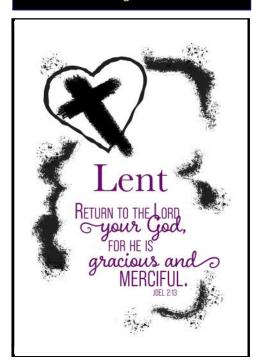




The Voice of Peace

PEACE MISSION STATEMENT . . .

To witness and live as followers of Christ; serving one another in Christian love, so that God's Holy Spirit may save the lost and strengthen the saved.



"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you PEACE." Numbers 6:24-26

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The Lenten season is upon us and begins with Ash Wednesday on March 5^{th} . Unlike last year we will be hosting our midweek services at Peace and hope you can attend. The Easter weekend this year is April 19^{th} and 20^{th} .

This is a time of repentance for we who are sinners from birth and it gives us an opportunity to see the work of our loving God as he moves towards Jerusalem, the cross, and our redemption.

The theme this Lent is, **"Following Jesus Our Greatest Giver,"** and we will follow Jesus throughout Lent as he leads us in generosity, the right use of office, humble service, a good confession, loving care of family and self-sacrifice.

Easter is late this year and we will celebrate Easter at both our Saturday evening service on April 19 at 6:30 pm as well as our Sunday morning service on April 20 at 10:30 am.

Lent is a time to reflect and renew ourselves as we see Jesus and his work on our behalf.

Begin now with a new focus on Jesus. Follow the readings posted on Facebook, or begin a reading plan through Lent of your choosing. The work of Christ is always a pure gift and it is good to be reminded of the cost of that gift.

³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? ³⁶ As it is written,

"For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered."

³⁷ No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:35-39

God bless,

Pastor Tkac



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Worship and Class Schedule:

Saturday Divine Worship 6:30 p.m.

Sunday Divine Worship 10:30 a.m.

Note: Unless otherwise noted, no classes Memorial Day — Labor Day

Sunday School for Adults is at 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School is held at 9:20 am

Adult Bible Class

Midweek Bible class is held on Thursdays at 2 pm.



Birthdays & Anniversaries

3/5 Luanne Susick 3/10 Olaf Six 3/22 Mike Thompson 3/25 Barbara Jones 3/28 Skip Bushart

3/12 Jon & Elizabeth Tkac 8th 3/26 Ed & Terry Rimatzki 59 th





Our Gifts Missions Flowers

Puzzle!

Find and circle these words associated with the Lenten journey to the cross.

colt	denial	kiss	repent
confess	donkey	lots	silver
cross	forsaken	palms	sins
crown	Gethsemane	penance	suffer
	Golgotha	Pilate	thorns
death	hosanna	prayer	vigil

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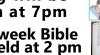




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Ladies Guild will meet at 6:30 on March 11th .

Elders Meeting will be on March 11th at 7pm



Thursday's Midweek Bible Study will be held at 2 pm

Monthly prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 4th, at 7pm

Elders serving during the month of March are Mark Bunarek & Jon Parlette on Saturday & Bob Poe & Matt Rich on Sunday.

Serving our altar during the month of March is Connie Kiefiuk and Carol Brown



St. Paul's is in dire need of items for their food locker. After the holidays their food locker is pretty depleted. There is a new list of needed items on the bulletin board. Please help as you can for this worthy cause. In January they served to 564 people in 141 families.

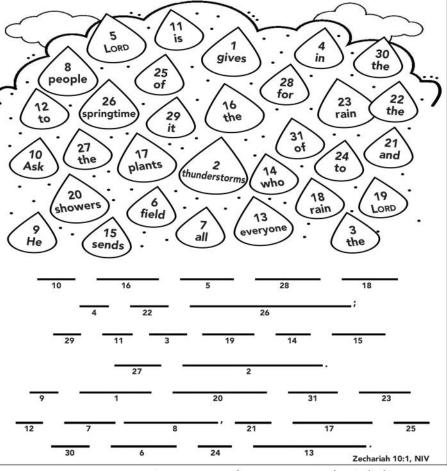
Beginning Ash Wednesday, all midweek Lenten Services and Holy week will be held here at Peace. Bill Krueger has volunteered to prepare a lite supper to be served prior to our midweek service. Please use the sign up sheets on the table in the narthex to indicate if you will be joining us. The cost of dinner is \$5.00 per person.

Once a month we will be having a time of 'fellowship' following Worship Service. In March, Peggy Madsen will host fellowship on March 16th. April's will be breakfast on Easter Sunday, and then on May 4th Monica Tkac will host our fellowship time. Anyone wishing to host after May, please let the office know which month you would like. Our February fellowship hour had over 30 participants. What a Joy!

The Ladies Guild will be collecting returnable cans and bottles during the month of March. The money collected from the return of these items will be put into a Driveway Fund to be used to help repair/replace our driveway. Every 10 cents helps!



Complete a Bible verse about spring by writing the word from each raindrop on the correct numbered line below.



Answer: Ask the Losp for rain in the springtime; it is the Losp who sends the thunderstorms. He gives showers of rain to all people, and plants of the field to everyone. Zechariah 10:1, NIV



Our 2025 Budget vs Offerings Received Year to Date

2025 Budget as of 2/28/2025 \$27,500.00

2025 Offerings received as of 2/28/2025 \$21,796.00

As of 2/28/2025 our offerings received are under our budget year to date by \$5,704.00.