

# HOLY COMMUNION GUIDELINES

Carefully read through and consider each statement below as self-examination in preparation for Holy Communion:

- I am a redeemed sinner.
- I believe Christ has paid fully for my sins, though I have not deserved it.
- I believe that I receive forgiveness for my sins through the Lord's Supper.
- In the Lord's Supper, I am actually receiving Christ's body and blood.
- I am sincerely repentant of my sins and desire to live as Christ wants me to out of love for Him.
- To the best of my knowledge, there is no one I have failed to forgive and I am reconciled to all people.

Having said **Yes** to all these statements, I come forward to receive the Lord's Supper.

*If you have any questions about our communion practice,  
please speak with the Pastor or an Elder.*

## NON-ALCOHOLIC/SULFATE FREE COMMUNION WINE

We now offer non-alcoholic/sulfate free wine (may still contain a slight amount of alcohol.) *Please let the Pastor/Elders know before Service if needed.*

## COVID-19 GUIDELINES FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP

- Sanitizing Stations are located at Church entrance/exits
- Please be seated and remain in Sanctuary area
- ***Masks are worn when entering/exiting church*** - once seated and socially distanced the mask may be removed.
- Bulletins - the entire service is printed out. Hymnals/Bibles have been removed.
- Attendance - please fill out weekly attendance/communion sheet - ***When completed please place in container provided at each Church entrance/exits***
- Communion
  - Pastor and Elders will be wearing masks and gloves
  - Pastor will drop the wafer into your outstretched hand
  - Elder will place individual cup of wine on table for you to pick up
  - Dispose of individual cup in container provided
- Offering - ***Please place in offering plate at each Church entrance/exits***
- Singing - only the hymns will be sung
- Dismissal
  - Elder/Usher will dismiss you by pew- back to front
- Exit Church Sanctuary immediately - ***wear your masks - Please do not exit through school***

## THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER

Sun., 8/2	<b>9:30 am - Divine Service IV</b> <b>Ninth Sunday after Pentecost</b> Preacher: Pastor Peter Vogeler <b>10:45 am NO</b> Adult Bible Study & Fellowship until further notice
Mon., 8/3	<b>7:00 pm</b> – Board of Elders
Tues., 8/4	<b>7:00 pm</b> – Board of Christian Education
Thurs., 8/6	<b>9:00 am</b> Mid-Week Bible Study
Sun., 8/9	<b>9:30 am – Order of Matins</b> <b>Tenth Sunday after Pentecost</b> Preacher: Pastor Phil Sallach <b>10:45 am NO</b> Adult Bible Study & Fellowship until further notice

***\*The August Calendar with the birthdays, anniversaries and Pastoral Care is available in the Narthex.***

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **HELP:** - Both refrigerators in the Kitchen have broken down. It is not cost effective to try to fix them again. We are looking at replacing one of them at a cost of approximately \$2,500. Would you be willing to donate toward the purchase of this refrigerator? Donations can be made out to St. Peter Lutheran Church - and in the memo section write "Kitchen Refrigerator Donation." If you have any questions, please talk to either Steve Perriello or Jay Hurtgam. Thank you.
- **RELAY FOR LIFE FUND RAISER:** - This years' theme is "Hope Comes in all Colors." Our Church Mice are walking in memory of Pastor Bob and the color chosen is orange which represents Leukemia, the type that Pastor Bob had. The Church Mice are getting their own shirts for the Relay and would like to offer them to anyone who might like to have one. The information is attached to this weeks' bulletin. Any questions, please see Steve or Judy Perriello or call them at 716-434-9241. Orders are due by Sunday, August 9 - Cost \$20/shirt. Please make checks payable to Steve or Judy Perriello.
- **CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY:** If you have not received one in the mail, please contact the church office for a copy to fill complete.
- **LWML ANNOUNCEMENT:** - We will no longer be collecting used pill bottles. Thank you for all your support in the past.