# Peace Lutheran Church



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

#### SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY | FEBRUARY 20, 2022

PASTOR:

James Fuchs

**ELDERS:** 

Saturday 6:30

Dale Schumann

Sunday 8:00

George Quast, Peter White

**Sunday 9:15** 

Wayne Vinkemeier

Sunday 10:30

Matthew Markgraf, Wayne Vinkemeier

**GREETERS:** 

Sunday 8:00

Marianne Johnson

Sunday 9:15

**Bob and Sandy Dietz** 

Sunday 10:30

Darlyn Egge

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

#### **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 have resumed 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 February 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 Thank you for your continued donations. Mite progress report: as of December 31, 2021—\$979,002.99.

Red Cross Bloodmobile collected 139 units at Peace on Feb 8th. Thanks for the support! Parish Health

The altar **flowers** are from Saturday's funeral for Eileen Mielke, who passed away February 10th.

Food for the body (often with hot soup) and food for the soul! Wednesday Noon Lunch & Time in God's Word...Pastor Asher teaching the Bible topic he wrote in Germany entitled "Encounters with Jesus". You don't have to attend every session, just come when you can for a fun time of learning, lunch and fellowship.

The Sunday School Teacher's Meeting has been rescheduled from Feb 21st to Mon, Feb 28th, at 7:00pm in the Church basement.

The Annual Pie Sale was again a success with the proceeds going towards replacing the hand bell cases. Thanks to everyone that ordered a pie (& of course, a huge thank you to our pie bakers)

We regret to announce the resignation of **Heather Pagel** as our Director at Little Lambs. We would like to thank her for her years of service at LLCC and wish her God's blessings on her future endeavors.

Our **Promise Keepers Bible Study** is beginning a new study based on the book called "The Case For Faith" by Lee Strobel. Lee is a former atheist who came to faith by examining the Scriptures. The class meets on Tuesday evenings from 6:30-7:30pm for prayer and study. All are welcome to join us. For further information, call Paul Otte (320) 583-8873

ASH WEDNESDAY—As we walk through these 40 days of Lent, we encourage you to set aside time to worship with us each Wednesday at 11:30am or 6:30pm (with a light lunch being served after the mid-day service). A Travesty of Justice: In The Shadow Of The Cross, a series of six meditations in which an unusual assortment of "eyewitnesses" - the thorn, robe, nail, spear, shroud, and stone—tell about their extraordinary encounters with Jesus. Please join us!.

Coffee and treats are available in the Commons Area between the Sunday services. Join us in fellowship or grab a cup to take with you to Bible Study. Parish Health

YOUR 2022 OFFERING ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE IN THE RAMPWAY.

# PEACE LUTHERAN ANNUAL FISH FRY

FRIDAY, MARCH 11TH

\$13.00

11:00AM-6:00PM

\* DEEP FRIED BATTERED ALASKAN POLLOCK \*

\* AU GRATIN POTATOES \* BAKED BEANS \* COLESLAW \* ROLL \* BROWNIE \*

**DRIVE THRU ONLY** 

PROCEEDS TO THE ROOF PROJECT

ALL AREAS OF VOLUNTEERING NEEDED—CONTACT MARLYS PALMER

Attendance Last Week

Saturday 6:30pm 30

Sunday 8:00am 59

129 Sunday 9:15am:

70 Sunday 10:30am:

**Boxcast:** 97

Facebook: 405

790 **TOTAL** 

After being elected at the January 30th Annual Voters Meeting, the following officers have been installed:

ELDERS—Matthew Markgraf (incumbent) and Jeff Weckwerth (incumbent)

COUNCIL—President Steve Wick, Vice President Lynn Brown (incumbent), Kathy Hochsprung (incumbent), Shirley Uldbjerg (incumbent) and Brad Wick.

To all of the incumbents we thank them for their continued commitment to Peace and to our new leaders we thank you for taking on the challenge. We wish all of them God's richest blessings as they guide our church. This past year our congregation faced many challenging situations and we would like to acknowledge and thank our two outgoing Council members: Heidi Sickmann, who will continue to teach Sunday School and work with Youth groups; and Bob Sylvester, who did a phenomenal job this past year as President, leading us through some uncharted territory. While being very involved in the transition, he still serves on the interim call committee and continues serving on the HR committee.

## Please pray for Peace members

Larry Stender Naomi Meier Elaine Lewerenz Bev Alsleben Ronney Wendlandt Elise Schwan Ron Janke Scott Hilgemann Rita Janke Lucy Hagen Mary Melin Donald Fenske Pastor Hannemann Sue Moritz Michelle Manteufel'White Sylvia Radtke John Bradley Jim Bera **Brad Wick** Barb Ribar Warren Macemon Rod Olson Miles Kohls Jason Miller Josh Beadell Linda Rost Shirley Otto Cyndy Schmidt Lee Gruenhagen Jean Coulthard Kim Heikes Roxann Lauer Irene Yerks **Dale Sturges** Carol Kubasch Melissa Wanous Erlin Thran

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.

## **Looking Ahead at Peace**

#### **SUNDAY (2/20)**

8:00am Worship/Communion 9:15am Contemp Worship 9:15am Adult Bible Class 9:15am Sunday School 10:30am Worship/Communion

#### **MONDAY (2/21)**

9:00am Body & Soul 3:30pm Small Group Bible Study 6:00pm Women's Retreat Mtg

TUESDAY (2/22) 10:00am POP Bible Study 10:00am Staff Meeting 3:30pm Elem Youth Gr 1-3 6:30pm Promise Keepers

#### WEDNESDAY (2/23)

9:00am Release Time 11:45am Lunch/Bible Study 2:30pm 6th Gr Confirmation 3:30pm Pre-Teen Youth 5:00pm TWM Bible Study 6:30pm 7 & 8 Gr Confirmation

#### THURSDAY (2/24)

Peace Serves HAY Lunch

#### FRIDAY (2/25)

Bethesda Thrift Shop

#### SATURDAY (2/26)

6:30pm Worship /Communion

#### **SUNDAY (2/27)**

8:00am Worship 9:15am Contemp Worship/Comm

9:15am Adult Bible Class 9:15am Sunday School

10:30am Worship

6:30pm MS Youth Group

#### **MONDAY (2/28)**

9:00am Body & Soul

3:30pm Small Group Bible Study 7:00pm SS Teachers Mtg

#### TUESDAY (3/1)

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

#### WEDNESDAY (3/2) ASH WEDNESDAY

11:30am Worship & Lunch 1:00pm Mission Sewing 5:45pm Handbells 6:30pm Worship

THURSDAY (3/3))

#### FRIDAY (3/4)

SATURDAY (3/5)

6:30pm Worship