

## Announcements

### SERVING THIS WEEK

Organist: Kathy May

Altar Committee: Melinda Burger

Communion Committee: Becca Ligrow and Joanne Smith

Sunday 7:45am Elder: Matthew Voss

Sunday 10:30am Elder: Joseph Schneider

Wednesday 6:30pm Elder: Mark Schneider

### LAST WEEK AT PEACE

Sunday, May 28– 128 (7:45) 80 (10:30) Bible Class – 83

Wednesday, May 31– 35

Thursday, June 1 –Coffee Break – 41

**Sanctuary Candle** is given in memory of Paul Kiel and Albert Nitzsche.

### Last Week's Offering

General fund: \$ 5,728.00

Goehner Schl. fund: \$ 100.00

\$ 5,828.00

### TOTAL OFFERINGS GIVEN IN MAY 2023:

General funds received in May: \$ 35,133.66

Capital Imp. funds received in May: \$ 220.00

Goehner Schl. funds received in May: \$ 200.00

Sacred Appt. funds received in May: \$ 70.00

Mercy funds received in May: \$ 243.00

Nigeria funds received in May: \$ 300.00

\$ 36,166.66

## Peace Lutheran Church and Academy

### The Feast of the Holy Trinity

June 4, 2023


### THEME: Blessed Be the Holy Trinity and the Undivided Unity!

God is revealed to us in our Baptism where we are born again of water and the Holy Spirit. In our Baptism God gives us His strong name which proclaims to us who He is and all that He does for us. It is as if He were saying, "I am the one true God. I give you my Name, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; You belong to me. I have adopted you as my very own. I am the Father who created you. I am the Son who has redeemed you by My blood. I am the Holy Spirit who has called you to faith and sanctifies you through the blood of Christ. I am your God." The strong name of the Triune God is our protection throughout life. Let us call upon it in every trouble, pray, praise, and give thanks. "Blessed be the Holy Trinity and the undivided Unity: let us give glory to Him because He has shown His mercy to us. O Lord, our Lord: how excellent is Your name in all the earth!" (From the Introit for Holy Trinity)

**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 LCMS and are not under church discipline in another congregation. In Christ, Pastor Bender

**CCA Symposium** – *Christ and the Law: Catechesis on the Ten Commandments* will be held at Peace on June 21-23. The schedule is available online at <https://peacesussex.org/cca/symposium/> **Registration forms for members are available in the narthex.** Please turn them in to the office or place in the CCA/Financial Clerk mailbox.



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The Rev. Gary V. Gehlbach, Asst. Pastor — (262) 325-3032

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

**WE GATHER TO HEAR GOD’S WORD** — “Sanctify them by 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—Holy Trinity Bible Class 9:15 – Genesis 20**
- **Wednesday: Divine Service 6:30— Holy Trinity**
- **Thursday: Coffee Break Bible Study 9:30 - Understanding Aging**

**Family Prayer Devotional Studies** will be recorded by Pastor Bender and posted online weekly in preparation for each Family Prayer lesson. The lesson this week is *Jesus Catechizes Nicodemus*. Look for the Family Prayer lesson and its accompanying podcast on the congregation website under the Family Prayer tab.

**Confessional Lutherans, We’ve Got Your Back... 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 topics include: The Evening Hymn “Abide with Me,” Children’s Rights, The Biblical Case for the Trinity, News Discernment and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

**NEWS AND NOTES**

**Summer Office Hours** — Beginning Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, the church office hours will be 8am-12pm Monday through Friday (in June and July).

**Board of Education** meets [this Tuesday](#), June 6 at 7:15 p.m.

**Board of Elders** meets Tuesday, June 20 at 6:00 p.m.

**Board of Properties** meets Tuesday, June 20 at 7:00 p.m.

**Parish Council** meets Tuesday, June 27 at 7:00 p.m.

**Understanding Aging** - Pat Durham, activities director at The Courtyard retirement community in Sussex, will give a presentation on understanding aging this Thursday, June 8 at 9:30 a.m. during Coffee Break Bible Study. Everyone is welcome.

**Symposium Reception, Wednesday, June 21** – Treats needed for the Symposium reception on Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>! Please consider signing up to help provide goodies for our guests. Beverages will be provided, but we need some tasty hors d’oeuvres. Possible ideas for finger-food include cheese/crackers, deviled eggs, meatballs, raw veggies w/ dip, cut up fruit, etc. The sign-up sheet is near the kitchen. Contact Julie Goltermann with any questions.

**A Place of Refuge ministries - LifeWalk 2023 - Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>**  
Host: St. Paul’s Lutheran Church at 7821 W. Lincoln Ave., West Allis.  
Schedule: 9:00 Registration 10:00 Welcome, Prayer & Start of the Walk 11:00 Finish the Walk, Prizes, Music & Lunch  
To register, please go to [aplaceofrefuge.org](http://aplaceofrefuge.org) and click on the Life Walk page. Get friends and family to sponsor your walk! Prizes will be given for most money raised and most sponsors. Join us for a fun filled and Love-for-Life event!

**Volunteers Needed – Synod Convention**

The LCMS Convention will be held July 29-August 3 at the Wisconsin Convention Center in downtown Milwaukee. Many volunteers are needed to serve in the days leading up to and throughout the convention in various areas – Hospitality, Information, Registration and more. Visit [swd.lcms.org/serve](http://swd.lcms.org/serve) or scan the QR code below to review the available slots and sign up by Tuesday, June 27. If you can speak Russian, Korean or Spanish, the International Guests Hospitality Committee could use your assistance in greeting guests at the airport and assisting at the convention. Thank you for serving at the Convention!

**A Shut-in Needs a Home for her Dogs**

Judi Smith has recently moved into assisted living at the Courtyard and needs a home for her two little dogs. If you are interested, contact Susan Gehlbach (262-372-4353) for further details.

**St James, Menomonee Falls Thrift and Bake Sale - June 8 - 10**

June 8<sup>th</sup> - 8am-7 pm, \$2 admission on Thurs. 8am-12pm only

June 9<sup>th</sup> - 8am-5 pm, Fri. \$5 bag sale in adult clothing

June 10<sup>th</sup> - 8am-12 pm., Sat. 1/2 price and \$5 bag sale (select items excluded).

**Weekly RaiseRight Report: Week of 5-28-23**

Number of families participating: 6 (in-person) + 3 (online)

Gross sales: \$1,660.00 Profit paid to Academy: \$45.60

Attendance: 241 Total profits paid this fiscal year: \$5,401.91

\$5 and \$10 gift cards are now available. Brands can be found online, and can be ordered online, in app, and at the RaiseRight counter.

# Sunday Order of Service

The Feast of the Holy Trinity

June 4, 2023

**LSB Divine Service Setting Three, p. 184**

“**And with thy spirit**” is the response in this service to the salutation, “The Lord be with you.”

*Please follow the order of service printed in the hymnal beginning on page 184. The propers for the day (readings, hymns) are listed below.*

## Preservice Music

“God So Loved the World” by John Stainer/Lani Smith

## Hymn of Invocation

**604**

“I Bind unto Myself Today”

**Introit** *sung responsively with the choir; the Gloria Patri is sung from Setting 3.*

*Antiphon* (Liturgical Text)

Blessèd be the Holy Trinity and the undivided | Unity. \*

Let us give glory to Him

because He has shown His mer-|cy to us.

*Psalm* (Ps. 8:1-2a, 3-5)

**O LORD, our Lord,**

**how excellent is Your name in | all the earth, \***

**who have set Your glory above the | heavens!**

Out of the mouth of babes and nursing | infants \*

You have or-|dained strength.

**When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your | fingers, \***

**the moon and the stars, which You | have ordained,**

what is man that You are mind-|ful of him, \*

and the son of man that You | visit him?

**For You have made him a little lower than the | angels, \***

**and You have crowned him with glory and | honor.**

**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.)*

## Old Testament Reading

**Isaiah 6:1-7**

The vision of Isaiah

**Choral Response** “God So Loved the World” by Kevin Hildebrand

God so loved, so loved the world, that He gave His only Son,  
That whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

God loved the world so that He gave His only Son the lost to save,  
That all who would in Him believe should everlasting life receive.

God did not send His Son to the world to condemn the world,  
But that the world might be saved through Him.

God so loved, so loved the world, that He gave His only Son,  
That whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life.

## Epistle

**Romans 11:33-36**

The depth of the wisdom and knowledge of God

**Alleluia Verse** *The congregation sings the triple Alleluia before and after the verse of the day. The choir sings the appointed verse.*

Blessèd are You, O Lord God of our | fathers, \*

and greatly to be praised and glorified for-|ever.

*(Liturgical Text)*

## Holy Gospel

**John 3:1-17**

Jesus catechizes Nicodemus.

## Athanasian Creed

**p. 319**

## Hymn of the Day

**571**

“God Loved the World So That He Gave”

## Distribution Hymns

“We All Believe in One True God”

**953**

“Voices Raised to You We Offer”

**795**

“The Lord, My God, Be Praised”

**794**

## Hymn to Depart

**876**

“O Blessed, Holy Trinity”