

## 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: Philip Gehlbach

Wednesday 6:30pm Elder: Mark Schneider

### LAST WEEK AT PEACE

Sunday, June 4– 151 (7:45) 92 (10:30) Bible Class – 80

Wednesday, June 7 – 29

Thursday, June 8 –Coffee Break – 33

**Sanctuary Candle** is given in memory of Frank Koplting and George Schiellack.

### Last Week's Offering

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African Mission fund:	<u>\$ 200.00</u>
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## Peace Lutheran Church and Academy

### First Sunday after Trinity


June 11, 2023

### THEME: We Are Beggars, One and All before the Lord.

The parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus raises these questions: “Who is your god? What do you worship? Is God’s judgment at death final? How does God warn me of the judgment of hell? What brings me to repentance?” The beggar was carried by the angels to Abraham’s bosom. The rich man suffered in hell, gazing at Abraham and the beggar from afar. Each received what he believed in: the rich man received the comforts of this life and of his own achievements, which did not last, and the beggar received the comfort of God’s salvation through the faith of Abraham, which endures to eternal life. The judgment of death is final: “There is a great gulf fixed” between heaven and hell. Those in one place cannot pass to the other. Repentance to faith in Christ comes only through hearing the message of Moses and the prophets, who actually proclaim salvation for sinners through the death of the resurrected One—Jesus Christ, our Lord.

**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



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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—Trinity 1**  
**Bible Class 9:15**
- **Wednesday:** **Divine Service 6:30—Trinity 1**

**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 *The Rich Man and Lazarus*. Look for the Family Prayer lesson and its accompanying podcast on the congregation website under the Family Prayer tab.

**Coffee Break Bible Study is on summer hiatus.** When we resume in late summer, we will begin a study of the Gospel according to St. Mark. Watch the bulletin for date and time.

**Spiritual Well-Being & Mental Health of Lutheran Laity—Issues, Etc.**, is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio, will have Rev. David Fleming and Dr. Beverly Yahnke of Doxology respond to your questions and comments about the spiritual well-being and mental health of Lutheran laity. You can submit your question via email: [talkback@issuesetc.org](mailto:talkback@issuesetc.org), Facebook: [facebook.com/issuesetc](https://www.facebook.com/issuesetc), or the Issues, Etc. Comment Line: (618) 223-8382. You can listen to the interview at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](https://www.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 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.

**Theater Camp 2023:** This week is Theater Camp! If your child is participating, they should plan on being at Peace from 9:00am-12:00pm each day this week (Mon-Sat). Delicious and nutritious snacks will be provided, but parents are responsible for breakfast and lunch. All are invited to attend the final performance on Saturday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm. Please email or text Pastor Christiansen if you are looking for more information.

**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.

**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.

### **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.

### **Weekly RaiseRight Report:** Week of 6-4-23

Number of families participating: 8 (in-person) + 4 (online)

Gross sales: \$2,020.00      Profit paid to Academy: \$54.38

Attendance: 278      Total profits paid this fiscal year: \$5,456.29

\$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

First Sunday after Trinity

June 11, 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.*

**Hymn of Invocation** **797**

“Praise the Almighty”

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

*Antiphon* *(Ps. 13:5-6)*

I have trusted in Your | mercy; \*  
my heart shall rejoice in Your sal-|vation.  
I will sing | to the LORD, \*  
because He has dealt bountifully | with me.

*Psalm* *(Ps. 13:1-4)*

**How long, O LORD? Will You forget me for-|ever? \***  
**How long will You hide Your | face from me?**  
**How long shall I take counsel in my soul,**  
**having sorrow in my heart | daily? \***  
**How long will my enemy be exalted | over me?**  
**Consider and hear me, O | LORD my God; \***  
**enlighten my eyes, lest I sleep the | sleep of death;**  
**lest my enemy say, “I have prevailed a-|gainst him”; \***  
**lest those who trouble me rejoice when | I am moved.**

**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** **Genesis 15:1-6**

Abraham was justified by faith in the promise.

**Psalm 33:12-22** (antiphon: v. 20) *sung responsively with the pastor; congregation sings the odd verses.*

**Epistle** **1 John 4:16-21**

John catechizes us on the meaning of God’s love for us.

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

O LORD my God, in You I | put my trust; \*  
save me from all those who persecute me;  
and de-|liver me. *(Ps 7:1)*

**Holy Gospel** **Luke 16:19-31**

The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus

**Hymn of the Day** **768**

“To God the Holy Spirit, Let Us Pray”

**Distribution Hymns**

“Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” **700**  
“Thee We Adore, O Hidden Savior” **640**  
“Son of God, Eternal Savior” **842**

**Hymn to Depart** **675**

“Oh, What Their Joy”