

## Peace Lutheran Church Announcements February 12, 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, Karl Lemke, Jan Tietje, David DeSiga, Dan Brunken, Loren Mein.

For friends & family of our Peace family: Rose, Seth Wood, May family, Robin & Ray, Marcia & Tom, Kim, Rebecca, Mike, Stephanie & family, Lyda, Karen, Felix, John, Rudy, Bob, Cruz, Olaf, Deb, Dale, Bri, Heidi, Sharon, Larry, Bob, Tawyna, Tom, Stacy, Lucie, Karen, Toni, Michelle, Kim. Prayers for those serving in our military at home and abroad, and our first responders.

### CONGREGATIONAL MINISTRY

**Sunday Morning Adult Bible Study** - A new study; "The Bible on Trial: Beyond Reasonable Doubt". Using ancient historical voices, the illumination of archaeology, and the testimony of First-century followers of Jesus Christ, we will examine and determine the reliability of the scriptures. Come be a part of the jury. The verdict will be in your hands. From the "Men's Network" this video study will be led by David Simons in the Event Hall.

**Sunday morning Adult Bible Class** - Some people say success is simply achieving your goals, but how do we know those goals are worth achieving? Albert Einstein wrote, "Try not to be a man of success, but rather try to become a man of value." And Theodore Roosevelt said, "The chief factor in any man's success or failure must be his own character." Join us each Sunday as we learn what God has to teach us about success and failure, and about character. ".....it is in the stubbornness of human individuality that each man and woman encounters God or ignores Him, responds to or resists Him." Joyce Baldwin. Meets in the Library. Led by Becky Hines.

"not a fan" - In Mark 1:17, Jesus calls Peter and Andrew to be his first disciples: ***"Then Jesus said to them, 'Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men.'*** He didn't invite them to be His fan club. He invited them to follow and told them that in following He would do a work in their lives that would result in transformation and a new mission.

In the coming weeks, we'll explore what it means to follow Jesus, what it means to be His disciple. Our prayer for the Peace Lutheran Church in Kent, Washington is that in 2017 we'll each take new steps in our spiritual journey, and as we do, we'll grow closer to Jesus and see Him transform our hearts. That our desires would become aligned with His desires and that He'll give us new eyes to see Him, ourselves and the people around us. **Join us Sunday, March 5, 2017 in the Event Hall. Welcome to the journey!**

**SECOND SUNDAY LATTE'S & ITALIAN SODAS!** This month we are serving Latte's & Italian Sodas to support our Youth! They are planning to attend Quake in April – "Found" Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep. Luke 15:6b. Please stop by the café!

**HELP NEEDED!** If you would like to help, make & serve Italian Soda's & Latte's on the Second Sunday, the missions team needs you! Please contact Karlia Rogers, Carrie Younkin or Kristen Duarte if you are interested. Training is provided!

**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** Our preschool themes during February will be Farm Crops, Valentines and Pond Life. The preschool will be closed for **Mid-Winter Break February 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>.**

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES** - Options are available for children from birth through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Children are always welcome to worship with their families. A Kids Activity Bag is available outside the sanctuary doors. A Parents' Room (Wiggles & Giggles) is also available if you need to step out for a moment during worship.



**Youth Group/Family Hockey Night. Sunday, February 26, 2017** at 5:05 PM Seattle Thunderbirds vs. Everett Silvertips. Tickets are \$10.00 each. Tickets must be purchased prior to game day. Deadline to order is Wednesday, February 22, 2017. Hats for first 1,000 tickets purchased. Also \$1 ice cream at the concession stands for ALL fans. Local area mascots will also be in attendance. Contact Anna Moen for more information.

**WOMEN'S MINISTRIES - God's Gals Bible Study** meets on Mondays at 10 am in the Library. Contact Marilyn Worsham 425-433-1683 or Evelyn DeFrisco 425-413-0809 for more information.

**Sharing & Caring Bible Study** - The Monday night ladies Bible study meets at 7:00 p.m. in the library. "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World" 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 **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 2/5 was \$8,460.** Ways to support the ministry at Peace include using Fred Meyer Rewards ([fredmeyer.com/communityrewards](http://fredmeyer.com/communityrewards) #NPO 80329). **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.

**Rock and Worship Tour** featuring, "Steven Curtis Chapman, Rend Collective, Francesca Battistelli, Family Force 5, and Jordan Feliz" is coming **Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup>** to ShoWare in Kent, WA. We are in need of volunteers – volunteers get to see the concert Free. What is needed: Laundry – Help wash and fold laundry for the tour. Merchandise Sales – Help set up and sell merchandise. VIP Check In – Help take tickets and check in the VIP's, Ticket Takers – Take tickets at the door <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f49adaa2dab9-rock5>

Dr. Jonathan Sarfati from Creation Ministries International will be speaking on "**Design, Darwin, and Dilemma March 8 at 6:30 pm at Kent Covenant Church in Kent.** The event is Free! [Calendar - creation.com](http://calendar-creation.com)

**SEATTLE UNION GOSPEL MISSION** is hiring! Driver, full time. More info on the bulletin board.

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