

Announcements

SERVING THIS WEEK

Pianist: Christine Franklin Altar Committee: Cathy Petersen
Communion Committee: Sharon Martin, Melody Ruhbusch
Sunday 7:45am Elder: Kent Franklin
Sunday 10:30am Elder: Erik Krueger
Wednesday 6:45pm Elder: Mark Goltermann

Altar Flowers are given by the Petersen family.

LAST WEEK AT PEACE

Sun, February 6: Early - 133 Late - 79 Bible Class – 92
Wed, February 9: 27
Thurs, February 10: Communion Matins – n/a Coffee Break – n/a

Last Week's Offering

General fund:	\$ 9,037.00
(Loose Plate \$1560; Gen. Env. \$7477)	
Capital Improvement fund:	\$ 200.00
Goehner Schl. fund:	\$ 50.00
Sacred Appt. fund:	\$ 100.00
Mercy fund:	\$ 150.00
Nigeria fund:	<u>\$ 100.00</u>
Last Week's Total:	\$ 9,637.00

TOTAL OFFERINGS GIVEN IN FEBRUARY:

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Peace Lutheran Church and Academy

Septuagesima Sunday

February 13, 2022


THEME: Saved by Grace Alone to Live by Grace Alone

All the workers received the same wage regardless of when they were hired. What does this mean? All Christians receive the same gift of salvation regardless of when they come to faith. Why? Because salvation is based upon Christ's work and not our own. According to human reason, salvation is unfair because it is not based on our works at all, but is given freely by grace for Christ's sake. This is a parable of grace that teaches us that God shows no partiality in the bestowal of salvation. His gift is given solely on the basis of His undeserved love, and not because of a man's works.

The baptismal life is a pilgrimage through this vale of tears to the resurrection to eternal life. In this week's epistle, Paul describes it as a race. He calls us to temperance and a life of quiet repentance in which we discipline our bodies with the sure and certain Word of God. Most of us don't realize that the Word of God that is studied, received, meditated upon, and believed has a positive effect not only upon our faith, but also upon our physical life in this world. Though the children of Israel had been redeemed from their slavery through the blood of the Passover Lamb and their baptism in the cloud and in the sea, and though they had eaten of the spiritual food the Lord provided, many of them died in impenitence. Paul's warning calls us to receive the Lord's Supper with repentant hearts and with a hunger and thirst for His strength. Paul's teaching on the Lord's Supper emphasizes that Christ's body and blood are truly given to us in the Sacrament and that worthy reception of the Lord's Supper requires a penitent faith in the Gospel.

Guests—Welcome to our Divine Service! We are pleased that you are with us. If we can assist you in any way with questions about our confession of faith, spiritual struggles, understanding our liturgical service, or any other need, please let us know. It is our prayer that the Gospel of Jesus Christ will strengthen and comfort you. Before you leave this morning, please sign our guest register in the narthex.

Pastoral Care and Guests at the Lord's Supper. We are concerned about the spiritual welfare of all who commune at the Lord's Table. If you are a guest and desire to commune, please speak to the pastor before the service. Our altar is open to those who confess oneness with us in doctrine, are members of our congregation or sister congregations of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and are not under church discipline in another congregation. In Christ, Pastor Bender



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Divine Service: Sunday – 7:45 and 10:30 a.m. and Wednesday – 6:45 p.m.
Bible Class and Sunday School: Sunday – 9:15 a.m.

WE GATHER TO HEAR GOD’S WORD—*Jesus prayed, “Sanctify them in Your truth; Your Word is truth.” (John 17:17).* Each week the faithful gather to receive the Word of their Lord.

THIS WEEK:

- **Private Confession and Absolution:** *Sundays 6:30 to 7:00 a.m. or by appointment — Call Pastor at 262-246-3200 or 262-370-1189.*
- **Sunday:** **Divine Service** 7:45 & 10:30 — Septuagesima
Bible Class 9:15 — The St. Peter Option
- **Monday:** **No Chapel**
- **Tuesday:** **Chapel** – 8:00
Youth Catechesis – 4:30
- **Wednesday:** **Chapel** – 8:00
Divine Service 6:45 — Septuagesima
- **Thursday:** **Chapel Matins with Communion** 8:00
Coffee Break Bible Study 9:00 — Gospel of Matthew
Didache 7:00 – Holy Baptism – Part IV
- **Friday:** **Chapel** – 8:00

Chapel: Due to the winter break, no chapel this week Monday, February 14.

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND FAMILY PRAYER AT HOME

This week’s lesson: The Parable of the Worders in the Vineyard—Matt. 20:1-16.
The **next Family Prayer instructional meeting** for parents and Sunday School teachers is **Tuesday, March 1 at 6:30.**

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE CLASS SERIES: ST. PETER OPTION

This week: **Relativism and Disorder VS. Truth and the Order and Beauty of Creation**

DIDACHE DIVINE SERVICE FOR ADULT AND YOUTH CATECHESIS

This week’s service: Lutheran Catechesis 18—Jesus Blesses the Children.
Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m.

THEOLOGY FOR WHITE COLLAR, BLUE COLLAR & CLERICAL

COLLAR...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week’s teachings include: Evolution vs. Adam & Christ, The Gloria in Excelsis, The Historical Reliability of the New Testament, 3rd Century Martyr Saint Valentine and more. You can listen on-demand at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

NEWS AND NOTES

THE ANNUAL GOODS AND SERVICES AUCTION IS COMING SOON!

Invite coworkers, your boss, your neighbors, your relatives, your favorite mechanic, or merchant in the community. This is a very fun evening, and everyone will have a great time! Buying a table and inviting some of the folks in your life that have been such a blessing to you is a good way to say thanks to them and to celebrate and support the gift of the Academy.
Buy Tickets Today to attend the PLA Auction!

Tickets are now available to purchase for the Goods & Services Auction in support of Peace Lutheran Academy held on March 19! Tickets include dinner, 2 drinks, and an auction paddle. Prices are \$30 per person or \$208 for a table of 8 (\$26/person) and can be purchased at www.plaauction.com. **Prices increase on February 22, so get your tickets today!**

The Chamber Orchestra of Concordia University Chicago will perform at Peace, after the Fish Fry, on Friday, March 25, at 7:30 p.m. Mark your calendar and plan to attend. Do you know how many members are alumni of Concordia Chicago in River Forest, Illinois? Watch the bulletin for the answer. Let’s turn out to support one of our great universities.

Joint Boards meet Tuesday, February 15 at 6:30pm for a half hour study, followed by each board meeting to conduct their respective business.

Parish Council meets Tuesday, February 22 at 7:00 p.m.

Divine Call Extended to Associate Pastor and Headmaster

The Council of District Presidents ratifies calls. On Wednesday, April 27, 2022, the announcement will be made at the seminary call service. Please pray for the Lord’s blessing upon our call.

Weekly Scrip Report: Week of 02-6-2022 (11 families participating)

Gross sales \$2,875.00	Profit paid to Academy \$107.78
Attendance – 247	Total profit this fiscal year \$3,112.97

BP and Exxon scrip cards are currently unavailable for order.

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Divine Service Setting Five Lutheran Service Book p. 213

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Introit Sung by the soloist

Antiphon

The sorrows of death compassed me;
the sorrows of hell compassed me about.
In my distress I called upon the Lord,
and He heard my voice out of His temple.

Psalm

I will love Thee, O Lord, my Strength:
the Lord is my Rock and my Fortress.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost:

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. (*Antiphon is repeated.*)

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“Kyrie! God, Father”

Gloria Hymn **948**

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Old Testament Reading **Exodus 17:1-7**

The Lord Sustained Israel in the Wilderness

Epistle **I Corinthians 9:24–10:5**

Christ was with His grumbling people in the wilderness.

Hymn of the Day **566**

“By Grace I’m Saved”

Holy Gospel **Matthew 20:1-16**

The Parable of the Workers in the Vineyard

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“We All Believe in One True God”

Sanctus Hymn **960**

“Isaiah, Mighty Seer in Days of Old”

Agnus Dei Hymn **434**

“Lamb of God, Pure and Holy”

Distribution Hymns

Hymns during the distribution aid in meditation and reinforce both the themes of the day and what Christ gives us in the Sacrament of the Altar. You are encouraged to bring your hymnal with you to the communion rail so that you might sing the hymns as you wait to receive Christ’s body and blood.

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