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We are a loving community called by God's grace -- that all know the Peace of God.



Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost – August 30, 2020



August Prayers for thanksgiving for God's mercy and grace -

August 30th: Lord, speak to us of your love and mercy open our ears to hear and live as you would have us. Amen



For our Drive-in Service please tune your radio to station 87.9 FM

Pastor Herman and Carole Hannemann's are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary September 3rd.

There are updated calendars attached to this announcement.

The Women's Retreat scheduled for Sunday, October 4th has been canceled. Please watch the Bulletin and Messenger for new date in the Spring. Thank you.

Face masks and hand sanitizer are available at all entrances. You are encouraged to use them for your safety and ours! So please, while you are with us, be considerate of others. Reusable masks are still available, call Shirley at 587-5064 or Mary at 587-5837. Thank you for doing your part! Stay Safe and healthy!



Peace Reopening Plan Update

- Peace Lutheran Church campus is now allowing PLC Board Meetings, limited to 50% capacity of the room you are using.
- **We ask that you schedule your meeting with the church office prior (320)587-3031** so we have the area sanitized for you.
- No food/drink allowed at this time. Please continue to follow the Social Distancing Safety measures posted.

The family of Paul Berg would love hearing of the many stories people have of Paul over the years. If you would be so kind, write your story and bring it to the church office. We will collect them in a large envelope and send them on to the family. Thank you for sharing.



Little Lamb's Looking for Donations: It is time to restock the resources at Little Lamb's for the Kindergarten Readiness Program, preschool room, toddler room, and infant room. A "Bee Kind" bulletin board is located in the ramp hallway. It has bee pictures on it with an item that can be donated. You can take the bee paper home, purchase the item, and return the item to the box provided. We will "Bee" grateful for your continued support of Little Lambs.

Now is the perfect time to consider hosting a small group Bible study.

The location of your study is up to you, maybe it is in your home, here at Peace, or in the community somewhere. Simply sign up at the desk in the commons and we will provide a leader DVD and materials for **"Unshakable Hope"** by Max Lucado. Small groups will begin the week of Oct. 18. If you have questions, please feel free to call Sandy Kephart 587-3031

Extra Garden Produce?

If you have extra garden produce that you would like to share with Peace members, please bring it to Sunday services and drop it at the table in the Commons area.

If any is left over, it will be taken to the McLeod Emergency Food Shelf.

Peace members providing Community support.



Drivers Improvement Program

4-hour refresher class--Thursday, September 10th, 5:30-9:30 and Friday, September 11th, 11:00-3:00

Initial 8-hour class--two four hour sessions--Monday, October 5th, 5:30-9:30 and Tuesday, October 6th, 5:30-9:30

To register go to www.mnsafetycenter.org or call 1-320-308-1400 or toll free at 1-999-234-1294

Classes are limited. The Peace Center will be available to facilitate social distancing related to the number of registrants. Note: no cookies will be served.

Dorcas will be assembling the layettes to be sent to Lutheran World Relief. We are in need of towels and soap. We need hand towels, preferably in a dark color to add to the kits. Other things also appreciated. Sizes 6 to 24 months. Contact Phyllis H. at 587-0185 or Shirley W. at 587-5064 if you have questions or donations.

Each kit includes:

- two blankets, (one large, one smaller flannel)
- 4 cloth diapers
- two bars of mild soap (usually Ivory)
- two lightweight cotton t-shirts (no Onsies)
- two long or short sleeved gowns or sleepers (without feet)
- jacket, sweater or sweatshirt with hood or baby cap
- two pairs of socks
- one dark colored hand towel and two diaper pins

LWML will be assembling Layettes this Wednesday, September 2nd at 1pm in the Church Basement.

Volunteers are encouraged to come and help put them together. We will be practicing social distancing as much as possible but masks should be worn. If we have lots of workers it shouldn't take long. Many -hands make light work.

If you can come to help or have any questions, please call Phyllis Hecht at 587-0185 or Shirley Wurdell at 587-5064. There is a great need for these supplies right now around the world and we want to be faithful.

Everyone welcome, Thank you

***Please watch the Peace Lutheran Church web page and Facebook page for update**

Please Pray for Peace Members:

Diane Born, Audrey Knacke, Ronney Wendlandt, Joan Bradley, Sue Moritz, Barb Ribar, Linda Rost, Dale Sturges, Elaine Lewerenz, Judy Prieve, Roger Lambert, Rita Janke, Lori West, Pastor Hannemann, Lucille Smith, William Settergren, Jim Berg, Naomi Meier, Scott Hilgemann, Derek Markgraf, Sylvia Radtke, Warren Macemon, Cyndy Schmidt, Waldemar Grussing, Melissa Wanous, Mavis Muckala, Hildegard Wagner, Michelle Robinson, Melva Plath, Susan Homan, Jason Miller, Dawn Rauch, Dwayne Briesse, Mary Dahlke, Ann Olson

Worship Attendance Last Week

Sunday, August 23rd 2020: Sanctuary = 75, Live Stream = 94, Facebook = 272, Drive-In = 104 **Total = 545**

PEACE Youth/Childrens FALL Program Start-Up

**Register ONLINE at plchutch.org
or pick up a Registration Form at the Commons desk**

TUES. SEPT 22	Confirmation Orientation
WED. SEPT 23	Gr. 6 - 6:15 pm Grades 7, 8 & 9 - 6:15 pm
SUN. SEPT 27	Rally Day - Family Worship Outdoor Service - 10 am
WED. SEPT. 30	First Day of Confirmation Gr. 6, 7, 8, & 9
SUN. OCT. 4	First Day of Sunday School 3 yrs - Gr 12
WED. OCT. 7	First Day of (Wed) Sunday School Gr. 1 - Gr 5



*By grace are you saved and that not of
yourself it is the gift of God*

Ephesians 2:8

September Prayer Calendar


1. Ask God to help you get to know Him through His word.
2. Pray for God's mercy on this nation.
3. Ask God for tender loving care for the most vulnerable members of our society.
4. Pray for patience as you endure the restrictions placed on everyone during this pandemic.
5. Pray for all children as they face a confusing school year.
6. Pray that all our church members are choosing to worship God (there are several options even now) each week.
7. Pray for the people who are currently unemployed because of the pandemic.
8. Thank God for the circumstances in your life that have led to you becoming a better person.
9. Ask God to help you release your burdens and worries to His care.
10. Pray against feelings of envy toward others who have experienced good fortune.
11. Thank God for your blessings, especially His everlasting love for you.
12. Pray for a sense of harmony and peace across our country.
13. Pray for patience and insight when waiting for an answer to your prayers.
14. Ask God to help you build strong and lasting friendships.
15. Ask God to help you focus your thoughts on Him.
16. Pray for elected officials at all levels of government, that they would work together for the common good.
17. Pray for safety for the members of our armed forces.
18. Pray for safety for police officers, firefighters and health care professionals.
19. Pray for the parents of very young children, for patience and gracious love toward them.
20. Praise God in His sanctuary, or online, or outside---anywhere and everywhere.
21. Ask God to help you be content "in all circumstances" See Phil. 4:11-13
22. Ask God for the courage to share the gospel with those who don't know Jesus.
23. Ask God to help you love others as he has loved you.
24. Thank God for being patient with you.
25. Ask God to help you control your tongue, especially in circumstances when your attitudes are challenged.
26. Ask God for forgiveness when you have gone astray from His guidance.
27. Ask God to help you see and respond to the opportunities for service to others He put into your life.
28. Ask God to help you accept His amazing grace.
29. Thank God for all the people you know who have servants' hearts, willing to help people in need.
30. Pray as Martin Luther would pray: "Let your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me". Amen.



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September 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 10:30 POP Study 1:00 Staff Meeting/Life Stage 6:30 Elders	2	3 8:30-9:30 Drivers Imp. Class Tutoring	4	5
6 8:30 Worship/Communion 10:00 Outdoor Worship/Communion	7  Office Closed	8 10:00 Dorcas Exec. Mtg. 10:30 POP Bible Study 12:00-6:00 Bloodmobile 1:00 Staff Meeting/Life Stage 3:00 Congregational Service Mtg.	9 8:30 Parish Health Mtg.	10 Pastor's Conference 1:30 Dorcas: Women in Mission 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring 5:30-9:30 Drivers Imp. Class	11 11:00 – 3:00 Drivers Imp. Class	12
13 8:30 Worship/Communion Blood Pressure Checks 10:00 Outdoor Worship/Communion	14 <i>Pastor Lemke's Visitations</i> 9:00 Body & Soul 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring 3:30 & 6:30 Small Group Bible Study	15 9:00 Evergreen Worship 10:30 POP Bible Study 1:00 Staff Meeting/Life Stage 6:30 Promise Keepers 7:00 Mission and Ministry	16	17 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring 7:00 Trustees	18	19
20 8:30 Worship/Communion 10:00 Outdoor Worship/Communion	21 9:00 Body & Soul 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring 3:30 & 6:30 Small Group Bible Study	22 10:30 POP Bible Study 1:00 Staff Meeting/Life stage 6:30 Promise Keepers 6:15 Confirmation Orientation – Gr. 6	23 7:00 See You at the Pole 6:15 Confirmation Orientation – Gr. 7, 8, & 9 th 6:15 HS Bible Study	24 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring	25 NO SCHOOL	26
<i>Rally Day</i> 27 8:30 Worship/Communion 10:00 Family Worship – Outdoors Worship/ Communion	28 9:00 Body & Soul 3-5:00 Peace Place Tutoring 3:30 & 6:30 Small Group Bible Study	29 10:30 POP Bible Study 1:00 Staff Meeting/Life stage 4:30 LLC Brd. Mtg. 6:30 Promise Keepers	30 2:30 Confirmation (6 th Gr.) 6:15 Confirmation 6:15 HS Bible Study			