



PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

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A weekly publication

“Our mission is to proclaim, learn, live and share God’s grace through Christ.”

BIBLE READINGS

Sunday, May 12, 2019

Fourth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 20:17–35 (Pew Bible p 929)

Epistle: Revelation 7:9–17 (Pew Bible p 1032)

Gospel: John 10:22–30 (Pew Bible p 896)

Sunday, May 19, 2019

Fifth Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 11:1–18 (Pew Bible p 919)

Epistle: Revelation 21:1–7 (Pew Bible p 1041)

Gospel: John 16:12–22 (Pew Bible p 902)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayers of health and healing for:

Christine Morris
Sid Silcock (*Brother of Alice Rodell*)
Katherine Taylor (*Cathie Taylor’s daughter in law*)
Kitty Frei
Bonnie Meier
Jennifer Brown (*Russ & Marlis Schmidt’s daughter*)
Rod Beran (*Friend of Al & Judy Beyer*)
Gene Franz (*Mark Franz’s Grandfather*)
Jan Vande Slunt (*Al Beyer’s sister*)
Wayne Schmitz & Diane Fabini
Sandy Cole (*Randee Schweitzer’s aunt*)
Deb Hall (*Pat Tans’ sister*)
Russ Port (*Al Beyer’s cousin*)
Sharon Rabehl
Barb Thomas
David & Evelyn Grebel (*Linda Genn’s parents*)

Karen Hussli (*friend of Jean Tijerina*)
Rebecca Carey (*friend of Christine Morris*)
Shirley and Don Clough
Jean Tijerina
Amandelynn Noe-Johnson (*friend of Randee Schweitzer*)
Sharon Krause
Anita Kienast
Fred Nell
Chuck Vogt (*Jodi Vogt’s father*)
Glenn Miller
Frank Butts - on hospice
Don McQueen
Lyle Keske
Joan Schlicht (*Janelle Wenzel’s mom*) - knee replacement surgery on Monday, May 13
Erline Baird

STEWARDSHIP

May 12: Fourth Sunday of Easter

John 10:27 – **“My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.”** On their own, sheep are in great danger. They need a shepherd to guide them. The sheep know the Shepherd’s voice, and we delight to go where He leads. Of course, the world, the devil, and our own sinful flesh want to pull us in another direction. Namely, they want to pull us in the direction of death. But following the Shepherd means life. So, no matter how difficult the path is that the Shepherd points out, let us follow Him!

VOLUNTEER/DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

VBS Coordinator - Vacation Bible School (VBS) is scheduled to take place July 28-31 (Sunday-Wednesday). We are in need of a VBS Coordinator to lead in putting this together. It is not difficult. Please talk to Pastor Wenzel or a Board of Elders or Board of Directors member if you would be willing to serve in this very important role. Thank you in advance for praying about this.

Altar Flowers - If you would like to provide flowers for the altar during the months of May or June please sign up in the Ministry Center. You may place your order with any florist and take the flowers with you following the Sunday services. If you have any questions, please contact an Elder or Susan in the office.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL



Mark your calendars! Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be held Sunday, July 28th through Wednesday, July 31st.

MISSION TRIP PRESENTATION

Today, Sunday, May 12th, Addie Bartelt is giving a presentation on her mission trip to Ethiopia. This will be held in the Fellowship Hall during Sunday School/Bible Study hour. All are welcome to attend.

FUNDRAISERS

Help support VBS through Scrip! All funds raised through scrip purchases during the months of May and June will be donated to VBS. Please stop by the scrip table after worship for a gas or grocery card to support this important ministry.

Mother's Day Flowers - Peace Pathways will be selling roses today, May 12 for Mother's Day. The cost is \$2.00 each or 6 for \$10.00. This is a great opportunity for kids to purchase a special rose for their mom, grandma or other special lady for Mother's Day.

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Our summer worship service schedule begins on Thursday/Sunday, May 23/26. The services will be, as they have been in past summers, every Thursday night at 7 pm and every Sunday at 9 am.

NEW MEMBER CLASS



A new member class with Pastor Wenzel will begin on Monday, June 10th at 6:30 p.m. at Peace. If you are interested in becoming a member of Peace congregation and the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, this class will teach what we believe based on God's Word. If you are interested, please contact the church office by June 3rd so materials can be ordered. The class will meet on Mondays for six weeks, with the exception of July 1st. There is no charge to attend the class.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the group of volunteers, both adults and youth, that contributed to the preparation, serving and clean up of the Easter breakfast. We also express thanks to those that provided baked goods. God has provided faithful followers to share their talents.

PEACE PATHWAYS MEETING

Peace Pathways will meet on Monday, May 13th at 6 pm.

WINGS (Women in God's Service)

Remember to pray for all our missionaries: Cindy Wrucke Zirbel, Pastor David Baker family and Pastor Mike and Karen Schempf. Exciting news! Pastor Mike and Karen Schempf arrived in Uganda on April 16. In their newsletter, read about their first days in their new mission field and the family they are living with while they look for housing. Please use their prayers requests.

The WINGS March/April treasurer's report can be picked up in the Ministry Center.

SERVING AT PEACE

We praise God for the thankful, giving spirit He has instilled in each of us, to help Peace proclaim, learn, live and share God's grace through Christ.

May Elder of the Month

Eric Krause 920-885-3284

Thursday, May 9, 2019 7:00 pm

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Meier

Acolyte: Tyler Bender

Communion Assistant(s): Eric Krause

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

Sunday, May 12, 2019 8:00 am

Liturgist: Pastor Wenzel

Preacher: Pastor Meier

Greeter(s): Linda Genn

Acolyte: Zenobia Clips

Communion Assistant(s): Dick Bartelt

Ushers: Cal Hemling, Dane Grosenick, Dick Bartelt,
Shane Hale

Scrip: Denise Deibert

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

Sunday, May 12, 2019 10:30 am

Liturgist: Pastor Wenzel

Preacher: Pastor Meier

Greeter(s): Louise Kenevan

Acolyte: Jordyn Olson

Communion Assistant(s): Roger Pamperin

Ushers: Larry Lloyd, Ed Hessler, Colin Mulvany, Kyle
Schweitzer

Scrip: Janelle Wenzel

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

May Altar Guild

Sandy Hupf and Susan Roeder

Sunday, May 19, 2019 8:00 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Wenzel

Greeter(s): Diane Bittner

Acolyte: Aidan Ramel

Communion Assistant(s): Russ Ramel and Eric
Krause

Ushers: Charles Baker, Jeff Baker, Erline Baird, Mark
Franz Jr.

Scrip: Sue Reimer

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

Sunday, May 19, 2019 10:30 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Wenzel

Greeter(s): Char Jaquet

Acolyte: Caroline Laastsch

Communion Assistant(s): Chris Paul

Ushers: Rich Grulke, Roger Pamperin, Bill Demro,
Tyler Pamperin

Scrip: Dana Raue

Organist: Kristin Bonilla



MESSAGE FROM PASTOR WENZEL

District Pastors' Conference - Pastor Wenzel will be attending the Spring South Wisconsin District Pastors' Conference in La Crosse beginning Monday afternoon thru Wednesday morning (May 13-15).

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, May 12 *Mother's Day*

8:00am Divine Service / Communion
9:05am Older Youth Bible Class (8th-12th grade)
9:20am Sunday School
9:20am Ethiopia Mission Trip Presentation
10:30am Divine Service / Communion

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10:30am Divine Service / Communion

Monday, May 13

7:30am Men's Bible Study @ Walker's
6:00pm Peace Pathways Meeting
7:00pm Men of Peace Meeting

Wednesday, May 15

Happening articles due

Thursday, May 16

9:00am Bible Study w/ Pastor Meier

Saturday, May 18

7:45am Ladies Bible Study
1:00pm Sanctuary Reserved - Recital

OUR GIFTS FOR THE LORD'S WORK YEAR-TO-DATE THROUGH APRIL 2019 General / Building Fund Combined

Offerings	\$109,668.
Budget needs	\$114,376.
Expenses	\$123,242.
Offerings vs Budget	- \$4,708.
Offerings vs Expenses	- \$13,574.

Copies of Board of Directors meeting minutes are in a binder in the church office for your review. Contact Susan in the church office at 920-887-1272 if you have questions.

STAY CONNECTED

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