

Peace Lutheran Church



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

LAST SUNDAY OF THE CHURCH YEAR | NOVEMBER 21, 2021

PASTOR: James Fuchs

ELDERS:

Saturday 6:30 Peter White

Sunday 8:00 George Quast and Jeff Weckworth

Sunday 9:15 John Lietz

Sunday 10:30 Matthew Markgraff and Wayne Vinkemeier

GREETERS:

Sunday 8:00 June Beach and Marlys Palmer

Sunday 9:15 Hazel Sitz

Sunday 10:30 Lee and Shirley Uldjberg

Both Pastor Asher and Pastor Fuchs look forward to meeting you. Please stop by or call and make an appointment to introduce yourselves. Office Hours:

Pastor Asher: Tues & Thurs 8:30am-12:30pm
Wed 11:45am-5:00pm

Pastor Fuchs: Tues 10:00am-Noon, 1:00-4:00pm

The Mission and Ministry Council has scheduled a **congregational meeting** following today's 10:30 service. It will be held in the Peace Center. The three topics approved for the agenda are:

1. Vote on approval of revisions to our Constitution and Bylaws
2. Pastoral care transition plan - consideration of motion to form a call committee for Intentional Interim Minister
3. Staff update
*Status of Director of Youth Ministry and Director
*Status of Christian Education Director & Outreach Coordinator, Operations Coordinator

Please plan on attending and participating in making decisions vital to the success of our ministry.

Bob Sylvester, Council President

Additional copies of the **Constitution and Bylaws** are available in the narthex.

One of the traditions at Peace for Thanksgiving Season is collecting food for **Common Cup**. Please bring your food donations and place near the Cornucopia in the Commons Area thru Nov. 25th.

If you would like to buy a **poinsettia** as a memorial or perhaps honor a special person in your life or donate for a special project—please fill out a form and return to the church office along with your donation by Dec. 10th. Forms are available in the Commons or church office.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS MTG Mon Nov 22nd @7pm

Thank you to everyone that volunteered and/or donated to **Operation Christmas Child!** Over 200 boxes will be sent to Samaritans Purse.

The Red Cross **Bloodmobile** collected 135 units on its stop here at Peace on Nov. 9th. Thanks for your continued support. Parish Health

Dorcas Club—Thanksgiving and Christmas Cards are available for sale at the display in the ramp way.

Many thanks to all of those who worked on the **quilts**. 71 quilts were delivered to **Lutheran World Relief** on Nov 19th.

Little Lambs is asking for the donation of silent auction items for their 10th Anniversary Celebration on January 9th.

Lutheran Social Service has an urgent need for **Meals on Wheels** volunteer drivers in Hutchinson. For info, call Dalton Kalina at (651) 272-8693

Welcome the coming of our Lord! **Advent daily devotion** materials are now available in the Commons Area. 'Wait Upon the Lord' for adults and 'Countdown to Christmas' (including an advent wreath craft) for children. Pick yours up today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please sign the Friendship Pad in the pew and pass it along to others. As it is passed back to the center aisle, please take the opportunity to note the names of others seated in your pew.

We will also resume the hard hat offerings on the last weekend of each month for 'Tell the Next Generation'. The hard hat will be placed by the offering box.

The November LWML Mite calendar and the Children's Coins for Jesus calendars are available at the LWML bulletin board in the ramp area. Your mites and coins help fund mission work of the LWML. Drop off your donations in the church office Mission Grants Goal update as of Sept 30 2021 \$644,168.26. Thank you for your continued donations.

Sandy Kephart has resigned from her position at Peace Lutheran Church as she wants to live closer to her family. Her last day was Nov 18th. We thank Sandy for her years of service and dedication to PLC and to all the lives she has touched. We wish God's blessings on her as she embarks on her next endeavor.

Children's Christmas Program—Sun, Dec 19th, 3pm

If your child did not bring a registration form home, pick one up in the Commons Area or office. Registration by Dec 1st is requested and participants are requested to attend at least one rehearsal.

Coffee & treats will be available in the Commons Area between the Sunday services. Join us in fellowship or grab a cup to take to Bible Study. Thanks, Parish Health

HELP WANTED — PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH IS SEEKING A FACILITIES MANAGER

This is a part-time (15-20 hours) position. Prior custodial and maintenance experience is desirable.

Job description and application can be picked up in the office or accessed on the church website.

Please contact Sue in the church office, 587-3031 for additional info. Deadline Dec 1st or until filled.

Attendance Last Week:

Saturday 6:30pm:	40
Sunday 8:00am:	62
Sunday 9:15am:	76
Sunday 10:30am:	84
Boxcast:	72
Facebook :	582
TOTAL	916

Need a pick-me-up— Parish Health sponsors a **Taxi Program** for transportation to and from Worship services. Call 587-7878 for the cab, or if you have questions, contact Shirley at 587-5064

We are looking for a good, used **wheelchair** for emergency use at church. Wide or large would be best, but any good chair would be appreciated. We recently gave our large chair to the DAV to rehab or use for parts. (It was originally donated after a member passed 20 years ago.) If you have one in storage, consider donating for use at Peace. Contact Shirley at 587-5064

HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

Crow River Singers present "Christmas Time is Here" - Friday, Dec 3 @ 7:00pm and Sunday, Dec 5th @ 2:00pm—Peace Sanctuary

Prince of Peace "Tour of Home Christmas Trees" - Saturday, Dec 4, 9:00-11:00am, Music by Adam Krumrie

Annual Christmas Cookie Sale at Peace—Saturday, Dec 11, 9:00am We will be baking cookies Dec 8th-10th and would welcome extra help baking, packaging, weighing & pricing.—if you are available to help, please contact Marlys at 587-3031. This year we will be allowed to include donated homemade cookies, so if you would like to make 3-4 dozen of your favorite kind—please bring them to the Peace Center by noon on Friday, Dec 10th.

Please pray for Peace members

Naomi Meier	Larry Stender
Bev Alsleben	Elaine Leweren
Ronney Wendlandt	Elise Schwan
Scott Hilgemann	Ron Janke
Lucy Hagen	Rita Janke
Donald Fenske	Mary Melin
Sue Moritz	Pastor Hannemann
Sylvia Radtke	Melva Plath
John Bradley	Michelle Manteufel/White
Barb Ribar	Jim Berg
Warren Macemon	Brad Wick
Rod Huls	Lynette Hart
Jason Miller	Rod Olson
Linda Rost	Miles Kohls
Cyndy Schmidt	Josh Beadell
Lee Gruenhagen	Shirley Otto
Roxann Lauer	Jean Coulthard
Dale Sturges	Leora Pittman
Melissa Vanous	Michael Plath
Erlin Thran	Kim Heikes

If you know of someone who is ill or hospitalized, or would like a pastoral visit, contact the church office at (320) 587-3031

Worship Bags for Children are in the red wagons in the chapel, Peace Center and narthex. Children may use the bag during worship and then return it to the wagon.

Portals of Prayer are available in the Narthex and in the Commons Area.

Looking Ahead at Peace

SUNDAY (11/21)

8:00am Worship/Communion
9:15am Contemp Worship
9:15am Sunday School
9:15am Adult Bible Class
10:30am Worship/Communion
11:30am **CONGREGATIONAL MTG**
6:30pm Middle School Youth

MONDAY (11/22)

3:30pm Small Group Bible Study
6:30pm Small Group Bible Study

TUESDAY (11/23)

10:00am POP Bible Study
10:00am Staff Mtg
6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (11/24)

6:30pm Thanksgiving Worship

THURSDAY (11/25)

THANKSGIVING
9:00am Thanksgiving Worship
OFFICE CLOSED

FRIDAY (11/26)

9:00am Bethesda
OFFICE CLOSED

SATURDAY (11/27)

6:30pm Worship/Communion

SUNDAY (11/28)

8:00am Worship
9:15am Contemp Worship/Comm
9:15am Adult Bible Class
9:15am Sunday School
10:30am Worship
5-6pm Matt 14:16 Dinner
6:30pm Middle School Youth

MONDAY (11/29)

9:00am Body & Soul
10:00am Prayer Chain
1-5pm Driver Improvement
3:30pm Small Group Bible Study
6:30pm Small Group Bible Study

TUESDAY (11/30)

9:00am Worship Committee
10:00am POP Bible Study
10:00am Staff Mtg
3:30pm Elem Youth Gr 1-3
6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (12/01)

9:00am Release Time
11:30 Worship & Lunch
1:00 Mission Sewing
3:30pm Pre-Teen Gr 4-5
5:00pm TWM Bible Study
5:45pm Handbells
6:30pm Advent Worship

THURSDAY (12/02)

1-5pm Driver Improvement

FRIDAY (12/03)

SATURDAY (12/04)

6:30pm Worship