

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 3, 2025

Sunday, August 3

11:30am - Life Ministry Team
6:00pm - Pickleball Open Play

Monday, August 4

6:00pm - Church Council

Tuesday, August 5

9:00am - Plastic Mat Making
9:00am - Quilters
9:00am - Refit Exercise

Wednesday, August 6

9:30am - Banner Committee

Sunday, August 10

6:00pm - Pickleball Open Play



Save the Date!

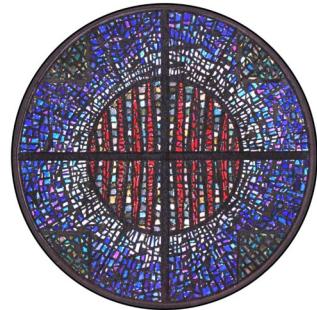
Celebrating 80 Years of
Blessings at Peace

Special Afternoon Worship Service followed by
Social Hour and Dinner at Andre's South

October
26
2025



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News and Notes

THE WEEK OF
AUGUST 3, 2025

OUR SUPPORT

Budget: 21,003.31
Help Offset Fees: 27.17
Adult Bible Class: 47.00
Alaska: 30.00
Feed My People: 1.00
Green Park: 50.00
GP/LHSS Scholarship Fund: 63.45
Hall Rental: 40.00
NYG: 97.05
Quilters-Sale of Quilt: 125.00
RFNG: 341.37
Social Ministry: 106.00
St. Trinity Cemetery: 198.36

JULY 26/27 ATTENDANCE

5:00 Service: 132
8:00 Service: 121
9:20 Service: 113
10:30 Service: 198

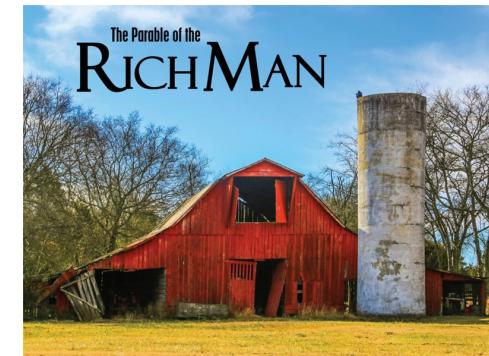
Total Attendance: 564
Sunday School: 27

*Set your minds on things that are above,
not on things that are on earth.*
Colossians 3:2



ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers this weekend are from John
and Gwen George with love and in
celebration of Glenn Uthoff's 90th birthday
on August 5.



The Parable of the
RICH MAN

*Renovation for the Next Generation is
the name of the project for our
Education Wing expansion. Donations
toward this will be listed in the News and
Notes as "RFNG".

► **PEACE LUTHERAN EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER** is looking to hire individuals who love children and want to provide a nurturing and engaging learning environment! We are looking for a loving individual to join our team as a morning teacher in the 2-year old classroom. Also looking to fill two afternoon positions to 2's and Preschool-1:00-6:00 p.m., as well a caregiver in the infant room on Wednesday and Friday 1:00-6:00 p.m. Applicants must be 18 years old. Please email your resume to Sara Watson at earlychildhood@peacelutheranstl.org or call the office at 314-892-8844 for more information.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED for the upcoming year. A 5th grade teacher is needed, along with substitute teachers. Please prayerfully consider helping Peace's Sunday School program!

► **LWML MITE COLLECTION** is next weekend. Drop off your mite box donation and pick up another one at the Commons Counter.

"FAREWELL SUMMER" Ice Cream Social and Band Concert is Sunday, August 31. Ice cream served at 3:30, concert at 4:00. Join us for a fun and delicious way to end the summer break!

► **HOMEBOUND ENCOURAGEMENT CARDS** The Life Ministry Team invites the congregation to take part in the homebound encouragement card program. Cards are located on the Commons counter. We invite you to take a manila envelope which contains a greeting card, prayer, and an addressed envelope. Follow the directions on the manila envelope. Thank you for partnering with us as we stay connected with our homebound members.

THE 80TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT AND HYMN SING is coming in September. As a part of our yearlong celebration of our 80th anniversary, we will be having a Concert and Hymn Sing on Sunday, September 28, 3:00 p.m. [Go to the Peace website now to submit your favorite hymn!](#)

ST. TRINITY CEMETERY is looking for additional part-time Groundskeepers. This is an hourly position with a very flexible schedule, and is a perfect opportunity for retirees or anyone who likes to work outside! Those interested would be called upon to assist with grass cutting, trimming, leaf and debris pickup on an as needed basis. Applicants need to be at least 18 years of age. For more information, contact Glenn Brinkmann, or Marilyn Schuessler.

COUPLES CLUB "FUN" RAISER TRIVIA NIGHT AND SILENT AUCTION is coming on Saturday, August 23. By now you should have seen the flyers and advertisements about it. But have you gathered a group of your friends for a table? Tickets are available at the Commons Counter in between church services. \$20/person in advance; \$25/person at the door. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. with trivia beginning at 6:30 p.m. **One of the big silent auction items is four tickets to the St. Louis Cardinals game on Saturday, September 6 in Section 156! Other auction items include restaurant gift cards, Grizzlies 2026 tickets, Drury Hotel one night stay, God Bless America basket, and more!** All profits go to church related programs at Peace.

JOB OPENING AT GREEN PARK LUTHERAN SCHOOL The after care program at Green Park is growing! They are searching for after care employees with a willingness to work with children in grades JK-8th grade, a desire to share Christ with students after the school day has ended, and a loving and caring personality. Interested candidates should email April Baese, Director of Child Care and Food Services at april.baese@greenparklutheranschool.org

SAVE THE DATE—80TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION will be held Sunday, October 26, at Andre's Banquet Center. Watch for more information in upcoming newsletters and News and Notes.

► **WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** is taking a break during the month of August.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ORIENTATION DAY IS AUGUST 17 in the church gymnasium. This is the day that the children move up to their next class and meet their new teachers. We ask that the parents/guardians accompany their child/ren during the orientation so they too can meet the teachers and learn the location of their new classrooms. There will also be fun games and activities. Each child must be registered for the new Sunday School year. The registration QR code can be found on the Commons Counter and at the Sunday School Welcome Desk.

RENOVATION FOR THE NEXT GENERATION (RFNG) is our upcoming building campaign for the education wing/early childhood (and oldest) section of our campus. We are going to:

- Properly remove asbestos
- Add fire response systems
- Update old systems (kitchen, bathrooms, lighting, etc.)
- Make it ADA compliant
- Clean up the floor plan
- Update campus security
- Create a secure, dedicated entryway to the Early Childhood Program

We hope you will join us in prayer and in extra monetary giving to this worthwhile project so that our campus is ready for the faithful work of God for the generations to come! Giving to this project may be earmarked as "RFNG" or "Renovation for the Next Generation."

SAVE THE DATE FOR "GOLF FORE EDUCATION"  2025 benefitting Green Park Lutheran School. The tournament will be held on Sunday, September 21, at Acorn Links in Waterloo, Illinois. To register, please visit the Green Park website. Deadline is 9/1/2025.

► **LWML LADIES GUILD** thanks Peace members and friends for their eyeglass donations. With your support, we collected 280 eyeglasses for Most Ministries to use in third world countries as they present the Gospel and giving away free glasses.

NEW MEMBER CLASS BEGINS on Sunday, September 14, from noon to 1:30 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall. A light lunch will be provided each week. New member class covers a series of LCMS topics over a six-week period. The class is required for those desiring communicant membership at Peace. Any current members looking for a review of basic Lutheran teaching are also welcome to attend. To register, please sign up on the Opportunities Page on the Peace website.

BIRTHDAY PARTY SUPPLIES COLLECTION is underway. LWML Ladies Guild is collecting children's birthday party supplies to benefit the families at Concordia Seminary. Suggested donation items include gift bags, party favors, candles, napkins, plates, cake mixes, etc.—basically anything needed for a child's birthday party. This helps our Sem students celebrate their children's birthdays. A collection box is in the Commons. Donations may be dropped off between now and August 16. Any questions, please contact Julia Petrovic.

JOIN A POP-UP ENSEMBLE! This morning we are enjoying our Pop-Up Handbell Ensemble at the 10:30 service. We will have a couple of other opportunities to participate this summer including: August 17 - Pop-Up Orchestra at the 10:30 service; and August 25 - Pop-Up Choir at the 8:00 service. This is a great way to meet some of your fellow Peace members while serving the Lord in a very special way.

► **LADIES CLUB** Have you wondered what it would be like growing up in the 1800's as a woman, and nurse? Can you imagine living through the Civil War, segregation, and blindness? Join us on Tuesday, August 19, at 7:00 p.m. and listen to Peace member, Jan Reppert, retired RN, tell the story of Emily Elizabeth Parsons and her journey that took her from Massachusetts to St. Louis, Missouri.