

Peace Lutheran Church, Sunday, August 31, 2025
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Worship Opportunities:

- 1. In person at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. on Sundays
- 2. On Facebook (streamed live at 8:00 and then posted following the service)
- 3. On Cable Channel 6 at 7:00 p.m. Tuesdays and 9:00 a.m. Wednesdays
- 4. On YouTube anytime (search Peace Lutheran Church Baldwin WI)

CALENDAR: 08/31/25 – 09/07/25

Sunday, August 31 – 8:00 a.m. Worship; 9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study; 10:30 a.m. Worship
Tuesday, September 2 – 6:30 p.m. Guatemala Team Meeting
Thursday, September 4 – 7:00 a.m. Rise/Son Shine; 6:00 p.m. Worship Team One
Friday, September 5 – 7:00 p.m. AA
Saturday, September 6 – 9:00 a.m. Bible Study; 11:00 a.m. Board of Stewardship
Rally Sunday, September 7 – 8:00 a.m. Worship; Ministry Fair; Kenya Breakfast; 9:15 a.m. Sunday School;
9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study; 10:30 a.m. Worship; Scrip orders due

PRAYER CHAIN – If you would like prayers for yourself or someone else, please submit requests on the website (welcometopeace.org) or to Kathy Miller at 715-781-2745 (text or call) or kwmiller69@gmail.com.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Armed Forces Personnel, Joe Barbey, College Students, Carol DeYoung, Kenya Friends, John Gegen, family & friends of Leona Knutson, Lisa Knutson, friends & family of Max Krueger, Carl Magnell, Olivia McFarlane, Jo Retter, Patrick Richards, Waldo Rott, John Rust, Austin VanSomeran, Viv, and Doug Weigel.

~ Please note – people are removed from the prayer list after two months unless otherwise requested. ~

WE WELCOME Ryer Richard Gunderson into the Lord’s family through Holy Baptism. Ryer is the son of Vanessa and Jamie Gunderson. His sponsors are Blaize and Ben Donnay and Lilly Paulson.

TUESDAY COMMUNITY SUPPER – The next TCS is September 2 from 5 – 6pm in the Fellowship Hall at Gethsemane. The TCS is served the first Tuesday of the month at Gethsemane in Baldwin. This is a free meal open to the community. Area churches, businesses and organizations take turns preparing and serving good nutritious food. Please join us!

RALLY DAY NEXT SUNDAY– September 7, at 9:15 a.m. Register for Sunday School (3-year-olds through 9th grade), meet the teachers, and have some fun (we will have bounce houses!). We would love to have you join us!! For more information, contact Missi at ssdirector@welcometopeace.org.

MINISTRY FAIR NEXT SUNDAY – September 7, between services, we will have a Ministry Fair in the fellowship hall. Come and learn about all the different opportunities available at Peace!

KENYA BREAKFAST & SALE FUNDRAISER NEXT SUNDAY - Come one, come all between services on September 7! This Thrivent Action Project helps the team going in January put on a free medical clinic and make home medical visits. Our last medical clinic in May saw 450 patients in 12 hours! They will also provide food for those dealing with hunger and hope to cover all expenses with fundraisers. Breakfast will be a freewill offering. We will also have items for sale including baked goods, crafts, and Kenya items. (This event takes the place of the Walkathons held in the past to help our Kenya friends.) Please stop by the table and take a peek - there will be something for everyone! Also see the His Arms Children's Project booth that day and let us know if you have questions about joining a mission trip or would like to become a sponsor. Thank you! Asante Sana! Such a fun morning planned for all!

SEPTEMBER SCRIP ORDERS - The September deadline for ordering Scrip is September 7. Orders will be ready for pick up on September 14. To place an order, simply complete your order form (blank forms at the Scrip station in the narthex and on the website) and place it in an envelope along with your cash, check, or debit card slip. Place your envelope in the “scrip box” in middle office or either of the church drop boxes. If you have any questions regarding the Scrip program and how easy it is to use, please contact Sharon Hauschild 715-307-2531 (cell). Thank you!

WORSHIP TEAM MEMBERS WANTED!! We are putting together worship teams to lead worship on Sundays beginning this fall. If you are interested in singing, playing an instrument, or working behind the scenes with AV, please talk to Laura. We'd love to have you on the team!

WHAT is LOGOS? Logos is a mid-week program after school on Wednesdays for grades 1-7. Our youth enjoy Christian fellowship through play, participation in worship and choir, Bible study, and a good meal. For more info, come to the parent meeting on Wednesday, **September 10, at 6:00 p.m.** If you are unable to attend or would like more information, please contact Becky Anderson at 952-715-0297 or wissgotr@hotmail.com.

CONFIRMATION CLASS – Confirmation is for all 8th and 9th grade students with class on Wednesday nights at 6:15 (note new starting time) and Sunday School Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m. Please join us for an informational meeting on Wednesday, **September 10, at 6:30** to find out more.

SILENT AUCTION – It’s time to start thinking ahead to the Silent Auction and what you might be able to contribute. Please have all donations to the church by **September 19**. Thanks!

PEACE CHILD CARE – We have exciting opportunities this fall for children two and older. Please contact us with any inquiries. Peacechildecare20@gmail.com or 715-688-4088.

HOW DO I GET SOMETHING IN THE ANNOUNCEMENTS? Please have all items for the announcement slides and sheets to us by Wednesday mornings to give us enough time to get them included. Items should be sent to Pastor Christian, Laura, and Amy at announcements@welcometopeace.org. Thanks!

FAMILY MINISTRIES - Pauline Wangen is the Director of Family Ministries (pauline.wangen@gmail.com or 651-210-5106).

Piecing It Together Craft Night – Friday, September 12, 6:00-9:00 pm
Do you have crafts you love to do but don't have the time or space at home? Here's the answer! Bring your pictures, paper, quilting, crocheting, beads, tools, stamps, ideas, and inspiration to share! *Pizza, snacks and beverages will be available for a freewill donation.*

Over 55 Event – Thursday, September 18, 10:00-1:00pm
Join us for games, lunch and fellowship. Cost for lunch \$6.00. *RSVP to Pauline for lunch count.*

Church Library – **NEW SPOT!** Check out the church library now located in the north entry by the Women of Peace greeting cards. There are books for all ages!

Women of Peace Greeting Cards – Check out the cards in the north entry. There is a variety of cards for sale for a great price (singles and boxes) that benefit the Women of Peace.

ONGOING Weekly Ministries at Peace:

Rise & (Son)Shine – *Starting up again September 4.* Join us Thursday mornings from 7-8:45am at church for exercise (7:00) and Bible study (7:45). Contact Cheri Rott for more information (cherigary@gmail.com). You can join us for one or both parts.

TOPS Club (Take Off Pounds Sensibly). Meetings are weekly on Thursdays from 5:15-6:00pm. For more information, check out www.tops.org or contact Liz Rust (erust@digitalsilk.net).

Bible Study – Saturdays at 9:00am in the fellowship hall.

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<u>FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT</u>		<u>07/31/25 (General Fund)</u>	
Weekly budgeted expenses	\$ 9,730	YTD GF actual expenses	\$ 258,878
Weekly General Fund income (08/24)	\$ 6,478	YTD GF actual income	\$ 227,610
Bi-monthly GF automatic giving (09/05)	\$ n/a	Difference	\$ - 31,268
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If you help your brother’s boat, you will also reach the shore.

*Two are better than one because they have a good reward for their labor.
For if they fall, the one will lift up the other. - - Ecclesiastes 4:9-10*

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