Peace Lutheran Church

"Peace Through Christ"

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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 14, 2021



As We Gather During these last few weeks of the Church Year, our hearts and minds are again pointed to that last great day when our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ returns in all His power and glory. Many around us fear the thought of this world coming to an end. Yet our Readings today, and the Spirit-given faith clings to that Word centered in Christ and His promises, gives us the assurance that our Lord's coming will be a time of joy. We remain confident, and we have nothing to fear as we are promised that those who endure to the end will be saved.

Hearing aids and large print bulletins are available. If you would like a hearing aid or large print bulletin please see an usher.

<u>A special welcome to those with young children.</u> If needed, a cry room is located near the church entryway complete with a window and sound so you may fully participate in worship. If you need guidance please see an usher.

RINGING OF THE BELL PRELUDE WELCOME

+ PREPARATION +

OPENING HYMN



5 Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him! All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him . Let the Amen Sound from His people again; Gladly forever adore Him!

INVOCATION

OPENING SENTENCES

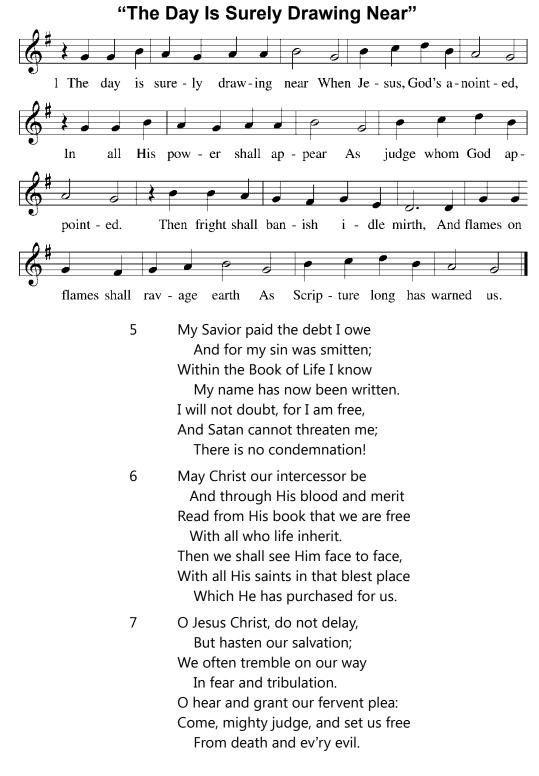
- Pastor: And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time.
- People: But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book.
- Pastor: Since we have confidence to enter the holy places by the blood of Jesus, and since we have a great high priest over the house of God, let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith;
- People: let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering;
- Pastor: and let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. But be on your guard.

People: The one who endures to the end will be saved.

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION Hebrews 10:9–12; Daniel 12:3

- Pastor: As we faithfully and patiently wait upon the Day of the Lord, we confess that in our waiting, we have grown impatient. Because of our sins of thought, word, and deed, we have not drawn near to Him with a true heart in full assurance of faith.
- People: Forgive us, Lord.
- Pastor: In our waiting, we have let the things of this world entice us and pull us away from Your Word of truth and promise. We have not held fast to the confession of our hope without wavering.
- People: Forgive us, Lord.
- Pastor: By our own sinful nature, we have not loved You with our whole heart, and we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have failed to stir up one another to love and good works. We are by nature corrupt and dead in sin.
- People: Forgive us, Lord.
- Pastor: Our God does not consume us and will not consume us when the Day comes. Our sins and our loveless acts He remembers no more. By virtue of Christ's sacrificial death and resurrection and your Baptism into His death, your names are written in the Book of Life. You will "shine like the brightness of the sky." Rejoice that for Jesus' sake, all your sins are forgiven, in the name of the Father and of the I Son and of the Holy Spirit!
- People: Amen.

HYMN OF PRAISE



PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray.

O Lord, by Your bountiful goodness release us from the bonds of our sins, which by reason of our weakness we have brought upon ourselves, that we may stand firm until the day of our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

+THE WORD OF GOD+

OLD TESTAMENT READING Daniel 12:1–3

(The prophet speaks of the resurrection of all and affirms hope to those who believe.)

Reader: This is the Word of our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

EPISTLE READING Hebrews 10:11–25 (Through Christ's one sacrifice of Himself, we are made holy and given the full assurance of faith.)

Reader: This is the Word of our Lord. **People: Thanks be to God.**

HANDBELL CHOIR "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"



Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the 13th chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord!

(The Gospel is read.)

Pastor: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ!

HYMN OF THE DAY

"Christ Sits at God's Right Hand"

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MESSAGE

"When Drawing Near Is Dangerous... And Not Drawing Near More Dangerous Still" Hebrews 10:11-25 Pastor Mike Schultze

CONFESSION OF FAITH Apostles' Creed

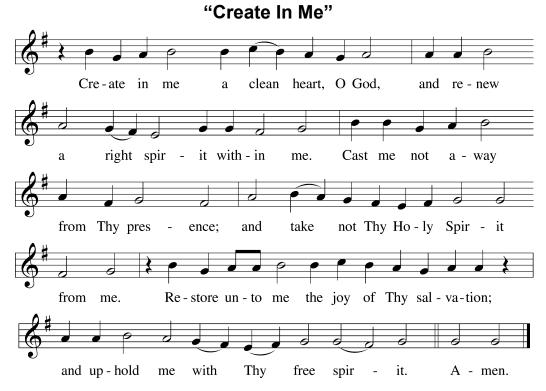
All: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body. and the life everlasting. Amen.

OFFERING

(Please sign and fill out the fellowship book and pass it down your pew. When finished, pass it back down your pew to the center aisle seat and the ushers will pick it up after the service.)

VOLUNTARY

OFFERTORY



PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

- All: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the
 - glory, forever and ever. Amen.

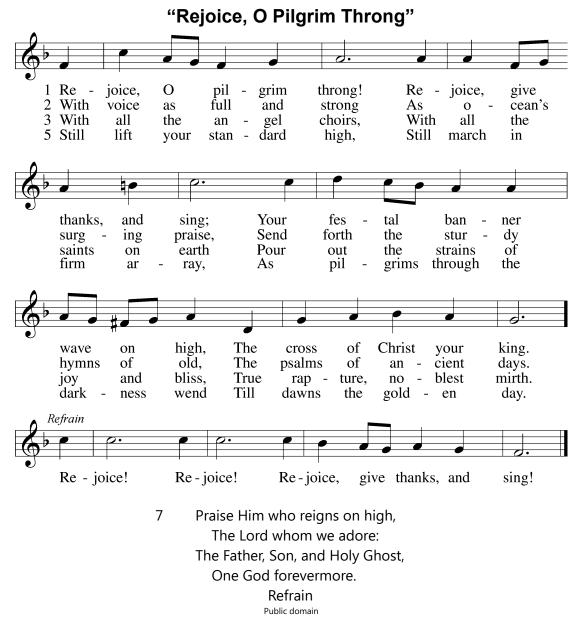
BENEDICTION

Pastor: As we endure in our wait for Christ's return, by His atoning work and the Spirit in us, let us with a true heart and in faith draw near to the Lord; let us continue firmly in the confession of hope; let us with one another stir up love and good works. As we endure in our wait and as we see that Day approaching, let us bless the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

- People: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN



ANNOUNCEMENTS

POSTLUDE

ATTENDANCE ON 11/7/21: 8:00- 47 9:30- 38 11:00- 39 Total - 124

Sunday School - 12

ALTAR FLOWERS: Given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for all of His blessings upon us, by the members of Peace.

THOSE WHO SERVE US TODAY SUNDAY November 14, 2021

	8:00am	9:30am	11:00am
Elder:	Dave Schmidt	Tom Waddell/	Bob Hutchison
		Bob Weaver	
Greeters:			Luci Pommers
Readers:	Linda Young	Stacy Hunter	Al Bosman
Acolytes:	Mason Vigiano		Marisa Denninger
Ushers:	Blaine Wanke		Mike McCracken
	Keith Hedrick		Tom La Jeunesse
	Todd Harter		
Altar Care	: Luci Pommers		
	Irene Hutchison		
Organist:	Karen Foote		
Choir Dire	ctor: Linda La Jeune	esse	

THOSE WHO SERVE US NEXT SUNDAY November 21, 2021

Elder:	8:00am Dave Schmidt	9:30am Tom Waddell/	11:00am Bob Hutchison
		Bob Weaver	
Greeters:	Karen Taylor		Connie Morris
Readers:	David Hudnell	Jeff Magill	Susan Klein
Acolytes:	Lucas Williamson		Michelle Ullerick
Ushers:	Craig Frye		Rick Poore
	Karen Taylor		
	Gary Taylor		
	Bill Young		
Altar Care:	Luci Pommers		
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THIS WEEK AT PEACE NOVEMBER 14, 2021

Today: 8:00 & 11:00 am Traditional Services 9:30 am Praise Communion Service (FH) 9:30 am Sunday School 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse) 10:42 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse) 1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship 4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH) Monday: Office closed Tuesday: 10:00 am Ladies Bible Study 7:00 pm Council Meeting Wednesday:10:00 am Luther's Attic Volunteers 6:00 pm High School Bible Study 6:30 pm Women's A&AA Family Support Thursday: 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:30 am Thursday Morning Bible Study 10:00 am Lifelight Bible Study (zoom) 5:45 pm Handbell rehearsal (Sanctuary) 7:00 pm Adult Choir rehearsal (Sanctuary) Friday: 6:00 pm Confirmation Saturday: 10:00 am Praise Band practice Sunday: 8:00 & 11:00 am Traditional Communion Services 9:30 am Praise Service (FH) 9:30 am Sunday School 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (Coffeehouse)

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 - 1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship
- 4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)

Wednesday, November 24th at 7pm



ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 14, 2021

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY- A new study begins with *"Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi Return to the Lord"* on **Thursdays,** 6:45am with breakfast in the Fellowship Hall. Our study will also be available on Zoom. Join us. For more info, call Dave Hutter (805)386-7007.

THE LIFELIGHT BIBLE STUDY- LifeLight has begun a 9 week study on Wilderness Wanderings, Thursdays at 10 AM. This study is via Zoom. Please contact Blaine or Diana Wanke @ 805-465-0485, if you would like to join this study.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets @ 9:30AM in rotating homes, with a study of the Gospel of John. If you have any questions please call Dave Schmidt @ 805-482-3867.

TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets in the Proverbs Coffee House at 10am as they study the book of Ruth. For more information contact Connie Morris at805-987-5116.

PRAYER CHAIN- If you have a prayer request please call *Sandi Stepp* at: 805-625-0479 or e-mail <u>footstepps@verizon.net</u>.

THE FOOD BANK- Donations for the food pantry at St. Columba's Episcopal Church can be put in the donation box in the narthex. Donations are taken to the pantry weekly. Shelf stable milk, cereal, canned vegetables, tuna, and peanut butter are always needed, but all non-perishable, unexpired donations are appreciated. The pantry serves our Camarillo seniors and families that need a helping hand. We thank you for your continued support- *Social Concerns*

IN-SERVICE CHILD CARE NEEDED- We are still planning to re-open our Nursery in the Fellowship Hall, and need 2 people to care for the children during the 9:30am & the 11am service. A paid position, contact the church office, if interested.

<u>OUR PRE-SCHOOL</u> still could use your help providing some garden supplies to start their sustainable garden project: soil, shovel, rake, seeds/ plants, garden gloves, compost, garden signs/labels, fertilizer, bug/squirrel netting and drip line system. Questions? Call Rachel @ 805-603-3542.

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<u>Youth Fundraiser items have arrived!</u> Please pick up your items (calendars and cards) down at the Fellowship Hall patio, from Vera.

Pray for...



HEALTH AND HEALING: Ashley (Sandi Stepp's niece), Lili Baehr, Barbara (Diana Wanke's sister), Brandee Brand, Edith Braukis, Terry Breckinridge, Kim & Josh Daniels (Tom Waddell's daughter & son-in-law), Patrick & Melodie Kelly, Marshall Denninger, Brian Derozer, Mike Elbert, Bill Fitch, Bruce Fraser, Beverly Gandy, Tina Gingerich, Larry Goesch, Ken Haugrud, Helen (friend of Carol Yung), Damon Hermann (friend of Greg Olewiler), John Hollenbeck (friend of Eunice Harter), Vicki Hutter, Karen Johnson, Judy (friend of Schultze family), Jacque Hendricks (Pat Massey's daughter in-law), Jackie Lujan (Tom Waddell's employee), Rick Mahlke, Mrs. Mai, (friend of Greg Olewiler), Brett

Manzer, Ryan Scott Morrison, Gene O'Neal, Jim Pedersen, Ann Marie Ramirez (friend of Carol Yung), Mark Reuter, Mike Reuter, Toni Rizer, Lil Rodriguez (Luther's Attic worker), Fred & Cheryl Sanders, Tim Schmidt, Shane Shelton (relative of Melissa Hamilton), Don Schultz, Dale Sieber, Llewyn Rae Spencer (grandson of Gary & Char Spencer), David Stafford, Gertrude Stenke, Leslie Stenke, Ashley Stephen, Lara Tate, Bev Toro, Dusty Urban, Lisa (Cassidy) Wright, Carol Yung and Ele Zorkocy.

Pray for all military men and women especially: Jared Bautista, Jacob Chiles, Andrew Geib, Daniel Gross, Michael Hanson, Brian Miller, Kevin Palos, Kevin Schleicher, Stephen Volpei, Amy Waddell, Lucas Wentland and Henry Andermann.

Also remember their families in your prayers.