PEACE HAPPENINGS JULY 20, 2025

A Special Voter's Assembly meeting is scheduled for TODAY, July 20th after the Divine Service in the sanctuary. The agenda will be limited to discussion and decision making concerning several changes to our Peace Constitution/Bylaws as brought forth by the Peace Board of Directors.

Nursing Home Visits: Tomorrow, Monday, July 21st We will be going to Bay Harbor, 913 S. Center. We will meet there at 10 am. Next week, July 28th at 12:30 we will again be visiting at Eagles Wings – meet at church at 12:15. The new theme will be the dog days of summer. Please join us.

WINGS (Women IN God's Service)

<u>Quiz question ... What is a wool flower wreath?</u> That's exactly what I wanted to know when Marge Herbers offered to come to Peace Church and teach us how to make a wool flower wreath. She provided the sample wreath on display in the narthex. She will provide all the wool flowers and donate her time. We accepted her offer and set the date for Wednesday, August 13, 2-4 p.m. Anyone may participate. The signup sheet is in the Ministry Center. All you need to bring is a wreath frame and a glue gun (If you have one), and glue sticks for the glue gun.

WINGS (Women IN God's Service) asks for your help to provide school supplies for the 50 backpacks we made. The filled school backpacks will be given to Orphan Grain Train - Wisconsin. The items needed are spiral notebooks, crayons (24count), ruler with inches and centimeters, glue sticks, scissors, erasers, colored pencils (12 count) and pencil sharpener. The collection basket is near the office entrance. As sufficient quantities of an item are donated, that item will be removed from the list. We now have enough construction paper.

BRAT FRY – The Men of Peace will be hosting a brat fry on July 26th from 11 – 1 at The Market (Recheks) in Beaver Dam. Come and join us for lunch!

Special gifts at work. Entrance and Narthex getting an updated look!

At the Annual Voter's meeting last December an ad hoc decorating committee (Members: Rich Z, Rich G, Judy B, Dick and Jeanie B, Louise K, Jerry K and Susan R) reported that in efforts to improve/update the look of our church main entrance and narthex the following should be done. These items are now scheduled to be done within the next several weeks!

- a. <u>The sidewalk is badly chipped and stained and will be</u> <u>replaced</u> (paid for with funds from a special gift given two years ago for various landscaping improvements)
- b. <u>Narthex, Ministry Center and Multipurpose Serving</u> <u>area carpeting is separating from floor and will be</u> <u>replaced</u> (paid for with funds from an annual estate gift).
- c. <u>The narthex will be painted (paid for by the estate</u> <u>gift)</u>

Kenneth Hill, who has played for services here at Peace, will be playing an organ recital at: Hope Lutheran Church, 260 Vincent St., Fond du Lac, on Thursday, July 31, 12:15pm. A free-will offering will be taken. Proceeds will go to a scholarship fund to support the training of young people to become organists. For more information go to <u>fdlareaorganists.com</u> or call Ken at 920-539-3977.

