

# Words of Peace

#### October 2020

#### Peace Lutheran Church

A congregation of Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ

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## **Autumn at Peace Lutheran**

October 14 1st Communion Classes Begin @3:45 p.m.

October 15 Bible Book Club @ 7 p.m.

October 25 Reformation/Confirmation

November 15 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Sunday



# The Pastor's Page.....

#### **Dear Peace Lutheran Family,**

While we enjoy the pleasure of the warm sun during the summer months, we prepare ourselves to "button up" for the fall. (The fall is my favorite time of year!) We break out our warmer coats, gloves, hats, and appropriate footwear. We put away our summer lawn decorations and break out our festive harvest colors, pumpkins, squashes, corncobs, etc. We put away our lawn equipment and blow out our sprinkler systems to prepare for dormant ground during the colder months. Then, as we move closer to spring, we remove the old and dead foliage from the fall and winter and look forward to a new and beautiful harvest.

Similarly, Jesus' beautiful gift of forgiveness and faith brings a new beautiful harvest in our lives, too. According to His steadfast grace and faith, removing the dead foliage of sin that separates us from God and each other, Jesus took our sins on the cross for us, so that through His merciful sacrifice and His glorious resurrection from the dead, we would become new, Spirit-filled people who live according to His gospel. His gospel is the "beautiful harvest" that allows us to keep producing His spiritual harvest in our communities as Jesus said, "I am the true vine; my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine (John 15:1-2; 4)."

By "Remaining in Jesus" we are "buttoning up" for spiritual growth, producing His beautiful spiritual fruit--His love, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control (Gal. 5:22-23) in our communities. Without being connected to the Vine, it is impossible to produce His spiritual fruit, just like it is impossible to prepare for the fall without "buttoning up".

God bless,

Pr. Andrew



# MINISTRY TEAMS

| <b></b>                     |   |  |  |
|-----------------------------|---|--|--|
| October 4                   | ELW #3                                  |  |  |
| 18th Sunday after Pentecost |   |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
| Piano                       | Jinx Sorensen                           |  |  |
| October 11                  | Country Gospel                          |  |  |
| 19th Sunday after Pentecost |   |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
| Piano                       | Lorrie Hansen                           |  |  |
| October 18                  | ELW #10                                 |  |  |
| 20th Sunday after Pentecost |   |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
| Piano                       | Jackie Currey                           |  |  |
| October 25                  | Reformation Service                     |  |  |
| Reformation Sunday          |   |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
| Piano                       | Joe Sutton                              |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
| Council for October         | Rollie Rieger Megan Paulson             |  |  |
|                             | Kari Haas                               |  |  |
|                             | Dianne Coughlin Kristy Rieger           |  |  |
| Altar Guild for October     | Darlene Idland                          |  |  |
|                             |   |  |  |
|                             | Kari Haas Dianne Coughlin Kristy Rieger |  |  |

#### THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU

What an amazing church family we have! I come from a family of 6 children and I thought that was large. My Peace Lutheran family is so much bigger and so supportive. Maybe you sent a card, gave a virtual (or real) hug, give us words of encouragement...they were all appreciated. The meals and cookies were SO amazing I would weigh 200 pounds if I ate much more of your wonderful Lutheran cooking. Last, but certainly not least, thank you for your prayers of support. The last year was challenging and disappointing but through it all we felt the prayers of comfort and support from our wonderful Peace family. You are truly my brothers and sisters, young and not so young.

God's blessings to you all, Larry and Diane

And....a special Thank You to Heather Geiger's Servant Group for the amazing cookies & meals.



# OCTOBER 2020

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday | Wednesday  | Thursday  | Friday | Saturday  |
|--|--|---------|--|---|--------|---|
| OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH   | •  | •       |  | 9:00 a.m. Retired Pastors<br>Prayer Hour<br>Pr. Bob Gone  | 2      | 3   |
| 4 18th Sunday after Pentecost  9:00 & 10:45 a.m. Worship – ELW #3 10:15-10:30 a.m. Peace Prayer Warriors 5:30-6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. Confirmation          | 5 Pastors day off  LCMC Annual Gathering  7:00 p.m. Scouts | 6       | 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast<br>10:00 a.m. Peace Repiecers                              | 9:00 a.m. Retired Pastors<br>Prayer Hour<br>7:00 p.m. Council   | 9      | 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7th Day Adventist          |
| 11 19th Sunday after Pentecost  9:00 & 10:45 a.m. Worship – Country Gospel 10:15-10:30 a.m. Peace Prayer Warriors 5:30-6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. Confirmation | 12 Pastors day off 7:00 p.m. Scouts Pr. Andrew Gone        | 13      | 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace Repiecers 3:45 p.m. 1st Comm. Class       | 15 NEWSLETTER DUE 9:00 a.m. Retired Pastors Prayer Hour 7:00 p.m. Book Club No School                   | 16     | 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. 7th Day Adventist          |
| 18 20th Sunday after Pentecost  9:00 & 10:45 a.m. Worship – ELW #10 10:15-10:30 a.m. Peace Prayer Warriors 5:30-6:30 p.m. AA                               | 7:00 p.m. Scouts   | 20      | 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast<br>10:00 a.m. Peace Repiecers<br>3:45 p.m. 1st Comm. Class | 9:00 a.m. Retired Pastors Prayer Hour 7:00 p.m. Book Club   | 23     | 24<br>9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.<br>7th Day Adventist |
| 9:00 & 10:45 a.m. Worship – Reformation Service & Confirmation 10:15-10:30 a.m. Peace Prayer Warriors 5:30-6:30 p.m. AA 7:00 p.m. Confirmation             | 26 Pastors day off 7:00 p.m. Scouts                        | 27      | 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Peace Repiecers 3:45 1st Comm. Class            | 9:00 a.m. Retired Pastors<br>Prayer Hour  12N-6 p.m. Blood Drive @<br>Shift Church  7:00 p.m. Book Club | 30     | 31<br>Happy Halloween                             |

#### Thanks.....

- → Thank you to all those who helped mow the lawn throughout the summer: Rick Moler, Glyn & Nathan Ross, Rollie Rieger, Paul & Gayle Clifford, the Bell Family, Dennis Bechtold.
- **↓** Thank you to the Peace Weed Warriors for all their hard work in the Peace Gardens.
- **↓** Thanks to Jerry Swenson for the dresser in the women's restroom and the microwave in the Fellowship Hall.
- **↓** Thanks to Martin Haas for installing the new microwave.

#### Membership Info.

Are you interested in becoming an official member of Peace Lutheran Church?

Contact the Church Office for a membership form.

### Join Peace Lutheran's Bible Book Study! October 15 @ 7 p.m.



#### "Battlefield of the Mind" By Joyce Meyer

Worry, doubt, confusion, depression, anger and feelings of condemnation: all these are attacks on the mind. If readers suffer from negative thoughts, they can take heart! Joyce Meyer has helped millions win these all-important battles. In her most popular bestseller ever, the beloved author and minister shows readers how to change their lives by changing their minds.

She teaches how to deal with thousands of thoughts that people think every day and how to focus the mind the way God thinks. And she shares the trials, tragedies, and ultimate victories from her own marriage, family, and ministry that led her to wondrous, life-transforming truth--and reveals her thoughts and feelings every step of the way.

#### **Questions? See Diane Oddy**

#### Youth News.....Fall 2020

Trunk or Treat – October 31.....2-4 p.m. Further details coming soon. Check emails for updates. Please pray for a great year for our youth group, for us to learn more about God's word, his plan for us, how we can serve him, and of course, to have a bunch of fun along the way.

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#### FIRST COMMUNION CLASS

First Communion Instruction will begin Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:45 p.m. for students 3<sup>rd</sup> grade & above who haven't yet had this class. This 5-week class will meet weekly until First Communion Sunday - November 15.



Blood Drive
October 29 12Noon to 6 p.m.

Shift Church, Belgrade

Watch for sign-up sheets for volunteer duties!



# October Birthdays & Anniversaries

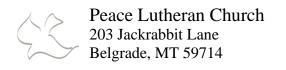
| 1  | Jonathan Sutton            |  |  |  |
|----|----------------------------|--|--|--|
| 4  | Laurie Salo                |  |  |  |
|    | Curt Hickey&Nancy Vitarius |  |  |  |
|    | Kyle & Joni Sando          |  |  |  |
| 5  | Doreen Olean               |  |  |  |
|    | Paul Clifford              |  |  |  |
| 6  | Corie Love                 |  |  |  |
|    | Mike & Joy Spinella        |  |  |  |
| 10 | Aidan Cook                 |  |  |  |
| 11 | Dave Lanzendorf            |  |  |  |
|    | Troy & Megan Paulson       |  |  |  |
| 12 | Mike Koosman               |  |  |  |
| 14 | Art Baker                  |  |  |  |
|    | Terry Schievelbein         |  |  |  |
|    | Hudson Smith               |  |  |  |
| 15 | Ngovib Adukwe              |  |  |  |
| 16 | Ross & Claudia Leake       |  |  |  |
| 17 | Jinx Sorensen              |  |  |  |
| 18 | Bob White                  |  |  |  |
| 19 | Steve & De'Anne Smith      |  |  |  |
| 20 | John Manzo                 |  |  |  |
| 21 | Kollen Pipinich            |  |  |  |
| 22 | Stan & Ginger Bolin        |  |  |  |
| 23 | Finn Paulson               |  |  |  |
|    | Roberta Cestnik            |  |  |  |
| 25 | Mike Hansen                |  |  |  |
| 26 | Karlene Swenson            |  |  |  |
|    | Kirsten (Haas) Kennedy     |  |  |  |
| 28 | Dennis McDonnell           |  |  |  |
|    | Troy Paulson               |  |  |  |
| 30 | Suzan Sullivan             |  |  |  |
|    | Autumn Grassel             |  |  |  |

#### 2020 CROP WALK



If you would like to donate, or find more information about doing your own virtual walk, please go to:

https://www.crophungerwalk.org/bozemanmt/
for more information. The deadline for
donations is October 18.



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The newsletter is available on the website <a href="www.peace2you.org">www.peace2you.org</a>.

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

### Scriptures for October

October 4 –18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Isaiah 5:1-7 Psalm 80:7-19 Philippians 3:4b-14 Matthew 21:33-46

October 11 – 19th Sunday after Pentecost Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 23

Philippians 4:4-13 Matthew 22:1-14

October 18 – 20th Sunday after Pentecost Isaiah 45:1-7 Psalm 96:1-9 1 Thess, 1:1-10 Matthew 22:15-22

October 25 - Reformation Sunday

Revelation 14:6-7 Psalm 46 Romans 3:19-28 John 8:31-36 Peace Lutheran Church 203 Jackrabbit Lane Belgrade, MT 59714

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