



# PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

MARCH 8, 2020

A weekly publication

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

## BIBLE READINGS

**Sunday, March 8, 2020**

**Second Sunday in Lent**

**First Reading:** Genesis 12:1-9 (Pew Bible 8)  
**Epistle:** Romans 4:1-8, 13-17 (Pew Bible 941)  
**Gospel:** John 3:1-17 (Pew Bible 887)

**Sunday, March 15, 2020**

**Third Sunday in Lent**

**First Reading:** Exodus 17:1-7 (Pew Bible 59)  
**Epistle:** Romans 5:1-8 (Pew Bible 942)  
**Gospel:** John 4:5-26 (Pew Bible 888)

## PRAYER REQUESTS

*Prayers of health and healing for:*

**Lorraine & Wayne Sawallish** (*Sister and Brother-in-Law of Will Zeamer*)

**Dana Marthaler**

**Bonnie Meier**

**Deb Hupf**

**Phyllis Schreiber** (*Sister of Elizabeth Schucknecht*)

**Erline Baird**

**Rick Fikar** (*Uncle of Rande Schweitzer*)

**John Hunsperger** (*Father of Rande Schweitzer*)

**Christine Morris**

**Paul Hollenbeck** (*Brother of Clay Hollenbeck*)

**Bruce Andrews** (*Friend of Alice & John Rodell*)

**Ron Schultz** (*Father of Keith Schultz*)

**Don McQueen**

**Glenn Miller**

**Fred Nell**

**Sharon Krause**

**Brooke Katz** (*Niece-in-Law of Nancee Hollenbeck*)

**Dean Ziegel** (*Brother of Sandy Prieue*)

**Don Clough**

**Amadelynn Noe-Johnson** (*Friend of Rande Schweitzer*)

**Jean Tijerina**

**Katherine Taylor** (*Daughter-in-law of Cathie Taylor*)

**David & Evelyn Grebel** (*Parents of Linda Genn*)

**Family of Sharon Rabehl**

**Russ Port** (*Cousin of Al Beyer*)

**Deb Hall** (*Sister of Pat Tans*)

**Sandy Cole** (*Aunt of Pat Tans*)

**Jan Vande Slunt** (*Sister of Al Beyer*)

**Russ Schmidt**

**Debbie Paul** (*Mother of Chris Paul*)

**Troy Kelm** (*Nephew of Mary Kelm*)

**Jim Rohde** (*Friend of Sarah Pieper*)

**Sandi Vande Berg** (*Friend of Sarah Pieper*)

**Leroy Gilson** (*Brother-in-law of Pastor Meier*)

**Family of Shane Hale**

## STEWARDSHIP

**March 8 – Lent 2 (Reminiscere)**

**Matt. 15:27** – **“Yes, Lord, yet even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters’ table.”** These are the words of faith, for faith means receiving what God gives. And God has given us so much more than just the crumbs that fall from the table. He has given us life, salvation, body and soul, eyes and ears, possessions and income. That’s where our stewardship starts, with faith in the God who is the greatest Giver.

## Lenten Series "Eyes on Jesus"

For the midweek services this year through Easter, we will be under the theme, "Eyes on Jesus." *Eyes on Jesus* will continuously focus our eyes on Jesus Christ and Him crucified, buried, and risen for our justification. This is a vision that will never disappoint, for by trusting in Jesus, He promises that we will gaze upon His beautiful face now by faith and forever in heaven!

**March 11 (Midweek Lent 2):** "Betraying Eyes" (Mark 14: 10-21, 32, 41-46) 7 p.m. Vesper service – Pastor Douglas Bergelin – St. Peter, Lebanon

### FARKEL, ANYONE??

Men of Peace are sponsoring a Farkel tournament on **March 14, 6-8pm**. A taco bar will be served at 5:30 pm with Farkel starting at 6:00 pm. If you plan to eat tacos, please sign up in the Ministry Center. If you have any questions, please contact Dick Bartelt, 887-3385.

### MEAL TRAIN FOR THE HALE FAMILY

If you would like to make or donate a meal to the Hale family, you can do so by signing up using this link: <https://mealtrain.com/kl92zd>. If you have questions, contact Amy Friedl at [liveeph210@gmail.com](mailto:liveeph210@gmail.com) or 920-306-0551.

## Please join us for bible study!!

**Sundays, 9:30am-10:15am**

"God's Trustees" - Pastor Wenzel

"The Book of Exodus" - Pastor Meier

**Mondays, 7:30-8:30am**, Men's Bible Study

"Song of Songs" - Pastor Wenzel

Walker's Restaurant

**Thursdays, 9:00am-10:00am**

"2 John" - Pastor Meier



## UPDATED GRAPEVINE PROJECT

(as of January 31, 2020)

Pledges	<b>\$187,941</b>
Received	<b>\$ 82,677</b>
Pledge Goal	<b>\$300,000</b>

Information on our project is located in the Ministry Center available for all members.

*"We are investing in God's Kingdom."*

### SCRIP SALES

For a limited time, Kwik Trip is doubling its SCRIP discount to 10%. That means if you buy a \$50 card, our SCRIP program receives \$5 instead of \$2.50. Please consider SCRIP for your gas or carwash needs and help us raise money for youth and other educational experiences at Peace. We currently have \$10, \$25, \$50 and \$100 cards on hand.

### COMMUNITY MEAL

Peace is responsible for the Community Meal on Monday, March 16th serving at 5pm at the Watermark; the Men of Peace are responsible for organizing the meal. We will be serving beef tips over mashed potatoes, corn, buttered bread, fruit and dessert. If you can help or provide food please sign up in the ministry center. This is a wonderful way to serve our community with God's love and grace. Everyone is invited to attend. Questions see Dick or Jeanie Bartelt or call 887-3385.

### WINGS (Women in God's Service)

-God be praised! There was a generous donation of LWML mites February 27 and March 1.  
-The WINGS treasurer report for January/February is available in the Ministry Center.  
-Remember to pray for missionaries and also read their newsletters. See the table by the bulletin board.

## SERVING AT PEACE

*We praise God for the thankful, giving spirit He has instilled in each of us, to help Peace*

### March Elder of the Month

Chris Paul 920-210-8678

### April Elder of the Month

Randy Tans 239-850-8193

### March Altar Guild

Ed & Linda Nill

### April Altar Guild

Connie Rogers & Diane Hemling

### Sunday, March 8, 2020 8:00 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Wenzel

Greeter(s): Ben & Linda Ludtke

Acolyte: Rya Sutton

Communion Assistant(s): Eric Krause / Ed Krug

Ushers: Bill Ladwig, Darryl Hupf, Ben Ludtke,  
Greg Bavers

Scrip: Denise Deibert

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Sunday, March 8, 2020 10:30 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Wenzel

Greeter(s): Keith & Anna Schultz

Acolyte: Tyler Bender

Communion Assistant(s): Randy Tans / Chris Paul

Ushers: Jerry Klawitter, Wayne Schmitz, Tom Labs

Scrip: Deb Hupf

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Midweek Lenten Service,

Wednesday, March 11, 2020, 7:00 pm

Liturgist & Preacher: Pastor Bergelin

Acolyte: Jacob DiStefano

Elder Assistant: Russ Ramel

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Thursday, March 12, 2020, 7:00 pm

Liturgist: Pastor Wenzel

Preacher: Pastor Meier

Acolyte: Alyson Ferstl

Communion Assistant: Eric Krause

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Sunday, March 15, 2020 8:00 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Meier

Greeter(s): Betty Larson

Acolyte: Sophia Keith

Communion Assistant(s): Russ Ramel /  
Eric Krause

Ushers: Willis Sage, Jerry Lauff, Keith Rabehl,  
Fred Deibert

Scrip: Sue Reimer

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Sunday, March 15, 2020 10:30 am

Liturgist and Preacher: Pastor Meier

Greeter(s): (TBD)

Acolyte: Caroline Laatsch

Communion Assistant(s): Roger Pamperin /  
Chris Paul

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

Scrip: (TBD)

Organist: Kristin Bonilla

### Dishwashers

Week of March 8: Greg Bavers

Week of March 15: Linda Ludtke

## ART OF MARRIAGE

Please note: the time for the Art of Marriage workshop has been **changed**. We now meet from **6:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.** This Sunday's session is entitled, "Love Interrupted: Communications and Conflict." Please join us, even if you haven't been able to make the first two sessions. We meet in the Fireside Room.



## THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

### Sunday, March 8

- 8:00 am **Divine Service / Communion**  
 9:15 am Youth Bible Classes  
 9:20 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes  
 10:30 am **Divine Service / Communion**  
 6:00 pm Art of Marriage Workshop

### Monday, March 9

- 7:30 am Men's Bible Study @ Walker's

### Wednesday, March 11

- 11:00 am Happening articles due  
 2:30 pm Sylvan Crossings Service  
 4:15 pm Youth Open Fellowship  
 5:15 pm Confirmation Class  
 5:00 pm Lenten Meal served by Men of Peace  
 7:00 pm **Lenten Vesper Service**

### Thursday, March 12

- 9:00 am Bible Class with Pastor Meier  
 7:00 pm **Divine Service / Communion**

### Saturday, March 14

- 9:00 am Crafter's Get-Together  
 6:00 pm Farkel Tournament

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**OUR GIFTS FOR THE LORD'S WORK  
 YEAR-TO-DATE THROUGH FEBRUARY 2020  
 General / Building Fund Combined**

Offerings	\$ 46,837
Budget needs	\$ 55,642
Expenses	\$ 55,812
Offerings vs Budget	\$ - 8,805
Offerings vs Expenses	\$ - 8,975

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

### STAY CONNECTED

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Church Office Hours: Monday - Friday from 9:00 am until noon



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### PEACE LUTHERAN STAFF

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Organist—Kristin Bonilla