

Peace Lutheran Church



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

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST | OCTOBER 9, 2022

PASTOR: Glenn Meyer

ELDERS:

Saturday 6:30 Wayne Vinkemeier

Sunday 8:30 Matthew Markgraf

Sunday 10:30 John Lietz, Peter White

Greeters 8:30 Annette Koehler

Greeters 10:30 Dale and Judy Schumann

Acolytes 6:30 Max Mueller, Nolan Evers

Acolytes 8:30 Judah Perrault, Micah Perrault

Please sign the Friendship Pad in the pew and pass it along to others, or you may sign the attendance pads provided in the Narthex or at the entrance of Peace Center.

Please note our **new communion schedule**:

First & Third Sundays of the month—6:30pm and 8:30 am

Second & Fourth Sundays of the month—10:30am

Fifth Sunday of the month and Easter—All services

Note: We will **not** serve communion on the last Saturday night of the month unless it is the weekend of 5th Sunday.

Congratulations to Paul Otte who was presented the 'SERVICE TO THE CHURCH' award at the Alumni Awards Banquet at Concordia University in St. Paul on September 30th. Paul has used his gifts teaching, leading music ministries and beyond for more than 52 years. His servant heart has been a true blessing to Peace Lutheran and our community. On behalf of everyone at Peace, thank you Paul!

October Readers—please note the schedule printed in the messenger is incorrect. Please refer to the schedule on the website.

The flowers in the sanctuary are from the funeral of Shirley Burmeister.

JOIN US! It's not too late to register for Sunday School and High School Bible Class! Classes begin at 9:30am and there's something for everyone age 3 through Grade 12. All meet in the education wing. **Parents**—please fill out a registration form found on the Welcome Center desk and turn it in to your child's teacher.

Adults—don't feel left out! You can grow in God's Word too with Pastor Asher in the at 9:30 or Pastor Meyer at 9:40 in the Peace Center.

This week's Sunday School lesson focuses on Abram as he responds to God's calling and leaves his idolatry and homeland to follow the one true God. Abram takes his wife, Sarai, and nephew, Lot, as they journey to the land of Canaan. The Lord's appearance prompts Abram to build an altar, celebrating God's promise to give this land to his descendants. In the same way we worship the Lord and thank Him for keeping His promises to us and for giving us faith in Jesus to trust and follow Him. Read the whole account in Genesis 12:1-9.

This week's memory verse is "I trust in You, O Lord; I say, 'You are my God'."

The October **LWML** Mite calendar and the Children's Coins for Jesus calendars are available at the LWML bulletin board. Your mites and coins help fund mission work of LWML. The donations can be dropped off in the Church office. LWML Mission goal update as of July 31st—\$1,646,858.46. Thank you for your continued donations.

There will be **NO LWML** Meeting on Thursday, October 13th. Please attend the McLeod Zone Fall Rally at Good Shepherd Lutheran in Glencoe on Saturday, October 15th. Registration is at 8:30am, with the rally starting at 9:00am. No fee to attend

THANK YOU! 8 quilts and 48 baby kits were delivered to Lutheran World Relief this week. Thank you for all of your donations of clothing and fabric! Mission sewing has begun for the year—please join us—first & third Wednesday each month at 1:00pm in the church basement

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

Please pray for Peace members

Scott Hilgeman	Elaine Lewerenz
Ron Janke	Jeanne Cassens
Rita Janke	Angela Alsleben
Julie Elder	Rueben Draeger
Shirley Miller	Etheline Clasen
Sandra Hall	Carol Kubasch
Janelle Woller	Jan Bakken
Barb Ribar	

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 it to the wagon.

Attendance Last Week

Saturday 6:30pm	86
Sunday 8:30am	132
Sunday 10:30am	69
TOTAL ATTENDANCE	287
Boxcast	37
Facebook 8:30am	177
Facebook 10:30am	122

Looking Ahead at Peace

SUNDAY (10/9)

8:30am Worship*
Blood Pressure Checks
9:30am Sunday School
9:30am Adult Bible Study
10:30am Worship/Communion

MONDAY (10/10)

9:00am Body & Soul
1-5pm Driver Imp Class

TUESDAY (10/11)

10:00am POP Bible Study
10:00am Staff Mtg
10:00am Women's Bible Study
10:00am Dorcas Exec Board
12-6:00pm Bloodmobile
6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (10/12)

8:30am Parish Health Mtg
11:45am Lunch/Bible Study
2:30pm Confirmation (6th Gr)
3:30pm Elem Ministry (Gr 4-5)
4:45pm Confirmation (7th/8th)
6:30 Handbells

THURSDAY (10/13)

FRIDAY (10/14)

SATURDAY (10/15)

6:30pm Worship/Communion

SUNDAY (10/16)

8:30am Worship*/Communion
Blood Pressure Checks
9:30am Sunday School
9:30am Adult Bible Study
10:30am Worship
Sun.Sch.Children Sing

MONDAY (10/17)

9:00 Body & Soul

TUESDAY (10/18)

10:00am POP Bible Study
10:00am Staff Mtg
10:00am Women's Bible Study
6:30pm Promise Keepers
7:00pm Church Council

WEDNESDAY (10/19)

11:45am Lunch/Bible Study
1:00pm Mission Sewing
MEA

THURSDAY (10/20)

7:00pm Trustees
MEA

FRIDAY (10/21)

9:00am Bethesda Thrift Shop
MEA

SATURDAY (10/22)

6:30pm Worship

* pre-service announcements at 8:25am

LUNCH & WORD OF GOD—Every Wednesday— Serving at 11:45am & Bible Study at 12:20pm The focus will be on the Gospel of John, lead by Pastor Asher. This traditional Bible Study continues through meaningful scripture and life application. The cost of the lunch is covered by a free will offering.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS - We already have the items needed for the **shoeboxes** this year, but if you have collected items for this cause, please contact Sadie Jenkins @ 583-5031. We will be filling and sending 100 boxes and because of the increased cost (\$10/box) to ship them, we would welcome donations towards the shipping expense. Please drop off any donations for postage in the office. We will be packing the boxes on October 30th in Sunday School. Thanks!

Common Cup—COAT DRIVE—October 20th—We are still collecting warm coats, jackets, snowpants, mittens and boots. Please place your gently used (or new) winter gear donations in the Commons Area.

Mission Sewing has started.. If you are interested in helping, contact Shirley Wurdell (587-5064) or Phyllis Hecht (587-0185).. No experience necessary. Besides quilts, they assemble baby kits/layettes for Lutheran World Relief. Donations needed: cotton fabric for quilts; flannel for baby blankets and diapers; T-shirts, pants, sleepers, socks and jackets for infants 6-24 months; and bars of ivory soap.