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Our Vision Statement: "Touching Lives with the Love and Saving Grace of Jesus."

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost – August 26, 2018

Welcome to all who are worshipping with us today. **Please sign the Friendship Pad** for all your family members.

Elders: (6:15) George Quast
(8:00) George Quast (9:15)
Ken Quast & Gus Wurdell
(10:30) Jerry Haag

A hard hat offering will be taken at all services this weekend for Tell the Next Generation. Money received will go toward mortgage payments.

Large LWML Mite Boxes are available in the narthex and commons area next weekend. Please deposit your mites in these boxes. Your coins help the LWML bring the Gospel around the world.

Outdoor Worship Dates Have Been Extended!

9:15 a.m. worship will remain outdoors through Sunday, September 2nd and 9th, weather permitting.

Children's Music Director

We are currently seeking to hire an individual with a heart for children, music, and ministry. They will lead Sunday School openings for grades 1-5 and closings for 3-year-old through kindergarten. This will include music for Wednesday afternoon Elementary Youth Group. Applications available at the church office. Please have applications submitted by September 10, 2018. Any questions please call Pastor Pasche (320)587-3031.

Treasurer Position

We are so thankful for Troy Puckett stepping in as our interim treasurer. The Mission and Ministry committee is seeking individuals that would consider serving in this role. If you have questions, please call the Peace Lutheran Church office at (320) 597-3031

Youth Director Position

We are actively searching for a part-time Youth Ministry Director. If you have interest in or know someone who is – I would love to talk to you! This is a part-time, paid position working with grades 6-12 at Peace Lutheran Church. Please contact Pastor Pasche at (320) 597-3031

We welcome into membership today: Lisa Wendinger and daughter Mackenzie, Elise Schwan and Nathan Heldt. We wish them the Lord's richest blessings as they join our congregation.

Baptized at the 10:30 service: Auston James Roepke, son of Aaron and Alicia Roepke. His sponsors are Kyle Roepke & Shawna Roepke.

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. The 4-hour re-certification classes will be on Tuesday, September 11th at 5:30-9:30 p.m. and Friday, September 14th at 12:00-4:00 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.

Please pray for . . .

Members hospitalized, receiving treatment & recovering: Marie Maki, Roger Huls, Bill Ratike, Colleen Fitzloff, Sandy Bach, Viola Falling, Deb Janke, Delores McLain, David Plath, Diane Born, Audrey Knacke, John & Julianne Tupa, Loyd Tjernagel, Ronney Wendlandt, Mary Melin, Joan Bradley, Robert Dobratz, Sue Moritz, Brianna Quast, Lucille Smith, Toni Johnson, Doris Sturges, Gary Mons, Barb Ribar, Kathy Servaty, Kenadi Servaty, Linda Rost, Dale Sturges, Gilbert Schultz, Pastor Herman Hannemann, Orville Beilke, Michelle LeVesseur, Joyce Reinke, RoxAnn Lauer

Worship Attendance Last Week:

Saturday: 6:15p.m. = 74

Sunday: 8a.m. – 59, 9:15a.m. = 184, 10:30a.m. = 118 **Total: 435**

Financial Report as of 7/31/18

Total Received in All Funds	\$877,928.08
Total Disbursements in all Funds	<u>\$940,202.72</u>
Loss in Cash Flow in 2018	-\$62,274.64
Borrowed from Dedicated Funds	\$132,278.18
Borrowed from Citizens Bank	\$135,000.00
TTNG Months in Reserve	1.32

Check out Peace's new website

www.plchutch.org : To access the Messenger and Bulletins go to Resources & Media.

September Messengers are arranged alphabetically in the rampway. Please help us save postage and pick yours up as you leave today. To access Messengers on line go to our web site - www.plchutch.org and click on "Resources & Media."

A series of six adult information classes begins Sunday, September 23, at 9:15 a.m. These classes are for those who are interested in joining Peace from non-Lutheran denominations or those interested in reviewing the teachings of the Lutheran Church. Please call the church office if you would like to attend.

MYSTERY TOUR

With the end of summer comes our Annual Mystery Tour. This year we are heading out on Thursday, October 11th. We will board the motor coach at 7:30am and head out for the day. Total cost for the tour is \$49.50. Sign-up deadline is October 1st so don't delay, it will fill up fast. Call your friends and neighbors and invite them along on Peace's Annual Mystery Tour. For Questions or to sign up contact Marlys at the church office, 587-3031.

Church Basement Ladies

The "Church Basement Ladies" are at it again in their newest production "You Smell Barn". We have tickets for the Sept. 23rd performance. We will leave for the Sunday afternoon play from the church parking lot at 12:15 p.m. Cost is \$57.00 for the ticket, motor coach ride, and dinner. To sign up or for more information contact Marlys at the church office. Sign-up deadline is Saturday, September 1st.

The Bloodmobile will be at Peace, **Tuesday, September 11**, 12 noon to 6 p.m. For an appointment call Shirley at 587-5064.

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY by Dave Ramsey - will help you take control of your money, plan for your future, and transform your life. A 9-week biblical based course on matters of budgeting, saving for emergencies and paying off debt. Learn From Life-Changing Lessons... Watch entertaining videos, get your questions answered with financial coaching assistance, and stay on track with digital tools.

SESSION STARTS: Sunday, Sept 23 6:00-8:00pm

LOCATION: Peace Lutheran Church, Room 208; Education Wing

Material Cost: \$109

COORDINATORS: Kati Katzenmeyer and Karen Solien

QUESTIONS? Contact: kati.katzenmeyer@gmail.com or ksolien@hotmail.com.

Childcare available upon request.

Register online *only* at <http://financialpeace.com/classes/1070193/registration>

Financial reasons should not keep you from participating. Scholarships available, please talk to Pastor Pasche.

PEACE LUTHERAN & LITTLE LAMBS CHRISTIAN CENTER



Come & Meet the Staff at Peace!

Whether you're new to the community, looking for a church home, or interested in childcare, find out what Peace has to offer!

who:	Anyone new to the community, looking for a church home or interested in childcare
what:	Come and meet the staff, tour our church, education rooms and grounds
when:	Thurs. August 30, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
where:	Peace Lutheran Commons Area (South Entrance) 400 Franklin St. SW, Hutchinson
why:	Learn more about the opportunities provided at Peace

plchutch.org

Hosanna Handbells

Join us as we begin a new year of handbell ringing!

We will begin rehearsals on Wednesday night, September 12th at 6:30pm. We meet in the 5th grade Sunday School room in the educational wing. We will perform at the German Dinner on Sunday, October 28th.

Common Cup Diaper Drive: It's Peace Lutheran's turn to sponsor the Diaper Distribution from Common Cup during August. Larger sizes of diapers are needed. Watch for sales and bring donations to the church office during August.

If you would be interested in receiving emails from Peace Lutheran Church, please go to plchutch.org. Scroll down to the bottom of the page and enter your email in the Stay Connected section.

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 LLCC defray the costs of supplies for this school year.

Little Lambs Christian Center has Openings for 2018-2019

We Offer: - Kindergarten Readiness – Christian Based Curriculum – Learning Made Fun!
For more information, contact: Rhonda Hulzebos – Director or Debbie Koglin – Preschool Education Teacher 320-527-2629 littlelambs@hutchtel.net

MCLEOD COUNTY SENIOR EXPO

This year's expo will be held on Tuesday, September 25th at the Hutchinson Event Center. The theme is "All Roads Lead to Hotdish!" and will include topics on Read the Label-Set a Better Table, Communicating with People with Dementia, Changes to Medicare, Hang Up on Fraud, Exercise for Balance & Flexibility, just to name a few. We are also excited to have Looney Lutherans as our Keynote Speaker presenting "Eat Like a Lutheran". Tickets available in Peace Lutheran office.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Week of August 26, 2018

Mon: 6:30 p.m. Small Group Bible Study
Tue: 10:30 POP Bible Study
1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
6:30 p.m. Promise Keepers
Thur: 5:30-7:30 p.m. Meet & Greet
Sat: 6:15 Worship

Sunday, September 2, 2018:

8:00 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Outdoor
Worship/Communion
10:30 a.m. Worship



Week of September 2, 2018

Mon: Labor Day - Office Closed
Tue: 7-8:30 a.m. Drive By Blessings
9:00 a.m. Prayer Chain
10:00 a.m. Harmony River
10:30 a.m. POP Bible Study
1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
6:30 p.m. Promise Keepers
6:30 p.m. Elders
Wed: 7-8:30 a.m. Drive By Blessings
Sat: 6:15 p.m. Worship

Sunday, September 9, 2018:

8:00 a.m. Worship
9:15 a.m. Outdoor
Worship/Communion
10:30 a.m. Worship