



October 4, 2026 Announcements

Peace Lutheran Church

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Save the Dates:

Here are a few dates to save - more information and details will be coming your way soon!

Sunday, October 4: **Silent Auction Ends**

Sunday, October 4: **3rd Grade Bible Distribution**

Wednesday, October 7, 6:00pm: **Celebration Singers (Adult Choir) begins**

Sunday, October 11, Noon-3pm: **YOF Craft Day**

Thursday, October 15, 10:00am: **Over 55 Fall Fest**

Friday, October 23, 6pm-9pm **YOF Corn Maze Outing**

Sunday, October 25, 9:30am: **ONE WORSHIP SERVICE at 9:30am - CELEBRATION SUNDAY - COWBOY THEME and CHILI COOKOFF**

Sunday, October 25: **ALL CHOIRS SING & NO SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Sunday, November 15: **Senior Citizen Recognition Sunday**

Wednesday, November 25: **Feed My Starving Children Packing Event**

Wednesday, December 2: **Confirmation Event - Secret Santa Shopping**

Saturday, December 5: **Christmas By Candlelight**

Wednesday, December 9: **Christmas Caroling Outing**

Sunday, December 20: **Christmas Program (10:30am)**



Celebration Sunday - Cowboy Themed!

Join us for ONE worship Sunday on
October 25 at 9:30am!

The theme will be western/cowboy
and related attire is encouraged!

Following the worship service, we'll
have some fun and games and a Chili

Cookoff! Dust off that famous chili recipe and join us!
Watch the announcements for more details and how to
sign up for the cook off!

Updated Information

If you haven't filled out a YELLOW
information form, please grab one from the
back table and get it to Lori ASAP. As we
move to a new database platform, the
Ministry Team is updating everyone's information! Any
questions? Please contact Lori in the office.
lori@welcometopeace.org



Guest Pastors/Speakers:

***And my God will meet all your
needs according to the riches of his
glory in Christ Jesus. Philippians
4:19***

We are deeply grateful to the
following members and guest
pastors who will be sharing God's
Word with us in the coming months.

Please extend a warm welcome to:
October 4: His Arms Children's Project
October 11: Pastor Ben Tims
October 18: Amy Ott-Brushaber
October 25: Peder Parizek (Celebration Sunday!)
November 1: Eric Hulstrand
November 8: TBA
November 15: Gail Posley (*Senior Citizen Sunday*)
November 22: TBA
November 29: Pastor Ben Otto



September Board of Education

The food shelf is still struggling with summer ending.

We will continue to collect food donations for the month of September - please place
donations in the collection box by the honey. If you have ideas for a new mission for October,
we'd love to hear from you! Please contact Laurie Mueller 651-343-0283 or
lauriem5619@gmail.com or any member of the Board of Education.



Disclaimer: While I make every effort to ensure the accuracy of the announcements, information may change or contain unintentional errors. Please verify important dates, times, and event details with the church office or the designated event organizer. Thank you!

Sunday, October 4

Scrip Orders due today!

3rd Graders Receive Bibles

7:00am Worship Team Rehearsal
8:00am Worship
9:15am Fellowship
9:15am Sunday School
9:15am Adult Bible Study (Fireside Room)
10:30am Worship
1:30pm Baldwin Care Center Worship

Wednesday, October 7

9:00am Peace Child Care Board Meeting
3:30pm LOGOS
6:00pm Celebration Singers Choir Rehearsal
6:15pm Confirmation
7:30pm Youth Band Rehearsal

Thursday, October 8

7:00am Rise & Shine
5:30pm TOPS Meeting
7:00pm St Croix Valley Beekeepers Association Meeting

Friday, October 9

10:00am Song & a Story with Laura & Lori

Saturday, October 10

9:00am Bible Study

Sunday, October 11

Scrip Orders arrive today!

7:00am Worship Team Rehearsal
8:00am Worship
9:15am Fellowship
9:15am Sunday School
9:15am Adult Bible Study (Fireside Room)
10:30am Worship
12:00pm Youth On Fire Craft Day

Pastoral Support

If you need a Pastoral call (hospitalization, illness, communion visit, etc. - EMERGENT or Non-Emergent) please call the church phone **715-684-2770** and your call will be directed a staff member. We have staff members on call 24/7 and Pastor Jeff Hogden is available, as well, to cover any Pastoral needs that arise during our vacancy. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Peder at peder@welcometopeace.org or Lori at lori@welcometopeace.org



Peace Lutheran's 2026 Silent Auction:

**If you have any questions, please contact Eileen VanSomeran @ 715.307.3055*

AUCTION ENDS TODAY at 10:40am!!

Funds will be used to fix the exterior wood paneling on the church.

You're Invited to a BABY SHOWER:

Sunday, October 18 ~ Between Services

Join the Peace Child Care Team for a baby shower-themed fellowship hour as we celebrate our growing ministry! Stop by to enjoy fellowship, and take a "stroll" downstairs to tour the newly constructed infant rooms and daycare space.

Shower Registry & Support If you would like to bless our little ones and teachers, we are gratefully accepting:

- **Gift Cards:** Scrip cards for Amazon, Target, or Walmart (used for art supplies, classroom essentials, and cleaning items). **BUY FROM PEACE LUTHERAN'S SCRIP PROGRAM TODAY!**
- **Budget Support:** Contributions to the daycare operating budget via cash, check, credit card, or Text-To-Give.

Thank you for your continued partnership and support of Peace Child Care!

Logo for Peace Lutheran Church

Calling All Creative Minds: Help Us Design the New Peace Lutheran Logo!

Do you have an eye for design, or is graphic design your passion? We are looking for a fresh new logo for Peace Lutheran, and we want to see your creative vision!

How to Participate:

- **Design:** Create a sample logo for Peace Lutheran.
- **Submit:** Email your design as a JPG file to Lori in the office (lori@welcometopeace.org).
- **Vote:** All submitted logos will be posted anonymously in late September for congregation input and voting. Names will be kept confidential to ensure completely unbiased feedback!
- **Select:** The winning design will be adopted as our official new logo.

Have questions? Feel free to reach out to Laura or Lori in the office. We can't wait to see your designs!



WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

	<u>OCTOBER 4</u>		<u>OCTOBER 11</u>	
	8:00AM	10:30AM	8:00AM	10:30AM
GUEST SPEAKER/ PASTOR	HIS ARMS - KENYA MISSIONS		PASTOR BEN TIMMS	
GREETERS	YOUTH	YOUTH	KEN R.	JEANETTE D.
WORSHIP TEAM	LAURA		EMMA, KINGSTON, MOLLY, LIZZIE, TASHIA	
USHER		ASHLEY C.	KEN R.	RICH N.
DEACON	JENNIFER	JEANETTE	GARY	JEANETTE D.
PRAYERS	JARED P.	SUE G.	HEATHER	DOREEN
CHILDREN'S MESSAGE	SHELIA K.		SHERRY N.	
LECTOR	NANCY & LAURIE	NANCY & LAURIE	BARB H.	JEANETTE D.
COMMUNION ASSISTANTS	JARED P. SARAH P. KENYA TEAM	JARED P. SARAH P. KENYA TEAM	JAYNE R. KATHY M. WAYNE M.	BRENDA C. RICH C. SHERRY N.
PROPRESENTER	HEATHER	TASHIA	HEATHER	HEATHER
SOUND BOARD	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
LIVESTREAM	TBA		TBA	
FELLOWSHIP	KENYA MISSIONS		KENYA MISSIONS	
OFFERING COUNTERS	STACY S. & NERISSA K.		JEANETTE D. & NANCY R.	



Greeting Cards

The greeting card display has been moved to the South entrance by the office while we get the nursery area and new furniture arranged. PLEASE stop by and browse the selection of birthday, get well, sympathy and even Christmas cards!

Youth On Fire Event

Join YOF **Sunday, October 11th** from 12:00 Noon - 3:00pm. Youth will be making different crafts to have available for sale during Sunday worship. Any questions? Please contact Peder at peder@welcometopeace.org or Pauline at pauline.wangen@gmail.com



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

October 4 - 10

Brent L.
Wes N.
Milton H.
Glen L.
Kirstin T.
Bob C.
Cole A.
Alyssa O.
Makayla G.
Aaron L.
Nolan S.
Wendy O.
Marissa H.
Parker S.
Barb A.
Charlene O.
Scott C.
Joe J.
Kinslee M.
Zane A.
Jay C.
Alan B.
Cristy P.
Greg G.
Lauren S.
Rhyan N.
Brayla P.
Jayne R.
Ryan B.
Jake L.
Alex M.
Alyssa M.
Callie V.
Matt A.
Tim D.
Jessica G.
Mason L.

I am with you always
MATTHEW 28:20

Celebration Singers

Martin Luther said, "Next to the Word of God, music deserves the highest praise" and "As long as we live, there is never enough singing."

Celebration Singers (the Peace adult choir) will resume rehearsals **Wednesday, OCTOBER 7th at 6:00pm**. We will once again begin meeting weekly to learn the new music for the fall, Advent & Christmas season. Our gift of music will be offered to our congregation during worship on specific scheduled Sundays. If you love to sing and praise the Lord, this is the place to be! Current choir members are very fun and welcoming and can't wait for you to join us!

Please contact Laura to let her know of your interest and she will be sure to have a music folder ready for you! laura@welcometopeace.org



Peace Childcare Openings

Peace Child Care is now enrolling children age 6 weeks - 2 years! These spots are filling fast! We also have openings for 2 years +, as well as before and after school care. Contact Childcare Director, Melissa, at 715-688-4088 or

peacechildcare20@gmail.com for more information.



Information Request

If you missed the last few week's worship services, please be certain to complete a bright yellow form today! These forms are verifying the office has the most current information in our database so you are kept current of all events and news happening here at Peace. We're also looking to match up your talents with the areas needing volunteers each week! Please fill out a form if you are age 12+. If you have any questions please contact Lori at lori@welcometopeace.org

Sunday Morning Bible Study

Join us Sunday mornings in the Fireside Room (room across from office hallway) at 9:15 for bible study. We're beginning a 5-week study called "Digging Deeper". Dates 9/27, 10/11, 10/18, 10/25, 11/1. Everyone is welcome, no need to attend every session. Materials will be provided at each bible study.



Over 55 Event!

Join the Over 55 group for

FALL FEST

Thursday, October 15 from 10am - 1pm

Music, Games, Lunch & Fellowship
Please RSVP to Pauline at pauline.wangen@gmail.com



Let Lori be Your Matchmaker!!



Thrivent members!!!! Urgent!!! - Please apply for your Thrivent Action Grants before the window closes for 2026! If you have a grant still available, let Lori know and she'll "match you" with a group, a board, or an event that is happening here at Peace! She can even assist with the writing and application process if you have questions! Don't let \$250 or \$500 slip away!

On the flip side - Boards, Groups, Event Planners - if you need a grant for your upcoming fundraiser, event, or a purchase, let Lori know and she'll help you "match" with a Thrivent member. If you have any questions about Thrivent Action Grants - give Lori a call in the office or drop her an email!

Sign Up Sheets!

All sign up sheets have been relocated to the table in the entry of the church! If you're wanting to join an outing, sponsor fellowship, or help with an upcoming event - the sign up sheet will be there! Check it out!



Women's Bible Study

Please join us for a Women's Bible Study on the **2nd Wednesday of each month at 1:30pm**. All are welcome and we'd love to have you join us for bible study, fellowship and great conversations. Our next study date will be on **Wednesday, October 14th at 1:30pm** in the fellowship hall.



Giving at Peace Lutheran Church

We recognize we have givers from every generation at our church, so whether you're still giving cash, writing a check faithfully, or if you give online - THANK YOU!!! In addition to those options, we're happy to offer three more ways to tithe and donate to the ongoing ministries here at Peace!



***QR code** (Text To Give; text the word GIVE and a dollar amount)

***Bill Pay** (contact your bank or credit union to set up).

***Automatic ACH** (forms are in the back of church - donations are pulled monthly). THANK YOU for your generosity! If you have any questions regarding giving, please contact Lori in the office! lori@welcometopeace.org

October Scrip Orders

The deadline for ordering Scrip is **Sunday, October 4th**. Your order will be ready for pick up the following Sunday, October 11th. To place an order, simply complete your order form (blank forms at the Scrip station in the narthex) and place it in an envelope along with your **cash, check or debit card slip**. Place your envelope in the "scrip box" in the middle office or either of the church drop boxes. Thank you!

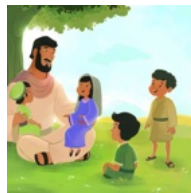
If you have any questions regarding the Scrip program and how easy it is to use, please contact Sharon Hauschild 715-307-2531 (cell). Thank you!

***Note: Please see the information about the Peace Childcare Fellowship on October 18th! BUY a Scrip card and gift it to the daycare! (Gladly accepting Amazon, Target & WalMart cards!)**

Songs & a Story with Laura & Lori

The Ministry Team has teamed up with Peace Child Care to provide a short "chapel" time for the children! We'd love to have you partner with Laura and Lori and share a song, a puppet show or a story with the kids! Please considering joining this lovely ministry and sign up for a Friday morning. We meet with the children 10:00am in the sanctuary. Questions? Reach out to

laura@welcometopeace.org or lori@welcometopeace.org



Children's Message

If you are interested in providing the Children's Message during worship, please reach out to Pauline Wangen OR sign up in the back of church at the SIGN UP TABLE

Pauline.wangen@gmail.com

Worship Opportunities:

- In person at 8:00am & 10:30am on Sundays (Sunday School at 9:15am)
- On Facebook (streamed live; then posted)
- On Cable Channel 6 at 7:00 p.m. Tuesdays and 9:00 a.m. Wednesdays
- On YouTube anytime (search Peace Lutheran Church Baldwin WI)

Questions or Comments

ASK US ANYTHING continues....



Please feel free to drop a question or a comment or an idea you'd like to have addressed by the Leadership Team here at Peace into that box. The red box on the sign up table will stay set up and is checked weekly. Leadership can also be contacted via email or via phone. Just call Lori in the office and she'll get you the contact information for the Board Chair, Staff or Executive Member.

October BOE Mission

Our new mission for October is very timely, Peace will be collecting coats, boots, mittens, hats, scarves, and snow pants. Anything warm and for winter, children and adults sizes all welcome, *new or gently used, please*. Everything can be placed in or near the Lord's cupboard. We will be sending to 'Basics for Local Kids' the family resource center in Baldwin and other organizations get their winter gear from them. There is also a coat drive at several local churches. Let's really get excited about this, there is so much good we can do!! Questions call or text Laurie Mueller at 651-343-0283 or email me lauriem5619@gmail.com.



You can also reach out to BOE Alex Roy, Angela Mathison, Amy Jurgens or Sunday school, Missi Blegen Thanks and stay warm!

Newton
Prodigal. Sinner.
Saved By Grace.



**Presented by Dr. Josh Bauder,
LimbFit, and Deo Cantamus**

**This oratorio is composed of a 30-piece
professional orchestra and a 107-voice choir**

*(including Peace's very own Lori Woltman
and her daughter, Dehlia)*

**Saturday, October 3rd
7:00pm Benson Great Hall
Bethel University, St. Paul
AND**

**Sunday, October 4th
3:00pm Wooddale Church, Eden Prairie**

**Tickets on sale via website:
<https://newtonconcert.com> and
range from \$10 - \$35/ticket**

Once a prodigal, then a slaver, and finally a faithful minister of the Gospel - John Newton's life shows how even the most wretched sinners can be transformed by God's amazing grace. This new oratorio by Dr. Josh Bauder, sponsored by the Christian non-profit LimbFit, marks the 300th anniversary of Newton's birth. It tells the story of his conversion and ministry and highlights the hymns he wrote with the poet, William Cowper - among which "Amazing Grace" remains the most beloved.

Financial Snap Shot:

September 28, 2026

BUDGETED MONTHLY INCOME: \$43,221.21

INCOME RECEIVED: \$20,658.12

DEFICIT FOR SEPTEMBER: \$22,563.09

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YTD INCOME RECEIVED: \$321,644.35

YTD EXPENSES PAID: \$308,848.01

DIFFERENCE: +\$12,796.34

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Bank Balances as of September 28, 2026

General Fund Checking: \$64,485.70

Building Fund Checking: \$226,376.13

Cemetery Account Checking: \$29,843.12

Missions Account (Guatemala): \$2,844.23



Sign Up Sheets

Sign up sheets for ALL ACTIVITIES can be found on the Sign Up Sheet table in the back of church by the doors.

Please stop by that table to sign up for Youth Events, Over 55 Events, Hosting Fellowship Hour, Children's Messages, Song & Story and more! If you have any questions, please reach out to Pauline at the email address below. Thank you!

Pauline.wangen@gmail.com

Prayers of the People

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 (Peyton, & Andrew), College Students, Caregivers, Charles Anderson, Sean Anderson, Miriam Andrade, Sandy Calvert, Jennifer Camp, Parker Crosby, Eldon Dahl, Friends & Family of Marie Louise Gleason, Friends & Family of Mary Hampton, Laura Helgenson, Mandy Nelson-Holmberg, Todd Jensen, Bill Jones, Myrna Larson, Friends & Family of Adam Massman, Wayne Miller, Randy Nelson, Tammy Stevens, Sarah Tyler-Peterson, Diane Timm, Joy Ulrich, Alice Volkmann, Donna Wilson, and Rich Wulf.

~ **Please note** -people are removed from the prayer list after two

Cross Project

Take a look at the cross on the South lawn of the church property. In addition to the preliminary landscape preparation, Richard Cronk, Richard Neisius, Jake Englebreton, Glen Meyer and Day & Night towing have built a new metal cross and set it in to place. This morning's announcement slides have photos of the progress of tear down and re-build of the cross (it was set during a downpour of much needed rain this summer!). For those curious, the old cross, made of wood, had deteriorated to a point where even extra bolts and reinforcements were not enough to keep it from crumbling and causing a possible hazard for anyone hoping to enjoy that spot.



Parking Lot

Thank you to the Board of Trustees, Rich Cronk, and Fahrner Asphalt for working with unpredictable weather and scheduling hurdles to

complete our parking lot resurfacing this past week. We are also grateful to our church family for patience and understanding while navigating the field driveway, testing your vehicle's off-road capabilities with a bit of lawn-parking (and its companion mud!), and figuring out which back door is open! This much-needed project will ensure our parking lot serves the congregation well for years to come.