

program. A BS degree is required. If you are interested in applying for this position, call the school office at 507-345-7927.

TEACHER AIDS NEEDED: If you have an interest in being a full time or part time aid in the lower division classes at Mount Olive (ELS) School (Mankato, MN) for this coming school year, call the school office at 507-345-7927. They plan to **fill these positions by August 1.**

BETHANY LUTHERAN COLLEGE welcomes applications for a part time Coordinator of International Students and applications for a live-in position of Resident Hall Coordinator with a July 31, 2017, start date. The Resident Hall Coordinator is responsible for creating and encouraging a positive residential experience. A complete position description and application instructions can be found at <https://www.blc.edu/employment>.



The EVANGEL

June 22 & 25, 2017

GREETERS: 8:00 a.m. is Marlene Lind and 9:30 a.m. is Judy Sannes. If you are willing to be a greeter, please contact Bev Habeck (931-3945) or sign up on the sheet in the narthex.

ALTAR GUILD CONTACTS for July are as follows: Sandy Jackson (931-5624), Jan Manzey (934-5235), and Jean Haas (507-665-6698). If you are placing flowers on the altar for a special June date, please call one of these members.

150th ANNIVERSARY: In connection with our 150th anniversary, we began a capital campaign last fall with the goal of raising \$400,000 to retire our debt and to complete a number of different projects. If you have not participated in a focus group discussion on this campaign, you will have the opportunity to do so after both services on the following dates: **July 9th, July 16th, and July 23rd.** Our campaign will run through December of this year. For more information, contact Jacob Yushta at 507-380-0216 or jyushta1@gmail.com.

VOTERS' MEETING—DATE CHANGE: Our summer voters' meeting had been scheduled for Sunday, June 25th. Since both Pastor Nass and Pastor Degner will be gone that Sunday, our church council has rescheduled our voters' meeting for Sunday, July 16th, at 10:30 a.m. We hope you will join us. The biggest item of discussion at the voters' meeting will be approving our church and school budget for 2017-2018.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL—REGISTRATION OPEN: Online registration is now open for our Vacation Bible School. This year's VBS will be held from July 31-August 3 from 9:00-11:30 a.m. each morning. You can

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 2 8:00 & 9:30 a.m. 150th Anniversary Services & Meal
July 4 10:00 a.m. 4th of July Parade
July 16 10:30 a.m. Voters' Meeting
July 23 Ordination of Pastor Heise & Reception
July 24-27 Jesus Saves! Soccer Camp
July 31-August 3 Vacation Bible School

register on our website at www.saintpeterlutheran.org. All children ages 4-14 are invited to attend. If you would like to volunteer for our VBS, please speak to Pastor Nass.

FOURTH OF JULY PARADE—COME AND WALK WITH US! Our church will once again be walking in Saint Peter's 4th of July Parade on Tuesday, July 4th at 10:00 a.m. We're ordering some great, new banners to let our community know about our 150th Anniversary. The best part of our float, however, are all the members who walk with our float, passing out candy, freezies, and flyers about our church. We would love to have you walk with us in this year's parade. People of all ages are invited to join us. If you're willing to walk with our float, please sign up on the outreach bulletin board in the hallway at church.

WE NEED CANDY! We need lots and lots and lots of candy to pass out during the 4th of July parade. Last year we handed out hundreds of pounds of candy and over 1000 freezies. So, we need candy! Candy and freezie donations can be brought to the church office. Please get candy without chocolate (which melts!) or nuts. Thank you!

PASTOR NASS AT THE SEMINARY: After the week of classes, Pastor Nass and his family will spend a week visiting Emily's family in Wisconsin. They will be gone from June 18-30.

THANK YOU to all who save and use Kwik Trip cards and products. Our school received \$54.35 from caps and milk moola, and \$48.22 from items purchased in store (this is the extra 5% from cards purchased here).

SPANISH SERVICE CHANGES: The attendance at our Spanish services has dropped significantly over the past few months. Pastor Nass has not had the time over the past year to visit Hispanic families in their homes, and that has had a noticeable effect on our Hispanic ministry. After receiving a suggestion from one of our Hispanic members, we have decided to **change our Spanish service time to 1:00 p.m. on Sunday afternoons**. That change will take place beginning on Sunday, July 2nd. There will be no Spanish services on June 18th or 25th because of Pastor Nass' trip to Wisconsin. We hope that changing the service time and taking a few weeks off will give us the opportunity to reinvigorate our Spanish services.

THE NEXT SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY SERVICE is on July 2 with a picnic style lunch after the 2nd service around 10:45 a.m. The committee is

looking for volunteers to help serve and clean up. If you are available, please sign up on the bulletin board nearest the fellowship hall.

DONATE USED SOCCER EQUIPMENT: Do you have soccer shin guards or soccer cleats sitting around in your garage or a closet at your house that nobody uses anymore? We would be happy to take them off your hands! You can donate used shin guards and cleats to our Jesus Saves! Soccer Camp, and we will give them away to participants who need them. If you have some used soccer equipment to donate, please bring it in to the church office. Thanks!

HOUSING FOR SUMMER WORKERS FROM MLC: Just like in past summers, we will be having two students from Martin Luther College (MLC) come to Saint Peter to help with our soccer camp and Vacation Bible School. This year, two young men will be helping us. Their names are Zach Zubeber and Silas Dose, and both are studying to be pastors at MLC. They will be with us in Saint Peter from July 23 - August 6. We are looking for a host family for them during their time in Saint Peter. We will keep them busy each day, but the host family would be asked to provide them with a place to sleep and some meals during the week. If you would be able and interested in hosting them, please reply to this email or contact Pastor Nass (nass.nathan@gmail.com).

THE NORSELAND LUTHERAN LADIES AID has invited our Ladies Aid to a Salad Buffet and program on Thursday, June 29th, at 6:30 p.m. Please sign on the sheet in the narthex if you plan to attend. We will meet here at church at 6:00 p.m. to share rides.

CREATING A VOLUNTEER CULTURE: "Creating a Volunteer Culture" training is scheduled for July 18-19 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. All members and leaders of church committees and organizations are strongly urged to attend. This is our first phase in creating a volunteer-rich church community while learning to be Christ-like servants. We hope you can join us! If possible, email the church (spevluth@hickorytech.net) or call the office (931-1866) to sign up to plan for seating and materials. No one will be turned away if you do not sign up in advance. This training is being prepared by our congregation's stewardship committee.

FOOD SERVICE DIRECTOR: Mount Olive Lutheran School is accepting applications for the position of food service director for our hot lunch