

# Peace Lutheran Church LCMC



February 20, 2022

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany  
Rev. William Loefke, Pastor

Sunday Service

Faith Alive Worship 10:15 am

Youth Sunday School 9:00am

Adult Sunday School 9:15 am

## WELCOME

We welcome you. May your worship strengthen your faith and growth in His grace. Visitors, please sign the Guest Book in the narthex.

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Mercy. Mercy. Mercy. Joseph lives it in Egypt. Jesus preached it in the gospel. The Spirit guides us into merciful lives with the power of forgiveness to reconcile what is fractured and divided. Such merciful living is the baptismal blessing of having put on Christ. It is the gift of the life-giving Spirit. It is a reflection of God's glory revealed in Christ.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please join in cleaning the church basement this week Tue Feb 22 5pm.
- Special Congregation meeting Sun March 5 at 11:30pm, following morning worship service. Agenda: approve bid to replace carpet in Narthex.
- SiouxLand Habitat for Humanity is building homes in Alton and Hospers in 2022. There is still one Info mtg, to help build or to apply for a home: 7pm 2/24 LeMars Blue Bunny IC Parlor. Contact is Kurt Franje @ 641-780-9054 or kfranje@siouxlandhabitat.org.
- Mark your calendar to attend worship through the season of Lent. See *Schedule*.

## DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Our church leadership; Scott Campbell; Irene Sneller; Jon Loefke and fiancée Ceriena as they undergo testing for their baby due June '22; the Helmers family; Bob Oldenkamp (Hawarden Hillcrest); Mary Miller (RV Whispering Heights); Evert DeBondt (Hudson Care); Lorene Franken, Arlene Miller (SC Royal Meadows); all who need our prayers.

## SERVING TODAY

Lector: Kevin R (Tim S) Prayers: Terry W (Mary S)  
Praise Team: off this week  
AVV: Steve R, Neil R Organ: Becky S

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK (ESV)

Exodus 34:29-35; Psalm 99; 2 Corinthians 3:12 - 4:2

## PRAYER FOR LOCAL CONGREGATION

Faith Christian Reformed Church,  
Pastors Bob Pollema & Cliff Hoekstra

## SCHEDULE

Tue 2/22 5:00pm Church basement  
clean-up  
Wed 3/2 7:00pm Ash Wednesday service  
Sun 3/5 11:30am Special Congregational  
Meeting  
Mon 3/14 7:00pm Council meeting

*Lent and Easter season worship: Midweek Lent services - supper at 6pm; services at 7pm 3/9, 3/16, 3/23, 3/30, 4/6. Palm Sunday 4/10. Maundy Thursday Communion 4/14 7pm. Good Friday 4/15 7pm. Easter Sunday 4/17 Sunrise 8am & Communion 10:15am.*

## About Our Church



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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Faith Alive Worship Hour!

Prelude

Announcements

Gathering Hymn #11

*"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"*

*"The blessing of the Lord brings wealth." Proverbs 10:22*

Confession & Forgiveness

(Front of Hymnal)

Prayer Of The Day

Holy God, heavenly Father, in the waters of the flood You saved the chosen, and in the wilderness of temptation You protected Your Son from sin. Renew us in the gift of baptism. May Your holy angels be with us, that the wicked foe may have no power over us, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

Children's Sermon

First Lesson

*Genesis 45:3-11, 15*

Responsive Reading

*Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40*

Epistle Lesson

*I Corinthians 15:35-38, 42-50*

Congregation Response to Epistle Reading:

**"Thanks be to God!"**

Congregation Sings Hymn #86

*"Jesus, Name Above All Names"*

*"Your name will be great forever." 2 Samuel 7:26*

Announcement of the Holy Gospel

*Luke 6:27-38*

Congregation Response

**"Glory to You, O Lord"**

Congregation Response to Gospel Reading

**"Praise to You, O Christ"**

Sermon

*"Living in Harmony with God's Intent"*

Sermon Notes are available in the Narthex

Hymn of the Day #597 (v.1,5,6)

*"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"*

*"Consecrate yourselves and be holy,*

*because I am holy." Leviticus 11:44*

Apostle's Creed

Sharing of God's Peace

Blessing of Tithes and Offerings

Hymn #815 *"Doxology"*

*Offering plate is in the Narthex*

Prayers Of The People

Reader: *"God of grace,"*

Congregation: **"Hear our prayer."**

The Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn #604

*"I Then Shall Live"*

*"Your kingdom come, Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven." Matthew 6:10*

Dismissal

Pastor: Dynamic Love! Dynamic Ministry!

God's Holy Word!

Congregation: **"Thanks be to God!"**

Postlude

February Benevolence -

*Village Northwest Unlimited, Sheldon IA*

May God bless your generous gifts.