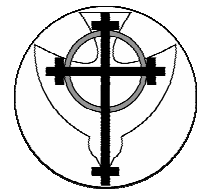


# The Peace Post



*The peace of the Lord be with you always. Amen!*



**FROM THE  
DESK OF  
PASTOR  
MESSER**

**“Will We Observe Lent?”**

Dear fellow redeemed in Christ,

In just two short weeks, we will begin the season of Lent. Or, will we?

Yes, we'll bring out the ashes on Ash Wednesday; and, yes, we'll pull out the purple paraments for the season; and, yes, we'll have Midweek Services (preceded by potlucks, of course); and, yes, we'll hear all of the familiar readings, including the Passion Account as the season progresses. Rest assured, we will observe Lent here at Peace. But, will we observe Lent? Will you? Will I? Or, will we just go through the motions?

The holy and penitential season of Lent beckons us, my friends, but will we heed its call? Will we accept its invitation to truly examine ourselves, to do some soul-searching and analyze how we're doing in relation to God's commandments? Will we seize the opportunity this season provides for us to recognize more deeply our need for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ? Will we heed its call to amend our sinful lives and re-dedicate ourselves to the faith we confess? These are pointed questions, to be sure, but they are questions each one of us should be asking ourselves.

You see, Lent is faithful. It will not let us down. It comes every year and provides us with the same opportunity to do some much needed spiritual house-cleaning. But, it will do us no good if we do not seize the opportunity it provides. It will avail us nothing if we just go through the

motions.

So, how do we seize the Lenten opportunity? Well, the answer to that question will be different for each one of us as we examine ourselves and identify our spiritual shortcomings. But, here is a list of things we would do well to think about:

1. Church attendance - Obviously, attending Church where the Lord comes to be in our presence and give us His gifts through Word and Sacrament should be a high priority in our lives. Is it? Do we attend as often as we possibly can?
2. Bible Study - This is another obvious one, for all Christians know the importance of being in the Word of God. Or, at least, they should. Are we in the Word as often as we should be?
3. Prayer/Devotional Life - How is our prayer and devotional life going? Do we set aside some time each day to spend with the Lord?
4. Attention in Church - When we attend Service, do we strive to pay attention to the Word in the liturgy, hymns, readings, and sermon, or are we guilty of simply going through the motions?
5. Service - Are we committed to serving the Lord and His Church with our time, talents, and treasures? Does He get our first-fruits or our leftovers? Are we committed to serving our neighbor or are we too busy taking care of ourselves?
6. Witness - Do we strive to bear witness to our faith in word and deed, or do we forget we're Christians between Sundays?
7. Striving against sin - Are there certain sins that seem to have control over us? Do we struggle against them and strive to defeat them, or do we simply throw in the towel and indulge them?

My friends, this short list is, by no means, exhaustive, but it's a good start. The holy and penitential season of Lent provides us with an opportunity to look at these areas of our spiritual lives, examine how well we're doing, and, most importantly, to strive to improve where we are lacking. I know there are many areas in which I have much room for improvement. What say you?

It is my sincere hope and prayer that each one of us would truly observe Lent this year, that we would not just let it come and go, but embark on the spiritual journey it invites us to take. It is only as we truly examine ourselves that we will come to appreciate more deeply the salvific work our Savior did to atone for our sins, and then, motivated by that awesome Gospel, strive to lead godly lives. Lent provides us with this opportunity. Will we seize it? I pray we will!

Your servant in Christ,  
*Pastor Messer*



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# Service Schedule through Easter

<u>Day &amp; Date</u>	<u>Sunday/Festival</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Order of Service</u>
Sunday, Jan. 27	Sexagesima	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 3
Sunday, Feb. 3	Quinquagesima	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 3
Wednesday, Feb. 6	Ash Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Div. Serv. 1 (w/Imposition of ashes)
Sunday, Feb. 10	Invocabit (First Sunday in Lent)	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1
Wednesday, Feb. 13	Invocabit Midweek	7:00 p.m.	Service of Prayer and Preaching
Sunday, Feb. 17	Reminiscere (Second Sunday in Lent)	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1
Monday, Feb. 18	The Feast of St. Martin Luther	12:00 p.m.	Divine Service 3
Wednesday, Feb. 20	Reminiscere Midweek	7:00 p.m.	Service of Prayer and Preaching
Sunday, Feb. 24	The Feast of St. Matthias (Lent 3)	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1
Wednesday, Feb. 27	Oculi Midweek	7:00 p.m.	Service of Prayer and Preaching
Sunday, Mar. 2	Laetare (Fourth Sunday in Lent)	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1
Wednesday, Mar. 5	Laetare Midweek	7:00 p.m.	Service of Prayer and Preaching
Sunday, Mar. 9	Judica (Fifth Sunday in Lent)	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1
Wednesday, Mar. 12	Judica Midweek	7:00 p.m.	Service of Prayer and Preaching
Sunday, Mar. 16	Palmarum (Palm Sunday)	9:30 a.m.	Div. Serv. 1 (w/Procession of Palms)
Monday, Mar. 17	Monday in Holy Week	12:00 p.m.	Divine Service 3 (spoken)
Tuesday, Mar. 18	Tuesday in Holy Week	12:00 p.m.	Divine Service 3 (spoken)
Wednesday, Mar. 19	Wednesday in Holy Week	12:00 p.m.	Divine Service 3 (spoken)
Thursday, Mar. 20	Holy Thursday	12:00 p.m.	Divine Service 3 (spoken)
		7:00 p.m.	Div. Serv. 1 (w/Stripping of Altar)
Friday, Mar. 21	Good Friday	12:00 p.m.	Sacred Noonday Service
		**7:30 p.m.**	Office of Tenebrae
Saturday, Mar. 22	Holy Saturday	**10:00 a.m.**	Divine Service 3 (spoken)
Sunday, Mar. 23	The Resurrection of Our Lord	9:30 a.m.	Divine Service 1

## Midweek Lenten Sermon Series “Sounds of the Passion”

Wednesday, Feb. 6	Ash Wednesday	“Ripping Cloth”
Wednesday, Feb. 13	Invocabit Midweek	“Clinking Coins”
Wednesday, Feb. 20	Reminiscere Midweek	“Crying Tears”
Wednesday, Feb. 27	Oculi Midweek	“Tramping Feet”
Wednesday, Mar. 5	Laetare Midweek	“Crowing Rooster”
Wednesday, Mar. 12	Judica Midweek	“Shouting Mob”
Thursday, Mar. 20	Holy Thursday	“Breaking Bread”
Friday, Mar. 21	Good Friday	“Pounding Hammer”



# PEACE LUTHERAN LIBRARY



**Donations are always welcome!**

If you are thinking about donating one or more books to our library and are not sure what to be looking for, we have a "wish" list of suggestions in the church office. Prices and books can also be found in the CPH catalog, also in the church office.

*We would like to encourage people to use our Church Library more often. If you have read a book from our library that you enjoyed, or that inspired you, and you would like to share it, please contact Beth Brostrom or Coaline Luplow.*



**THURSDAY,  
FEBRUARY 7 - 12:00 PM**

**INITIAL PLANNING MEETING  
TO LOOK AT THE 2008  
PROGRAM -  
"FRIENDSHIP TREK"**

If you cannot make the meeting and still wish to help with VBS this year, please see Sharyn Greening at any time.

## LADIES LUNCH BUNCH

Our next luncheon will be Thursday, February 21 at 1:30. Watch the bulletin board and future bulletins for location. Please remember that all ladies of Peace Lutheran Church are invited. Should anyone like to invite a guest — someone without a church or someone living alone — please ask them to join us.



Ladies' Lunch Bunch

## PYG NEWS

### February Events:

**Feb. 17 - Monthly meeting - - noon to 2:00 pm**

Greetings in Christ.

It is cold and chilly outside and everyone feels like hibernating until spring. Please don't. Join us in church for the Lord's word, in fellowship after church and in Youth Bible Study as we explore the Gospel of John.

We are in the planning stages for activities and events for the rest of the year. Please join us now and then.

Remember, all youth from 6th-12th grade are part of the Peace Youth Group. Please be an active member and join us.

May the Spirit of the Lord be with you.  
Jonathan Penzien



**1. Spartan Labels** - we continue to collect and count Spartan Label UPC's. There is a box on top of the member mailboxes.

**2. Pop Can Drive** - We have placed a trash can at the back of the cloak room for cans and bottles.

**These are on-going collections by the Peace Youth Group. We appreciate all your support of these programs.**

# Synopsis of January 8, 2008 Church Council Minutes

**Call To Order & Opening Prayer** – President Brown called the meeting to order at 7:01pm. Pastor Messer led the opening prayer. The following members were present: Chris Brown, Megan Brown, Carol Zeile, Gary Miller, Dave Zeile, James Sager, Sharyn Greening and Andrea Elliott. Pastor Messer was also present.

**Approval of Agenda** – Motion made by Secretary Brown, supported by Councilmember Greening to approve the amended agenda. Motion carried unanimously.

**Approval of Consent Agenda** – The consent agenda contained the minutes from the December 4, 2007 meeting and reports from Pastor, Treasurer, Board of Evangelism and Stewardship and Ladies Guild. Motion made by Councilmember Greening, supported by Councilmember Zeile to approve the consent agenda as presented. (Reports are attached hereto.) The following reports were then presented: Financial Secretary, Boards of Trustees, Elders and Christian Education, Peace Youth Group, Constitution and Bylaws and Budget and Finance. The Council received these reports into record.

## **Business**

**Updating Account Signatories** – Treasurer Zeile will contact the bank to determine what steps need to be taken to change the signatories on all accounts.

**Support of Issues, Etc.** – Motion made by Financial Secretary Miller, supported by Councilmember Zeile to take \$240 from the Local Mission budget line item to supplement the \$260 already received from members of the congregation to reach the \$500 donation level for Issues, Etc. Motion carried unanimously.

**Contractual Services** – President Brown asked the Board of Trustees to consider reviewing all contracts currently in place for services and report back to Council with any changes or recommendations.

**Helping a Peace Member In Need** – Pastor Messer informed the Council of a member in need of funds to replace a broken window. Pastor informed the Council that the Ladies Guild has pledged \$75 and \$85 is still needed. Following further discussion, a motion was made by Councilmember Greening, supported by Secretary Brown to take \$500 from the CEF Savings account as start-up funds for a Christian Care Account. The account will be used to assist members in need and the Ladies Guild will also provide support and funds at the upcoming Lenten Dinners. Motion carried unanimously. Funds will be taken from this account to help the member in need.

**Church Extension Fund Plus Account** – This item was tabled from the previous meeting. Motion made by Councilmember Zeile, supported by Financial Secretary Miller to remove the item from further discussion. Motion carried unanimously.

## **General Comment**

**Better Utilization of Time, Treasure and Talent forms** – President Brown will be asking a member to transfer the information from the forms into a database that can be easily searched via a computer.

**Updating the Website** – President Brown asked that the website be updated to show current events and officers. Pastor Messer will contact the webmaster.

**Appointed Congregational Officers** – President Brown informed the Council that Dick Kohler has stepped down as Chairman of the Board of Stewardship. He asked the Council for any recommendations for a new Chairman.

**2008 Budget** – The 2008 budget was approved at the October meeting of the Voters' Assembly and no changes have been made. The only discussion that needs to take place at the January meeting of the Voters' Assembly is the newly established Christian Care Account.

**January Voters' Assembly** – Secretary Brown asked to have the reports posted prior to the January meeting of the Voters' Assembly in so that they may be posted for members to review.

**Primary Elections** – Secretary Brown received information that the Church Fellowship Hall will be used on January 15 for the primary elections.

**Youth Group Building Use** – Councilmember Sager informed the Council that the Youth Group will be seeking permission to use the building on May 3 for a fundraiser for Higher Things. More information will be provided as the date approaches.

**Adjournment & Closing Prayer** – Motion made by Councilmember Greening, supported by Councilmember Zeile to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 8:23pm. Pastor Messer conducted the closing prayer.

Proposed minutes respectfully submitted,  
Megan Brown, Secretary

## LADIES & ALTAR GUILD INFO

- **LADIES GUILD MEETING:** Guild meets the Monday, **February 4 - 7:00 pm.** **Hostess:** Marlene Miller/Charlotte Dargie. All ladies of the congregation are invited to attend our guild meetings; if you are a confirmed female member of Peace, you can be a member of the guild. We would sincerely encourage you to participate and be an active member of the guild.
- **LADIES GUILD PRAYER CHAIN:** The Ladies Guild has a prayer chain in place. If you wish to be included in the prayer chain as a caller, see Marlene Wiltshire. If you wish to add yourself or someone else to the prayers, call Marlene Wiltshire (463-4101).
- **ALTAR GUILD DUTY:** February - Carol Zeile; March - Carol Zeile; April - Carol Zeile
- **ALTAR FLOWERS:** There is a flower calendar for 2008 posted on the fellowship bulletin board. If you wish to place flowers on the altar some time during the year, fill in your name and/or contact Beth Brostrom or Cheryl Henry. A bouquet usually lasts about one (1) month and the cost is about \$25.



### UPCOMING COFFEE HOSTESSES:

#### February

3 - Cheryl Henry  
10 - Lois Ramsey  
17 - Sharyn Greening/  
Megan Greening  
24 - Jennie Harmon

#### March

2 - D. Palmer/T. Palmer  
9 - Jo Wendt  
16 - Cheryl Kuehnlein  
23 - EASTER - NO COFFEE  
30 - Carol Durst

#### April

6 - Janice Sager  
13 - Jenny Baughman  
20 - Youth Group  
27 - Lisa Messer



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## Christian Care Fund



At the January Ladies' Guild meeting it was decided to begin fundraising to establish a Christian Care Fund. The Fund will be used to help members of our congregation with emergency needs. As a part of the fundraising efforts the ladies will accept donations at each of the six Lenten dinners, February 6 through March 12, 2008. We will also apply for supplemental funds from Thrivent to increase the amount that we will be able to contribute to start this fund. As you attend the mid-week Services during Lent, please consider making a donation to this important fundraising effort. If you are unable to attend the Lenten dinners and would like to contribute, please contact Carol Zeile.

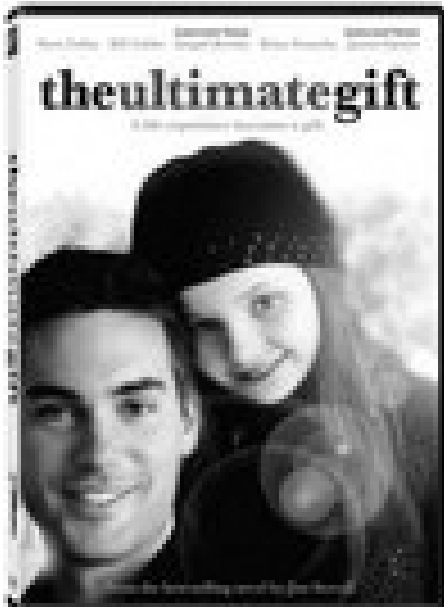


## Christian Care Fund

# S.A.L.T. NEWS & NOTES

*S.A.L.T. is our Evangelism Committee here at Peace. Its mission is to **Share with All the Love and Truth** of Jesus Christ!*

1. **Next S.A.L.T. Meeting will be held Thursday, February 7 at 7:00 p.m.** WE NEED MORE S.A.L.T. MEMBERS! PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING US!
2. **Support Our Troops:** Please continue to support this ministry by donating any items you can (list on S.A.L.T. bulletin board). If you have any family members serving overseas in our military and would like for us to send them a shipment, please see Andrea or Larry Elliott. Thank you! 
3. **A Forgotten Advent Tea Thank You:** Last month, I thanked all those who were so helpful in planning our Advent Tea, but forgot to include Coaline Luplow. So sorry Coaline! I have no idea how I left you off the list as your name was right there on the handwritten note from which I typed the thank you note. So . . . please accept my apology for the blunder and my sincere thanks for all the help you provided in planning our Advent Tea! Love, Lisa Messer
4. **Food Bank:** Food Bank collection Sunday is the first Sunday of every month. Please help the S.A.L.T. committee give aid to families and seniors of Gratiot County by bringing non-perishable, canned, or packaged foods on **Sunday, January 6**. Suggestions for donations are posted on the S.A.L.T. bulletin board. Place your donations in the **RED COLLECTION TUB** in the Fellowship Hall. Thanks for your help! 
5. **PEACE APPAREL IS COMING SOON:** We will be taking orders once again for Peace Lutheran **T-shirts, polos, and sweatshirts**. We will be offering a bigger variety this time. We had hoped to be able to have this together before Christmas, but it didn't work out. So, look for details on this soon! We promise! :)
6. **Peace Camping Weekend:** Please see the S.A.L.T. bulletin board to sign up to join us for this fun and exciting getaway this summer!



## PEACE MOVIE NIGHT RETURNS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Meet at the church at 6:00 p.m.

*The Ultimate Gift* (shows at 6:30 p.m.)

A discussion about the movie will follow.

Pizza, chips, and pop provided by S.A.L.T.

Bring your own snacks if you wish

Bring your own comfy chairs if you wish

A freewill offering will be collected to support future movie nights. Hope to see you there!

# CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AT PEACE

## Sunday School and Adult Bible Class

- Sunday School meets at 11:00 a.m. every Sunday. There are four Sunday School Classes this year (Pre-K-2nd Grade; 3rd-5th Grade; 6th-8th Grade; 9th-12th Grade).
- Adult Bible Class is offered **every Sunday at 11:00 a.m.** for all adult members of Peace and guests. We are currently engaged in a detailed study of **Revelation**.

## Youth Confirmation Class

- Youth Confirmation Class meets weekly on Thursdays at 5:30 p.m.

## Together in the Word

- Our *Together in the Word* Bible Study **has changed its day and time**—Beginning this month we will meet on **THURSDAY mornings at 10:00 a.m.** All men and women of Peace who are available at that time are encouraged to join us. Guests are always welcome as well. We are currently engaged in a detailed study of **Genesis**. Please plan on joining us soon.

## “It’s All Greek to Me”

- *It’s All Greek to Me* meets on Sundays from 12:00-1:30.

## FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES



### Happy Birthday to:

- 1 - Sierra Luplow
- 5 - Connie Cook
- 6 - Dorothy Wisner
- 9 - Kecia Gustavison
- 12 - Yvonne Elenbaas

- 21 - Coaline Luplow
- 21 - Eric Lovejoy
- 24 - Melanie Penzien
- 24 - Jeffery Sager
- 24 - Amber Rosalez
- 28 - Rebekah Rodriguez

### Happy Anniversary to:

- 18 - Leland & Marilyn Oswald
- 19 - Ernest & Barbara Komar

*If we ever miss your birthday or anniversary, please let us know so that we can update our records.*



### EUCHRE NIGHT!

We will meet on Friday, February 29 at 6:30 pm. There will be a sign-up sheet on the S.A.L.T. bulletin board in the fellowship hall. Everyone is welcome to come and have fun playing the great game of euchre. Please bring a refreshment to pass and a friend. See you there!



### TABLE TALK

Our Table Talks are informal and informative discussions with Pastor Messer on various topics decided by the group in attendance. Our next Table Talk will take place **Thursday, February 21 at 7:00 p.m.** at the church. All are invited to attend! Hope to see you there!

### PAROCHIAL REPORT

(As of February 22)

Membership at Peace

Baptized - 173 ; Confirmed - 140

Official Acts: 1

Adult confirmation: Cassie Tennant

Membership gains: 5

By Transfer: Art & Hannah Tennant; Amy & Jack Lesinger;

By Adult Confirmation: Cassie Tennant

Membership losses: 9

Released: Ann Hamp; Brandy Jensen; Mike Luplow; Tim, Lori, Cailin Mikek; Mary, Stefanie, Javier Jr., Edward Rosalez

Financial Report

YTD Receipts: \$5,917.72

## Find Thirty Books of the Bible SOLUTION

There are 30 books of the Bible in this paragraph. Can you find them?




This is a most remarkable puzzle. It was found by a gentleman in an airplane seat pocket on a flight from Los Angeles to Honolulu keeping him occupied for hours. He enjoyed it so much he passed it on to some friends. One friend from Illinois worked on this while fishing from his john boat. Another friend studied it while playing the banjo. Elaine Taylor, a columnist friend, was so intrigued by it she mentioned it in her weekly newspaper column. Another friend judges the job of solving the puzzle so involving, she brews a cup of tea to help her nerves. There will be some names that are really easy to spot. That's a fact. Some people, however, will soon find themselves in a jam, especially since the book names are not necessarily capitalized. Truthfully, from answers we get, we are forced to admit it usually takes a minister or scholar to see some of the m at the worst. Research has shown that something in our genes is responsible for the difficulty we have in seeing the books in this paragraph. During a recent fund raising event, which featured this puzzle, the Alpha Delta Phi lemonade booth set a new sales record. The local paper, The Chronicle, surveyed over 200 patrons who reported that this puzzle was one of the most difficult they had ever seen. As Daniel Hummanna humbly puts it, "the books are all right there in plain view hidden from sight." Those able to find all of them will hear great lamentations from those who have to be shown. One revelation that may help is that books like Timothy and Samuel may occur without their numbers. Also, keep in mind, that punctuation and spaces in the middle are normal. A chipper attitude will help you compete really well against those who claim to know the answers. Remember, there is no need for a mad exodus, there really are 30 books of the Bible lurking somewhere in this paragraph waiting to be found.



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# February 2008

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	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Jan. 27</b> <i>Sexagesima</i> 7:30—Elders; 8:30—Choir 9:30—Divine Service 10:45—Fellowship 11:00— <b>QUARTERLY</b> <b>VOTERS' ASSEMBLY</b>	<b>Jan. 28</b>	<b>Jan. 29</b>	<b>Jan. 30</b>	<b>Jan. 31</b>	<b>1</b> 6:00 pm - Peace Movie Night <i>The Ultimate Gift</i> 	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b> <i>Quinquagesima</i> 8:30—Choir 9:30—Divine Service 10:45—Fellowship 11:00—BC, SS 12:00—Greek Class	<b>4</b> 7:00—Ladies Guild Hostess: C. Dargie/M. Miller	<b>5</b> <i>Pastor Messer at Wineol</i> 7:00—Council Meeting	<b>6</b> 6:00p.m.—Potluck 7:00—Ash Wednesday Divine Service w/imposition of ashes	<b>7</b> 10:00—Together in the Word 5:00 pm— <i>WW</i> 5:30—Confirmation	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	
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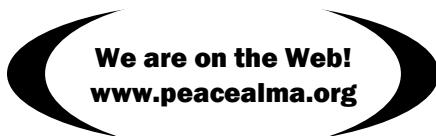
## SERVING IN FEBRUARY

	<u>ACOLYTES</u>	<u>ORGANIST</u>	<u>ELDER</u>	<u>USHERS</u>	<u>GREETERS</u>
3 - 9:30 am	Melanie Penzien Tyrel Harwager	Beth Brostrom	Bill Harmon	James Sager Burt Henry	Marlene Wiltshire/ Carol Durst
6 - 7:00 pm	Kelsey Gensler Sarah Messer	Beth Brostrom	Bill Harmon	James Sager Burt Henry	XXX
10 - 9:30 am	Jordan Henry Natalie Penzien	Mary Jakolat	Terry Luplow	Chris Brown Gary Miller	Bill & Beth Brostrom
13 - 7:00 pm	Samantha Messer Jessica Oswald	Mary Jakolat	Terry Luplow	Chris Brown Gary Miller	XXX
17 - 9:30 am	CJ Oswald Lauren Penzien	Beth Brostrom	Dave Zeile	Bill Brostrom Curt Oswald	Larry & Andrea Elliott
20 - 7:00 pm	Phillip Schafer Tyrel Harwager	Beth Brostrom	Dave Zeile	Bill Brostrom Curt Oswald	XXX
24 - 9:30 am	Kelsey Gensler Sarah Messer	Mary Jakolat	Don Reithel	Mike Gilbert Vern Jakolat	Sharyn Greening
27 - 7:00 pm	Samantha Messer CJ Oswald	Mary Jakolat	Don Reithel	Mike Gilbert Vern Jakolat	XXX
<b>MARCH</b>					
2 - 9:30 am	Melanie Penzien Natalie Penzien	Beth Brostrom	Larry Elliott	Bill Hendrick Jon Penzien	Burt & Cheryl Henry
6—7:00 pm	Kelsey Gensler Phillip Schafer	Beth Brostrom	Larry Elliott	Bill Brostrom Jon Penzien	XXX

*“Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not men” (Eph. 6:7)*

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*The mission of Peace Lutheran Church is to welcome all people into the fellowship of God's love by proclaiming the forgiveness of sins through Jesus Christ and to nurture our members with God's Holy Word and Sacraments.*