# Peace Lutheran Church

"Peace Through Christ"

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#### THE DAY OF PENTECOST/CONFIRMATION

May 28, 2023

As We Gather This day was foreshadowed when the Spirit rested on Eldad and Medad long ago (Numbers 11:26). This day was promised by Jesus, "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth" (Acts 1:8). This day was fulfilled on that Pentecost, when, with tongues as of fire, the apostles spoke the Gospel of Jesus to all those who had gathered in Jerusalem in their own languages. This day is fulfilled among us as we sing of Jesus, as we listen to the Scriptures, as we hear the Gospel proclaimed in our own language, and as God sends us out to be witnesses in the places we live and visit. Hail thee festival day! As promised long ago, the Holy Spirit breathes Jesus' life among us!

Attention Visitors We celebrate the sacrament of Holy Communion this morning. This holy meal is intended for Christians who acknowledge their need of God's forgiveness in their lives. The Bible teaches that Christ's body and blood are received with the elements of bread and wine and that Christians need to examine themselves before receiving this holy meal. (1Cor. 10 & 11). This meal further expresses a unity of faith as we gather at one table to receive the assurance of God's forgiveness through the body and blood of our Lord in the sacrament. We welcome baptized Christians to commune with us, those who believe and confess this same faith and understanding of the sacrament and of the Christian life. Persons who desire to receive grape juice select from the darker glasses. If you have any further questions concerning the sacrament, please ask to speak to the Pastor.

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Dear Peace People,

There will be a **lunch in the Fellowship Hall beginning at 11:30 AM**. Then, our **second call / voter's meeting** will take place starting at **12:30 PM**. You must be an active voting member to participate. You may speak with Linda Young to check your status.

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In His Service, Craig Frye, Peace Congregation President

# THIS WEEK AT PEACE May 28, 2023

5/28 Sunday: 10:00 am ONE SERVICE/CONFIRMATION

11:15 am LUNCH, VOTER'S MEETING

1:30 pm New Life Christian Fellowship

4:00 pm Boy Scouts (FH)

Monday: Office Closed

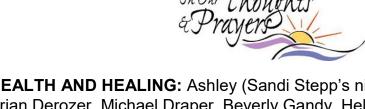
Tuesday: 10:00 am Ladies Bible Study (PH) Wednesday: 10:00 am Luther's Attic Volunteers

6:30 pm A.C.A. Women's Support Group

Thursday: 9:30 am Thursday Morning Bible Study

10:00 am Lifelight Bible Study 6:00 pm Handbell rehearsal

Saturday: 2:00 pm Memorial Service for Darylene Williams



HEALTH AND HEALING: Ashley (Sandi Stepp's niece), Brandee Brand, Brian Derozer, Michael Draper, Beverly Gandy, Helen (friend of Carol Yung), Damon Hermann (friend of Greg Olewiler), John Hollenbeck (friend of Eunice Harter), Vicki Hutter, Karen Johnson, Susan Klein, Mrs. Mai, (friend of Greg Olewiler), Carol Marker, Ryan Scott Morrison, Ann Marie Ramirez (friend of Carol Yung), Mike Reuter, Tim Schmidt, Don Schultz, David Stafford, Leslie Stenke, Ashley Stephen, Lara Tate, Bev Toro, Dusty Urban, Sandy Williamson, Lisa (Cassidy) Wright, Carol Yung and Ele Zorkocy.

**Pray for all military men, women and their families:** Jared Bautista, Jacob Chiles, Andrew Geib, Daniel Gross, Michael Hanson, Brian Miller, Kevin Schleicher, Stephen Volpei, Lucas Wentland, Henry Andermann, Avery Chapman and Adam Volpei.

**Welcome Children**- A cry room is located near the church entryway. Please see an usher for guidance.

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

RINGING OF THE BELL

PRELUDE WELCOME

#### + PREPARATION +

#### **OPENING HYMN**

# "Holy Spirit, Light Divine"





Chase the shades of night a - way, Turn the dark-ness in - to day. Show those glo-rious truths to me Which are on - ly known to Thee. In Thy mer-cy pit-y me, From sin's bond-age set me free. Yield a sa-cred, set-tled peace, Let it grow and still in-crease. Cast down ev-'ry i-dol throne, Reign su-preme, and reign a-lone.

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# **INVOCATION & OPENING SENTENCES** John 7:37–38

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the

Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: If anyone thirsts,

People: let him come to Jesus and drink of the water of life.

Alleluia! Amen.

#### **CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION**

Pastor: Lord God, we come into Your presence today rejoicing in the gift of Your Holy Spirit. Yet we also remember on this day the words of Jesus about the Holy Spirit: "And when He comes, He will convict the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment." We stand before You as ones convicted by our sin. So even as we rejoice, we confess our sin to You, trusting in Your promise to forgive us and to guide us by Your Spirit to change our sinful ways.

Our suspicion and caution towards the outpouring of the Spirit among us,

People: we confess to You, Lord.

Pastor: Our failure to live in ways consistent with the gifts of the

Spirit,

People: we confess to You, Lord.

Pastor: Our timid refusal to speak of Christ to our friends and

neighbors,

People: we confess to You, Lord.

Pastor: Our stingy neglect of those who are poor and

downtrodden,

People: we confess to You, Lord.

Pastor: The promise is for you and your children, for all whom the Lord will call, and the promise is full and free forgiveness of all of your sins, given for the sake of Jesus Christ. Receive the promised forgiveness with joy. To those who believe in Jesus Christ, God gives the power to become children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

People: Thanks be to God. Come, Holy Spirit.

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF May 28, 2023**

**SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE CLASS**- begins at 10:20am and concludes at 10:55am in the *Sanctuary*. (This will allow an opportunity for all members to attend a Bible class regardless of which service they choose for worship.)

<u>TUESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY</u> meets @ 10am in the Coffee House. Our study is on the book of Luke. Come join us! For more info, contact Connie at 805-987-5116.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY- This study is held on Thursdays 7:30-8:30am with a continental breakfast, in the Fellowship Hall. Join us. For more info, call Kevin Krumdieck @ 805-551-8507.

THE LIFELIGHT BIBLE STUDY has begun a new study on Bible Feasts on Thursdays at 10 AM via Zoom. Participants learn about Jewish food customs, the meaning of each feast, and the promises about the eternal feast in heaven. Blaine or Diana Wanke for more info @ 805-490-8212.

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

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

<u>THE 2023 FLOWER CHART SIGN-UP</u> is posted in the Narthex. Sign up for the Sunday (s) of your choice.2 signups are available for each Sunday. They are \$40.00 each.

**THE FOOD BANK-** Donations for the food pantry at St. Columba's Episcopal Church can be put in the donation box in the narthex.

VBS REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN!- Enroll the children in the Babylon fun 6/19-23<sup>rd</sup> from 9-noon. Staff meeting will be NEXT SUNDAY, June 4<sup>th</sup> @12:30-1:15. Call Linda La Jeunesse at the office for more info: 805-482-3313.

COMMUNICATION FROM YOUR COUNCIL—With the goal of improving communication among the Peace family, the minutes from Council Meetings will now be posted on the large whiteboard located on the Fellowship Hall patio. Once they are approved at the following meeting, they will be posted. So, the April 18, 2023 Council Meeting minutes are available for you to read now. Anyone who wishes a "personal copy" can email Linda Young at <a href="mailto:nephronurse@verizon.net">nephronurse@verizon.net</a> and she'll put you on a list to receive monthly copies.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR DARYLENE WILLIAMS ON 6/4 @ 2PM.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** Given to the glory of God by *Dick Mahlke* in memory of Rhoda Mahlke; also by Gary & Virginia Aakre in memory of Diana Townsend.

**ATTENDANCE ON 5/21/23**: 9:00am-**98** 11:00am-**28** Total: **126** 

Sunday School: 10

#### ONE SERVICE IN THE SANCTUARY 10:00 am

**Elder:** Dave Schmidt Greeter: Cindy Klittich Pavid Hudnell

Acolyte: Marshall Denninger

**Ushers:** Gary Taylor

Karen Taylor Bill Young

Altar Care: Nancy Fitch & Sonja Manzer/Rachael Ylizaliturri & Jane Morici

Cookie & Coffee Service: P. Frye, L. Langston and D. Markley

Piano Accompanist: Sandy Haven

## THOSE WHO SERVE US **NEXT SUNDAY** JUNE 4, 2023

9:00 am 11:00 am

Elder: Al Bosman Tom Waddell

**Greeter:** Donna Pickler

Readers: Toni Radle Stacy Hunter

Acolyte: Lucas Williamson

**Ushers:** Scott Klittich

Steve Rusch

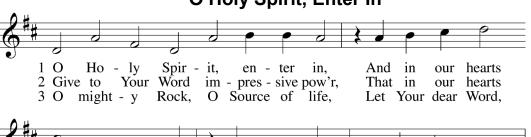
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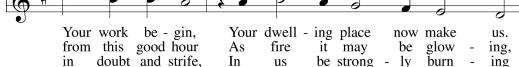
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**Organist:** Karen Foote

#### **HYMN OF PRAISE**

# "O Holy Spirit, Enter In"







O Light di-vine, Sun the soul. A - round and in That in Chris - tian We faith - ful wit u - ni - ty true That we be faith - ful un - to death And live in love





That we may be Tru - ly liv - ing, To You giv - ing
Hear us, cheer us By Your teach - ing; Let our preach - ing
Your grace and peace On us show - er; By Your pow - er



Prayer un - ceas - ing And in love be still in - creas - ing. And our la - bor Praise You, Lord, and serve our neigh - bor. Christ con - fess - ing, Let us see our Sav - ior's bless - ing.

#### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: O God, on this day You once taught the hearts of Your faithful people by sending them the light of Your Holy Spirit. Grant us in our day by the same Spirit to have a right understanding in all things and evermore to rejoice in His holy consolation; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

(After the reading is read.)

Reader: This is the Word of our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**EPISTLE** 

(After the reading is read.)

Reader: This is the Word of our Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

#### **ALLELUIA**





#### **CLOSING HYMN**

# "Hark, the Voice of Jesus Crying"



- 1 Hark, the voice of Je sus cry ing, "Who will go and work to day? 2 If you can not speak like an gels, If you can not preach like Paul,
- 3 If you can-not be a watch-man, Stand-ing high on Zi on's wall, 4 Let none hear you i - dly say - ing, "There is noth-ing I can do,"



Fields are white and har-vests wait-ing— Who will bear the sheaves a-way?" You can tell the love of Je-sus, You can say He died for all. Point-ing out the path to heav-en, Of - f'ring life and peace to all, While the mul - ti-tudes are dy - ing And the Mas-ter calls for you.



Loud and long the Mas-ter call-eth; Rich re-ward He of-fers thee. If you can - not rouse the wick-ed With the judg-ment's dread a - larms, With your prayers and with your boun-ties You can do what God com-mands; Take the task He gives you glad-ly, Let His work your plea-sure be;



Who will an-swer, glad-ly say-ing, "Here am I, send me, send me"? You can lead the lit - tle chil-dren To the Sav-ior's wait - ing arms. You can be like faith-ful Aar-on, Hold-ing up the proph-et's hands. An - swer quick-ly when He call-eth, "Here am I, send me, send me!"

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS POSTLUDE**

#### **BENEDICTION**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make

His face shine on you and be gracious onto You. The Lord look upon You with His favor and + give

you peace.

People: Amen.

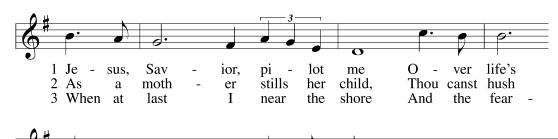


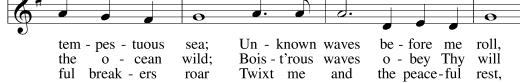
Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the 7<sup>th</sup> chapter.

People: Glory to You, O Lord!

#### **HYMN OF THE DAY**

# "Jesus, Savior, Pilot Me"









#### **CONFIRMAND PRESENTATIONS**

Shane Robert Muller ... "The Sacrament of Holy Baptism" Lucas Preston Williamson ... "The Sacrament of the Altar"

#### **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**

# "Let the Vineyards"









hopes and the dreams of all; U - nite them with the prayers





#### POST COMMUNION CANTICLE







He re-calls His prom-is - es and leads His peo-ple forth in joy



#### **POST-COMMUNION PRAYER**

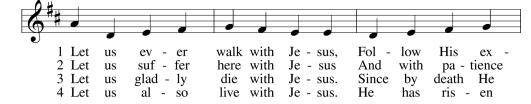
Pastor: Let us pray.

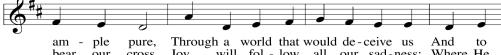
O God the Father, the fountain and source of all goodness, who in loving kindness sent Your only-begotten Son to reconcile us to You, we thank You that for His sake You have given us pardon and peace in this eucharistic feast. As we have shared in the benefits of our Savior's death, may we now go forth to share His life; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

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#### "Let Us Ever Walk with Jesus"



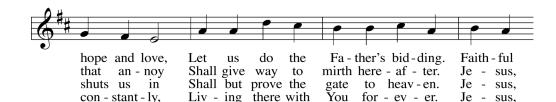


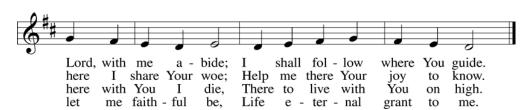
bear our cross. Joy will fol - low all our sad-ness; Where He con - quered death, He will free us from de-struction, Give to from the dead That to life we may a - wak - en. Je - sus,



sin our spir-its lure. On - ward in His foot-steps tread-ing, is, there is no loss. Though to - day we sow no laugh-ter, us im - mor-tal breath. Let us mor - ti - fy all pas - sion You are now our head. We are Your own liv - ing mem-bers;







#### RITE OF CONFIRMATION

#### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Lord, remember us in Your kingdom and teach us to pray:

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.

#### + SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION +

# **PREFACE**

Pastor: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you.** 

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

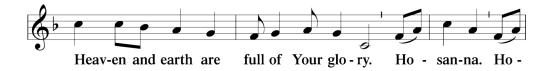
People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Pastor:

It is truly good, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who overcame the assaults of the devil and gave His life as a ransom for many that with cleansed hearts we might be prepared joyfully to celebrate the paschal feast in sincerity and truth. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

#### **SANCTUS**





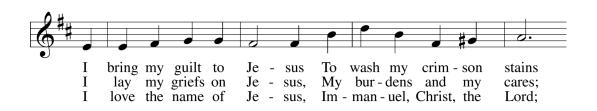




# "I Lay My Sins on Jesus"

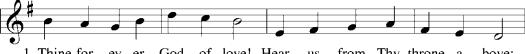








## "Thine Forever, God of Love"



- 1 Thine for ev er, God of love! Hear us from Thy throne a bove; 2 Thine for ev er! Oh, how blest They who find in Thee their rest!
- 3 Thine for ev er, Lord of Life! Shield us through our earth ly strife.
- 4 Thine for ev er! Shep-herd, keep These Thy frail and trem-bling sheep;
- 5 Thine for ev er! Thou our guide, All our wants by Thee sup plied,



Thine for - ev - er may we be Here and in e - ter - ni - ty! Sav - ior, guard - ian, heav'n-ly friend, O de - fend us to the end! Thou, the life, the truth, the way, Guide us to the realms of day. Safe a - lone be - neath Thy care, Let us all Thy good-ness share. All our sins by Thee for-giv'n; Lead us, Lord, from earth to heav'n.



#### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples and said: Take, eat; this is My + body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me. In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: Drink of it, all of you; this is My + blood of the new testament, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.

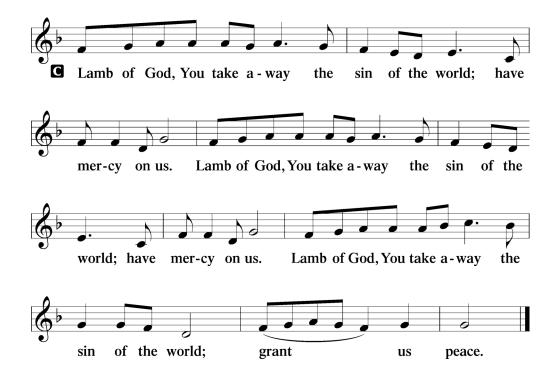
#### PEACE OF THE LORD

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: Amen.



## **AGNUS DEI**

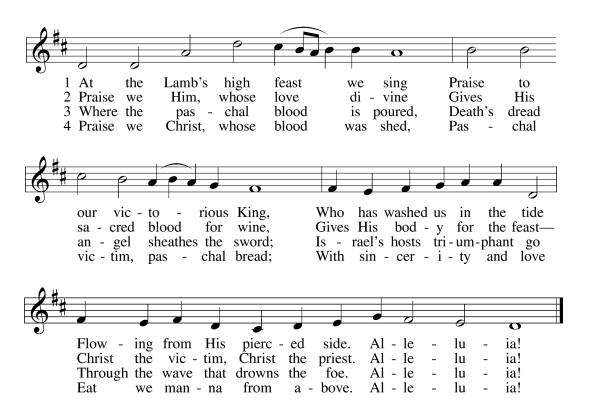




(Please be seated)

#### **HYMNS FOR DISTRIBUTION**

# "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing"



Father, who the crown shall give, Savior, by whose death we live, Spirit, guide through all our days: Three in One, Your name we praise. Alleluia!