional Hymn:** "Shine Jesus Shine"

**Song of Praise:** "Better is One Day"

**First Reading:** 2 Kings 2:1-12

**The sequence song** "Breathe"

**The Gospel Reading** Mark 9:2-9

**The Sermon**

**Dollie Cromwell**

**The Nicene Creed**

**The Prayers of the People**

**The Confession**

**Proclamation of Forgiveness and Peace**

## Holy Communion

*All baptized people are welcome to the Lord's Table regardless of age or denominational background. Smaller children and adults not yet baptized may come forward for a blessing.*

**Offertory Hymn:** "I stand Amazed"

**The Great Thanksgiving:** Eucharistic Prayer A **BCP 361**

**Communion Music** "You are my King"

**Recessional Hymn:** "They'll Know We Are Christians" **Green 735**

**Dismissal** **Dcn. Greg**

**Postlude** **Musicians**

## Announcements

**The Altar flowers** today were donated by Francine Cameron in memory of Peter and celebration of Steven's birthday.

**Attention Greeters, Readers, Acolytes and Chalice bearers:** If you haven't already done so, please see George Palmer regarding review and update of training, as the new list of servers is now being implemented. Thank you!

**Diocesan Planning for our Future:** There will be a meeting in Fond du Lac on Sat. Feb. 25, to discuss the future of our diocese. We encourage everyone to participate by either planning to attend or writing down answers to the following questions and submitting them to Fr. Samuel: *(i)What do you value about the diocese? (ii)What are your hopes for the diocese? (iii)When you consider where you like your congregation to be in the future (5yrs) what challenges/barriers/obstacles do you see? (iv)In what ways can the Discerning Our Future Task Force or the diocese support you - what do you need? How can we help? (v)What gifts does your congregation have that you can share with other congregations?*

**Stations and Soup will be offered at 6pm on Wednesdays from Feb 29 through April 4 at St. Peter's.** We will observe Stations of the Cross and then have a light meal of soup and bread in the Fellowship Hall. Participants are asked to sign up for the dates they plan to attend so we'll have an idea of how many to expect for the meal. Volunteers are also being sought to provide soup and bread. The sign-up sheets are on the information table in the Fellowship Hall. Please join us for this important Lenten activity.

**February is St. Peter's month to help with the food pantry.** Food donations can be put in the basket at the back of church. Tuna, macaroni and cheese and peanut butter are particular favorites. You can also give a monetary gift by putting a check in the offering plate with the memo line marked Food Pantry. The food pantry will likely be in need of volunteers in the month of February as well, so please see Joan Bruggink if you are able to help in this way. Thank you for your support of this important outreach.

**The St. Peter's Altar Guild is looking for new members to join their group.** The group currently consists of 4 members that set up the altar, plus Dona Heinig who is the head of the guild and takes care of the linens. They serve on a rotation that has each member setting up the altar once every 4 weeks. An extra person or two would be very much appreciated. It is an easy task and does not take much time (approximately 15-30 minutes on regular weeks with a little more time needed on special days). No monthly meetings! The group usually gets together twice a year to clean the silver as well. If you are interested, you may contact Dona Heinig, Heather Schneider, Lindy Malingowski, Kris Willadsen or Cheryl Dobrzynski. Thank you!

**Flower "lady" needed!** The flower ministry is in need of a new leader. The person or persons leading this ministry are in charge of preparing the sign-up sheet for weekly altar flowers, ordering flowers, and coordinating the decorating of the church for holidays. If interested please contact Fr. Samuel or Lindy Malingowski. Thanks for helping!

**Sheboygan Falls Kiwanis club is running a special food drive for the community.** Please help us collect a "Ton of Food" for the Sheboygan Falls food pantry. It will run from February 1 to March 13. Non-perishable food items may be dropped off at Blattner's Piggly Wiggly, Q Marts, Woodlake Market, and the Chamber-Main Street office. Cash donations will also be accepted. A door-to-door campaign will be made in early March. Any questions, ask a Kiwanis member or call Chris Tempas (467-4257).

## Prayer List

**Birthdays:** Gordie Pribek 2/23

**For Wellness:** We continue to pray for those in need of healing, especially for Patricia, Carol, Mike, Kristin, Richard, Becky, Dona, Andy, Lisa, Sandi, Rebecca, Michael, Donald, Dorothy, Gertrude, Robert, Francine, Mickey, Agnes, Gena, Nancy, Joey, Val, ----- and others; that they may be restored to wholeness and strength.

**In our Diocese** we pray for the Seminarians, Postulants and Candidates

**In our Community we pray for** Word of Grace Community Church, Derik Armstrong & Mike Lueck, their pastors.

**In the Anglican Communion we pray for** the Anglican Church in Central America; Armando Guerra Soria , Primate & Bishop of Guatemala.

**For Peace** in Afghanistan, Syria, Somalia, Congo, and other areas where there is turmoil; that true and lasting peace will be realized.

**For service men and women:** Robert, Amanda, Tyler, \_\_\_\_ and others.

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<u>Serving Schedule</u>	<u>TODAY</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
<i>Greeter/Usher</i>	Gordie Pribek & Helen Seubert	Paul & Beth Bartelt
<i>Reader/Prayer</i>	Roger Dulmes	Barb Schultz
<i>Chalice</i>	Linda Palmer	Joan Bruggink & Barb Schultz
<i>Acolyte</i>	Heather Schneider	Ethan Cizauskas
<i>Refreshments</i>	Group 2	Group 2

**Note: Please ensure that you have a replacement if for any reason you are unable to serve when scheduled.**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Tue, Feb 21, 5p.m.- 6:30p.m.: Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

Wed, Feb 22 - Ash Wednesday services at 9AM and 7PM

Thur, Feb 23, 6pm - St. Peter's Book Club discussing Picking Cotton at the Church House

Sat, Feb 25th, 10am-12 Noon: Discerning Our Future Meeting at St. Paul's Cathedral, Fond du Lac

Saturday, March 3rd, 2012, 9am-3pm. -Vestry School at Best Western Midway, Wausau,

### **St. Peter's Episcopal Church**

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### **Our Vision**

A vibrant, Christ-centered community actively reaching out to Help and bring others to Christ

### **Our Mission**

To provide opportunities for all people to grow in Faith, Hope, and Love