



Words of Peace

November 2019 Peace Lutheran Church

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Congregations in Mission for Christ

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CONGRATULATIONS! 2019 CONFIRMATION



Colton Koosman, Pr. Bob, Chase Bell



Community Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service

November 27 - 7:00 p.m.

Pie Social following the worship service



*"O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
our shelter from the stormy blast and our eternal home."*

Isaac Watts



Dear Family of Peace,

We begin the month of November with "All Saints Sunday" when we remember those who have given us the 'footings for our faith'. This was done in a number of ways by many people – those known and unknown to us. As we pause to reflect and give thanks, we realize what a gift these "saints" have been to us.

The well know hymn quoted above was written by theologian, prolific poet and hymn writer Isaac Watts (1674-1748), recognized as the "God Father of English Hymnody" and is credited with some 750 hymns. "O God Our Help in Ages Past" reminds us of God's provision in preserving our faith and protecting his church. He has given us "saints" who have loved us, taught us and modeled faith for us.

In God's gracious goodness, he provides this support and legacy for us as a solid foundation built on Christ, the Solid Rock on which we stand. God is for us! (Romans 8:31)

How fitting that November concludes with the National Holiday Celebration of the Thanksgiving. After recalling those who have invested in helping us become who we are and what we believe, it is only natural that we offer thanks to God for providing for what we need (even if we are unaware of our need).

Ending the month with corporate Thanksgiving gives us an opportunity to again reflect and show our appreciation for the wonderful blessings that come from our Heavenly Father who is gracious and merciful!

Let me remind you of the Community Thanksgiving Worship held at Peace Lutheran Church on Thanksgiving Eve. We gather with other members of the Belgrade and Manhattan Communities to offer praise and thanks to God for the countless blessings we have received. Come to worship, stay for the pie and fellowship!

That makes November an entire month of remembering and thankfulness!
Gratefully,
Pr. Bob

Thank You!

Pastors Andrew and Bob would like to thank the congregation and the women from Re-Piecers for their generosity during Pastor Appreciation by honoring us with beautiful quilts last month. They are wonderful additions to our households and great reminders of our thoughtful Church Family.

*Thank you all,
Pastor Andrew
Pastor Bob*



To the wonderful ladies who serve on the Re-Piecers quilting team, Pr. Bob, I, and our families, feel very blessed and encouraged for the beautiful quilts we received on Pastor Appreciation day back in October. Thank you ladies for your generosity, kindness, and thoughtfulness. Words cannot express how blessed we feel through your effort in piecing together fabrics that are also sewn together and delivered all over the world. What a blessing! Every time I see our beautiful quilt, I'm reminded of the body of Christ, because though the pieces of fabric come in various shapes and colors, they are sewn together making one quilt. This is a beautiful picture to me of God's grace through Christ that brings His children--here and abroad--together in His glorious name--now and forever.

God bless you, and thanks again from the Young Family.

In Christ,

Pr. Andrew



NOVEMBER MINISTRY TEAMS

November 3 All Saints Sunday	<i>Service of the Word</i> <i>All Saints Worship</i>
Piano	<i>Jinx Sorensen</i>
Acolyte	
Ushers	<i>Darin & Jayme Swenson & Family</i>
Lector	<i>Dianne Coughlin</i>
Refreshments	<i>Darin & Jayme Swenson & Family</i>
November 10 25th Sunday After Pentecost	<i>Rhythm & Blues</i>
Piano	<i>Jackie Currey</i>
Acolyte	
Usher/ Lector	<i>Dan & Anthony Madison Becky Murray</i>
Refreshments	<i>Daniel & Amanda Swenson</i>
November 17 26th Sunday after Pentecost	<i>ELW #3</i>
Piano	<i>Lorrie Hansen</i>
Acolyte	
Usher	<i>Derek & Nicky Swenson</i>
Lector	<i>Heather Geiger</i>
Refreshments	<i>Andy & Tracey Bolich</i>
November 24 Christ the King Sunday	<i>ELW #10</i>
Piano	<i>Connie Holton</i>
Acolyte	
Usher/Lector	<i>Carl & Katy Grassel Family</i>
Refreshments	
Council for November	<i>Carl Grassel Jim Cook; Ross Leake</i>
Altar Guild for November	<i>Kristy Rieger Marcia Zankowski Michelle Clark</i>

BLOOD DRIVE

November 21 12 Noon – 6 p.m.
Belgrade Community Church

Give Blood – Save a Life!



NOVEMBER 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 9:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist 
3 All Saints Sunday 9:00 a.m. Worship – Service of the Word 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Forum 4:30 p.m. Choir 6:00 p.m. Confirmation	4 Pastors day off 5:00-6:00 P.M. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	5 1:30 p.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	6 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace RePiecers 11:00 Staff Meeting 4:00 p.m. 1 st Comm. Class	7 7:00 p.m. Bible Book Study	8	9 9:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist
10 23rd Sunday After Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship – Rhythm & Blues 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship <i>Pick up lefse 'kits' & return by next Saturday</i> 10:30 a.m. Sunday School / Adult Forum 4:30 p.m. Choir 6:00 p.m. Confirmation	11 Pastors day off 5:00-6:00 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts 	12 9:30 a.m. Worship Comm. Mtg. 1:30 p.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	13 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace Re-Piecers 11:00 a.m. Staff Meeting 12N WGAMA@Christ the King 4:00 p.m. 1 st Comm. Class	14 7:00 p.m. Bible Book Study 7:00 p.m. Council	15 Newsletter Articles Due	16 <i>LEFSE!</i> 8:00 a.m. – 4 p.m.
17 24th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 a.m. Worship – ELW #3 First Communion Sunday <i>CAT/GRIZ Offering</i> <i>Pick up your lefse!</i> 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Forum 4:30 p.m. Choir 6:00 p.m. Confirmation	18 Pastors day off 1-4 p.m. Clothes Closet 5:00-6:00 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	19 1:30 p.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	20 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace Re-Piecers 11:00 a.m. Staff Meeting	21 12-6 p.m. Blood Drive @ Community Church 7:00 p.m. Book Group	22	23 9:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist <i>CAT/GRIZ GAME</i>
24 Christ the King Sunday 9:00 a.m. Worship – ELW #10 10:00 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Forum 4:30 p.m. Choir 6:00 p.m. Confirmation	25 Pastors day off 5:00-6:00 p.m. Food Bank 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts	26 1:30 p.m. Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 7 th Day Prayer	27 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace Re-Piecers 11:00 noon Staff Meeting 7:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Worship & Pie Social	28  THANKSGIVING DAY	29 Church Office Closed	30 9:30 a.m. -2:00 p.m. 7 th Day Adventist

December Ministry Team

In November a council member will be calling the following December Ministry Team Members:

Jeff & Kris Bell
Debra Briggs & Andy Mitchell
Jim Caldwell
Harvey & Laura Carter
Jackie Currey
Mike & Becky Erickson
Roy Finkbeiner
Heather Geiger
John & Wynne Gillis
Suzanne Haniuk
Amanda Hook
Jim & Julie Hanson
Kevin & Julie Mattson
Derrick & Michelle Monson
Eileen Savage
Joy Richardson
Mike & Vickie Streich
Fawn Wyman



November 3 – All Saints Sunday

FIRST READING – Revelation 7:9-17

PSALM – 149

SECOND READING – 1 John 3:1-3

GOSPEL – Matthew 5:1-12

November 10 – 25th Sunday After Pentecost

FIRST READING – Exodus 3:1-15

PSALM – Psalm 148

SECOND READING – 2 Thessalonians 2:1-8, 13-17

GOSPEL – Luke 20:27-40

November 17–26th Sunday after Pentecost

FIRST READING – Malachi 4:1-6

PSALM – Psalm 98

SECOND READING – 2 Thessalonians 3(1-5)6-13

GOSPEL – Luke 21:5-28 (29-36)

November 24– Christ the King

FIRST READING – Malachi 3:13-18

PSALM – Psalm 95:1-7

SECOND READING – Colossians 1:13-20

GOSPEL – Luke 23:27-43





CLOTHES CLOSET

Peace Lutheran continues to cover a shift at the Clothes Closet in Belgrade. Thank you to Stan & Doreen Olean for being Peace Lutheran Church's coordinators for Love, Inc.

Every third Monday of every month will continue to be PEACE LUTHERAN MONDAY.

Thanks to everyone who has volunteered, and more volunteers will always be welcome.



 *To everyone who donated supplies for lefse.*
 *To the Peace Lutheran Weed Warriors for all their work on our beautiful Peace Gardens.*

SIDING COMMITTEE

The siding on the church will eventually need to be replaced, so we would like to form a committee to start the process of obtaining ideas.....type of siding, color, cost, etc. Please let Karlene know if you would be interested in being part of this important project.



5	Nancy Vitarius
6	Rick Moler
7	Jackson Hampton Davis Johnson
8	Chase Bell Makenzie Hook
10	Nicky Swenson
13	Beatrice Koehler Jim Cook
14	Al Arensmeyer
15	Leann Pipinich
16	Eric Holton
18	Kylie Mattson
20	Derrick Monson
21	Judith Arensmeyer Ginger Bolin
25	Anders Paulson
28	Tracey Bolich
29	Nick & Dawn Pipinich (anniversary) Jackie Currey
30	Connie Holton



Belgrade Festival of Lights

The City of Belgrade is once again in the planning stages for the Festival of Lights, which will be held Saturday, December 14 from 6 to 8 p.m. The past couple of years, Peace Lutheran has participated with candy cane giveaways, singing, etc. If anyone would like to take this project on, please see Karlene for details.



2019 Christmas Store

Be on the lookout for the Re-piecers Craft/Bake sale. We are exploring the options of using our funds for an adult mission or service project.

More information will be coming soon.

November 2019 News & Events



Peace Youth Upcoming Events:

Plans are in the works for the 2020 Youth Mission trip to San Carlos, Mexico. Our first Youth/Roc Wheels meeting is Thursday, November 7 at 6:30 at the home of Wayne and Lee Hanson. Check emails for future meeting dates or talk to Pr. Andrew. Thank you to all the kids, and to their parents and families for their support!!

Saturday, November 16th - 8:00am - 4:00pm - MAKE LEFSE!!

Peace Youth will lead the charge for our single biggest fund-raiser of the year, **Making Lefse!!** The youth rely on every part of the Peace Congregation to make this event happen. Mark your calendars!! Also, kits to make the Lefse Dough will be available for pick-up after worship service on Sunday, November 11th.

Sunday, December 15th - 7:00am - CHRISTMAS BREAKFAST!!

Christmas Breakfast!! This is a fun and delicious day at Peace. We need all youth hands on deck (and 2-3 parents) to make this breakfast for the entire congregation. Put it on your calendars!!

Please continue to pray for a great year for our youth group. For us to learn more about God's word and his plan for us, how we can serve him, and of course, to have a bunch of fun along the way.



SERVANTS OF PEACE

The Peace Servants are beginning a new three-month cycle for November, December, and January. The Servants prepare, serve, clean up, and generally host many Church fellowship activities, as well as caring service to members. These Servants provide a vital service to our congregation. The next-up-to-serve Leader is Jinx Sorensen with the Servants listed below:

Jackie Currey	Laura Carter	Val Ross	Connie Holton	Nicky Swenson	Claudia Leake
Lori Lanzendorf	Carol White	Trish Baker	Tracey Bolich	Diane Oddy	

THANK YOU to the members who provided care to our Church needs in the past three-month-cycle:

Kris Bell	Debra Durham	Julie Hanson	Wynne Gillis	Jodi Robbins	Paula Johnson
Heather Geiger	Julie Mattson	Laurie Salo			

CROP WALK 2019



Thanks for Representing Peace Lutheran!

**Gilean Murray
Jinx Sorensen
Fred & Kari Haas**

Peace Lutheran Church Newsletter Financial Reports

November 2019 Newsletter (September 2019 Finance Info)

General Fund Ending 9/30/19	
General Fund Balance 9/1/19	14,650.41
General Fund Income - September Envelopes & Plates	21,452.19
Less September Operating Expenses	(21,998.93)
September General Fund Balance:	<u>(546.74)</u>
Benevolence Payable (due, but not paid)	500.00
YTD General Fund Ending Balance 9/30/19	<u>14,603.67</u>

Special Donations Fund Ending 9/30/19	
Special Fund Balance 1/1/19	16,821.59
Special Fund Donations	15,992.87
Special Fund Disbursements	(15,719.62)
YTD Special Fund Balance 9/30/19	<u>17,094.84</u>
Building Fund Balance Ending 9/30/19	
Building Fund Balance 1/1/19	49,110.45
Transfers from General Fund	6,750.00
Building Fund Donations	4,215.00
Building Fund Disbursements	(15,136.52)
YTD Building Fund Balance 9/30/19	<u>44,938.93</u>

DON'T FORGET - BEFORE BED NOV. 2.....



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