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



Fourth Sunday after Epiphany – January 31, 2021



Week of January 31st:

Dear Lord Jesus,
we pray that people have compassion for others, the same as your never ending love for us. Amen



Elders: Sunday (8:30) Jeff Weckwerth (10:30) Jon Bock
Wednesday (5:15) John Lietz
Acolytes: Sunday (8:30) Olivia Schmidt (10:30) Chloe Borka & Nolan Evers
Wednesday (5:15) Gabby Gabrelcik & Tori Willett

Worship Attendance Last Week

Sunday, January 24, 2021: (8:30) Sanctuary = 60, Box Cast = 97, Facebook = 230 (10:30) Sanctuary = 76, Box Cast = 46, Facebook 174 **Total = 719**

Wednesday, January 27, 2021: (5:15) Sanctuary = 26, Box Cast = 9, Facebook = 176 **Total = 203**

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 are "in-person" this week.

The Dorcas meeting for Thurs. February 11 has been canceled.

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.

***Look for our Order of Worship online at PLChutch.org under the Resources/Media tab.**

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.

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.

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.

LSS Meals program. We have an urgent need for Meals on Wheels volunteer drivers in the City of Hutchinson, Monday through Friday.

Details: We have two different deliver routes one usually starts at 10:40AM and lasts from 30 minutes to an hour. The other volunteer meal transporter route rides on the Trail Blazer bus 9:00am- 10:40 to bring meals to our satellite sites such as Glencoe, Brownston, and Stewert. This could be a great experience for someone that can't drive or that doesn't want to. We offer contact-less delivery (meaning you knock and leave the meal and then walk away to see if they pick up the meal). We have gloves and masks available for volunteers.

People interested in volunteering can contact our Site Coordinator in Hutchinson, April at 320-587-6029. Please feel free to contact April or I with any questions.

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!

ReDo Church Interview!

Rev. Chad Kirchoff is the pastor of the Redo Church, a gym where people come to work out their bodies, but also receive a message of love and forgiveness. In his interview, Dan Gilbert discusses with Chad what the effect his ministry has had on the church and the community. People who would not ordinarily walk into a church building are willing to walk into the basement of Chad's church where they find a new and updated workout center, and Chad as their guide to physical and spiritual growth. Rev. Chad Kirchoff's interview with Mr. Dan Gilbert can be found at: <https://missionnationpublishing.com/> - look under "Missionary Videos" or "Blog" and Pastor Kirchoff will be the first item you will see. Keep ReDo Church in your prayers!

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!

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 behind your glasses.

Guidelines still call for staying 6 feet apart whenever possible and most important is to wash your hands with soap and water frequently. Hand sanitizers are stationed around the church for immediate cleaning. This is an ongoing battle but we can do this together. 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, Terri Jannusch, Lynette Hart, Shirley Miller, Harriet Emans

Week of January 31, 2021

Sunday 1/31/2021:

8:30 Worship
9:30 Adult Bible Class
9:30 Sunday School
10:30 Worship
Annual Meeting

11:00 Staff/Life Stage
2:30 6th Grade Confirmation
5:00 TWM Bible Study
6:15 7th & 8th Grade Confirmation
6:30 Promise Keepers
6:30 Elders

6:15 7th & 8th Gr. Confirmation
6:30 Three18

Thursday 2/4/2021:

Friday 2/5/2021:

Saturday 2/6/2021:

Monday 2/1/2021:

9:00 Body & Soul
10:00 Prayer Chain
3:30 & 6:30 Small Group Bible Study

Wednesday 2/3/2021:

8-10:00 MAP 2hr Late Start
11:45 Lunch/Bible Study
1:00 Mission Sewing
2:30 6th Grade Confirmation
3:30 Elementary Youth
5:15 Worship/Communion

Sunday 2/7/2021:

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

Tuesday 2/2/2021:

10:00 POP Bible Study