

# THE GATEKEEPER'S RECORD

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## HERE AND NOW AT ST. PETER'S

**STPETERSANBORN.COM** is where you can find the livestreamed services, the gatekeeper, the bulletin, and the daily bible readings. Livestreamed services can also be found on youtube.com.

**MEAL AND A MESSAGE** is this **Wednesday, March 18th**, and will be held in the school gym starting with a light meal at 6pm with the service following at 7pm. **Next Wednesday, March 25**, is a Potluck Dinner. There is a sign up sheet on the table in the side entrance.

**ST. PETER'S EASTER EGG HUNT** will be held on **Saturday, March 21** from 11:00am - 1:00pm. **Thank you very much for the many generous donations of Easter eggs, candy, and egg cartons. At this time we only need egg cartons.**

**NIAGARA HOSPICE BOUQUETS** will be on sale in between services **today**. Bouquets are \$10 and all proceeds will go to Niagara Hospice.

**THE CHURCH AND SCHOOL PICNIC** is on **Sunday, June 7th!** Thank you to Mike and Jessica Strenkoski for volunteering to chair the picnic. Anyone interested in helping with the picnic can contact Mike at 716-696-0513.

**ATTENTION ALL THRIVENT MEMBERS:** Your Choice Dollars for 2025 will expire on **March 31, 2026** if you do not designate them. St. Peter's Church and St. Peter's School are two potential recipients for your Choice Dollars. You can go online to Thrivent.com or call 800-847-4836 and say Thrivent Choice to make your designation. There is an instruction sheet in the side entrance. **Also, don't forget that each Thrivent member is eligible to sponsor two Thrivent action teams per year. Each event can receive a \$250 grant to help the project.** Please call Debbie Sheehan 716-940-3401 if you have any questions.

**PERSONAL CARE KITS** may be returned to the box in the church entryway. Thank You in advance for your help, care and love in supporting this project for Lutheran World Relief!

**FELLOWSHIP HALL EXPLORATORY COMMITTEE** will meet on **Tuesday, March 17** at 7:00pm.

**EASTER FLOWER ORDERS** will be taken until **Wednesday, March 25th**. Order forms are on the table in the side entrance. This year, Hydrangeas have been added. All flowers are from Wagner's.

**44th GOOD FRIDAY MEN'S BREAKFAST**, sponsored by Niagara Presbyterian Church is on **Friday, April 3** at 7:30am at the Lewiston #2 Fire Hall on Saunders Settlement Road. The cost is \$10. If you have any questions, please email: [niagarapres@gmail.com](mailto:niagarapres@gmail.com). Please see the flier on the table in the side entrance.

**EASTER SUNRISE SERVICE AT ST. PETER'S WITH ST. JAMES** is Sunday, April 5 at 6:30am. A coffee hour will be held immediately following the service. If anyone is willing to bring something to share, please contact Debbie Sheehan at 716-940-3401.

**THIS WEEK:**

**03/15- Sunday**

8:30am - Worship service  
 9:45am - Sunday School - gym  
 9:45am - Adult Class - meeting room  
 11:00am - Worship service

**03/17 Tuesday**

9:00am - Men's Bible Study  
 9:30am - Jehovah Nachum Quilters  
 7:00pm - Fellowship Hall Committee

**03/18- Wednesday**

6:00pm - Meal - School Gym  
 7:00pm - Message - School Gym  
 8:00pm - Choir

**03/19- Thursday**

9:30am - Women of Faith - meeting room  
 6:30pm - Confirmation Class

**03/21 - Saturday**

10:00am - Easter Egg Hunt - School gym

**NEXT WEEK:**

**03/22- Sunday**

8:30am - Worship service  
 9:45am - Sunday School - gym  
 9:45am - Adult Class - meeting room  
 11:00am - Worship service

**03/24 Tuesday**

9:00am - Men's Bible Study  
 9:30am - Jehovah Nachum Quilters

**03/25- Wednesday**

6:00pm - Meal - School Gym  
 7:00pm - Message - School Gym  
 8:00pm - Choir

**03/26- Thursday**

9:30am - Women of Faith - meeting room  
 6:30pm - Confirmation Class

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All calendar dates should be cleared through the respective office.

Articles for publication in the Gatekeeper must be submitted to the Church Office by **WEDNESDAY at 10am.**

**OUR RESPONSE TO THE LORD FOR HIS MANY BLESSINGS**

***Needed each week \$7288.00***

	<b><u>ATTENDANCE</u></b>	<b><u>CURRENT GIVING</u></b>
03/01	143	\$7617.94
03/08	146	\$4744.00

Capital Improvement Fund ..... \$7624.22

**ST. PETER'S SCHOOL**

**CELEBRATE ST. PETER'S WEEK** St. Peter's Lutheran School had their annual Celebrate St. Peter's Week. The theme was ***The Great Adventure***. Life is the great adventure that is even better with Jesus!

We focused on these three things:

- We are created by God.
- We do good works because of a relationship with God.
- God has a plan and a purpose for everyone.

One of the activities the students and staff did was to make Kindness Bags.

***These bags are distributed throughout the lobby of the church. Each family may take a bag as they leave today.*** The school community wishes to say, ***"Thank you for all you do to support us!"***

*For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them. Ephesians 2:10*

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**HSNGSWNY 2026 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS** at the Wheatfield Community Center, 2790 Church Rd., NT

***Thursday, March 19 at 7:00pm*** - Jerald Truesdell presenting about coinage.

***Thursday, April 16, at 7:00pm*** - Lorna Czarnota presenting about mule drivers on the Erie Canal. Please see the flier in the side entrance for more information.

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH AND PRESCHOOL** on Old Falls Blvd. in North Tonawanda are having their annual Breakfast with the Bunny on ***Saturday, March 21*** from 10am-noon. For more information, please see the flier in the side entrance.

**ZION LUTHERAN** is having a Spaghetti Dinner on ***Saturday, March 21*** from 4pm-7pm in the gym, 1010 Michigan Ave., NF. Cost to eat in is \$10 and to take out is \$10.50. For more information, see the flier in the side entrance.

***Everyone's birthday is a reason to celebrate  
God's creation and gift of life.***

***Happy Birthday to:***

- March 15 - Dale Walck (today)
- 16 - Donnie Walck
- 17 - Shelby (Anderson) Rowley
- 18 - Lynn Lekki
- 19 - Megan DeVantier
- Brandi McDonald

