



Words of Peace

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Peace Lutheran Church

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Congregations in Mission for Christ

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MEET & GREET

Associate Pastor candidate will be coming to Peace Lutheran on September 2. Please join us for a "Meet & Greet" potluck following worship. This will be a great opportunity to meet Mr. John Hoyum, ask questions and give the Call Committee your input. Bruce Sorensen will be providing brats; bring a dish to share.....breakfast casserole, muffins, quick bread, cinnamon rolls, fruit, etc.

There will be a special Congregational Meeting Sunday, September 9 following worship. After a brief Fellowship time, the meeting will convene at approximately 10:30. We will be discussing and voting on the candidates for our Associate Pastor position as well as an opportunity to receive a donation offered us by a local Trust fund. Voting by absentee ballot will not be accepted for this vote, however your comments are welcome and will be read at the meeting.

Change is in the air! Can you feel it?



With the start of September, our calendars begin to fill up with the beginning of the school year. Activities at school, community programs and seasonal activities are all a part of our Fall Schedules. The same is happening at Peace Lutheran Church!

Our "Sunday School Advisory Team" has met to plan for our 2018-19 Christian Education programs for the young people in our congregation. We have struggled in the past finding committed volunteers and regular student attendance. So, we are trying something new in hopes that we can address some of these issues.

Due to the number of "start-ups" in the September calendar, we are planning to begin our Sunday School program October 7. We will run our first six-week unit through November 11. We begin again with a unit to prepare our kids for Christmas that will run from December 2 ending with Kid's and Youth Choirs at Sunday Worship on December 23.

Sunday School will resume on January 20. We will again run a six-week unit through February 24. Our final unit beginning on March 24 through April 14 will focus on the events leading up to and including Easter. That will conclude our season of Sunday School.

The materials for each of these units will be from Sola Publishing a source for Lutheran Educational materials that we have been using the past few years. Attention this year will be on stories from the Acts of the new church and the Letters written to new believers.

After looking at the break-down in ages of the youth in our congregation, we have decided to try the following groups: Pre-K-Kindergarten; 1-2 Grades; 3-5 Grades; 6-12 Grades.

If you have a child interested in being a part of our re-vamped Sunday School activities, please go to the PLC website (www.peace2you.org) and register your kid(s) for the appropriate age-group.

We are in need of Sunday School Contact-Teachers and Helpers for each group. If you would like to help out for one or more of the above Units described and one of the age-groups listed, please go to the PLC website (it's an option in your child's registration) or give us a call!

It looks like it's going to be a great year at Peace Lutheran! I hope your children will be a part of it.

Gratefully,
Pastor Bob



MINISTRY TEAMS

September 2 15th Sunday after Pentecost	Dakota Road <i>Pr. Bob Coughlin</i>
Piano	Jinx Sorensen
Acolyte	
Usher/Lector Refreshments	Bruce & Jinx Sorensen Lavern Brusven
September 9 16th Sunday after Pentecost	ELW #10 <i>Pr. Bob Coughlin</i>
Piano	Lorrie Hansen
Acolyte	
Usher/Greeter Lector Refreshments	Diane & Larry Oddy Paul Flanagan Bruce & Jinx Sorensen Cindy Gee
September 16 17th Sunday after Pentecost	Sing a New Song <i>Pr. Bob Coughlin</i>
Piano	Connie Holton
Acolyte	
Usher/Lector Refreshments	Mike & Lorrie Hansen Eric & Stacey Larson Bill & Marcia Zankowski Michelle Clark
September 23 18th Sunday after Pentecost	ELW #3 <i>Pr. Bob Coughlin</i>
Piano	Jinx Sorensen
Acolyte	
Usher/Lector Refreshments	Bill & Marcia Zankowski Derek & Nicky Swenson Joni & Kyle Sando
September 30 19th Sunday after Pentecost	Rhythm & Blues <i>Pr. Bob Coughlin</i>
Piano	Jackie Currey
Usher/Lector Refreshments	Peace Youth
Council for September	Mike Hansen/Bruce Sorensen Jerry Swenson
Altar Guild for September	Marilyn Megaard Audrey Vitarius Kristy Rieger

SEPTEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist
2 15th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship – Dakota Road (John Hoyum will preach) 10:00 a.m. Meet & Greet Fellowship & potluck	3  Church Office Closed NO FOOD BANK 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	4 Pr. Bob's day off 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	5 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting Peace Re-Piecers Ladybug Preschool Orientation →	6 9:30 a.m. Worship Committee Mtg	7	8 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist
9 16th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship – ELW #10 10:00 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship 10:30 a.m. Special Congregationsl Mtg. – vote on Associate Pastor	10 Pr. Bob's day off Ladybug Preschool Begins 5-6 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	11 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	12 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting Peace Re-Piecers	13 7:00 p.m. Council	14	15 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist Belgrade Fall Festival
16 17th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship – Sing a New Song 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship	17 Pr. Bob's day off 12N-4p.m. Clothes Closet 5-6 p.m. Food Bank 6:30 p.m. Grief Support Gp.@Hope Lutheran 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	18 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	19 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting Peace Re-Piecers	20 7:00 p.m. Book Club	21	22 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist
23 18th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship–ELW #3 10:00 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship 10:30 a.m. Altar Guild Meeting 4:30 p.m. Fork & Spoon	24 Pr. Bob's day off 5-6 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	25 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	26 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting Peace Re-Piecers NEWSLETTER DUE	27 7:00 p.m. Book Club	28	29 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist
30 19th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship–Rhythm & Blues 10:00 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship 2-4 p.m. Eagle Scout Ceremony	1 OCT. Pr. Bob's Day Off 5-6 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	2 OCT.	3 OCT.	4 OCT.	5 OCT.	6 OCT.



If you would like to show your thanks for something in the next newsletter, please fill out an "I give thanks to" sheet and place it in the Give Thanks boxes that are located on the counter in the back of the Sanctuary and on a table in the Fellowship Hall.



- ✚ Thanks so much to Heather Geiger for the beautiful and inspirational banners she makes for the Narthex Bulletin Board.
- ✚ Thank you to all who donated school supplies for our school kits.
- ✚ The Call Committee in the search for a new Associate Pastor.
- ✚ Bill Zankowski and Martin Haas for installing new back steps!
- ✚ Dennis Bechtold, Jerry Swenson and the Peace Re-piecers for moving furniture in the Fellowship Hall in preparation for carpet cleaning.

Grief Support Group
Understanding Your Grief
by Alan Wolfeldt

Monday, September 17 at 6:30 p.m.
Hope Lutheran Church
2152 W. Graf St.
Bozeman

Questions: Call Dar at 586-5572

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| 1 | Bradley Smith |
| 2 | Tara Lanzendorf |
| | Jim Moss, Jr. |
| 9 | Joyce Ludwig |
| | Doug Johnson |
| | Kelly Swanson (Smith) |
| 10 | Claire Grassel |
| | Joni Sando |
| | Amanda Swenson |
| 11 | Katie Geiger |
| | Steven Smith |
| 12 | Derek Swenson |
| 13 | Deborah Finkbeiner |
| | Dylan Swenson |
| 14 | Karen Akukwe (Moss) |
| 15 | Lorelei Hook |
| | Rock Swenson |
| | Nathan Hickey |
| 16 | Carl Grassel |
| 18 | Carol White |
| 19 | Karl Swenson |
| 23 | Shawn Beckman |
| 24 | Glyn Ross |
| 25 | Dawn Pipinich |
| 26 | Gary Porter |
| 28 | Andrew Bolich |
| 29 | Paul Flanagan |
| 30 | Trisha Severson |

October Ministry Team
In September, a council member will be
calling the following
October Ministry Team Members:

Al & Judy Arensmeyer
Dennis & Cheryl Bechtold
Shawn & Tina Beckman
Jim & Pam Cook
Phil & Kate Davis
Carl & Katy Grassel
Peggy Hall
Eric & Stacey Larson
Ross & Claudia Leake
Dan & Anthony Madison
Terry & Nancy Schievelbein
Cindy & Zach Sherman
Darin & Jayme Swenson
Derek & Nicky Swenson
Al & Jennifer Trainer
Jessie Watson



September Anniversaries

If your anniversary is not listed or has the wrong date, please contact the church office so that it can be corrected on the church records: PeaceLutheran@Live.com

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| 9 | Jeff & Kris Bell |
| 20 | Eric & Connie Holton |
| 21 | Harvey & Laura Carter |

HELP WANTED



ACOLYTES ARE NEEDED FOR THE UPCOMING SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR.

Parents, grandparents or guardians - if you have students in 3rd-7th grade please contact Kris Bell for scheduling. We are in great need of more acolytes to sign up for Sunday morning worship services.

Kris can be reached via email at:

kbell99@yahoo.com
or (406) 581-9560

Thank you for your help in ensuring that this great ministry for the young people of our congregation can continue!

LIVE STREAMING

Every Sunday our worship service is recorded and streamed on the internet. We need helpers who will run the camera, computer and sound. Training will be provided. Notify the church office if you are interested.



It's Almost Blood Drive Time!

**MARK YOUR
CALENDARS.....SEPT. 20**

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING A MUCH
NEEDED PINT OF BLOOD.

WATCH FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



**Ladybug Preschool will kick off the
2018-19 year with orientation on
September 5th and 6th followed by
the first days of school on
September 10th and 11th.**



Thursday Night Bible Book Club

As September approaches it is time to start the Thursday night book club. We meet every Thursday night (7PM) at the church and will move to the youth room or someone's home on the night of church council. The starting date will be Thursday, **September 20**. We welcome all and hope for another good year of spiritual growth and fellowship.

Any questions...Diane Oddy 282-7986.

BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP

NEW STUDY YEAR

BELGRADE
Refuge Church on Amsterdam Road

NEW STUDY YEAR BEGINS

Sept. 13 7:00 p.m.

Learn about a unique way to study the Bible. The four-fold approach has:

Challenging questions for personal study; lively discussion groups for sharing insights; interesting lectures with practical applications; and enriching written notes that summarize the study.



ALTAR GUILD MEETING

Please try to attend our Altar Guild Planning Meeting on Sunday, September 23 following worship. We will be setting up our calendar for October, November, December and January. We are in need of more volunteers, and it's really not a very hard job. We prepare for communion, change paraments, serve communion, etc.

Please join our meeting and join this "behind the scenes" but very important part of our church.



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Please take this with you if you are visiting. If you would like to be added to our mailing list, please contact the church office 388-1358 or email us at PeaceLutheran@Live.com.

The newsletter is available on the website www.peace2you.org.

If you do not have web access, we will be happy to mail the newsletter to you.

Scriptures for September

September 2 – 15th Sunday after Pentecost

Deuteronomy 4:1-2,6-9 Psalm 119:129-136
Ephesians 6:10-20 Mark 7:14-23

September 9 – 16th Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 35:4-7 Psalm 146
James 2:1-10,14-18 Mark 7:24-30)31-37

September 16 – 17th Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 50:4-10 Psalm 116:1-9
James 3:1-12 Mark 9:14-29

September 23 – 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Jeremiah 11:18-20 Psalm 54
James 3:13-4:10 Mark 9:30-37

September 30 – 19th Sunday after Pentecost

Num.11:4-6,10-16,24-29 Psalm 104:27-35
James 5:(1-12)13-20 Mark 9:38-50

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