

Messenger of PEACE

Touching Lives with the Love and Saving Grace of Jesus.

September 2017

The end of Summer is always a time of mixed emotions for me. Like parents, teachers and students – it means schedules will begin to change and become busier. The staff at Peace Lutheran are busy planning and getting ready for a new year of Sunday School, Confirmation classes and Youth ministry.

This year the staff wants to remind parents and students that as things become busy - God is with us – ready to help and remind us that we are His blessing to the world. The first two days of school we will be offering "blessings" as you start the new school year. We are asking you to stop by the Peace Lutheran north parking lot and receive a "blessing" on your way to school.

The word "blessing" comes from the ancient practice of weighing coins on a scale to determine value. Blessing someone "adds value" to his or her life. We see in Scripture the word "bless" or "blessing" used almost seven hundred times. The Bible also gives us great evidence that our God is a God of blessing. We receive that blessing from our Heavenly Father and have the wonderful opportunity to pass it on.

Pastor Bill Tucker, Concordia Lutheran San Antonio, TX talks about parents blessing their students as a part of affirming God's value of your child. Here are five basic elements of a blessing that, combined, have tremendous impact.

- **B BE COMMITTED**: The blessing is not a fleeting moment or mere symbolic event. It includes an active, long-term commitment to the child's well-being by accepting responsibility to help them become all God intends.
- **L LOVINGLY TOUCH**: The power of a hug or placing your hand on your child while affirming him or her creates an important physical connection and communicates warmth, acceptance, and relational health.
- **E EXPRESS VALUE:** Just like we add value to someone's pocket by handing them a coin, we add to a child's life when we use words that attach high value to them as a person.
- **S SEE POTENTIAL:** Parents best see a child's natural strengths and foresee possibilities for their future. Giving the blessing includes picturing a special future and cheering them toward achieving their potential.
- **S SAY IT**: An effective blessing must be put into words whether spoken, written or both. Simply being present is not enough to communicate the blessing. Words of affirmation are necessary for the child to know he or she is appreciated and accepted.

Speak words of blessing to your child while driving to school, tucking into bed, celebrating an accomplishment or good effort, or writing a note to place in their lunch. Create your own phrase using any of the following: "You Are Great Because..." "I was so proud of you when you..." "I think God is going to use you in the future to..." "God has gifted you with an ability to..." Praying for God's favor and protection to be with someone is expressing Christian love for your neighbor. May God use you to pass on His "blessings" in the lives of your neighbors. And may the Lord's richest blessings be with you!

Pastor John Pasche

Official Acts



Baptisms

Aug. 12 Roderick Gregory Bjork, son of Gregory & Jenna Bjork

Weddings

Aug. 12 Kelly Rauch & Walter Pickering Jr. Aug. 26 Rachel Telecky & Jeron Thielen

Funerals

Aug. 4 Delmer Sturges, 100, passed away July 28
Aug. 11 Wallace Plath, 75, passed away August 6
Aug. 19 Leona Janke, 82, passed away August 17 (private burial)

Membership Changes

Received by Adult Instruction/Profession of Faith

Hunter Weber Ashley Bryant Lucille Kelley



September 2 September 3	6:15 8:00 9:15 10:30	Char Havelka Nona Anderson ? ?
September 9	6:15	Corrine Higgins
September 10	8:00	Scott Brusehaver
	9:15	Betty Ruskamp
	10:30	Barb, Jim, Norah &
		Judson Wendling
September 16	6:15	?
September 17	8:00	Hazel Sitz
	9:15	Phyllis Hecht
	10:30	Lee Uldbjerg
September 23	6:15	Joanne Keilen
September 24	8:00	Jason Durheim
	9:15	Anita Miller
	10:30	John Lietz
September 30	6:15	Annette Koehler

GREETERS SCHEDULE

Sept. 3	8:00 9:15 10:30	Don & Irene Rasmussen Gloria Janicke Gus & Beth Wurdell & Family
Sept. 10	8:00 9:15 10:30	Allan & Shirley Fuchs Ed & Sheryl Hoffman Peter & Roxi White & Family
Sept. 17	8:00 9:15 10:30	Delton & Arliss Haag David & Mary Lou Carlso Lee & Shirley Uldbjerg
Sept. 24	8:00 9:15 10:30	Eric & Cassie Padrnos & Family Gus & Beth Wurdell & Family Robbie & Sara Peterson



September 8:00 = Team 2

10:30 = Team 5

Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms." 1 Peter 4:10

Confirmation - 2017-2018



Confirmation Orientation Meeting will be Wednesday, September 13, 2017 at 6:15 p.m. The parents and students of 6th, 7th and 8th grade are expected to attend. We will be going over the calendar, expectations and any changes to the program.

Please also note that **6th grade confirmation will meet after school (2:30-4:00).** For those unable to meet at 2:30 - an evening session will meet 6:15 - 7:45 p.m. 7th and 8th grade will continue to meet 6:15 - 7:45 p.m. The first class will be Wednesday, September 20th. Any questions please call Pastor Pasche.

Pastor & Pat Bode want to thank all who participated in the celebration on Sunday, August 13th. The words of congratulation and blessing, the beautiful cards and generosity mean so very much. We have truly been blessed with a wonderful congregation and family. We are very grateful to you and our loving God. May the Lord richly bless each of you as well!







ATTENTION LADIES!!!

Our Annual Women's Retreat titled "LOST BUT FOUND" will be held on Saturday, October 7th from 9am until 12:30pm.

This is sure to be a great morning for all ladies, young and old, getting together to learn how we are *LOST* but *FOUND* through Jesus and his promises to us. Invite your friends, neighbors, and co-workers for a morning of music, speakers, fellowship and lunch.

Cost is \$10.00 per person. Tickets will be on sale in the church office starting Sept 11. Tickets will also be sold between services Sept 17, 24 and Oct 1. Mark your calendar!!

If you have never been to one of our Women's Retreats and would like to register for a free ticket, sign up in the church office. Names will be drawn on Friday Sept 29th.

WE HOPE TO SEE FAMILIAR FACES AND SOME NEW ONES, TOO.

Prince of Peace Living



With the season of summer ending and change among us, this is no more apparent than at Prince of Peace. We hold fond memories of residents who've left us throughout the first half of the year and we welcome those new to their "home" with us.

Change also leaves us looking at the things we do well, the stuff that we could improve upon, and the changes we can make to keep current and viable. We have been surveying several groups, asking those questions, and hoping to come up with fresh new ways to excite our seniors about the beauty and blessings of living at such a solid Christian based facility.

Remember if you know of anyone who is interested in living at Prince of Peace, they should consider making the move now before the snow flies. If you or anyone you know is thinking about it, call me and we will set up your personal tour.

-Merline Duering, Executive Director

Operation Christmas Child

If you would like to plan ahead for operation Christmas Child and purchase items early that are on sale for school, the following items will be included in the boxes:

- 70 sheet spiral notebooks
- o pens
- o pencils and sharpeners
- color crayons
- o glue sticks
- pencil cases
- color pencils and sharpeners

You may bring these items to church and put them in the "Operation Christmas Child" box in the commons at Peace.



Attention Young Mothers:

If your baby has outgrown his/her baby clothes sizes 6 month – 24 month, the Women in Mission could use the following items for their layettes (Baby Care Kits):

- Lightweight Cotton T-Shirts (no Onesies)
- Short-sleeved Gowns or Sleepers
- Receiving Blankets or Blankets up to 52" Square
- Jackets, Sweaters or Sweatshirts with Hood
- Socks
- In place of sleepers or gowns, we also accept tops and pants.

These items may be left at the church office or reception desk. If you have questions please call Phyllis at 320-587-0185.

Peace Lutheran Youth Information



2017 Summer Review - Photos online!!

It has been a great and busy summer in youth ministry at Peace. We have taken so many pictures from our events, we want to share some stories with you as well. Please go to the youth page on the church website to see some of the fun! ALSO:The youth who attended the two youth mission trips (Middle School to Green Bay, High School to Idaho) will be sharing during worship on September 10th.

<u>Cinnamon Roll Sales – Sunday, September 10th!</u>

The youth will be selling yummy cinnamon rolls at church on Sunday morning, September 10th. Eat one at church or take some home to enjoy later. \$1 per roll. This is a fundraiser for Peace Youth Ministry.



There are BIG CHANGES to our youth programs this school year!



Descriptions and Registration for most of our youth ministry programs are listed in the "Student Programs Registration" Flyer that is enclosed in this newsletter.

Please grab a Fall Brochure from the youth board in the ramp way or from the info desk at Peace Place for the complete

Youth Ministry Schedule. Also, all events are on Google Drive Calendar.

<u>Middle School Youth</u>: Details will be explained at the Confirmation Orientation Sept.13th @6:15pm. **High School Youth**: Watch for a mailing that will explain the changes.



Help Serve lunch to over 400 high school youth!

Peace hosts Thursday Free Lunch (through Hutchinson Area Youth-HAY! Ministries) at Crosspoint (across from the high school) on Thursday, September 28th & Adults, consider volunteering your time, if you are available during the day.

NEW TIMES FOR 2017-2018! We are excited for New Century Academy to be joining us this year, because of their new location. This year there will only be 2 lunch times, and they are earlier! This will mean serving lots more kids each shift. Therefore, we will start prepping at 8:30am, and should be done and cleaned up by 1:00 - 1:30pm. Talk to Erika if you are able to help for part of the day, or to help the entire time. Also, please pray for the young people who are able to hear the word of God each week through this outreach ministry. Thanks!

SAVE THE DATES!!!

Peace will serve Thursday lunches on September 28, December 14, February 22, and May 3.



Erika Durheim, Director of Youth Ministry:

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Email: peaceyouthministry@hutchtel.net

2017-18 Office Hours: Tuesday mornings from 9:30-Noon. At Peace Place: Wednesday from 2-9pm, Thursday from 2-6pm. Please don't hesitate to call/text/email me!

Stay Up To Date with Peace Lutheran Youth Info... Need A Form? See Pictures. Get the Youth Calendar.

Just Scan the Code Here To get to our Google Drive... http://goo.gl/merDKs

Is God Calling You To Serve As A Host For This Fall's Small Group Series?

This fall Peace Lutheran will launch its Annual Fall Small Group Video Study the week of

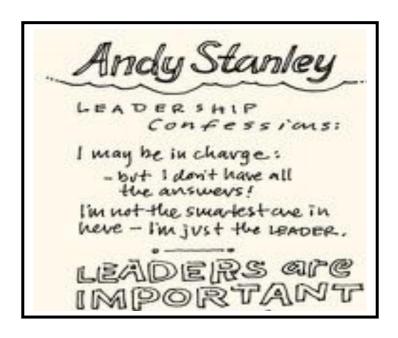
October 15th. The video series is titled "Follow" by Pastor Andy Stanley, a respected Pastor and gifted communicator. (Please see additional information on series under separate Messenger article). Last year we had 20 hosts with the goal of 25 for this fall's series.

Do you have a Heart for People? Do you enjoy a discussion with a group of your friends over a Cup of Coffee and a Snack? Do you have an interest in learning more about the video series "Follow" by Andy Stanley?

You may be saying, "I have never hosted a Small Group Study before. Will there be printed materials, training and ongoing support?" **Yes**, the committee for this fall's small group campaign will provide you with all that you will need to be a host, step by step, including leader's material, resources and orientation/training meetings.

Please prayerfully consider if God is asking you to serve as a host for this fall's Small Group Campaign, "Follow" by Andy Stanley. Be assured I look forward to visiting with you and answering any questions/concerns you may have.

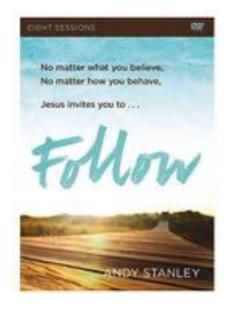
-Paul Berg 320-587-3031 paul09@hutchtel.net



-Therefore, let's keep on pursuing those things that bring peace and that lead to building up one another.

Romans 14:19

-Their responsibility is to equip God's people to do his work and build up the church, the body of Christ. Ephesians 4:12



Date Set For Launch of Fall Small Group Campaign "Follow" by Pastor Andy Stanley

The launch of the Fall Small Group Bible Study Campaign will be the week of October 15, 2017.

This fall's theme is "Follow" based on the teachings of Jesus on being a disciple as recorded in the Gospels.

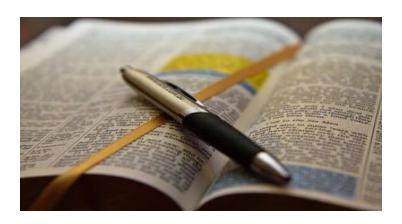
Pastor Andy Stanley, a gifted communicator and creative teacher will present the Gospel accounts on "Follow" through video. Each small group over a cup of coffee and a snack will have the opportunity to discuss the teaching of Jesus.

Religion Says, "Change and you can join us". Jesus says, "Join Us and you will Change".

Lots of people think Christianity is all about doing what Jesus says. But what if doing what Jesus says isn't what Jesus says to do at all? Jesus' invitation is an invitation to a relationship, and it begins with a simple request: follow me. He just wants all people to follow him. Being a sinner doesn't disqualify anyone. Being an unbeliever doesn't disqualify anyone. In fact, following almost always begins with a sinner and unbeliever taking one small step.

- Watch the Sunday Bulletin and Web Site for additional information on signing up for a small group. (Please also read the separate article on Hosting a Small Group also in this Messenger)
- Prayerfully consider joining us in this eight-session video-based Bible study, as Andy Stanley takes us on a journey through the Gospels and traces Jesus' teaching on what it means to follow.

If you have questions on signing up for a small group or have interest in serving as a small group host, please contact Paul Berg 320-587-3031 <u>paul09@hutchtel.net</u>





Hosanna Handbells will begin on Wednesday night, September 13th at 6:30pm. We are looking for one or two new ringers. This does require the ability to read music. Contact Dr. Joan or stop by a rehearsal and give it a try!

A Mighty Choir – Reformation 500th Anniversary

Singers of all ages are asked to plan to join us for A Mighty Choir. We will sing for the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation on Sunday, October 29th at 10:30am worship. Rehearsals will take place at multiple times throughout the month of October. See Dr. Joan for music and information.

PRAYZ TEAM will sing Sunday, September 10th and 17th. Practice at 9:00am, Worship at 9:15am. All children and youth are welcome to join us and sing. See Dr. Joan for a yellow T-shirt!

PRAYZ TEAM 2 TOO? Since most of the PRAYZ TEAM members are 5th grade and younger, Dr. Joan would like to know if any 6th-12th graders would be interested in forming a PRAYZ TEAM 2 TOO. Please contact her if you are interested.

CONFIRMATION PRAYZ TEAM. 7th and 8th graders are encouraged to sing for the opening of Confirmation worship time. Practice is at 6:00pm in the Peace Center. We sing each week at 6:15pm.

AV VOLUNTEERS NEEDED. We are in need of many more AV volunteers for all of our weekly worship services. Please stop by the AV booth before or after worship and meet with Kevin Schmuhl. We are happy to give you a "hands on" trial. This is a wonderful opportunity for tech savvy youth to help us "touch lives with the love and saving grace of Jesus!"



September Monthly Munchie

It's Back!!! Our September Monthly Munchie will be something made with apples including but not limited to pies, applesauces, coffee cakes, crunches and crisps.

We will be selling Monthly Munchies on **Sunday, September 24th** between and after all services. Our location is in the Commons Area. If you would like to donate please bring your apple munchies in a disposable container or come back after the 10:30 service to pick it up.

We invite the entire congregation to purchase these seasonal treats! All proceeds will go to Tell the Next Generation Building Loan Payment Fund.



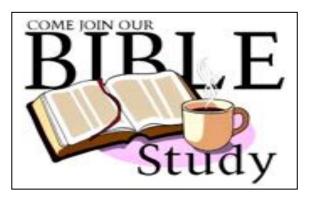
Driver Improvement Program

If you are 55+ here is an opportunity to take the Driver Improvement Program and save 10% on your insurance for 3 years.

An initial 8-hour class for first time students will be held on Monday and Tuesday, September 11 and 12, 5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

The 4-hour re-certification classes will be on Thursday, September 14th at 12:00 - 4:00 p.m. or 5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

All classes will be held in Room 207 in the Education Building. Register by calling 1-888-234-1294 (toll free), Minnesota Safety Research Center, or on line at www.mnsafetycenter.org.



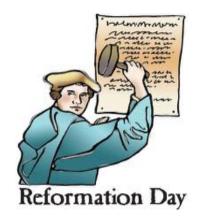
Sunday Morning Bible Fellowship Begins Sunday, September 24th 8:20 am & 9:20 am

Sunday Morning Bible Fellowship will begin this fall on September 24th. There will be two opportunities to participate each Sunday Morning.

The 8:20am class will be held in the office conference room and the 9:20am class will meet in Room 209 on the upper floor of the education building. This schedule allows you to select a worship service of your choice and still participate in one of the Sunday Morning Bible Fellowship opportunities.

The classes will be led by Pastor Pasche, Pastor Bode, and Paul Berg. Along with fellowship and time in God's Word, there will be coffee and bakery items each week. Mark your calendar, plan to attend, and invite a friend and/or neighbor.

Martin Luther & The Reformation Reflection Back 500 Years Begins Sunday Morning Bible Study September 24th



This year 2017, we celebrate the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation.

What a wonderful time to reflect back 500 years to the time of Martin Luther for a greater understanding of the times, the culture, the people, and the reformation movement. Those participating in the Sunday morning Bible Study will both enjoy and grow in their understanding of the man Martin Luther and the historic events that changed history and the fundamental teachings of the church.

The class sessions will be centered around video presentations from Lutheran Hour Ministries and the newly released movie on the life and times of Luther. Come join in!!!!



Every Wednesday Noon beginning September 20th Soup/Sandwich & Word of God

You are invited to enjoy a tasty lunch with fellowship along with time in God's Word every Wednesday beginning September 20th.

This tradition continues with Pastor Bode leading the group through meaningful scripture and life application. The delicious lunch is prepared and served by Marlys Palmer and her faithful volunteers. The cost of the lunch is covered by a free will offering.

Lunch is served beginning at 11:45 am with Time in God's Word beginning at 12:20 pm. The class is structured so you may come and go as your schedule allows. It's a tremendous opportunity not only for yourself, but maybe there is a friend, a neighbor, a co-worker who would be blessed by attending the Wednesday Noon Soup/Sandwich & Word of God. Prayerfully think about who you may know.



Bloodmobile Tuesday, September 12 12 to 6 p.m.

To set up an appointment or if you would like to help, please call Shirley at 587-5064.

Save the Date!! 3rd Annual Crafters and Vendors **Holiday Sale** Saturday, December 2, 9am - 3pm **Commons Area and Peace Center**



BAREFOOT SUNDAY COMING UP

Time to empty your summer shoe closet and bring those extra shoes to church. On Sunday, October 1st we will be collecting shoes for the Orphan Grain Train. We will have collection boxes in the Commons Area. The Pasches will be here for the 9:15 Adult Bible Study to explain what happens with the shoes we collect. Spread the word and remember to bring the shoes for "Barefoot Sunday" on Oct. 1st.



Give by Texting - 320.310.4695 Enter the amount you wish to donate, placing a \$ in front of the amount. Then press send. (First-time donors will be prompted for initial information.)

QR Scanning – Download a QR Scanner App on your smart phone and scan the QR Code. This option offers multiple gifting choices.



Dorcas - Women in Mission August 10, 2017

Bev Luke opened the meeting with pledges to the flags. Shirley Ann Otto read the opening devotion. The first order of the meeting was to unanimously accept Delores Reiner as Vice President. The installation of Bev Luke as President and Delores Reiner as Vice President was then conducted by Pastor Pasche.



Program: Merline Duering gave a presentation and showed a video on the Prince of Peace senior living facility. She provided each member with a packet of information. The secretary's report was approved as written.

Correspondence: A thank you for serving the June Schulz funeral and a donation of \$ 200.00. A thank you for serving the funeral of Delmer Sturges and \$ 150.00. A thank you from Pastor John and Nancy Pasche for serving the open house wedding reception and a \$100.00 donation. The Treasurer's report was approved as printed with a balance of \$4,405.39.

Committee Reports: LWML - RoxAnn attended the MN So District Women's retreat. The theme was "Trust in the Lord, for the Lord God is an everlasting Rock". There were four hours of Bible Study led by district counselors. The entire focus was on Christ as our Rock. There was a presentation from a representative of POBLO Mission telling of their work with immigrants.

McLeod Zone board meeting will be held at First Lutheran Church in Glencoe on August 22nd at 7 P. M. A nominating committee will be needed to find board positions.

Christian Living: RoxAnn read a story of a ship sailing through dangerous waters, not knowing that their protector, a Man of War was following behind, as Christ is our protector.

Cheer: July report - The visiting committee took the month off. A total of 15 cards was sent.

Card Shop: Cards were sold for a total of \$ 30.00.

Funerals: Two funerals were served.

Mission Service: Five went to Bethesda on July 28. Dr Joan took 18 quilts and 11 layettes to

Lutheran World Relief.

Membership: 17 members and 5 guests attended.

Project of the Month: Board recommended a \$ 100.00 donation to Prince of Peace.

Announcements: Bey asked us to bring ideas next month for the next year's program book.

LWML Sunday is Oct. 1st. Members should wear purple.

Crow River Conference Rally scheduled to be at St. James Lutheran Church in

Howard Lake in October.

Program for September will be Cindy Hoaglund on downsizing and organizing. Hostesses will be Marith Witte and Karla Wosmek.

Meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer. Respectfully submitted, Marianne Johnson

Mission and Ministry Minutes - August 15, 2017



Members Present: Pastor Pasche, Pastor Bode, Paul Berg, Lee Uldbjerg, Nick Brellenthin, Dan Cowger, Mike Eggert, Deanna Puchalski, Heidi Sickmann, Cindy Mons. Devotion and prayer by Pastor Pasche.

Touching Lives: Pastor Bode shared how the Holy Spirit has lead him in the ministry and how over the years of leading the youth, Bible study, preaching and leading the Church the fire in his heart for the word has not diminished. The more time spent in the word the more you recognize the leading of the Holy Spirit.

Approval of July Minutes: Mike made a motion to approve the minutes, and Deanna seconded the motion. All voting aye with members not present at the July meeting abstaining.

Approval of Treasurer's Report: General Fund for 2017 -\$57,376.80; Little Lambs Balance for 2017 \$8,956.72; Building (Long Term Maintenance) Balance \$65,369.82; Building (TTNG) Balance \$22,819.99 which gives us 1.81 months in reserve. To date we have paid \$132,301.66 on principle to LCEF. Two large memorials helped to accomplish this. Our Cash Flow for 2017 -\$73,884.42. The report was approved by Lee and seconded by Heidi with all voting aye. Mike stated giving was down 7% which is about the same as last year at this time. The line of credit at Citizen's Bank at this time is \$80,000. This is due to cash flow and \$40,000 will be paid back within a month. Boni Schanil has been hired as of August 14 as the bookkeeper.

Little Lambs: Heidi reported everything is going well and they are gearing up for the summer help to return to school. There is a parent appreciation scheduled for the end of August.

Youth Ministry: Deanna reported on the Youth Ministry. It was a very successful high school mission trip to Idaho. The summer weekly high school youth group has between 20 - 25 youth. The summer weekly middle school madness is in conjunction with HAY (Hutchinson Area Youth worker). This event is shared with area churches to do fellowship and a devotion. The program ran from May 23 - August 1 and was held at St. A's.

Ministry in Motion Series: This is a series of presentations highlighting the ministries in our Church. The first meeting was held with Jan Bakken, Joleen & Chris Dennis and Lynn Brown. They will be putting the presentations together.

Special Events: Cindy reported on various events on the Church calendar.

Ministry of Operations: Paul handed out the 2017 – 2018 Student Registration Form. Lisa Kirchoff did an excellent job of putting this together. The registration form is for student opportunities ages 3 through high school. This form will also be used to update family & student information on the new computer system. Paul also discussed the upcoming Bible Study. The small Bible Study groups will be discussing discipleship starting October 8. The Sunday morning 8:15 & 9:15 Bible Study will on the 500th Anniversary of the Reformation.

Pastors' Update: Pastor Bode will be attending a conference in Wisconsin on Discipleship. Pastor Pasche stated Principal Boll from Our Savior's Lutheran in Hutchinson will be having a workshop on the changes in Minnesota Public Schools on August 22, at 6:30. Pastor Pasche asked if the Council would be interested in a presentation by Dr Johnson from MNS District. The presentation would be an evaluation on how we can better Connect, Grow & Serve. The Council decided this would be a good opportunity and will coordinate a meeting with Dr Johnson's schedule.

Employee Health Care Plan: Mike reported there is a 4% increase on the Concordia Plan Services. After discussion, there was a motion by Nick to approve the health care plan. The motion was seconded by Heidi with all voting aye.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Lee and seconded by Deanna. Pastor Bode closed in prayer. Respectfully submitted by: Cindy Mons, Acting Mission and Ministry Secretary

Clip and use this ticket to support Little Lambs Christian Center while dining at Buffalo Wild Wings on September 25, 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM





Helping Hands for Little Lambs and LLCC

Little Lambs Helping Hands - If you would like to help Little Lambs Christian Center, please take a hand off the bulletin board located in the rampway and purchase the item printed on the hand. Bring it back and put it in the basket located under the board. This really helps the LLCC defray the costs of supplies for this school year.



Sunday School Rally Day and Blessing of the Backpacks will be September 17 at 9:15 in the Peace Center. We encourage all students and adults to bring your backpacks, computer bags, etc. for a special blessing as we begin a new school year. Bibles will also be handed out at this worship service. There will be enough time to register if you haven't already and to find your classroom. (See the back page of this Messenger for more information.)

MAP (Mission Awareness Program)

M.A.P. will begin Wednesday, October 4th **at 8:00 a.m.** in the church basement. Join us every regular scheduled two hour late start for this fun and educational mission program. Breakfast will be served and all children will be walked to Park Elementary for the beginning of the school day. Visitors are always welcome.

Elementary Youth Group

Elementary Youth Group will begin Wednesday, October 4. Meet Sandy and company at "The Rock" on the Southeast corner of Park Elementary School. We will walk to Peace as a group, have a snack, play games and have a Bible Study every Wednesday there is school. This program concludes at 4:45. Visitors are always welcome.

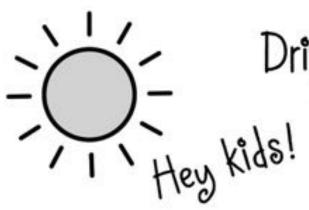
Release Time

"Release Time" begins Wednesday, October 11. This is a wonderful program that will release your child from school for one hour on Wednesday mornings to participate in religious instruction during the school day. We meet the children registered to go to Peace at "The Rock" on the Southeast corner of Park Elementary and walk to and from the church for this program. All children must register through the school. Visitors are always welcome.

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Tues. Sept 5th & Wed. Sept. 6th

7 - 8:30 am

Parking Lot of 4th & Franklin St.

A great way to start the School Year!



