



# Words of Peace

*June July August  
2025*

***Peace Lutheran  
Church***

*A congregation of Lutheran  
Congregations in Mission for Christ*

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## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

*July 21-24*



***We need many volunteers to make this happen.  
Areas that we need help are:***

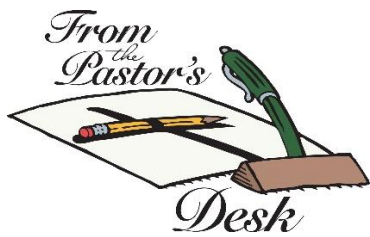
***Group leaders  
Music***

***Snacks  
Games***

***Preschool helpers  
Arts and Crafts***

***We need at least 3 people for each area. Sign up sheets will be out and  
please contact April Johnson with any questions.***





Dear Peace Lutheran Family,

We are turning the corner into the summer season! It's time to get outside and enjoy the Lord's marvelous creation. Hit that hiking or biking trail. Toss in a line and try to catch that beautiful Cutthroat. Have dinner out back on your patio. Try something new and share what you're learning with a new friend. The opportunities are endless.

Speaking of something new, we are going to engage in an exciting new sermon series starting in June. (\*The scripture lessons in the Old and New Testament correspond with the 2025 Sola Lectionary.) The series forms an acrostic "PRAYS" – *Prepare* (June 1st) *Receive* (Pentecost Sunday June 8th) *Affirm* (Holy Trinity June 15th) *Yield* (June 22nd) and *Sacrifice* (June 29th). Each sermon theme applies to the relevant Scripture passage in the Sola Lectionary. The hope of this sermon series is to encourage new, applicable lessons in your life that honors your relationship with Christ and passes the true hope of the gospel to someone else. Looking forward to the applicable lessons that the Lord puts in your heart!

In July we are excited for a new Vacation Bible School titled, "*Live It Out—Discover How to Love Like Jesus*." Like exploring the outdoors by camping, we are going to explore the depth of Jesus' unending love for us and in sharing His love to others. Thinking of this theme, I'm reminded of the apostle John's first letter when he wrote, "*This is love: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and gave His only son as the atonement for our sins* (1 John 4:10)." There are plenty of ways that you can help us spread the message of Christ's atoning love. Please let us know how you would like to be involved in Vacation Bible School.

Finally, we hope to utilize our new Personal Care Pantry ministry in partnership with Love Inc and other churches to share the hope of Jesus in our valley. Besides Peace Lutheran as the host church for this ministry, the other churches included are Seventh Day Adventists (Belgrade), Light of Christ Fellowship (Independent Lutheran church in Bozeman—Four Corners area), and Belgrade United Reformed Church. We hope to open the Personal Care Pantry ministry in the fall when schools are back in session. (\*Dates and details are coming so please stay tuned.) I'm excited that we can partner with our brothers and sisters in Christ and share His hope with people in physical and spiritual need.

Peace Lutheran, thank you for all you do.

I'm humbled and grateful to share in the new opportunities that Christ has called us to do.

God bless,

Pr. Andrew Young



# LIVE IT OUT

DISCOVER HOW TO  
LOVE LIKE JESUS

## Vacation Bible School

VBS is July 21st to 24th from 9am to Noon.

Our theme motto is: Live it Out: Discover How To Love Like Jesus.

The decoration theme is: Retro Summer Camp

Volunteers are still needed for all different stations:

- Nature Navigators (Crafts)
- Campfire Jam Crew (Music team)
- Trail Blazers (Age group guides)
- Tiny Trekkers (Preschool)
- Trail Mix Troop (Snacks)
- Adventure Seekers (Games)
- Scripture Scouts (Bible Study leaders)
- Deco Squad (Decorating crew)
- Greeting Gang (Registration crew)



Registration is on the website.  
Pre-K to 6th Grade are welcome!







From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets,  
the name of the Lord is to be praised.  
Psalm 113:3

Thank goodness for the sunrise and the sunsets and every minute in between. I love the sunshine and the rain, both of which we have been blessed with. During these summer months, we are going to do our best to get our youth and their families together for some fun in the sun! VBS will be held July 21st through the 24th. As always, the youth look forward to being leaders and guiding our younger youth to seeking God each and every day. Peace Lutheran is such a wonderful family and we sincerely appreciate all of the support you all continue to share with our youth and their leaders. I hope you all enjoy the beautiful summer and let us remember to praise His name from the rising sun to the setting sun, all of the hours of the day.

Respectfully yours,  
Joni Sando  
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We extend our sincere thanks to Baylee Roberts for her outstanding work in redecorating our youth room. If you haven't had a chance to see it yet, we encourage you to visit the space downstairs and take a look. This project was completed as part of Baylee's senior project at Manhattan Christian School.

We wish you all the best in your future endeavors,  
Baylee!



# JUNE 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b> <b>Ascension of the Lord</b>  9:00 a.m.    Worship – ELW #3 10:15 a.m. – Coffee & Fellowship 5 p.m. - AA	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Re-Piecers	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>  <i>9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.</i> <i>7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist</i>
<b>8</b> <b>Pentecost</b>  9:00 a.m.    Worship – Melville OUTDOORS Picnic to follow 5 p.m. - AA	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>  <i>12 N– Worship</i> <i>Committee Mtg.</i>	<b>11</b>  6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Re-Piecers	<b>12</b>  <i>7p.m. Council</i>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>  <i>9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.</i> <i>7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist</i>   <b>Flag Day</b>
<b>15</b> <b>Holy Trinity Sunday</b>  9 a.m.    Worship – Service of the Word 10:15 a.m.– Coffee & Fellowship  5 p.m. - AA 	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>  6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Re-Piecers	<b>19</b>  Pr. Andrew out of the office →	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>  <i>9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.</i> <i>7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist</i>
<b>22</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</b>  9:00 a.m.    Worship-ELW #10 10:15 a.m. – Coffee & Fellowship 5 p.m. - AA  →	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>  6:30 a.m. Men's Breakfast 10:00 a.m. Re-Piecers	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>  <i>9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.</i> <i>7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist</i>
<b>29</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</b>  9:00 a.m. Worship – Country Gospel 10:15 a.m. – Coffee & Fellowship 5 p.m. - AA	<b>30</b>					





# JUNE

## Worship Schedule



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To Be Determined

Sign-up Sheets in the Fellowship Hall

<b>June 1</b> <b>Ascension of the Lord</b>	<i>ELW #3</i>
Piano	<i>Joe Sutton</i>
Greeters	<i>Zach Rogers-Sherman +1</i>
Reader	
Refreshments	
<b>June 8</b> <b>Pentecost</b>	<i>Melville Worship OUTDOOR SERVICE</i>
Guitars	<i>John &amp; Grace Bent Bob &amp; Dianne Coughlin</i>
Reader	
Refreshments	<i>Picnic Outdoors</i>
<b>June 15</b> <b>Holy Trinity Sunday</b>	<i>Service of the Word</i>
Piano	<i>Jackie Currey</i>
Greeters	<i>Zach Rogers-Sherman + 1</i>
Reader	<i>Darlene Idland</i>
Refreshments	
<b>June 22</b> <b>2nd Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<i>ELW #10</i>
Piano	<i>Connie Holton</i>
Greeters	
Reader	
Refreshments	
<b>June 29</b> <b>3rd Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<i>Country Gospel</i>
Piano	<i>Lorrie Hansen</i>
Greeters	<i>Kelsey Stevens</i>
Reader	
Refreshments	
<b>May – August Council</b>	<i>Joe Sutton/Jinx Sorensen Nick Sorensen/Fred Haas</i>
<b>Altar Guild for June</b>	<i>Kristy Rieger Donna Mellinger Karlene Swenson</i>





### **Outer Room Fellowship**

**June 8th - 9:00 AM Worship Service will be held in the tent.**

**Kicking off summer, we will have a Fellowship Meal directly after service. There will be a team to reorganize the tent, getting tables/chairs and food set up, everyone will then find a place to settle in for lunch.**

**Peace will provide BBQ Shredded Chicken Sandwiches - asking the congregation for potluck sides and desserts. (Rhubarb is in season.... )**

**There will be fantastic food, flaming good fun and a fiery message reminding us the Holy Spirit is in each of us!**

**WEAR YOUR 'RED' T-SHIRTS**

**Come and See!**



## Quilt Loading







**LUTHERAN  
WORLD RELIEF**

<b>Baby Care Kits</b>	<b>528</b>
<b>Fabric Kits</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Quilts</b>	<b>1310</b>
<b>Personal Care</b>	<b>548</b>
<b>School Kits</b>	<b>765</b>



## SUMMER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSAIRES

JUNE		JULY		AUGUST	
Derek & Nicky Swenson	1	Macey Clark Dustin Hampton	2	Dave Hughes Kolter Swenson Eric & Stacey Larson	1 3 4
Eileen Savage	4	Darlene Idland	3	Jackson Forsberg	5
Ty Sando	5	Stara Bell	4	Amy Lanzendorf Joseph Sutton	7 8
Grace Bent	6	Dianne Coughlin	5	Adam & Kara Byrd	10
Mike Erickson	8	Linda Keehr Bruce & Jinx Sorensen	8 9	Cheryl Bechtold Dani Larson	11
Remmy Swenson Fawn Wyman Andy & Tracey Bolich John & Jennifer Handsaker	11 12	John Bent Bruce Sorensen Darin & Jayme Swenson	10 11	Wesley Young Mike & Jenna Pintor Shawn & Tina Beckman	12 13
Lisa Sutton Phil & Kate Davis Gary & Debby Porter Bryleigh Larson	13 14 15	Rollie & Kristy Rieger Diane Oddy Doug Johnson Terry & Nancy Schievelbein	12 13	Kyle Sando Mike & Lorrie Hansen Paula Reynolds	15 16 17
		John & Grace Bent Sandy Spehar	14	Heather & Randy Geiger	18
John & Wynne Gillis Bob & Dianne Coughlin Dylan Bell Kevin & Julie Mattson	16 17	Nick Sorensen Kristen Swenson	15	Ainsley Damjanovich Dee Feddes Devyn Sando	20 21
Taylin Wyman	18	Paul & Gayle Clifford Mike Mattson Kara Byrd	16	Kari Haas Nathan Ross	27 28
Stan & Doreen Olean	19	Kenzlee Swenson Kraig Rieger Andrew & Amy Young Don Reynolds Andrew Young Ken & Cathi Scheurn	17 18 19 21	Allison Mattson Diana Sorensen Dave & Lori Lanzendorf Eric Swenson Wynn Swenson Dennis & Cheryl Bechtold	29 30
Karl & Amanda Swenson	20	Doug & April Johnson Michelle Clark	22		
Larry & Char Somers	21	Carl & Katy Grassel	23		
Jerry & Karlene Swenson	22	Al Trainer	24		
Trae & Kyra Waynes	24	Ashby & Linda Miller Amanda Swenson Trae Waynes	25		
Joe & Lisa Sutton Hollis Snyder & Dennis McDonnell Rollie Rieger De'Anne Smith Kelsey Stevens	26	Jenn Kolling	26		
Cameron Handsaker Ridge Swenson	29	Samuel Young Steve & Tiina Smith Landen Holm Dave & Lindsey Forsberg	27 28 29 31		



## Guest Copy

**Have**

**An**

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