

Peace Lutheran Church, Fourth Sunday of Advent, December 21, 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 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)

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CALENDAR: 12/21/25 – 12/28/25

Fourth Sunday in Advent, December 21 – 8:00 a.m. Worship; 9:15 a.m. Adult Bible Study; 9:15 a.m. Sunday School (3yo-7th); **10:30 a.m. Worship**

Monday, December 22 – 6:00 p.m. Christmas Service Rehearsal

Wednesday, Christmas Eve, December 24 – 3:00 p.m. Worship / 5:00 p.m. Worship / 7:00 p.m. Worship
Thursday, Christmas Day, December 25 – 9:00 a.m. Worship

Saturday, December 27 – 9:00 a.m. Bible Study

Sunday, December 28 – 8:00 a.m. Worship; NO Adult Bible Study/Sunday School; **10:30 a.m. Worship**

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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 (Tarick, Peyton, & Andrew), Besmehn & Rickards Families, Jennifer Camp, College Students, Keith Cook, family & friends of Patty Drew, family & friends of Owen Hailey, Magnolia Harken, Darlene Hoyt, Cathy Johnston, Cleo Kitchner, Olivia McFarlane, family & friends of Gene Pribnow, Jo Retter, John Rust, Dyann Rimer, Jeff Stoffel, Steve Ulrich, and Rich Wulf.*

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

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JOIN US FOR WORSHIP THIS CHRISTMAS!

Christmas Eve - 3:00 pm / 5:00 pm / 7:00 pm
Christmas Day - 9:00 am



TEXT TO GIVE - Text to Give at Peace is now live! There are a couple of ways to set it up. One, you can text the following message “Give [insert amount].” So, you might text “Give 100” to make a \$100 offering or “Give 40” for a \$40 donation. The number is 855-425-6361. When you text that it will ask for a debit card, which will only be required the first time. Future texts will draw from that card but still ask you to confirm. Or scan this QR code. Scanning the code will open up the text messages and fill in the number automatically.

END OF YEAR REMINDER – To be included on your 2025 statement, all gifts must be received in the office or postmarked by **December 31, 2025**.

JANUARY TUESDAY COMMUNITY SUPPER HELP - Peace's next turn to cook and serve the TCS is **January 6, 2026**. Please see the sign-up sheet in the entry for ways you can help.

WOMEN OF PEACE GREETING CARDS - In the north entry is a variety of cards for sale at a great price (singles and boxes) that benefit the Women of Peace. *People have requested "Thinking of You" cards, so now you will find these in addition to the usual selection!*

WORSHIP TEAM MEMBERS WANTED! We have teams to help lead worship on Sundays. 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!

PEACE CHILD CARE – We have exciting opportunities for children two and older. Please contact us with any inquiries. Peacechildcare20@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 morning 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).

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

ONGOING Weekly Ministries at Peace:

Rise & (Son)Shine – 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>11/30/25 (General Fund)</u>	
Weekly budgeted expenses	\$ 9,730	YTD GF actual expenses	\$ 419,714
Weekly General Fund income (12/14)	\$ 7,130	YTD GF actual income	\$ 387,339
Bi-monthly GF automatic giving (12/20)	\$ 4,119	Difference	\$ - 32,375
Difference	\$ + 1,519		

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“It is the beautiful task of Advent to awaken in all of us memories of goodness and thus to open doors of hope.”

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. - - - **Romans 15:13**

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