

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 31, 2025

Sunday, August 31
3:30pm - Farewell to Summer Ice Cream Social and Band Concert

Monday, September 1
LABOR DAY - CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, September 2
9:00am - Plastic Mat Making
9:00am - Quilters
9:00am - Refit Exercise

Wednesday, September 3
9:30am - Banner Committee
4:00pm - Jr. Confirmation

Thursday, September 4
9:00am - Mary/Martha Bible Class
3:45pm - GPLS Volleyball Practice
7:00pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Friday, September 5
3:00pm - GPLS Volleyball Tournament

Saturday, September 6
8:00am - GPLS Volleyball Tournament

Sunday, September 7
9:15am - Baptism Class
11:30am - Life Ministry Team
6:00pm - Pickleball Open Play

You are Invited!

Celebrating 80 Years of Blessings at Peace

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

October 26 2025

Invitation and RSVP form can be found in your mailbox. RSVPs due by October 12.





Farewell Summer

Ice Cream Social and Band Concert

Sunday, August 31

3:30 pm - Ice Cream Served

4:00 pm - Concert Begins

STEPPING OUT IN FAITH

An exercise opportunity at Peace

Mondays & Fridays ~ 8:00 - 9:00AM

If the weather is nice, we walk outside - otherwise, we walk in the gym



VOTERS' ASSEMBLY

SEPTEMBER 8

7:00P.M.

SANCTUARY HALL

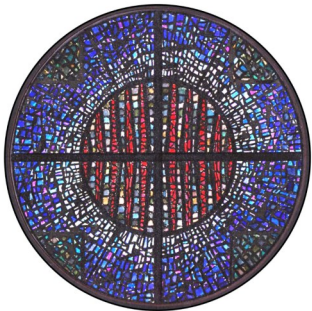




Join us for an 80th Anniversary Hymn Sing

Featuring the Chancel Choir, Bells of Peace, Organ, and Hymns selected by YOU!

Sunday, September 28 - 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary



Peace Lutheran Church

News and Notes

THE WEEK OF
AUGUST 31, 2025

AUGUST 23/24 ATTENDANCE

5:00 Service: 130
8:00 Service: 158
9:20 Service: 152
10:30 Service: 227
Total Attendance: 667
Sunday School: 91

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers this weekend are from Jim and Carolyn Huettenmeyer in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary on August 27; from Patrick and Sarah Irwin in loving memory of Shiloh Irwin.



OUR SUPPORT

Budget: 19,546.20
Help Offset Fees: 31.78
Adult Bible Class: 13.00
Alaska: 80.00
Altar Flowers: 50.00
Feed My People: 6.00
Green Park: 30.00
GP/LHSS Scholarship Fund: 82.67
Ladies Club: 12.00
RFNG: 7,100.00
Social Ministry: 186.00
Special Music: 316.23
St. Trinity Cemetery: 150.00
In Loving Memory of:
Carl Dickey - 25 (RFNG)
Ken Doering - 25 (Boar's Head)
Phyllis Huddleston - 100 (Special Music)
Jim Ralston - 25 (Youth Servant Events)

JESUS CHRIST
is the same YESTERDAY
and TODAY
and FOREVER.

Hebrews 13:8

The Rev. Dr. Jon Furgeson - 314.601.1039 | Rev. Robert Brown - 618.580.8817
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► **"FAREWELL SUMMER"** Ice Cream Social and Band Concert is this weekend, Sunday, August 31, in the air-conditioned gym! Ice cream served at 3:30 p.m., concert at 4:00 p.m. Join us for a fun and delicious way to end the summer break!

► **JUNIOR CONFIRMATION** will begin this Wednesday, September 3, 4:00 to 5:15 p.m. Parents, you should have received emails with additional details from our Pastors.

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

► **THE 80TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT AND HYMN SING** is Sunday, September 28, at 3:00 p.m. **Today is the last day to suggest hymns. If your hymn is not selected for presentation on September 28, it will be incorporated into hymns on the Sundays in the following weeks. Go to the Peace website or the Peace Music Ministry website now to submit your favorite hymn.**

► **80TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION** will be held Sunday, October 26, at Andre's Banquet Center. Invitations and RSVP forms were put in mailboxes here at church. RSVPs are due by Sunday, October 12. We hope you can join us as we celebrate this blessing from God!

VOTERS' ASSEMBLY meets on Monday, September 8, 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall. All confirmed members, age 18 and over, are invited to attend.

NEW MEMBER CLASS BEGINS on Sunday, September 14, from noon to 1:30PM in Sanctuary Hall. A light lunch will be provided each week. New member class covers a series of topics over a six-week period and is designed for those desiring communicant membership or any current members looking for a review of basic Lutheran teaching. To register, please sign up on the Opportunities Page on the Peace website.

JOIN ONE OF OUR MUSIC ENSEMBLES! Now is a perfect time to join one of our Music Ensembles here at Peace. Rehearsals for the Chancel Choir have begun, but it is not too late to join. The Bells of Peace's first rehearsal is Monday, September 8, at 8:00 p.m. in the Lower Level Handbell Room. For both of these choirs NO experience is necessary. The Orchestra of Peace will hold it's first rehearsal on Wednesday, September 10, at 7:00 p.m. in the balcony. All orchestra and band instruments are welcome. If you have any questions, or would like to sign up for an ensemble, please contact our Director of Music Ministry Burnell Hackman at burnell@peacestmusic.org or by calling (314)892-5610, and a folder of music will be ready for you! For more information, please visit www.peacestmusic.org.

SAVE THE DATE FOR "GOLF FORE EDUCATION" 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 September 1.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR "BREW IN THE LOU"! Support Lutheran Elementary School Association on Saturday, October 11. General Admission is \$55. Tickets are on sale now! Brew in the Lou is one of LESA's largest and most important annual fundraisers, and the revenue provides critical tuition assistance to the 9,700 students and 600 educators they serve. Thank you for your faithful and ongoing support! More details are in the September newsletter.

MONTHLY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY We invite you to join us for an ongoing monthly opportunity to volunteer at Feed My People. One Saturday morning each month, from 9:00 a.m. to noon, a group will go over to Feed My People to help them. Sign up through the Opportunities Page on our website (in the "Community Outreach" section), or by scanning the QR code on the flyer on the Commons bulletin board. Thank you for considering this opportunity to serve!



BOAR'S HEAD FESTIVAL PLANNING is underway! Mark your calendars now for the 29th annual presentation December 4 - 7. Watch the upcoming newsletters and your mailbox for opportunities to help with the festival, both financially and in volunteer capacities. This is a wonderful way to serve our church and our surrounding community!

WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY will resume on Wednesday, September 10, at 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall, continuing the study of the Book of Acts.

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

MARY/MARTHA BIBLE CLASS resumes this Thursday, September 4, 9:00 a.m. in the Kitchen Meeting Room.

► **MEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY** resumes on Thursday, September 11, 7:00 a.m. in Sanctuary Hall.

LWML LADIES GUILD thanks everyone for their overwhelming support of their recent Birthday Party Supply drive. Many families at Concordia Seminary will have wonderful birthday parties for their children thanks to your donations!

► **PLEASE CHECK YOUR MAILBOX** here at church. The September newsletter is there, along with your invitation to the 80th Anniversary Dinner on October 26.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES AT PEACE The Early Childhood Center here at Peace is looking to hire individuals who love children and want provide a nurturing and engaging learning environment. Peace is looking to fill the following positions: Morning and afternoon teacher three days a week in the 2-year-old classroom. Tuesday/Thursday afternoons in Preschool from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Fridays 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the infant room. Must be 18 years old. Please email Sara Watson at earlychildhood@peacelutheranstl.org or call the office at (314)892-8844 for more information.

CHURCH KEY INVENTORY We are in the process of taking an inventory of all church keys that have been handed out. If you are in possession of a church key, please contact John Hooss so he can record your name and key number for our records. Thank you!

CHECK OUT LUTHERAN SOUTH! Eighth grade students are invited to Live Like a Lancer - a half-day experience where you will attend classes, connect with current students, and get a true sense of what it means to learn, grow, and belong at Lutheran South. This isn't just a tour—it's an opportunity to participate with our community in real conversations, shared moments, and the guidance of students who live out our mission every day. Come experience life with us—and discover where God may be calling you next. Schedule your day at LSlancers.org/admissions or by calling (314)833-1088. Applications are already open for the 2026-2027 school year. Visit www.lslancers.org/admissions/become-a-lancer

► **JOIN US THIS MORNING DURING ADULT BIBLE STUDY** for a brief presentation from our Alaska Mission team. They will spend a few minutes at the beginning of Bible class to share their experiences this summer in Hooper Bay.

► Indicates a New or Updated Announcement this Week