Pastor’s Message

Dear Peace Family,

IT’S November 2017 already!! Where did the time go? It seemed like yesterday when I came to Peace. I believe it is because of all the Brothers and Sisters in Christ we have here!

Peace is a family and an open and loving congregation. It is a growing family, perhaps not in numbers, but in relationships, and getting to know one another. Families grow, and when you have growth, you have pains or stretching. It is not always easy, but it is always necessary.

This month, the Council will have a strategic planning session. What is that? It is a time to look to the future, to reflect on what resources you have and what resources you will need to reach goals and objectives for the congregation to be a growing, vital community, impacting the community.

Our purpose is to be “A Life-Changing Community, Sharing Christ’s Love!”

As we look to the future, what are the possibilities and how will we make the journey? I ask you to pray, to seek God’s direction in your life personally, professionally, and as part of the Peace family.

Pray about who God would direct you to invite to be part of God’s Faith family, seek God’s direction and invite them to be part of Christ’s family.

It is not about growing membership, it’s about growing God’s family and including all whom God has called to be part of His kingdom, teaching them all that Jesus has taught, and being His Kingdom family on earth as it is in heaven.

Remember, God always uses those who are willing to be used. He does the equipping, and He does the drawing and sending. All you need is to be available.

Pray and Obey
To all families,

May this prayer of thanksgiving be with you, today and your every tomorrow, and may this Thanksgiving Day be a time of celebration in God, His Son, and His Spirit.

We thank thee for our daily bread,
For faith by which the soul is fed,
For burdens given us to bear,
For help that lifts the heart’s despair.

We thank thee, Lord, for eyes to see,
The truth that makes, and keeps us free:
For faults; and for the strength to mend them,
For dreams; and courage to defend them.

We have so much to thank thee for,
Dear Lord, we beg but one boon more:
Peace in the hearts of all men living,
Peace in the whole world and much Thanksgiving.

God’s peace and love be with you,
Pastor Curt
Call Committee Update:
Twenty-four individuals have responded to our senior pastor job ad. We’ve screened these individuals; only a handful meet our minimum qualifications.

We’ll continue to collect resumes for several more weeks, then begin telephone interviews with the most qualified candidates.

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“Where no counsel is, the people fall; but in the multitude of counselors, there is safety.” - Proverbs 11:14
We Worship

Psalm 100:4 (NKJV)
Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, And into His courts with praise.
Be thankful to Him, and bless His name.

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Psalm 100

Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth!
worship the Lord with gladness.
Come before him, singing with joy.

In the Peace Band, we practice so we can lead the praise of His people as we worship Him together on Sunday morning. Loud or soft, fast or slow, many types of music are appropriate for praise.

Hoping you keep singing!

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The Traditional music department provides music for the 11:00am services and special services throughout the year.

The Bells of Peace practice and provides preludes for the Traditional service and special services throughout the year.

Thanksgiving Eve

CELEBRATION SERVICE

Wednesday, November 22nd 7:00PM

Our annual Thanksgiving Eve service will be on Wednesday, November 22nd at 7:00PM. The combined music department of Peace Lutheran Church, is continuing the tradition of Pie Night after the service. It is our way of thanking the congregation for their support of the music program throughout the year. We have some great cooks in the music department and we look forward to sharing our pies with you.

We are looking for a group of people that would help set up and serve the pies this year, as both music groups will be warming up and preparing for the service beforehand.

If you can help, please contact the office.

We hope you will join us!
**Blue Grass Gospel Jam**

Sunday, November 7th  
3:00PM – 5:30PM  
Come on out and join us!  
Invite your friends, family and your neighbors!  
See you there!

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**SAMARITAN'S PURSE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Small toys / Socks / Jewelry /  
Soap / Washcloths /  
T-shirts / Combs / hairbrushes  
Stuffed animals / Pencils/pens / Bibles /  
Crayons / Books / Toothbrushes / Toy cars  
And more........Anything small enough to fit in a shoe box. No liquids!

Start gathering your donations because November will be here before we know it!

This has been an outreach ministry at Peace for several years. We may not be able to fill as many boxes as our wonderful American Heritage Girls did, but I'm sure that our Sunday School kids and adults, can fill in the gap this year. Let's have a "Multi-age Congregational Packing Party" in early November, and fill as many as we can! Date and more information to follow.

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**PROPHETIC HEALING SERVICE**

Peace Lutheran Church, under the direction of Pastor Paul Rosbury, will have Healing services in the month of November on the following dates:  
Saturday, November 4th and 18th, 2017 at 7:00PM.

The Healing Services are every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month.

Please bring someone you know who needs prayer and want to receive healing from the Lord.

The Lord is doing mighty works in these services!

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The Prison Book Project is in need of donations of paperback books. They would especially like Christian themed books but will accept anything non-offensive.

Please bring your donations to the office during the week and to church on Sunday's, where there will be a box in the vestibule for donations.

A member of the congregation will deliver the donations to the Titusville office of the Prison Book Project.

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**Extra! Extra!**

Sunday, November 7th  
3:00PM – 5:30PM

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**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**
We Learn

EDUCATION

At this time of year we reflect on giving thanks to God for the abundance of blessings in our lives. We look forward to celebrating Thanksgiving with family and friends. It is also a time to remember and share God’s Word and love with those in need. The American Heritage Dictionary defines thanksgiving as an act of giving thanks, an expression of gratitude. How do we learn to grow and mature in the act of giving thanks? Paul writes about this in his letter to the Colossians:

**Colossians 2:6-7**  “Now, just as you have accepted Christ Jesus as your Lord, you must live in obedience to him. Let your roots grow down in him and draw up nourishment from him, so you will grow in faith, strong and vigorous in the truth you are taught. Let your lives overflow with thanksgiving for all he has done.”

God has blessed our country with an abundance of food for the body and spirit. As a nation, we have come to take this abundance for granted and sometimes forget how important it is to give thanks to our Lord and nurture the Word for future generations. Let's help feed the body of those in need through extra donations to the Food Pantry. Brighten a child's spirit through donations for our Christmas shoe boxes. There are many opportunities to nurture and grow strong in our faith at Peace Lutheran Church. Let your roots grow down and draw up nourishment from the truths we learn at Bible study.

**Weekdays:**  S.O.S-Seasoning of the Saints Classes
Tuesday’s at 10:00 A.M.
Wednesday’s at 7:00 P.M.

**Every Sunday:**

**Sunday School for all ages**
Children's Church - Elementary K-5 During - 9:00 A.M. - Worship service
Jr. High and Senior High - Classes at 10:15 A.M.
Adult classes at 10:15 A.M.
Confirmation Class 5:00 P.M.

Please join us in helping our youth and adults learn to share God’s love and grow in the knowledge of our Lord. Our Education Staff wishes you all a blessed and safe Thanksgiving Holiday.

*Respectfully submitted by: Henrietta Pellecchia*

**Education Staff:** Pastor Paul Rosbury, Pat Rosbury, Pastor Curt Peterson, Jack Wilson, Carolyn Richard, Richard Dixon

Leadership and Training

Seasoning of the Saints are a series of FREE classes for growth of the Body of Christ here at Peace Lutheran Church. Pastor Paul will be teaching the following class in October: **“Spiritual Warfare”**

Tuesday’s at 10:00AM: November 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th
Wednesday’s at 7:00PM: November 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th

Upon completion of “**Spiritual Warfare**” class, each student will receive a **“Certificate of Completion.”**

You do not want to miss these awesome FREE classes!

If you would like to sign up, please call the church office at (321)727-3131.
### November 2017

#### Birthdays

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“For I will restore you to health and I will heal you of your wounds, declares the LORD”  Jeremiah 30:17a
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**November 2017**

- **1** November 1 (Veteran's Day)
  - OFFICE CLOSED!
  - 12:00 PM AA Meeting
  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone
  - 6:25 PM Panera Pickup

- **2** November 2
  - 12:00 PM AA Meeting
  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone
  - 6:25 PM Panera Pickup

- **3** November 3
  - 12:00 PM AA Meeting
  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone

- **4** November 4
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  - 6:25 PM Panera Pickup

- **5** November 5
  - 12:00 PM AA Meeting
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  - 6:25 PM Panera Pickup

- **6** November 6
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  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone

- **7** November 7
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- **8** November 8
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- **30** November 30
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  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone

- **31** December 1
  - 12:00 PM-AA Meeting
  - 6:00 PM New Life Alone
Did you know? Instead of writing multiple checks for individual contributions like the Children’s Hunger Project, the Food Pantry, the GAP, etc., you only have to write one check. Simply designate the breakdown of your giving in the check’s memo area or on the envelope itself. “FP” for Food Pantry, “CHP” for Children’s Hunger Project, “GAP” for the Gap, and so on. Thank you for your contributions!

Our Food Pantry is always in need of donations of either food or financial donations to support this much needed ministry. Our community is flooded with people looking for help, and we are grateful that as a church, we can help meet the need, anyway we can. Your generous donations will allow us to continue to help them and together, we can see our community get stronger!

Our pantry is open on:
Tuesday’s—9AM -11AM and Thursday’s—5PM -7PM. We service zip codes 32905 and 32907 only at this time.

*Please note: We no longer need to save Egg Cartons for the food pantry. We are no longer getting eggs from the warehouse at this time.

Thank you to everyone who has saved the cartons in the past few years.

Never Alone

The Never Alone group is a support group and social club for single people over the age of 45 years of age. The group meets on the 1st Monday of every month at 6:30pm. They also host a “Game Night” every Friday at 6pm.

For more information contact:
Gloria Jones 321-723-1649 for game night
Anneliese Mikes 321-723-0251 for Mondays

Please help us keep our list of military personnel up-to-date! Call or e-mail the office with any changes in status, rank, or location! Thank you!

E.J. Alcario, Iraq
John Bedford, Iraq
Tech Sgt., Keisha Moe, Fort Bragg, NC
James Faircloth, Civilian Gov’t Contractor, Military Support—Texas
Tim Faircloth, USAF, Shreveport, LA
Ryan Faircloth, USAF, South Korea
Kristen Hall AF, Iraq
Sgt. Jamie Dorsett, USMC (Rsv), NC
Capt. Brian Nailing, Co. Ft. Hood, TX
SFC Paul Butler, Colorado Springs, CO
Lt Col Freddy Koegler, Washington, D.C.
Maj. AD Dennis Peoples, Rock Island Arsenal, IL
Cpt. Nathan Schill, Ft. Jackson, SC
USN FC3 Stephen Weaver, USS Dewey
AIC Austin Cundiff, Keesler AFB, MS
Joe Trammell, Amy, Ft. Campbell, KY
Navy Chief Sean Patrick Goguen, Norfolk, VA
LTJG Laura Towle, Kings Bay, GA
1st Lieut. Tanner Johnson—Army, E. Africa
Altar Guild—Set up and prepare for communion each week, usually serving one month at a time; more people are needed.
Worship Servants—Sunday Worship Assistants and Communion Assistants are needed.
Office Helpers—Those who help with mailings, preparing Welcome Packets, etc.
Chancel Choir—Sing to the Lord at 11am each Sunday, practice 7pm Wednesday evenings.
Bell Choir—Call Cindy Wagman to learn more about our choirs 676-3849.
Peace Band—Practice at 7pm on Thursday evenings. Come and try out.
Money Counters—Teams of two people working for one month at a time. Call church office if interested.
In the Nursery—Betty Sheller is our Nursery Attendant in the nursery for your children. If you are a parent leaving your children in the nursery during services you are welcome to join with them in caring for our little ones during worship.
Work Groups—There is always plenty of work to be done here. Please contact Steve Barnett.
Projectionists Needed—People that are in the projection room Sunday morning for our Sunday presentations. Please sign up in the projection room.

Panera Bread Pick-up—Each Friday evening people are needed to go to Hammock Landings to get the goodies for Sunday morning Café Peace. Cindy Wagman at 676-3849

Please call the office to be a servant for the Lord by taking on one or more of these opportunities.
(321)727-3131