

Announcements— March 16 & 17, 2019

Children of all ages are invited to worship with us. However, if you have the need an usher can direct you to the **CRY ROOM** located off the Narthex. **HEARING IMPAIRED?** Special devices are available that will allow you to hear from any location in the sanctuary, please see an usher if you would like to use one. **LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** and **HYMNALS** are also available. **WEBSITE — www.plcms.org** *Please sign the Fellowship Register at the end of each row.*



LENTEN SOUP SUPPERS — continue each Wednesday, at 5:30 PM throughout Lent. Five(5) soup makers are needed each week along with four (4) desserts and four (4) loaves of bread. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.

What we are learning in SUNDAY SCHOOL: Wilderness Wanderings

The Israelites spent 40 years in the desert. They kept sinning, and God kept showing them that they should follow Him and trust Him. Despite all their complaints, God provided for His people as they journeyed to the Promised Land, providing food, clothing and protection from their enemies.



KARDIA LADIES' BIBLE STUDY— We would love to have you join us as we study Psalm 23! Classes meet at 6:30 pm, Thursday evenings (through May 2nd). If you have any questions, please contact Carol Hepp or Gina Teeple.

THURSDAY MORNING — Bible Class meets with Pastor Teeple this month. Join us —9:30 am!

FAMILY PROMISE — drivers are needed the week of March 17-24. Please call Susan Fisher, 517-238-5302 to choose your favorite day.

THE NEXT MOPS — morning meeting is scheduled for March 19th at 9:00 a.m.

NOW IS THE TIME! — Think and pray about the opportunity to serve as a Stephen Minister and contact a Stephen Leader (Pastor Teeple, Rick Kirkton, Ellen Luepke) right away and we can talk about how to proceed with an application and interview.



THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS — Don't miss this opportunity! March 31, 2019 is the online deadline to direct eligible Thrivent Choice Dollars. Go to Thrivent.com/thriventchoice. Or call (by March 29th) 800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice" after the prompt.

WCM EDGE — Thank you to everyone who supports Wee Creations in this way. Cards may be purchased in the Fellowship Hall for groceries, restaurants, home improvement or as gifts.

UPCOMING BLOOD DRIVE — for the American Red Cross will be held at Peace on Wednesday, April 17, 2019, 1:00-5:00 PM. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS or go to redcrossblood.org, sponsor code "peaceluth" to schedule your donation appointment.

LWML MITE CHALLENGE — If every LWML lady will donate \$5.00 between now and March 31st, the Mission Goal of helping children all over the world read God's Word in their own language can be accomplished.



Dear Peace Family,

This thank you is way overdue, yet every time I sit down to write, words do not seem enough to express the thankfulness and comfort you have all brought to me. Your prayers were felt and God reached out and touched me with them. The cards, encouraging words, phone calls, food, visits, gifts — all these have kept me going. It has been a very "long haul" and there is nothing I want more than to be back at Peace with all of you and to hopefully play for services soon.

God's Blessing and Love to all, Miriam Cook

WINGS OUTREACH — beverages are being collected for Concordia Seminary in Fort Wayne during March: coffee, tea, juice, Kool-aid & lemonade. Place in the basket under the mailboxes.

Serving In God's House This Weekend

5:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:30 AM
MUSICIAN: Mark Summers		
GREETERS:	Carol Gepfert	Shannon King
ACOLYTES:		Oliver Koch
LECTORS: Dick Lehman	Sharon Aldrich	Gay Kirkton
USHERS: B. Kraegel/R. Barkley	Mike Keele	Brian King Grey Baals
HOSPITALITY: Emma Griffiths, Chris Harwood		CHURCH SECRETARY: Jodie Church
ALTAR GUILD: Carol Gepfert, Sandy Heilman, Ann & Jack Clark		
ALTAR FLOWERS: given in loving memory of his wife, Marjorie, by Eugene Sumney.		
HOME PHONE NUMBER: Pastor Teeple — 260-243-9133 (for Emergencies)		

This week at Peace — March 17-24

SUNDAY 3/17	8:00 AM	Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School/Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Worship/HC
MONDAY	1:00PM	Knitting
	5:30 PM	Cub Scouts
TUESDAY	9:00 AM	MOPS
	10:00 AM	WCM Chapel
WEDNESDAY	9:30 AM	Quilting Class/Sewing/Crafts
	5:30 PM	Soup Supper
	5:45 PM	Handbells
	7:00 PM	Lenten Worship
	7:45 PM	Adult Choir
THURSDAY	9:30 AM	Bible Class
	6:30 PM	Kardia Bible Study
SATURDAY	5:00 PM	Worship
	8:00 AM	Worship/HC
SUNDAY 3/24	10:30 AM	Worship
	1:00-4:00 PM	Fellowship Hall reserved



STEWARDSHIP OF THE GOSPEL — March 10, 2019 Attendance: 222 NEEDED FOR BUDGET- \$11,001.00
 Receipts for General Fund = \$6383.00 (-\$4618.00) Building Fund =\$140.00 WCM =\$215.00 Youth =\$10.00
 Adopt-a-Student (Soup Supper) =\$37.00 Comfort Dog =\$10.00 Stephen Ministry =\$25.00 Contributions were
 given to WCM in memory of Pat Richards by Dan & Gladys Shipe; and by Carol Harkins in memory of her
 brother, Mark Bode.



Call Committee Seeks Candidates for Assistant Pastor Position

A Peace Lutheran Church-MS call committee is working to identify possible candidates for the new position of Assistant Pastor and Director of Worship and Music Ministries. A more detailed description of this position is posted on the bulletin board in the parish hall near Pastor Teeple's office. The call committee at this time welcomes suggestions from the congregation as to candidates for this position. Please share any prospective candidates you may have with Dan Thiele, the chair of the call committee. Dan's email is danielthiele@msn.com; telephone is 260-341-7145. Please pray for the call committee, and our entire congregation, as we move ahead with this exciting addition to our pastoral staff. In Christ, your call committee: Dan Thiele (chair), Deb Beck, Roger Dammeier, Andy Goeglein, Chad Korte, Megan Steele

Helpful People to Contact:

Pastor Jeff Teeple PastorT@plcms.org
Amber Vonderau Amber@plcms.org
Gina Teeple GTeeple@plcms.org
Jodie Church JChurch@plcms.org
Sara Miller Director@weecreations.org

WEBSITE—www.plcms.org

PRAYER CHAIN — If you would




like to be a part of this ministry or have a special prayer request, contact Sharon Aldrich, 260-316-2535, or email brissysmom13@gmail.com. Blessings!

Peace Lutheran Church

Friendly People — Growing in Christ

Called to: *Praise and Proclaim, Learn and Love, Care and Celebrate*

WE WELCOME YOU!

"I am
casting out demons
and
performing cures
today and tomorrow,

and on the third day
I finish my work."

LUKE 13:32, NRSV

