

St. Peter Lutheran Church
Deshler, Nebraska
09:45 am – Worship Service
11:00 am – Sunday School

Announcements

August 3, 2025

Faith Lutheran Church
Hebron, Nebraska
08:30 am – Worship Service
09:30 am – Sunday School

Welcome! We pray that God will bless you through the power of His Word. If you are a guest or visitor, we are so thankful you joined us. If you would like to hear more about Jesus or our congregations at St. Peter and Faith, please contact Pastor Brian. The St. Peter-Deshler service is livestreamed at 9:45 a.m. on St. Peter's Facebook, Vimeo, and YouTube pages.

Please visit stpeterdeshler.org for updated news and events.

Serving today:

	at Faith:		at St. Peter:
Pastor:	Brian Francik	Brian Francik	Sound: Steve Harms
Organist:	Cheryl Walsh	Anita Harms	Video: Reinold Kruse
Screen:	Lara Harms	Amber Deepe	Envelope Mark & Barb Schardt
Elders:	Cary Tietjen & Brad Elting	Dale Schardt	Committee: Neil & Monica Bohling
Acolyte:	Lakin Schardt	Cameron Schardt	Screen Graphic Explanation: Whatever you do in life, do it for the glory of Jesus
Altar/Flowers:	Lara Harms	Barb Schardt	
Usher/Offering:	Louis Vieselmeyer	Andy Schmidt/Dillon	
		Schardt & Logan Schmidt	
Fellowship/Treats:	Louis & Madalyn Vieselmeyer	Rod & Cindy Watson,	
		Dave & Helen Watson	

St Peter – Deshler Announcements

Conversation Topic of the week – Diamonds (Spiritual conversations)

Describe your dream house.

We encourage you to discuss these at home with your kids, with someone at church, or anyone. It is an opportunity to get to know someone more and have great conversations.

Sermon Series Dates and Topics

August 3: Deborah
August 10: Gideon
August 17: Samson
August 24: Ruth

Fair Booth

There are still open spots if anyone would like to volunteer to sit at the booth for this year's fair August 6-9, please sign up on the sheet located in the Narthex.

Free Folding Tables

DLS has some old folding tables (one 8' and four 6') from yester-year that we are looking for a new home. If you are interested, please contact Principal Todd Voss at 402-720-5590. Any remaining tables will be set out on August 11 at Back-to-School Night. The tables are free (you can make a donation if so moved). We will be happy to see them find a new home.

Thank you

Thank you to everyone who donated to the giving tree for the youth attending the National Youth Gathering! Johnnie, Dean, Jordan and Tregan enjoyed the week in New Orleans, attending speakers, singing praises

and building relationships with other Christians from our area. They said the turnout from Nebraska was amazing, and could hear ‘Go Big Red’ chants everywhere they went, but they were also able to meet people from almost all 50 states! They enjoyed it so much that they have now set their sights on San Antonio for 2028. Thanks again!

Offering Report	July 13	July 20	July 27	August 3	Year-to-Date	Needed Weekly/Year-to-Date
General Fund	1,899.00				\$147,803.88	\$7,962.04
General Fund – Autopay	1,650.00				\$46,505.00	
Tithely	100.00				\$9,100.00	
Total	3,649.001				\$203,408.88	\$222,937.12
Attendance Report	86	98	95			(\$19,528.24)

St Peter/DLS/Faith Weekly Calendar			
Sunday	08/03	08:30 am 09:45 am	Sunday Worship with Holy Communion (FAITH) Sunday Worship with Holy Communion with Livestream (StP)
Monday	08/04	07:00 pm	Elders Meeting (StP)
Tuesday	08/05	09:00 am	DLS Staff Meeting
Wednesday	08/06	09:00 am 12:30 pm 06:00 pm	DLS Staff Meeting Bulletin Deadline Fair Booth
Thursday	08/07	06:00 pm	Fair Booth
Friday	08/08	01:00 pm 06:00 pm	Pastor's Sabbath Bulletin Folders Fair Booth
Saturday	08/09	06:00 pm	Fair Booth
Sunday	08/10	08:30 am 09:45 am	Sunday Worship (FAITH) Sunday Worship with Livestream (StP)

Quote of the week
<p>“When you get to the end of your rope, there is Jesus. This is grounds for immense confidence, even as life threatens to undo us” – Jared C. Wilson</p>

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<p>Prayers or Visit If you would like someone added to the prayer page, please contact Lori at St Peter by phone or email. If you would like a visit from Pastor, please contact him anytime.</p>	<p>Women’s Bible Study “Joy – Then Share It” Bible Study will be held Tuesday, August 12 at 6:30 pm at Faith. Childcare will be available. Everyone is welcome to attend and bring a friend! For more information please call or text: 402-200-0595.</p>
<p>New Bible Study - Ecclesiastes What is the meaning of life? Join us for a light supper at 6:15 and Bible Study at 6:30pm for answers. The first session will be Thursday, August 21. There will be a sign up sheet for food voluteers. Bring a friend!</p>	<p>Council Meeting The Council meeting will be held on Thursday, August 21 at 5:30 pm. with Bible study to follow.</p>

Sunday School

Faith Sunday School will begin September 14, 2025. All ages will be together - 3+. Older children can help with the little ones. A teacher sign-up is on the table in the fellowship hall. Older children can sign up to help on the sheet as well. There will be a brunch that Sunday before Sunday School. Hope you will join us!

Community/Circuit Announcements

Mission Festival

Gary Thies, Mission Development Counselor for the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, will be coming to Zion Lutheran Church in Shickley on Sunday, August 10. Worship begins at 8:30 with Bible Class at 9:45 am. Gary will give an exciting and interesting presentation with pictures and artifacts on what is happening in the Mission field of your church around the world. Don't miss this chance to invite a friend. You, too, are a missionary. A potluck dinner will be held following Gary's presentation at 11:00 am. We hope you can join us. For more information please check out the website at www.missioncentral.us

Back-to-School Night / Open House--August 11

DLS will be hosting our Back-to-School Night and Open House on Monday, August 11. There will be a FREE hamburger/hot dog meal for the first 200 guests. We send a BIG SPECIAL "THANK YOU!" to the Thayer County Livestock Feeders and the men from St. Peter-Deshler & Trinity-Friedensau that will be grilling and serving the meal. The Open House and Meal House runs from 6:00 pm to 7:15 pm. All DLS families should arrive by 5:30 for our beginning of the year meeting in the gym. Association guests should arrive anytime between 6:00-7:15 pm. Below is the full schedule for the evening:

- 5:30 DLS Parent Meeting in Gym
- 6:00 Open House & Meal Begin
- 6:00 Kindergarten & 3/4 Classroom Meetings
- 6:15 1-2 Class & 5-6 Class Meetings
- 6:30 7-8 Class Meeting

We hope congregational members will join us at 6:00 pm on August 11! See you then.

DLS is Looking for Thrivent Action Team Grants:

DLS has several projects that could qualify for a Thrivent Action Team Grant. If you are looking for a project to utilize your Thrivent Action Team Grant, please contact Principal Todd Voss (402-720-5590) to discuss some possible options. In recent years DLS has literally saved thousands of dollars annually due to the generosity of Thrivent members in our Association congregations. Thank you for considering a DLS project for your Thrivent Action Team Grant.

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Prayer Page – August 3, 2025

*(We encourage you to reach out to the person or family to find out how you can pray for and encourage them)
If you or someone you know would like to be added to the prayer page, please let Pastor Brian know.*



Recovering/Healing/Ongoing Health Concerns:

Members:

Donna Genung Luella Holtzen Allen Schardt
Mike Finke Harvey Weideman Patty Mueller
Marvin Baden

Battling Cancer:

Aaron Fiet Kayla Geiser
(Family friend of Troy & Colleen Hansen)

Family/Friends/People in our Community:

Bridget Schnuelle Roger Roskilly (Patty Donald Cooper
Kim Roth Mueller's brother-in-law) Angel Kniep
Marissa (Nun) Moore

On Hospice/Comfort Care:

Birthdays this Week: August 3 – August 9

Rylee Boonstra 3 Melissa Sasse 4 Amber Deepe 9
Paula Voss 3 Elaine Schardt 6 Millie Schardt 9
Braden Johnson 4 Kinsey Bohling 7
Brooke Sasse 4 Carlee Hinz 8

Baptismal Birthdays

Scott Laaker 4 Bruce Finke 8 Jonathan Peters 9
Patricia Mueller 6 Reinold Kruse 9

Wedding Anniversaries

Michael & Nicole Zucker 5
Rodney & Sheryl Achterberg 7
Brian & Julene Schardt 9

Families of the Week:

Sandra Meyer, Mark & Kris Miesner, Pastor James Moll, Patty Mueller
Blessings for the marriage of Jennifer Holtzen (granddaughter of Allen & Joyce Schardt) and Josh Robertson.

From our missionaries, Rev. Dale & Suzanne Kaster:

That we may grow in reaching out to the Czechs.
For the hearts of Czech people to be open to the Gospel.

Members/Relatives/Friends in military service:

Dominic Ralston (Virgil & Lola Ralston's grandson)
Derek Baden (Marvin & Sharon's grandson)
Mark Baden (Marvin & Sharon's son)
Brandon Lee (Galen & Melissa Sasse's nephew)
TJ & Emily Wiebe (Jocelyn Berggren's brother & sister-in-law)
Garrett Mees (DHS alumni)
Reed Ziegler (Jon & Linda Peters' Nephew)

Recovering/Healing/Ongoing Health Concerns:

Members:

Lynda Johnson Karen Prellwitz
Erin Onnen

Battling Cancer:

Family/Friends/People in our Community:

Kimm Fintel
Joyce Kroll

On Hospice/Comfort Care:

Birthdays this Week

Rosella Schroeder 3

Wedding Anniversaries this Week

Trenton & Haley Tietjen 4

For Deshler Lutheran School:

That our staff, families, and congregations would focus on our
2025 – 2026 theme: **"Make a Joyful Noise."**
(Psalm 98:4)

For our members in assisted living, nursing homes, and care centers:

Naomi Grupe	Meadowlark Heights	Deshler
Roger Genzmer	Meadowlark Heights	Deshler
Marilyn Genzmer	Meadowlark Heights	Deshler
Sandra Meyer	Region V Group Home	Hebron
Lynda Johnson	Blue Valley Lutheran Home	Hebron
Erin Onnen	Blue Valley Lutheran Home	Hebron
Janet Robertson	Blue Valley Lutheran Home	Hebron
Elaine Schardt	Courtyard Terrace	Hebron
Luella Holtzen	Courtyard Terrace	Hebron

For our country; President Donald Trump; all leaders; our service men and women; Chaplains; law enforcement; first responders; health workers; for peace, guidance, and safety in our country.

Sermon Outline – August 3, 2025

Deborah
Judges 4-5

Get _____

Don't sit on the sidelines

In what way(s) do you need to get involved in God's kingdom?

_____ the Lord

Joyfully for what He has done

Spend time this week praising Jesus for what He has done.