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Announcements: August 19, 2018

Peace Lutheran Church, Sunday, August 19, 2018

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**HOLY COMMUNION** is served continuously, please follow the ushers. All who are baptized and believe in the crucified and risen Lord Jesus Christ are welcome. The center ring of glasses is grape juice, and the hexagon-shaped crackers are gluten-free. Children not receiving communion are encouraged to come up for a blessing.

**FIND OUR CHAIRS A LITTLE HARD?** Grab one of the pillows by the coat rack.

**PRAYER TIME** - We have a Prayer Team at Peace and share in **prayer time on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m.** All are welcome for a devotion and prayer. Questions? Julie Hanson 715.220.5149 or Nancy Rowe 715.531.8784.

**PEACE MENTOR PROGRAM** – Anyone in need of a mentor or knowing of someone else that might be, and anyone interested in being a mentor and getting more information about it, please talk to Leann Huston at 715.556.2129 or lhuston13@yahoo.com.

#### CALENDAR: 08/19/18 – 08/26/18

**Sunday, August 19**– 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Worship; 5:00 p.m. Usher Meeting/Cookout; *Congregation Bake Sale*

**Monday, August 20** – 9:00 a.m. Women of Peace Work Day

**Tuesday, August 21** – 7:00 p.m. Church Council

**Wednesday, August 22** – 6:30 p.m. Logos Board

**Thursday, August 23** – 9:30 a.m. Prayer Time

**Sunday, August 26** - 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. Worship; 9:15 a.m. Board of Deacons; 6:30 p.m. Scouts

#### ASSISTANTS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

**8:00 a.m.** - Greeting: Laura Hanson. Acolytes: Marney Roemhild & Mackenzie Meyers. Communion: Jim Hauschild, Jr. & ??  
 Lector: ?? Ushers: ?? Counting: Helgeson/Rognholt. Visitation Ministry: Judy Jensen.

**10:30 a.m.** - Greeting: Dahls. Acolytes: Maddi Monicken & Will Kroening. Communion: Carla O'Connell; Jeanette Dahl; & ??  
 Lector: Jeanette Dahl. Ushers: ??

#### ASSISTANTS FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 26

**8:00 a.m.** - Greeting: ?? Acolytes: Masen Werner & Rachel Fussy. Communion: Joan Ford & ?? Lector: ?? Ushers: ??  
 Counting: Hauschilds. Visitation Ministry: Monickens.

**10:30 a.m.** - Greeting: ?? Acolytes: Keegan Ofstie & Chase Shafer. Communion: Sue Gillis & ?? Lector: ?? Ushers: ??

#### PRAYER CHAIN – We have several people signed up on the prayer chain.

If you would like a prayer for yourself or someone else, please submit requests on the website (welcometopeace.org) or call Kathy Miller at 715-749-3508.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Mary Bengston, Elener Cronk, Lindsay Daraitis\*, Joe Goossens, John Greenberg, Paula Hampton, Jan Hanson, Rachel Hanson, Scott Husby, Dennis Johnson, Judith Korf, family & friends of Alisa (Norvold) Leonard, Jake Nyhagen\*, Autumn Rasmussen, Jim & Kathy Rognholt, Jean Rowe, Brad Schumacher, Carol Shearer, Cole Skelton\*, and Kitty Wulf. (\*service members)

~ **Please note** - people are removed from the prayer list after two months unless otherwise requested. ~

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SALES/INFO/SIGN-UPS – All sales/info/sign-ups (assistants, coffee, cards, Scrip, etc.) are on the north side of the entry. There are two "sale/info" tables available for groups to use on a first-come, first-served basis (check with the office to reserve a spot). **Please take a minute to see what's available today.**

TODAY'S OPPORTUNITIES:

Sale/Info tables – **CONGREGATION BAKE SALE / Sign-ups –Worship Assistants**

\$50,000 CHALLENGE MET!!! Every dollar given to the Debt Reduction Challenge by August 17 was matched up to \$50,000 allowing us to make an additional principal payment of over \$100,000 before we renew the loan!! **Watch for an update on the final total!**

USHER MEETING – Anyone and everyone interested and available to usher for the upcoming year is invited to an informational meeting/cookout **TODAY, August 19**, at 5:00 p.m. at Peace. Call or contact Ken Rimer with questions and to RSVP at 715-410-3195 or k.rimer@yahoo.com.

SCRIP ORDERS - The September deadline for ordering Scrip is Sunday, **September 2** (Labor Day weekend). Your order will be ready for pick up the following Sunday, Sept. 9. Debit/credit cards may also be used to pay for scrip orders. Use the card terminal in the narthex of church (directions are located next to the unit). To place an order, simply complete your order form (at the Scrip station in the narthex and on our website) and place it in an envelope along with your cash, check or debit/credit card slip. Place

your envelope in the wooden Scrip box located in the middle church office or in either of the drop boxes. If you have any questions regarding the Scrip program and how easy it is to use, please contact Sharon Hauschild 715-307-2531 (cell). Thank you!

FALL GARAGE SALE – Yes, we are having one! Dates are **September 7 & 8**. Watch for more info...

RALLY DAY - Mark your calendars for Sunday, **September 9**, our first day of Sunday school!! Registration forms are in the narthex and the church office, or you can register on Rally Day. If you would like to help by being a substitute or special teacher, please let Jody Ramberg know at jody@bilha.org or text 715.977.0593. Thank you!

THANK YOU PICNIC! The congregation is invited to a THANK YOU PICNIC on **September 16** following the second service. A pig roast with beverages, chips, beans, coleslaw, buns, and dessert will be served, and there will be games for the kids. The Board of Stewardship greatly appreciates all that you have done for our church, so please join us as we say thanks!

DO YOU LIKE TO EAT? Logos Family Time needs adults to be paired with tables of kids each Wednesday during the meal portion of our program (the time is brief – roughly 45 minutes). We would like to have two per table, so we would gladly accept husband and wife teams or singles to be matched up with others. Please prayerfully consider this and contact Kari Wangen at (715) 505-2585 for more information.

PUZZLE EXCHANGE! There are several of us that enjoy puzzles, so we've put a box in the back of the church for a puzzle exchange. After you complete a puzzle, add it to the box for someone else to enjoy and then find another puzzle to take home for you to enjoy. (8/5)

FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT			
Weekly Budgeted Offerings Expenses with mortgage	\$ 8,468	YTD budgeted expenses (7/31/18)	\$252,757
Weekly Income (08/12/18)	\$ 4,714	YTD Income (7/31/18)	\$250,390
Difference	\$ - 3,754		\$ - 2,367

CAPITAL LOAN		
Loan Balance 01/01/18	Payments/Month	Current Loan Balance 07/24/18
826,316.97	\$ 8,184.00	\$ 697,057.98

~~~~~ MIRACLE GROW FOR THE SOUL ~~~~~

*But if it is by grace, it is no longer on the basis of works, otherwise grace would no longer be grace.*

- Romans 11:6

*To be alive is to be broken. And to be broken is to stand in need of grace.*

- Brennan Manning

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TUESDAY COMMUNITY SUPPER - There will not be a Tuesday Community Supper in September due to the Labor Day holiday. See you Tuesday, October 2 (which is Peace's turn to serve).