PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH JOHN PASCHE – PASTOR GERHARD H. BODE – VACANCY PASTOR LAYTON LEMKE – VISITATION PASTOR



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

Second Sunday after Epiphany – January 17, 2021

Week of January 17th:

Dear Lord Jesus,

We pray that we might be bold in telling our own story of how we know Jesus and His saving grace. Amen

Elders: Sunday (8:30) John Lietz, George Quast, & Jeff Weckwerth (10:30) Matthew Markgraf **Wednesday** (5:15) Matt Evers **Acolytes: Sunday** (8:30) Olivia Schmidt (10:30) Jayden Brecht **Wednesday** (5:15) Nolan Evers

Worship Attendance Last Week

Sunday, January 10, 2021: (8:30) Sanctuary = 74, Box Cast = 120, Facebook = 257 (10:30) Sanctuary = 80, Box Cast = 51, Facebook 196 **Total = 778 Wednesday, January 13, 2021:** (5:15) Sanctuary = 12, Box Cast = 10, Facebook = 190 **Total = 212**

Peace Lutheran Covid Plan UPDATE - effective 1/11/21, for Faith-Based Communities; All meals - including Wedding and Funeral Receptions that are held inside, will be limited to 2 households OR 10 total people.

All Early Childhood, Elementary Youth, and Youth Programs start "in-person" this week.

Pastor Lemke will begin doing personal visitations in February, if circumstances permit. Meanwhile, Devotional Letters will continue to be mailed out, they are also available on the Peace website under the Resources/Media tab. If you or anyone you know would like to be added to the mailing list, please contact the church office.

Sweetheart of a Deal – order a pie today to share with your Valentine. There are ten delicious varieties to choose from and each pie serves eight. The cost per pie is \$20. Please order by Thursday, February 10th! Pies can be picked up on Sunday, February 14th between 9am -11:30 am.

You have replenished our supply! LLCC would like to thank everyone for their generous donations.

*Look for our Order of Worship online at PLChutch.org under the Resources/Media tab. *Church Directories are available in the commons area. Please pick yours up today!

Envelope Boxes are available to pick up in the ramp way. Please do not pick up another members' box, unless they have specifically asked you to. We have had a few boxes go missing this year, and this is upsetting to some individuals when they come in to get theirs, and it is not there.

Please be patient with us as we are trying to keep on top of current mandates and keeping up with our church calendar of events, as programing is constantly changing during this time. If you would like the most updated and current calendar of events, please feel free to get one from the commons area desk or call the church office and one can be mailed to you. Thank you for your patience.

Come be a part of our "Little Family". We would like to invite you to help beautify our Altar to the Glory of the Lord by joining the Altar Guild. It would be about one weekend a month and you would never work alone. For more information, call the Church office or Betty Ruskamp at (320)587-6087 or cell (320)583-5190. We could really use your help, so please considering joining.

Join us each Sunday Morning in Time in God's Word Bible Study.

9:30-10:15 am – Room 207-209 Upper Floor of Education Building. Our current study is a "Drive Through the Gospels". In this class you will experience the story of Jesus from the locations recorded in the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. This is a continuation of the Bible Study Paul Berg started. The 9:30 time slot also allows you to participate in either of the Sunday Morning Worship services. Rooms 207-209 allow up to 24 people per session. Please join us!

The Life Book – A Gift For You and A Friend!

Give the gift of gospel. Please take a book or two for yourself, a teen, a family member, a friend! They are located at entrances throughout the church. Wholly funded by the Gideons International. God continues to use The Power of the Gospel to make an eternal impact.

This week's Bloodmobile collected 143 units! Thank you, Peace for allowing us to host the Red Cross Drives here. It is appreciated by so many..... Parish Health

Thank you for wearing your masks. **Remember: if your mask doesn't cover your nose you are not protecting yourself or anyone else.** If your glasses steam up because you don't have a good fit, just place your mask <u>behind</u> your glasses, or you can use anti-fog spray or wipe, *a cucumber* or warm soapy water and a soft cloth. Check with your optician if you have questions about your lenses. Thank you for caring. Stay safe.....Parish Health

Please Pray for Peace Members:

Diane Born, Ronney Wendlandt, Joan Bradley, Sue Moritz, Barb Ribar, Linda Rost, Dale Sturges, Elaine Lewerenz, Judy Prieve, Rita Janke, Pastor Hannemann, Jim Berg, Naomi Meier, Scott Hilgemann, Sylvia Radtke, Warren Macemon, Cyndy Schmidt, Melissa Wanous, Mavis Muckala, Hildegard Wagner, Michelle Robinson, Melva Plath, Dawn Rauch, Ann Olson, Michelle Manteufel' White, Roxann Lauer, Bev Alseben, Randy Wagner, Skip Sustacek, Jeff Miller, Lucas Huls, Lee Gruenhagen, Stella Wichman, Erlin Thran, Elise Swan

Notice of Voter's Assembly

Our annual Voter's Assembly will be held Sunday, January 31 after the 10:30 service. The meeting will be held in the Sanctuary, with overflow in Peace Center. Current guidelines for the wearing of masks and social distancing will be required.

Week of January 17, 2021

Sunday 1/17/2021:

8:30 Worship/Communion 9:30 Adult Bible Class 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship

Monday 1/18/2021:

Pastor Lemke's Visitations 9:00 Body & Soul 12-2:00 Feed My Starving Children 3:30 & 6:30 Small Group Bible Study

Tuesday 1/19/2021:

9:00 Evergreen Worship 10:00 POP Bible Study



10:30 Pines Worship 11:00 Staff/Life Stage 5:00 TWM Bible Study 6:30 Promise Keepers 7:00 Mission & Ministry

Wednesday 1/20/2021:

8:30 Parish Health 9-11:00 Release Time 11:15 Three18 11:45 Lunch/Bible Study 2:30 6th Grade Confirmation 3:30 Elementary Youth 5:15 Worship 6:15 7th & 8th Gr. Confirmation



Thursday 1/21/2021: 10:00 Park Towers

Friday 1/22/2021: 9:00 Bethesda Thrift Shop

Saturday 1/23/2021:

Sunday 1/24/2021: 8:30 Worship 9:30 Adult Bible Study 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Worship/Communion

