

Peace Lutheran Church



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

THIRD SUNDAY OF PENTECOST | JUNE 18, 2023

PASTOR: Glenn Meyer
Elders:
Saturday 6:30 pm Kevin Buss, George Quast
Sunday 8:30am Matthew Markgraf, Paul Otte
Sunday 10:30am John Lietz
Acolytes:
Sunday 8:30am Broden Demere, Kylie Johnson
Greeters:
Sunday 8:30am Jerry and Mary Haag
Sunday 10:30am Tom and Deb Wiprud

ANNUAL GARAGE SALE JUNE 21-23 PEACE CENTER

Drop Off: Mon & Tues, June 19 & 20, 8am-7pm
(No large furniture or electronics)
Set Up: Mon & Tues, June 19 & 20, 8am-7pm
and Wed, June 21, 8am-12 noon
Sale: Wednesday, June 21, 12noon-7pm
Thursday, June 22, 8am-7pm
Friday, June 23, 8am-12noon

VOLUNTEERS —SIGN UP BOARD IN COMMONS AREA

(also please bring any clean plastic bags you may have)

The 10:30 Sunday service will be held in the Sanctuary instead of the Peace Center to accommodate set up for the garage sale. If you wish, you may drop off your donations for the sale until noon on Sunday in the Peace Center. Note: there will not be help available to unload vehicles.

Thank you to all 51 of our VBS Volunteers and thanks to Dr. Joan for serving as director this year. You all did an amazing job! We would also like to thank all of our members that helped support this program with their donations of supplies, food, financial aid, Thrivent cards—it was very much appreciated! There were 62 kids that participated throughout the week. 'Jesus is our Lifesaver' was the theme, along with their Bible study, the children learned of other aspects of 'lifesaving' here on earth. It was fun watching the kids interact during the presentations by the Hutchinson Fire Department, Hutchinson Police Department, the Department of Natural Resource (water safety), Allina Health Ambulance (EMT's), and lifeguards from Hutch Park and Recreation. Check out all the pictures on display in the rampway. The VBS kids will be singing at the 10:30 service Sunday.

We have a critical need for new **Audio-Video teams**. We do not have enough summer volunteers to cover both Sunday indoor services. Please see Dr. Joan if your family could cover one service per month, it would be greatly appreciated.

Peace Lutheran Women in Mission—The June "Mission of the Month" is Camp Omega. This is a year-round camp in Waterville, MN offering faith-filled activities for campers of all ages. Our confirmation youth recently spent a week-end there. If you would like to donate to this mission, drop your donation in one of the "Mission of the Month" boxes. Thank you. The 40th Biennial LWML National Convention "Celebrating the Lord of the Nations" will take place in Milwaukee WI June 22-25. The convention will be livestreamed on the LWML website.

Looking for **garden helpers** to weed and water our beautiful campus flowers. The planting is pretty well completed, but now we need some help maintaining. Any time commitment would be appreciated. Come join **Marv's Team!**

The **Red Cross** collected **129 units** at their stop here at Peace on June 13th. Great job everyone! A special **THANK YOU** to all of our members who provided cookies and treats—they were great!

We will be blessing 112 quilts and 125 baby kits that will be sent to Lutheran World Relief. Our year to date total is 281 quilts and 306 baby kits. Thank you to everyone that helped with these projects.

Update on Sam Schumann: God gave Sam a **NEW HEART** this past Wednesday! The surgery was long but all went well. He is recovering at Children's Hospital in Mpls. Thank you for all your prayers. God answers them. Please keep the prayers coming as he recovers. Thank You. The Schumann Family

Current Checking Account Balances

General Fund	\$35,570.21	Building Fund.....	\$78,189.58
Cemetery Fund	\$65,554.02	Dedicated Funds	\$69,980.63

Building Debt Balance—1/1/22.....\$2,491,042.35

Building Debt Balance—1/1/23.....\$2,286,302.71

Building Debt Balance—5/17/23.....\$2,169,114.44

Building Debt Principal paid 2023 - \$117,188.27

Debt Reduction Revenue that will be matched

Goal	\$140,000.00 (2/1/23-1/31/24)
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Matching Submitted	\$ 68,100.26
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Still Needed	\$ 71,899.74
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Offerings Deposited 6/4-6/10

General Fund.....	\$ 16,399.13	Building Fund.....	\$ 707.00
Cemetery Fund.....	\$ 0.00	Dedicated Funds....	\$ 0.00

Please pray for Peace members

Ron Janke	Justin Nass
Rita Janke	Doug Peterson
Julie Elder	Joyce Tews
Janelle Woller	Sandra Bach
Barb Ribar	Otto Templin
Elaine Lewerenz	Sam Schumann
Jeanne Cassens	Sylvia Radtke
Angela Alsleben	Melinda Mikolichek
Etheline Clasen	Norman Johnson
Jan Bakken	Marilyn Schaffer
Marjorie Huls	Jasmine & Caius Kron

If you know of someone who is ill or hospitalized, or would like a pastoral visit, contact the church office

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

Attendance Last Week

Saturday 6:30pm	54
Sunday 8:30pm	139
Sunday 10:30pm	42
Total	235
Boxcast	58
Facebook 8:30am	187
Facebook 10:30am	131

Looking Ahead at Peace

SUNDAY (6/18)

8:30am Worship/Communion
9:35am Family Fellowship
Bible Study
10:30am Worship(In Sanctuary)

MONDAY (6/19)

8am-7pm Gar. Sale Setup

TUESDAY (6/20)

8am-7pm Gar. Sale Setup
10:00am Staff
6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (6/21)

8am-12noon Gar.Sale Setup
12noon-7pm Garage Sale

THURSDAY (6/22)

8am-7pm Garage Sale

FRIDAY (6/23)

8am-12noon Garage Sale
9:00am Ablelight (Bethesda)

SATURDAY (6/24)

6:30pm Worship/Communion

SUNDAY (6/25)

8:30am Worship
9:30am Family Fellowship
Bible Study
10:30am Worship/Communion

MONDAY (6/26)

1-5pm Driver Improve Class

TUESDAY (6/27)

6:30pm Promise Keepers

WEDNESDAY (6/28)

11:30am Recital & Luncheon

THURSDAY (6/29)

FRIDAY (6/30)

SATURDAY (7/1)

6:30pm Worship/Communion

If you are a **Thrivent** member, you may be eligible to request a Community Impact Card for a grant of up to \$250. We could still use Thrivent cards for a couple of the Summer concerts. Talk to your Thrivent agent or you can make application online. Any questions, contact the Church office.

FARM FRESH EGGS AVAILABLE. \$4.00/DOZ. Proceeds will go to the 7-year debt reduction initiative (these beautiful, naturally multi-colored eggs are from Michelle Jones' Easter Egger chickens)

To the Peace Lutheran Community:

For all the work you have done—For all the time you spent—For all the prayers you have offered

For the good meal you served—For the excellent service and hymns you provided—For all the memories shared

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! From the Family of Betty Ruskamp

Les Ruskamp, Michele Gordon, Joel Ruskamp, Rob Gordon, Becca Gordon, Nick Gordon

We would like to express our sincere appreciation for the love, prayers, expressions of sympathy, food, cards, memorials and those that attended the visitation and funeral of our beloved Amy. We would like to especially thank Pastor Meyer who helped plan her beautiful service and for attending her visitation as we were dealing with the most difficult thing a parent, spouse, sibling or child may have to go through. Also for the Children's message that was for Wesley only, entitled "where is Jesus?" which were the exact words Wesley asked going into church that Sunday! To Pastor Bode who was the liturgist and did the committal service, we thank you for your words of comfort. Thank you Dr. Dixon for the beautiful music you provided for the service and how you continue to keep Wesley under your wing. And finally, Delores and your faithful kitchen crew including the custodian. You did a fantastic job serving so many people that day! Thank you also goes to the ushers and all the office help and others whom may have been involved...you are all appreciated!

Sincerely and lovingly, Barb Field—Rory Paulson and Wesley—Matt, Amy and Ari Field