

NEWS AND NOTES FROM PEACE WITH CHRIST

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Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

WELCOME TO PEACE WITH CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH!

We give thanks to God that you are joining us today! Many of our guests are seeking a home church where they can be part of the Fellowship of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Peace with Christ is a congregation that is a family not an “organization”. We are small enough to allow people to know each other by name, and yet large enough to offer opportunities for growth and service. What we “specialize” in is not programs or productions, but simply The Gospel of Our Lord Jesus. Christ, His Word, and the Cross are what provide the foundation for faith and ministry. If you are interested in learning more about Peace With Christ Lutheran Church, please call the church office at 226-4721. Pastor Patrick would welcome the opportunity to visit with you personally.

THE TIME before the service may be used for prayer and preparation. Read through the worship bulletin and familiarize yourself with the service. A few moments spent this way will help make the service more meaningful.



NEXT WEEK'S LUTHERAN HOUR

MESSAGE: *“The Changeless Christ for a Changing World”* Guest Speaker: Dr. Walter A. Maier. We present a classic Lutheran Hour message from the program's founder and first

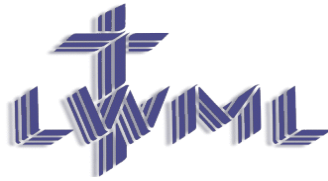
speaker. This message was originally broadcast the day after Christmas, 1937. (Hebrews 13:8) Listen to *The Lutheran Hour Message* on KOA, Denver (AM850) at 6:00am and KFKA, Greeley (AM1310) at 9:30am

Peace With Christ Radio Broadcast: KCOL (600AM), at 9:00 AM Sundays.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

“God Heals in the Jordan's Waters” (2 Kings 5:1-14) was the lesson for our Sunday School students today. Students learned about how God healed a military leader from a foreign country. A topic to discuss might focus on humility and expectations of God. *Parents might ask, “What do we learn about God from this account? How does God provide cleansing and eternal healing for us?”*

Adult Instruction Class for our new comers who would like to become members. Starting today, this class will be held in Pastor Patrick's office and taught by Pastor Caspersen.



- ◆ Throughout July and August, LWML is collecting school supplies for the Ysleta Mission. “Back to School” specials abound and \$1 goes a long way! The kids at Ysleta are always in need of paper, pencils, pencil sharpeners, erasers, markers, rulers, crayons, glue and backpacks. The next time you’re out shopping, pick up a few items for our Friends in Christ on the border. A basket is available for your donations in the Sunshine Hall.
- ◆ Kay’s Angels continue to meet over the summer most Mondays from 2-4pm. Call Kay at 472-9250 to confirm dates and times. The Angels’ handmade jewelry will be available for purchase in the Sunshine Hall a few Sundays each month to benefit our four seminarians...Brandon, Stephen, Evan and Andrew!

Thank You to the many volunteers who helped to make VBS a special week for all of the students! Your time and efforts are much appreciated, and many children heard the good news of Christ and salvation for the first time. Praise be to God!

The Youth will be offering their services to members in need of yard work, window washing, extra help with cleaning, painting, and other jobs. Please talk with Marilyn or sign-up on the sheet and we will try to get everything done! Dates are July 29 & August 2.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Mark your calendars! July 20 we are planning to go to Water World. Meet at PWC at 8:30am, bring a lunch, sun-screen, swimsuit or (change of clothes), towel, a friend and \$24, plan to leave the park at 5pm. Please sign up - we need 15 people for this price.

Youth Work Days: July 29 and August 2 - we have had a lot of fun, attended camp or conferences this summer now we will give back to the congregation! One job will be to repaint the concrete wall along the walk-way out front and other jobs? Maybe other painting, window washing or yard work! We will end the days with a BBQ and water games or ? Sign-up to be there!



It is time to again be thinking about the upcoming drive for our food and clothing items for St. John's Lutheran food pantry and clothing closet. During the first two weeks of August we will be collecting school clothing for teens and elementary kids, shoes, jeans, shorts, t-shirts, school supplies cereals (dry & hot), tomato products, pasta, rice, flour, soup, tuna, bread, buns. The collection dates are August 1st & 8th. Questions, contact Troy & Joy Bauder - 482-9633 or Cleve & Nancy Moore - 224-1312

Are you interested in learning more about one of the orphanages in Haiti that is a possible site for a future mission trip? If so then go to "nehlm.org" You will enjoy learning more about this blessed ministry of love in Christ Jesus.

College and Young Adult Group

This coming week we'll be meeting at City Park at 4pm for the Large Catechism study on the Apostles' Creed. Don't worry if you haven't been able to come in the past. Let's meet near the restrooms, and then we can find somewhere to sit. Feel free to bring footballs, soccer balls, etc. if you'd like. Hope you'll join us!

- ◆ Mark your calendars! August 13-14, we'll be camping with the groups from ULC Boulder and St. Andrew's Laramie. Watch for more details!



Reception: The congregation is invited to a reception for Heather Scheiwe and Ben Kulp on August 7 at 4pm. It will be held at the home of her parents, Doug & Martha Scheiwe, 4418 Craig Dr. The couple requests, as your gift, a favorite dish to share along with the recipe. Ben & Heather will be married at St. Luke's Lutheran Church of Logan Square in Chicago on Sept. 4, 2010.

"The Bible tells us that only in the heavenly home will we come to know the meaning of perfection (Revelation 7:16-17). Our neighbors, whose beautiful little girl is suffering from a brain tumor, will not have to wonder why she should be afflicted in this way for there will be no disease and imperfections that we live with while here on earth. We will not see bodies dying of malnutrition, and no more tears will be shed ... Is it no wonder that St. Paul, knowing the heavenly home awaited him, said, 'For me to live is Christ, but to die is gain' (Philippians 1:21)." Rev. Homer Larson, speaker on the Christian Crusaders radio program This "Life Quote" is from Lutherans For Life www.lutheransforlife.org.



Our Prayers: We remember-

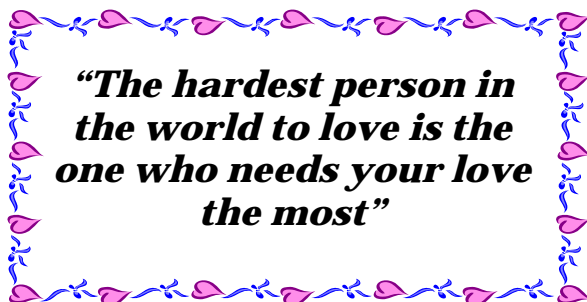
Those who are ill, hospitalized, or recovering from surgery:

Harold Nansel, Lloyd Hutton, Marcie Walter, Tatum Kottwitz, Pat Stegner, Howard & Donna (Marilyn's father & mother), Bernice Nansel, Shirley Poppe, Leora Snyder, Joe Walters, Betty Walters, Barb Holder, Jerry Holder, Kevin Rodenbeck, Pastor Rob Jarvis

Those who are not able to attend church: Margaret Ziehm, Carolyn Brown, Arline Young, June Schwarck, Marie Rubel, Evelyn Marweg, Vi Monahan

Comfort for Louise Tuchenhausen's family

Waste Not; Want Not - Assist Lutheran Family Services of Colorado as they set up apartments for newly arriving refugee families by filling a wastepaper basket with household necessities. Fill each basket with new items including paper towels, toilet paper, sponges, trash bags, dish soap, and all purpose cleaners or simply collect some of these supplies. The items may be delivered to the LFS office at 800 Eighth Ave., Suite 225, Greeley, 80631 or for pick up call Meghan Belaski, Volunteer/ Donation Coordinator at 970-336-2205.



ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Today July 18	Worship Services (Communion) Education Hour College/Young Adult Study Group Broadcast Articles Due	8:00 & 10:45 am 9:30 am 4:00 pm
Monday July 19	Evangelism & Worship	6:00 pm
Tuesday July 20	Youth - Water World	8:30 am
Wednesday July 21	Hands in Harmony Youth Bible Study King's Men Vespers Service	6:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm
Thursday July 22		
Friday July 23		
Saturday July 24		
Sunday July 25	Worship Services (Communion) Education Hour College/Young Adult Study Group	8:00 & 10:45 am 9:30 am

THOSE WHO SERVE TODAY

<u>July 18</u>	8:00 am	10:45 am
Materials:	Muellers	
Greeters:	Farriers	Hazel Maiorka
Guest Book:		Gladys Hulsebus
Reader:	Mike Allison	Dan Prevedel
Ushers:	Brian Lacey	Martin Sampson
	Brianna Lacey	Chuck Black
	David Nierman	Bradley Hurst
Nursery:	Jodi & Addi Lacey	Rohlfs
Acolyte:	Mackenzie Chevront	Lauren Roth
Crucifer:		
Audio Support:	David Nierman	Martin Sampson
Organist:	Reena Linke	
Elder of the Month:	Dan Krueckeberg	

*Flowers on the Altar in Celebration of
Becca Lasich's Birthday*

THOSE WHO SERVE NEXT WEEK

<u>July 25</u>	8:00 am	10:45 am
Materials:	Muellers	
Greeters:	Farriers	Julie Eberhard
Guest Book:	Lorraine Schipper	
Reader:	Mike Allison	Dan Prevedel
Ushers:	Judy Dahlgren	Larry Siegfried
	Brianna Lacey	Chuck Black
	David Nierman	Bradley Hurst
	Brian Lacey	Martin Sampson
Nursery:	Jodi & Addi Lacey	Mackenzie Chevront
Acolytes:	Amanda Nierman	Marina Rohlfs
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Prayer and Study

Date: July 18 – July 24

Luther Quote: *“Faith is and, indeed must be a steadfastness of the heart, which does not waver, wobble, shake, tremble, or doubt, but stands firm and is sure of its case... When this Word enters the heart by true faith, it makes the heart as firm, sure, and certain as it is itself, so that the heart is unmoved, stubborn, and hard in the face of every temptation, the devil, death, and anything whatever, boldly and proudly despising and mocking everything that spells doubt, fear, evil, and wrath.. For it knows that God’s Word cannot lie. ”*

Bible readings for the week:

<u>Sunday:</u>	Psalm 44; 2 Kings 1-3
<u>Monday:</u>	Psalm 45; 2 Kings 4-6
<u>Tuesday:</u>	Psalm 46; 2 Kings 7-9
<u>Wednesday:</u>	Psalm 47; 2 Kings 10-12
<u>Thursday:</u>	Psalm 48; 2 Kings 13-15
<u>Friday:</u>	Psalm 49; 2 Kings 16-18
<u>Saturday:</u>	Psalm 50; 2 Kings 19-22

National Youth Gathering – July 16-23

More than 25,000 youth are expected to attend the LCMS’ tri-annual National Youth Gathering in New Orleans, La., which runs from July 17-21.

Daily Prayers:

Sunday: For the delegation of “missionary kids” attending the gathering from various countries around the world—may this time with other youth be a special blessing for them as they enjoy fellowship with other Christian believers.

Monday: That the speakers who address the youth in the large group sessions and workshops throughout the gathering would speak God's truth and would both encourage and challenge the young listeners with a message from God's Word.

Tuesday: That the Lord would use this special time to build strong relationships and friendships between the youth that attend, so that they may continue to encourage one another and hold each other accountable.

Wednesday: That as youth visit the LCMS World Mission exhibit area and learn about LCMS mission work around the world, they would be moved to pray for missionaries and consider missionary service themselves.

Thursday: That God would use the gathering as a strong witness to the New Orleans community—that all interactions between attendees and works at the convention center, in the hotels, and in the community would be a blessing that points people to Jesus.

Friday: That God would use what the gathering attendees have learned and experienced to help them live out their faith as they return to their homes and communities.

International Lutheran Laymen's League – July 24-31

In 2010, the 93rd international convention of the International Lutheran Laymen's League will be held in Omaha, Neb., from July 22-25. Participants will come together under the theme, "Spirit-Driven," which is taken from 2 Tim. 1:7.

Saturday: That the speakers, exhibitors, and others who share would be an encouragement and inspiration to those attending the convention, which began on Thursday and continues through tomorrow.

July 11 ATTENDANCE

Worship Attendance: **Total**
116(8:00) 96(10:45 am) 212

Education Hour Attendance:
Adult Bible Study: 60 Sunday School: 17

Financial Update
As of May 31, 2010

<u>Budget - 2010</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Net Income</u>
\$376,264.04	\$150,380.20	\$156,927.76	-\$6,547.56

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION HOUR: 9:30-10:30 a.m.

ADULT BIBLE CLASS. .. Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall
NURSERY & KINDERGARTEN Preschool Rooms
GRADES 1- 2 Peter
GRADES 3-4 Abraham
GRADE 5 Isaac
JR. HIGH Jacob
SR. HIGH Youth Room

**NEXT WEEK'S
SCRIPTURE READINGS
(ESV)**

First Lesson:
Genesis 18:20-33
Second Lesson:
Colossians 2:6-15
Gospel:
Luke 11:1-13

PRESS DEADLINES

**Green sheet articles are due
by 3:00 p.m. Wednesday
afternoon.**

**Broadcast articles are due
TODAY**