

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.

JEHOVAH NACHUM QUILTERS have concluded their 2025-2026 season with a total of 74 quilts, 30 Personal Care Kits and 111 School Kits for Lutheran World Relief. There is a collection box in the entryway if you wish to contribute and help us start up again this coming fall. We couldn't do it without you! Thank you and God's Blessings!

RESULTS FROM THE 2026 INGATHERING AT ST. PAUL HILTON, NY
20 churches participated resulting in: **1179** Quilts, **17** Fabric Kits, **110** Personal Care Kits, **287** School Kits, and **99** Baby Kits. Thank you to all of you who participated!

LAST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL for the school year is **TODAY!**

LAST DAY OF THE ADULT CLASS for the school year is **TODAY!**

SUMMER WORSHIP HOURS will begin on **Sunday, June 7**. The Worship times are at **8:30am** and **10:15am**.

THE CHURCH AND SCHOOL PICNIC is Sunday, June 7th. Please see the flier on the table in the side entrance.

CHURCH INTERNAL AUDIT As a best practice, St. Peter's periodically performs an internal audit. This is a routine practice to ensure that proper procedures and practices are in place and followed. Periodic audits protect both the congregation, and the financial officers and volunteers. It has been a number of years since our last audit, so the Church Council has asked Lisa DuBois and Patrice Elnicki to perform this audit. They have graciously agreed to undertake this (substantial) effort. Thank you Lisa and Patrice!

SAVE THE DATE!!! VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) will be taking place at St. James **Sunday, August 9th thru Thursday, August 13th from 6:00-8:15pm**. We will be exploring the Nature of God within the *Rainforest Falls*. Step through the mist into Rainforest Falls. Beneath a canopy of chattering birds and howling monkeys, kids will plunge into a lifelong adventure of discovering the nature of God. They'll explore what it means to be rooted in a relationship with God, their creator, a safe place in life's storms. Stay tuned for more information. Any questions, please reach out to Samantha North at (716) 345-2490.

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

Happy Birthday to:

- MAY 17 - Kyle Meyers
- 18 - Chase Calkins
- 21 - Janice Witt, Katelyn Hoover, Andrew Southard
- 22 - Andrea Walck, Matthew Kroening, Nathan Walck



THIS WEEK:

05/17- Sunday

- 8:30am - Worship service
- 9:45am - Last Day of Sunday School
- 9:45am - Last Day of Adult Class
- 11:00am - Worship service

05/19 Tuesday

- 9:00am - Men's Bible Study

05/21 - Thursday

- 6:30pm - Last Day of Confirmation

NEXT WEEK:

05/24- Sunday

- 8:30am - Worship service
- 11:00am - Worship service

05/25 - Monday - Memorial Day

05/26 Tuesday

- 9:00am - Men's Bible Study

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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

	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>CURRENT GIVING</u>
May 3	142	\$7736.70
May 10	165	\$6330.00

Capital Improvement Fund \$10,483.23 .

ST. PETER'S SCHOOL

THE NUTMEG SPICE CO. FUNDRAISER ends TODAY!

Marty and Jen Hennemann will be in the side entrance today in between services to collect orders and to answer any questions that you might have. Delivery will be May 29th. If you have any questions, please call Jen at 716-622-1406.

ENROLLMENT AND FINANCIAL AID: OPEN ENROLLMENT CONTINUES!

Any new families seeking a quality Christian Education for their child are asked to contact the school office at 716-731-4422. We do have some classes that are full already. Many of our current families and new families have a strong desire for their children to attend St. Peter's Lutheran School, Sanborn. However, their financial situation sometimes makes it difficult. We ask that you prayerfully consider how you may help a family.

Ways to help:

1. Pray for all families who have a desire for their child to attend a Christian Day School such as St. Peter's.
 2. Donate to our Financial Aid Fund. With the generosity of many people, this school year, we have assisted more than 20 students with a portion of their tuition.
 3. Sponsor a student by paying part or all of their tuition. We have many financial angels who have done this!
- Please contact Mrs. Scibetta if you are interested in helping or if you have any questions. May God bless each of you as you bless others.

COMMUNITY NEWS

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

Thursday, May 21, at 7:00pm - Jerry Puma presenting on the Larkin Co. and office building designed by Frank Lloyd Wright.

DAS HAUS 2549 Niagara Road, Niagara Falls (Bergholz), NY 14304 is ***now open*** to the public for tours on Sundays from 2-4PM until October 25, 2026. Please see the flier in the side entrance for more information.

FREE CONCERT: FIVE14 will be at St. John 's NT on ***Saturday, May 23rd starting at 7pm.*** Live praise and worship music, no ticket needed, wheelchair accessible. Please see the flier on the table for more information.