

## Peace Lutheran Church Announcements January 29, 2017

PRAISING GOD, ENCOURAGING FAMILIES, APPLYING GOD'S WORD, CONNECTING WITH CHRIST, EQUIPPING FOR SERVICE

### PRAYER REQUESTS & THANKSGIVINGS

For members of our Peace Family: Bob & Sandi Jonson, Ruth Ann Newlander, Blake Hargreaves, Leona Schlecht, Margaret Fourhman, Karl Lemke, Jan Tietje, David DeSiga, Dan & Rose Brunken.

For friends & family of our Peace family: Rose, Seth Wood, May family, Robin & Ray, Marcia & Tom, Kim, Rebecca. Prayers for those serving in our military at home and abroad, and our first responders.

### CONGREGATIONAL MINISTRY

**Everybody's Birthday Party** – what does everyone have in common? Everyone has a birthday! And you are invited to come to your birthday party at church on **January 29**, after 2<sup>nd</sup> service in the Event Hall. Meal is potluck, served buffet style. People with last names starting with A – M, please bring a side dish, those with last names starting with N – Z, please bring a main dish. There is a sign-up sheet in the gathering area to bring cakes for dessert, one for each month. There will be some surprises and a piñata for kids 10 years old and under. We hope to see you there!

**Sunday Morning Adult Bible Study** - Just imagine, a 500-year-old man building a boat in the desert anticipating the coming of a flood. Sounds like the making of an incredible story. **IT IS!** so, come jump in and get your feet wet with: **Noah; The Man--The Ark--The Flood--The Aftermath.** **9:30 am** meets in the **Event Hall.** Led by David Simons

**Sunday Morning Adult Bible Study** - "What should we learn from the life of King Saul and David?" - **It's not how you start; It's how you finish.** - Facilitator: Becky Hines. **Meets in the Fireside.**

**GriefShare** - GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Meets Saturday at 9:00 am in the Library. **Contact Lou Hefner. 425-584-7584.**

**PRESCHOOL** - During preschool in January our main theme of study will be animals. We will look at winter animals, African animals, farm animals and dinosaurs.

You are invited to attend our Open House on **Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>** from 10:00-11:00. Registration for all classes begins Thursday, **February 9<sup>th</sup>**. For Peace members and preschool alumni registration starts at 9:30 and registration opens to the public at 10:30 am. Contact [preschool.peace@comcast.net](mailto:preschool.peace@comcast.net) or 253-631-5876 for more information.

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES - Wiggles & Giggles (formerly the Cry Room)** A room for babies & small children with their parents to get their wiggles & giggles out. **Nursery** – Our nursery is available during the second service. **Kid's Activity Bags** are available during worship. Please pick up a bag!

**YOUTH** - Starlight Cafe **2/11/17 5:00-7:30pm** - Back by popular demand Eggplant or Chicken Parmesan. Quake/Zone is back. **April 28-30** at Great Wolf Lodge. Permission slips and \$90 deposit due Feb 7<sup>th</sup>. Questions contact Kristin DeFrisco and/or Loren Mein.

Youth need to borrow card tables for Starlight Cafe. Please let Kristin DeFrisco 206-387-3832 [k.defrisco@comcast.net](mailto:k.defrisco@comcast.net) know if you have card tables we can borrow. Please bring the tables with your name on it to the youth room before **Fri, Feb 10th**. Thank you!

**Women At Peace** - Women's Breakfast, **February 4<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am Road Trip!** We have been invited to join the St. Luke's Women's Ministry for breakfast! No need to bring any breakfast items, they are providing a potluck breakfast for us. Meet at the church at 8:00 am, we will leave at 8:15 am. **Please RSVP, there is a sign-up sheet in the Gathering area or give me a call/e-mail 360-886-2323 / [annamoen@comcast.net](mailto:annamoen@comcast.net).**

Cynthia Tobias a nationally-known author and speaker, will be the presenter at the breakfast. She will discuss "*Discover how to use your strong will to make a difference! Honoring the vitality of Confident Christian women, Cynthia challenges you to employ your God-given strengths, to enhance your personal relationships, find your purpose, lead with integrity and more!*"

**WOMEN'S MINISTRIES - God's Gals Bible Study** meets on Mondays at 10 am in the Library. Contact Marilyn Worsham for more information 425-433-1683.

**Sharing & Caring Bible Study** - The Monday night ladies Bible study meets at 7:00 p.m. in the library. We will be starting a 12-week study called "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World" on **February 6**. It will show how all of us - Mary's and Martha's alike - can draw closer to the Lord, deepening our devotion, strengthening our service, and doing both with less stress and greater joy. All women are welcome to attend. For further information contact Brenda Jacober at [bjjacob@comcast.net](mailto:bjjacob@comcast.net).

**Coffee and Conversation** - We meet at IHOP (near Home Depot). Every 4th Tuesday of the month at 7 pm. All women are invited. For more info, contact Anna Moen 360-886-2323.

**Bible Study Fellowship** – Meets Tuesdays from 12:30 pm to 2:20 pm at Peace Lutheran Church. There is a welcome class the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month. Contact the office for more information.

**MEN'S MINISTRIES - Men's Breakfast** – Every **2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday** of the month in the ARK at 8 am. Contact Steve Kummert 253-862-4591. **MPG - Thursday Mornings 7:00-8:00 am** at the IHOP restaurant in Covington.

**(P.V.O.C.)** – Peaceful Vision Outreach Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired brings those in the blind community together for monthly lunches, sharing of ideas, and fellowship. Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month at noon in the ARK.

**MISSIONS - Backpack Buddy Program:** Dates are **Feb 2nd, April 6th, May 4th, June 1<sup>st</sup>** at the Storehouse (Real Life Church). If you have questions contact, Carrie 253-335-2181, Kristen 253-630-7573 or Karlia 206-818-0454. Can't wait to see you there!

**STEWARDSHIP – TIME, TALENT, TREASURE** - The offering for the week of 1/22 was **\$6,162**. Ways to support the ministry at Peace include using Fred Meyer Rewards ([#NPO 80329](http://fredmeyer.com/communityrewards)). Easy Tithe (info in the gathering area/click the button the website), contribution envelopes (a box is available in the church office).

**Lutheran Ministry Services NW** is holding their annual meeting at Pilgrim Lutheran Church on **Sunday, Feb 19<sup>th</sup>** at 1:30 pm. At **3 pm** there will be a performance of MARTIN: A Life of Martin Luther. On **May 21<sup>st</sup>** the Boeing Choir will be performing at 3 pm. More information is available on the bulletin board.

**NORTHWEST MINISTRY CONFERENCE** – **March 23-25<sup>th</sup>** at Overlake Christian Church. Kid & Family Ministry, Pastoral/Leadership/Adult Ministries, Youth Ministry, Women's Ministry, Worship Catalyst, Tech Arts. An opportunity to grow, learn, and be encouraged. [www.NWMincon.com](http://www.NWMincon.com) - More information on the bulletin board.

**STOREHOUSE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES** – Costco Donation Pick-Up, Fred Meyer at Four Corners, Starbucks in Covington, Distribution Ministry, Home Delivery Ministry. See the bulletin board for more information.

**Deadlines - Weekly Email Wednesday 10 am, Sunday bulletin Wednesday at noon, Monthly newsletter 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. SERMON & ANNOUNCEMENTS [ww.peacecovington.org](http://ww.peacecovington.org)**

**Sign up in the gathering area to reserve your table!**

