# 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 OF EASTER | MAY 29, 2022

**PASTOR:** 

Joseph Asher

**ELDERS:** 

Saturday 6:30 Justin Evenson Sunday 8:30 George Quast Sunday 10:00 Doug Brown

Greeters

Sunday 8:30

Marianne Johnson

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 & Wed 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 passe4d back to the center aisle, please take the opportunity to note the name of others seated in your pew. Attendance pads are also provided for your use at the outdoor services and can be found on the table near the bulletins.

#### SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

This Sunday, May 29th, we begin the summer worship schedule:

6:30pm - Saturday - Sanctuary

8:00am - Sunday - Sanctuary

10:00am—Sunday - Outdoors \*

\*(In case of rain, in the Sanctuary) This schedule will continue through Labor Day Weekend.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS—THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE OPEN MONDAY-THURSDAY 9AM-4PM AND 9AM-NOON ON FRIDAYS (MAY 30—SEPTEMBER 2). THE OFFICE WILL ALSO BE CLOSED THIS MONDAY FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND—WE ARE HAVING ANOTHER OPEN HOUSE OF THE CHURCH PARSONAGE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 12TH, FOLLOWING THE OUTDOOR SERVICE.

We thank Kathy Hochsprung and Roger Kaufmann for again setting up the individual flags to honor our veterans at Peace Cemetery for Memorial Day Weekend. We would also like to thank Lonnie Kohls, our Cemetery Superintendent, and Al Koglin, our groundskeeper for getting and keeping everything so beautiful at our Church cemetery.

Marvin Seller has again done an amazing job of beautifying our church campus with all of the new plantings and his crew of Corinne Higgins and Kathy Maiers are already busy tending to all of the flowers (and keeping the weeds at bay). Thanks to all!

We invite everyone to attend the Memorial Day Service at the McLeod County Veterans Memorial Park on Monday, May 30th, at 10:00am. The parade to the park leaves the parking lots of Muddy Cow/MidCountry Bank at 9:30am. In case of inclement weather, the program will be held at Faith Lutheran Church.

The May **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. Thanks you for your continued donations. Mite progress report as of February 28, 2022, is \$1,219,238.31

PLEASE CHECK OUT THE VBS FLYER ATTACHED. LOTS OF OPPORTUNITIES TO VOLUNTEER AND/OR DONATE!

"I was tasked with the important responsibilities of looking into the future of Little Lambs as a successful and sustainable business, along with laying out a viable business plan for the Church Council." "We have been blessed with volunteers who stepped up after the mass exodus of the previous staff, with the hopes of bridging the gap until qualified teachers could be hired to add to the dedicated staff that remained. Unfortunately, qualified candidates have not applied and we have exhausted the amount of time our volunteers are willing to sacrifice. I regret to inform you that the Church Council voted to close the center, effective May 27, 2022." "It is the Council's desire to sincerely and prayerfully seek God's will as we look for options to reopen the center at some future date."

Merline Duering, Interim Executive Director, Little Lambs Christian Center

Side note—it was also agreed upon that nothing would be liquidated/sold for the period of one year after the closing

Attendance Last Week	
Saturday 6:30pm	43
Sunday 8:00am	60
Sunday 9:15am	76
Sunday 10:30am	175
Confirmation	326
Boxcast	96
Facebook	531
TOTAL	1307

### Please pray for Peace members

Scott Hilgeman Shirley Miller Warren Macemon Sandra Hall Erlin Thran Bill Coulthard Larry Stender Dick Higgins Ron Janke Janelle Woller Rita Janke Barb Ribar Julie Elder Elaine Lewerenz Angie Alsleben Shirley Otto

We continue to pray for Sam Schumann, grandson of Dale & Judy. A Caring Bridge site has been set up (caringbridge.org) for Sam to share updates and support of his progress Enter an e-mail address and set up a password to see journal entries and/or write a comment.

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 bags during worship and return ii to the wagon.

## **Looking Ahead at Peace**

### SUNDAY (5/29)

8:30am Worship 10:00am Worship (outdoor)

MONDAY (5/30) Office Closed

#### **TUESDAY (5/31)**

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

WEDNESDAY (6/1)

THURSDAY (6/2)

FRIDAY (6/3)

SATURDAY (6/4) 6:30pm Worship

**SUNDAY (6/5)** 

8:30am Worship 10:00am Worship (outdoor)

**MONDAY (6/6)** 

6:30pm Bible Study

TUESDAY (6/7)

10:00am POP Bible Study 10:00am Staff Meeting 2:00-5:00pm VBS decorating 6:30pm Elders

6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (6/8)

6:30pm VBS Volunteer Mtg 7:30-9:00pm VBS decorating

THURSDAY (6/9)

9:00-11:00am VBS decorating

FRIDAY (6/10)

SATURDAY (6/11)

6:30pm Worship