

# *The Keys*

St. Peter's United Church of Christ  
Grant Park, Illinois



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## Our Mission

*We are a family of faith that seeks to walk in the footsteps of Christ.  
We seek to know God's will and purpose in our lives.  
Our doors are open to all who wish to join our journey.*



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Gracie Allen; 20<sup>th</sup> century American comedian

**PASTOR'S NOTE**

**THANKSGIVING**

What is Thanksgiving Day or the season around Thanksgiving? Someone may say, "It means a big dinner." For most of us, that's true. Others may respond, "It means a day off of work or school." That's also true for many of us. For those in the farming community the season around Thanksgiving is a time of harvest. We may notice the trees changing color and dropping their leaves. The skies reflect the changing of the season and the sun seems to give less warmth. We may see birds migrating. Squirrels are burying nuts. Some of us are putting up storm windows, preparing for colder weather.

Thanksgiving Day or the season around Thanksgiving that means something different for everyone. Some take time to gather with family around a huge feast, sometimes remembering to thank God for their blessings. Others don't have a place to gather or much to eat, but give thanks for what they have. Some are thankful for a day off from work. Others wish they had a job. Some are caught up in the excitement of a sporting event. Others play games around the dining room table; laughing and remembering previous Thanksgiving Day celebrations when others, who are now gone, were with them.

What does Thanksgiving mean to you? Is it simply a day set aside where we can gather with family and friends, or is Thanksgiving something we do every day of the year? Do we take time to give thanks to God for all we have on a regular basis or only on this one day? Compared to others in this world, we have much. Let us give thanks!

*Pastor Doug*

**THE PARSONAGE TELEPHONE HAS BEEN DISCONNECTED.**

The cost to maintain a land line at the parsonage is about \$525.00 a year. Pastor Doug receives approximately 10 – 15 calls a year concerning church business on the parsonage phone. To be better stewards of our resources it has been decided to buy a cordless handset for the church office phone and place it in the parsonage. This was done. Reception on this phone is excellent and Pastor Doug can retrieve messages left on the church answering machine via this phone. **Pastor Doug can be contacted 24 hours a day on the office phone (815) 465-6191 or on his cell phone (815) 342-8927.**

**TIME TO CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS – SUNDAY, NOV 6<sup>TH</sup>!**

Remember to set your clocks back one hour (fall back) Sunday, Nov 6<sup>th</sup>.

**FARMERS AND FRIENDS**

Farmers and Friends, a support group for men whose spouses have died, will meet at the USA Restaurant in Grant Park at 12:30 pm on Wednesday, Nov 16<sup>th</sup>. Pastor Doug will be attending a seminar so won't be able to attend.

**THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE**

Our annual Thanksgiving Eve service will be held on Wed, Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> at 7:00 pm. Both of our choirs will celebrate this special service with music. Communion will be celebrated.

**HANGING OF THE GREENS**

We will have the “Hanging of the Greens” (the decoration of the church building and sanctuary for Christmas) during worship on Sunday, Nov 27<sup>th</sup>. The Worship Committee members will have the decorations ready for this special occasion so the decorations simply have to be put up or placed in the appropriate places.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

- Wednesday, Nov 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Thanksgiving Eve Service – 7:00 pm. Communion will be celebrated
- Sunday, Nov 27<sup>th</sup>  
“Hanging of the Greens” will take place during the worship service

- Sunday, Dec 4<sup>th</sup>  
Youth Christmas Program – 3:00 pm
- Saturday, Dec 24<sup>th</sup>  
Christmas Eve services at 7:00 and 10:00 pm. Communion will be celebrated
- Sunday, Dec 25<sup>th</sup>  
No Sunday school or worship service today
- Sunday, Jan 1<sup>st</sup>  
Sunday school at 9:00 am. Worship at 10:30 am

### **Charlie Brown Christmas Offering**

The Charlie Brown Christmas Offering is taken to provide gift cards for local parents with children. The gift cards are included in the Thanksgiving Food Baskets given by the Mission Board each year, to help parents provide for their children during the Christmas season.

### **SHARE YOUR SOLES MISSION PROJECT**

Thanks to your generosity, to date, Linda Neidlinger has taken **117 pairs of shoes** to the Share Your Soles Foundation (<http://shareyoursoles.org/>).

### **SALVATION ARMY**

Our church will be serving lunch on Saturday, Nov 5<sup>th</sup> at the Salvation Army.

You can help in two ways

- serve lunch at the Salvation Army (meet at the church at 11:00 am)
- donate brownies or a bar cookie (deliver them to the church by 10:30 am that Sat)

A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board by the Sunday school entrance about a month in advance. Sign up and help in the way you are able.

### **CHARLIE BROWN CHRISTMAS FUND AND THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKET DONATIONS**

We will receive donations for the Charlie Brown Christmas Fund through Nov 6<sup>th</sup>. The Charlie Brown Christmas Fund provides gift cards to local families with children, who are in need, to help with expenses during the Christmas season.

This year, because the church no longer has a Food Pantry, the Mission Committee is asking for cash donations (instead of food items) to help provide food for

the Thanksgiving Food Baskets for area families in need. Mission Committee members will purchase items for the baskets with the donations received.

Donations for the Charlie Brown Christmas Fund and for the Thanksgiving Food Baskets may be placed in the container at the back of the church.

#### NOVEMBER MISSION GIVING

##### **Our Churches Wider Mission (OCWM) –**

Also known as Basic Support, our contributions support God’s mission in the Illinois Conference, nationally, and globally. 71% of our contribution stays in Illinois to carry out the mission of the Illinois Conference. Part of that mission is the support of local church pastors and the local churches, helping local churches during the search and call process, and providing intervention teams to help local churches work through times of challenge.

##### **FELLOWSHIP HALL TABLES**

Mold and mildew was recently found on several tables in Fellowship Hall. The mold and mildew were caused by stacking the tables in the storage area before the tables were completely dry. **Please do not put the tables in the storage area until they are completely dry.**

##### **RECEIVING THE KEYS BY EMAIL**

This month, you will receive the *Keys* by regular mail and by email, if we have your email address. The *Keys* is also posted on our website at [www.stpetersgp.org](http://www.stpetersgp.org). Let us know if you like reading the *Keys* on the website or receiving it by email.

##### **PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU’RE IN THE HOSPITAL OR FACING OTHER CHALLENGES**

At times, **you** learn news about members and friends of our congregation and our wider church family that Pastor Doug and the church office are not aware of. Please do not hesitate to notify us about this information. We aren’t always notified when church members are in the hospital, even if you ask hospital staff to contact us. Thank you!

##### **GIVING TO THE CHURCH**

One Sunday a minister ended the announcements with a note about the contributions the church had received. The minister said, “I have some good news and some bad news about the amount of donations we’ve received so far this year. The good news is that we

have all the money we need to cover the budget. The bad news is that the money is still in your pockets.”

We laugh. For the first time since I’ve been your pastor, we are running significantly behind in our giving. As of the end of September we’ve received \$12,558 less than we budgeted for 2011, about \$7,500 less than we received last year at this time. We are under budget on our expenses by \$3, 584, but that leaves a deficit of almost \$9,000 that will have to be covered by our reserves. I realize that finances are tight for many of us. If you are able to help us cover some of this deficit, please do so. We would like to avoid using reserve funds to pay our bills.

Thank you,

*Pastor Doug*

**ELECTRONIC GIVING**

The Electronic Giving program through Vanco is up and running. This program enables you to make your church offering using electronic funds transfer (EFT). You may already be using EFT to pay your mortgage, car payment, or insurance premium through an automatic withdrawal from your checking or savings account.

There is no cost to you for this new giving option. The church will be charged an initial fee of 50 cents to set up your account and a 25 cent fee for each donation. Giving options are Weekly (Mondays), Semi-Monthly (1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>), or Monthly (on the 1<sup>st</sup>).

Some may say that this giving option is costing the church money. It is. However, the current offering envelope system is also costing the church money. For 2011, the cost of offering envelopes was \$704.12. \$147.00 was received in the initial offering envelopes to help defray the cost of the envelopes. Therefore, cost to the church for the envelopes was \$557.12. This amount, \$557.12, would, at 25 cents per transaction, cover 2,228 transactions.

Please contact the church office (815 465-6191) if you are interested in participating in this program. Thank you for considering this new giving opportunity.

**Church Council Minutes - September 27, 2011**

The Council members of St. Peter’s United Church of Christ met on Tuesday, September 27, 2011 at 7:00 pm.

Members present: Rhonda McKinstry, Larry Hamann, LaDonna Swanson, Stan Schneider, Linda Neidlinger, John Wolfe, Larry Voigt, and Michelle Claussen.

Members absent: Larry Ohm

Council president Larry Hamann called the meeting to order and Pastor Doug opened the meeting with prayer.

Motions were made and seconded to accept the secretary's minutes of 08-23-11; and the treasurers' report; motion carried.

### **Unfinished Business**

- Discussion about options for distributing our newsletter included viewing it on the website, emailing it, or picking it up at the church. The bulk postage rate will expire at the end of December. The bulk rate permit cost is \$180/year plus the cost of mailing the letters. We are working on scaling down the size of the newsletter.
- The parsonage phone has been eliminated. An additional phone has been purchased for the church phone and placed in the parsonage.

### **New Business**

- The old copier has been donated to a local medical center.
- There has been some vandalism in the area around, but not on, the church's parking lot. The parking lot lights will be left on overnight for 2 weeks to deter more vandalism. We agreed they should be left on during the upcoming Oktoberfest and during Halloween.
- The \$20,150.43 CD at 1<sup>st</sup> National Bank matures 09/29/11 and will be rolled over.

**Pastor's Report** Pastor Doug submitted a written report for the month of August.

### **Committee Reports**

- Christian Ed –
  - The Sunday School program now incorporates a music lesson for all the children in the last 20 minutes of class. Children are encouraged sing in the Junior Choir.
  - Discussed Sunday School offering recipients.
  - Backpacks (with small snack, coloring page, crayons) will be available for younger children during church.
  - 12-13 students will be in the 2012 - 2012 Confirmation class.
  - Confirmation of the current class will be October 2<sup>nd</sup>.
  - \$706 was raised from the Bike-a-Thon.
  - Children will walk in the Oktoberfest parade instead of riding on a float.
  - Second grade bibles were distributed on September 18<sup>th</sup>.
  - The Children's Christmas program will be Sunday Dec 4<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm
- Mission –
  - Difficulty in finding workers for the Salvation Army this time
  - The Food Pantry will be closing;
  - Monetary donations will be received for the Thanksgiving Food Baskets.

- Worship –
  - Postcards will continue to be sent out as reminders to ushers.
  - Next summer’s worship service will be at 10:30.
  - Poinsettia sales will be on 11-27, 12-4, and 12-11.
  - Hanging of the Greens will be during worship on Sunday, Nov 27<sup>th</sup>. Decorations will be taken down on Sunday, Jan 8<sup>th</sup>.

October person of the month is Linda Neidlinger.

Next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 25, 2011.

A motion was made by Larry Voigt and seconded by Stan Schneider to adjourn the meeting; motion carried.

The meeting was closed with the Lord’s Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted, Michelle Claussen

*God has told you, O mortal, what is good: and what does God require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?*

--*Micah 6:8*

**Prayer Concerns**

Wendell Smith, Bob Hamann, Kevin Leitz, Jeff Jones, Byron Heldt, Jen De Young (Cousin of Charlie Moore and Colleen Martin), Ben Worsham (3 year old friend of Natalie Lacer), Kevin Buhr (son of Donald and Beulah Buhr), Nate Ekhoﬀ (nephew of Mark Ekhoﬀ), Bob Smith (cousin of Karen Ekhoﬀ), Arlene Armstrong (sister of Judy Lange), Terri Jensen ( sister of Tom Barrera), and all of God’s children seeking comfort, support, peace, and love.

**Joys**

- Congratulations to our 2011 confirmation class confirmed at St. Peter’s on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- The birth of Nixon Leo Marcotte born on October 11<sup>th</sup>. Nixon is the son of Mark and Nancy (Loitz) Marcotte.
- The birth of Adrien Michael Fox born on October 16<sup>th</sup> to Emily Marek and Brandon Fox.

**November Birthday List**

These birthdays are compiled from church membership records. *Please call to our attention any omissions or corrections*

Ashlee Ekhoﬀ	1	Christian Benson	11	Seth Hamann	23
Kathy Sievers	2	Tyler Claussen	11	Brian Morris	24
Kevin Lietz	3	Kathy Ekhoﬀ	14	Jill Jacobson	24

Norma Lehnert	3	Elaine Frahm	15	Kennedy Marcotte	25
Karri Barrera	3	Hayden Lehnert	16	Heather Ohm	26
Chris Holm	3	Marion Duensing	16	Ava Licka	27
Jennie Hamann	3	Gary Ekhoﬀ	16	Deena Hackl	27
Alaina Ohm	4	Byron Heldt	16	Andy Dillman	27
Greg Engleking	4	Tanner Barrera	16	Jessica Ackley	27
Bruce Heldt	5	Jayne Frahm	17	Deborah Hengl	28
Jeff Hamann	5	Jim Hamann	17	Warren Wessman	28
Kim Couwenhoven	5	Gina Jesse	17	Nick Hamann	28
Brett Lehnert	5	Molly Markland	17	Chris Claussen	29
Kurt Reichel	5	Al Stanbro	18	Joshua Lorenz	29
Geraldine Hamann	6	Emily Marek	18		
Gordon Schneider	9	Nick Gore	19		
Kole Stadt	9	Dan Schneider	20		
Roger Sturm	10	Hadleigh Loitz	20		

**Please join us for St. Peter's UCC Annual**

## **Turkey Supper**

**Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>**

**4 p.m. – 8 p.m.**

**St. Peter's United Church of Christ  
310 North Meadow Street  
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Additional Information: 815-465-6191**

<b>Adults</b>	<b>\$10.00</b>
<b>Kids 6 – 12 years</b>	<b>\$ 6.00</b>
<b>Under 6 years</b>	<b>Free</b>

**All Carryouts**

**\$10.00**

**\*Get a \$1 off coupon at Grant Park Oktoberfest Parade, 10/01**

**Join us for our all-you-can-eat supper of  
Turkey, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy,  
Sweet Potatoes, Corn, Rolls, Cranberries, Fruit Salad**

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**Many themed baskets to be raffled!!!**

**CONFIRMATION STUDENTS “PERSONAL STATEMENTS OF FAITH”**

The Confirmation Class of 2010 – 2011 was confirmed on Sunday, Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> and received communion. They also read their personal statements of faith during worship. The student’s statements and Confirmation Bible verse follow:

**Personal Statement of Faith by Connor Lee Claussen**

My beliefs are simple. I believe in the Trinity. God is the creator of life. Jesus is his son. He taught us about the Lord’s teachings and died on the cross for our sins. The Holy Spirit is all around us. It is something we may not see, but we know it’s there. The Bible is the Lord’s teachings, written down for us by people who had faith in the Lord. I do not believe to be a Christian you must read the Bible daily or attend every church service. I believe to be a Christian you must believe in the Lord, have faith in his teachings, accept him into your life, and I do accept, believe, and have everlasting faith in the Lord.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Psalm 46:1** – God is our shelter and strength, always ready to help in times of trouble.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Alys Paige Fritz**

I believe that God will always be there for you even if you don’t think he is. And if you ask for help, God will be listening and help lead you in the right direction. I

also believe that he will always listen to you, he would never ignore you, even if you did something wrong. He will still be there for you. To me, I think nobody is perfect, not even God. Humans make mistakes and we have to learn from them. So if we didn't make mistakes we would never learn. So sometimes it's good to make mistakes.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Matthew 5:14-16** – “You are like light for the whole world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. No one lights a lamp and puts it under a bowl; instead he puts it on the lampstand, where it gives light for everyone in the house. In the same way your light must shine before people, so that they will see the good things you do and praise your Father in heaven.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Noah Lukus Hamann**

I believe that there is something bigger than us in this world. I believe in the Trinity, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost. I think and believe that God forgives everyone no matter what they have done. If at the end of the day your right with God, he forgives you. I believe that God sent his one and only son to this earth to be crucified for us. Everyone was made and put on this earth in their the image of God. God is always with you no matter where you are. If your down and you don't think he is there with you, he always is and will always love you. God loves everybody and will always be with you.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: John 15:11** – “I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Jaron Austin Jacobson**

Through confirmation class I have learned a lot about what I believe in and have had fun in doing so. I believe that God sent his only son, Jesus, to save us from our sins and to sacrifice himself for us. I also believe in Jesus' resurrection on Easter morning. I believe in the teachings of St. Peter's United Church of Christ. This experience has been a good one. From going to Pilgrim Park and the Jewish Temple I have made new friends and learned how other religions worship and what they believe in.

God is always around you, you may not know he's there but he's always there watching over you and making sure that you are safe. He can be whatever you want him to be. He had one son and made the ultimate sacrifice by sending him to save me

and everyone else from their wrong doings. I also want to thank God for giving me a great family and great friends and for everything else that I have. Jesus is my savior and is like a brother to me. He's always there, guiding me through life and making sure I am doing the right thing.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: John 3:16** – For God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not die but have eternal life.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Kyle Steven Jacobson**

I believe in one powerful God. God created everything. God created each detail of the earth from the deep blue sea to the tiniest grain of sand and everything in between. God is the one to thank for a new day and a new beginning. God is compassionate when we feel upset or distressed. God is patient and forgives us when we have disregarded his commandments. God shows us wisdom when we encounter a problem or when we have made mistakes. God is the one true reason why we are alive.

Jesus is my savior. He is the Son of God. He sacrificed himself on the cross for everyone and then rose again. He healed the sick to show the power of God. He showed no fear when he faced evil and temptation. He is a great interpretation of the Lord. Jesus is the one who taught us how to worship God.

When Jesus left this world, he left us with the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is always here to look after us and protect us. We are never alone because the Holy Spirit is always with us.

Confirmation has really changed the way I feel about my beliefs in God. I have never felt so close to God. God is always there for me.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Psalm 31:14** – But my trust is in you, O Lord; you are my God.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Austin M. Kaack**

I believe Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, looks upon everyone in the world. Whether you are good or whether you are bad he still loves and cares for you. I believe

that when something bad happens to someone good or bad it isn't because they did something wrong, it isn't to hurt them, it is to make them stronger or help someone else in the process.

I believe that God created the world and every creation. He/She is everyone's father on this earth and we are all his kids. I believe that he holds everyone dear to his heart and cherishes them everyday. I believe that he watches over everyone in the world at every moment.

I believe that everything in the Bible is true, that is like a guideline to life and how it should be lived. I also believe that it shows you things you shouldn't do and how you could do better things to show God your love by praying to him.

I believe the Holy Spirit is God and Jesus as one, that Jesus really is God and they create two identities but together they create one, the Holy Spirit.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: John 15:12** – My commandment is this: love one another, just as I love you.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Anthony E. Kaack**

Jesus is God's only Son and he gave his life for our sins. To me the Holy Spirit is like a guardian angel hovering over us that provides us with safety and belief in the world. God is the twinkle in an orphan child's eye when he finds a home. God is the good news when the doctor tells you you are rid of cancer. They say God works in mysterious ways, which is true, but only in that way can we be saved and learn to forgive.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: John 3:16** – For God loved the world so much that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not die but have eternal life.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Madison Kate Langlois**

Confirmation class has helped me to have a better understanding of things that I have always believed in. I believe that God is the creator of the world and everything in it. Everything that we have has been given to us by God such as our families, food, homes, school and even our jobs. It is all a part of His creation. There are times that we all make bad choices. God forgives us for our sins when we ask for forgiveness and are

truly sorry. He is so generous that He sacrificed his only son, Jesus to be crucified on the cross. He did this so that we can have eternal life.

God speaks to us in many ways in how to live our lives each day. A couple of examples are in the bible through scripture and the many stories and lessons that were taught by Jesus. If you want to speak to God about anything, you can pray. He may not answer your prayers in a way that you expect but no matter how he answers, just remember that He knows what is best because He loves and cares for us more than anyone. In return we can show our love to Him by going to church, singing hymns, setting good examples and helping those who are in need.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Matthew 5:43-45a** – “You have heard that it was said, ‘Love your friends, and hate your enemies.’ But now I tell you: love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, so that you may become the sons of your Father in heaven.

**Personal Statement of Faith by Kaleb Lehnert [Kaleb L. Lehnert]**

I believe that Jesus Christ is always watching us and the things we do. He will always love us no matter what we do, whether it is bad or good. I believe he died on the cross for us, too.

I believe the bible is real and all the things that are said in it are also real.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Psalm 19:1** - How clearly the sky reveals God’s glory! How plainly it shows what he has done!

**Personal Statement of Faith by Morgan Wimberly [Morgan Justice Wimberly]**

I believe in one God, creator of heaven and earth, who unselfishly gave us his only son to forgive us of our sins. I believe that our world was started by God’s creation of Adam and Eve. When we need God he will be there for us to look up to and will always be with us. God placed Jesus into the birth of the Virgin Mary. He then grew up to be known as the Son of God. I believe that Jesus was crucified on the cross for us in which later he rose from the dead. I believe that all the stories of the bible are true facts

and that all the disciples were real. I think that the bible is the guide to our lives, and that the Ten Commandments teach us right from wrong.

**Confirmation Bible Verse: Jeremiah 29:11-13** – “For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

COLLEGE STUDENT ADDRESSES

College student addresses are needed ASAP. Addresses are needed for the Christian Ed Committee Care Packages and issues of the ‘Keys’. NEW and OLD addresses are needed to complete the list. Please call the church office. Leave a message if you are calling after hours. Thank you

**POINSETTAS**

This year the Worship Committee will be selling poinsettias wrapped in foil to add beauty to our sanctuary for the Christmas season at a special price of **\$8.00**. All proceeds will be donated to the Good Samaritan Fund.

The flowers will be delivered to church and you are free to take your plant home with you following the Christmas Eve Services. Orders for poinsettias will be taken in the Sunday School entry November 27<sup>th</sup> through December 11th. You can call the church office with your order or mail your order to the church office.

**I would like to order \_\_\_\_\_ poinsettias.**

**In honor of** \_\_\_\_\_

**In memory of** \_\_\_\_\_

**Presented  
by** \_\_\_\_\_

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