

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 6, 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

Processional Hymn: "Jesus Shall Reign" **Green 482**

Song of Praise: "How Deep The Father's Love"

First Reading: Isaiah [40:21-31]

The Psalm Psalm 147:1-12, 21c

The sequence song "Open Our Eyes Lord"

The Gospel Reading Mark 1:29-39

The Sermon *The Rev. Samuel Nsengiyumva*

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: "Take My Life and Let it Be"

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

Communion Music "All who are Thirsty"

Recessional Hymn: "How Great Thou Art" **Green 494**

Dismissal *Dcn. Greg*

Postlude *Mary Jo*

Announcements

Congratulations to Linda Palmer & Rick LeMahieu who were re-elected as Senior Warden & Junior Warden respectively. Thank you for answering the call to serve God in this capacity. Thanks also to those who were elected to represent us at the diocesan convention in October.

A Brief Introduction to the Context and Content of the Bible will be the topic for the next two Sundays at in the Adult Christian Formation Class. We will be doing this in preparation for discussions on the Sunday Readings during Lent. If you have questions about the Bible, please come join us as we try to answer them to the best of our ability.

Vestry Meeting: There will be a vestry meeting tomorrow Monday February 6, at 7:00pm at the Church House. Vestry Meetings are open to interested observers.

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!

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: Linda Palmer 2/9, Stephen Cameron 2/10, Katie Williams 2/11

For Wellness: We continue to pray for those in need of healing, especially for Lindsay, Mike, Kristin, Richard, Diane, 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 St. John's, New London; Rev. Paul Feider, Vicar

In our Community we pray for The Pentecostals of Sheboygan County, John Putnam, their Pastor.

In the Anglican Communion we pray for The Anglican Church of Canada The Most Revd Frederick Hiltz
Primate of the Anglican Church of Canada

For Peace in Iraq, Israel and Palestinian territories, Afghanistan, Somalia, Syria, Libya, Yemen, Bahrain, Sudan, Congo, Ivory Coast, Zimbabwe, 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.

Schedule	TODAY	Next Sunday
<i>Greeter/Usher</i>	Laurel & Mike Cizauskas	Judy Goes & Joanne Strassburger
<i>Reader/Prayer</i>	Louise Robson	Paul Bartelt
<i>Chalice</i>	George & Linda Palmer	Lynn & Brock Brownrigg
<i>Acolyte</i>	Charlie Malingowski	Lindy Malingowski
<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

"Circles of Faith" Women's Winter Retreat: February 17-19, 2012:

Discerning Our Future Meeting - Saturday, February 25th, 10am-12noon; St. Paul's Cathedral, Fond du Lac

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

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

Sunday Worship: **8:00 am & 10:15 am**

Adult Christian Education **9:00am**

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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