

## 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

Wisdom prepares a feast, sets the table, and invites all to come and eat the bread and drink the wine, the body and blood of Christ.. The first chapter of John's gospel owes much to the biblical tradition that believed Wisdom as existing before anything was created and having a role in the work of creation. Christ, the Wisdom of God (1 Cor. 1: 24), today invites us to the communion table in the institution of the Lord's Supper, but here we can't help hearing Jesus' words as an invitation to the meal of bread and wine we share as community.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome to outdoor worship today. Stay for the potluck lunch! (If you were unable to bring a dish, please stay to enjoy lunch anyway.) Contact: WorkGroup 1, Kelly Rehder (712-552-7615).
- Ryan Ranschau and Trent Rehder have answered the call as new leaders/coordinators for the Youth Sunday School, which starts with Rally Sunday on Sep 08.
- Love Inc Sioux County is seeking volunteers to assist with fall classes starting Aug 27 - financial mentors, childcare, hospitality, prayer partners. Contact Jessica D: 712-476-5990.

## MISSION UKRAINE

- Continue to pray for our sponsored Ukraine family, the Homziakovs, and the needs we support: PLC point persons Darrell/Gin Vermeer 712-441-1974.

## DEACONS' PRAYER LIST

Our church leadership; Harold Moeller; Judy Yates; Claudia Winterfeld; Luke Helmers family; Evert DeBondt, Lorene Franken, Arlene Miller, Orville Rehder, Shirley Rehder, Irene Sneller (CrPointe Estates SC); all in need.

## SERVING TODAY (and next week)

Lectors: Amanda B (Rob G) Deacon: Tim H (Joe R)  
Praise Team off today A/V: NA (Daniel B, Neil R)  
Acolyte: NA (Ellie DZ) Organ: NA (Matt L)

## READINGS FOR NEXT WEEK (ESV)

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18; Psalm 34:15-22; Ephesians 6:10-20

## SCHEDULE

Sun 08/19 10:30am PLC worship re-broadcast Premier Ch 12  
Thu 08/29 Taste of Sioux Center, Dordt University  
Sun 09/08 Rally Sunday  
Adult and Youth Sunday Schools resume  
Mon 09/09 07:00pm Council meeting  
Wed 09/11 07:00pm Confirmation classes resume  
Sun-Wed 09/29-10/02 LCMC Annual Convention, Marion IA

## PRAYER FOR LOCAL CONGREGATION

Netherlands Reformed Church, pulpit currently vacant

## About Our Church

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Watch Sun worship live on Facebook streaming, YouTube or re-broadcast Mondays 10:30am Channel 12 (Premier)

# Peace Lutheran Church LCMC



August 18, 2024

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
Rev. William Loeffke, Pastor

Faith Alive Service 10:15 am

*Outdoor Worship, Children's Park, Sioux Center IA*

Youth and Adult Sunday School  
*(in Summer Recess)*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Faith Alive Worship Hour!

*A time of meditation and preparation for worship*

Announcements

Call to Worship

Gathering Hymn

*"Blessed Assurance"*

*"Let us draw near to God with a sincere heart  
in full assurance of faith." Hebrews 10:22*

Confession and Forgiveness

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, Your Word feeds Your people with life that is eternal. Direct our choices and preserve us in Your truth so that, renouncing what is false and evil, we may live in You, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Children's Time

*"Let the Children Come...!" Luke 18:16*

First Lesson

*Proverbs 9:1-6*

Responsive Reading

*Psalm 34:9-14*

Epistle Lesson

*Ephesians 5:15-20*

*Congregation Response to Epistle Reading:*

***"Thanks be to God!"***

Announcement of the Holy Gospel

*John 6:51-58*

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

*Congregation Response to Gospel Reading*

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

Sermon

*"Wisdom Prepares a Feast and Invites Us In!"*

*Sermon Notes available in Narthex*

Apostle's Creed

Sharing of God's Peace

Blessings of Tithes and Offerings

Hymn #815 *"Doxology"*

Prayers Of The People

*Reader: "God, in Your mercy,"*

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

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Sending Hymn

*"God Be with You"*

*"The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you."*

*I Thessalonians 5:28*

Dismissal

Pastor: "Dynamic Love!

Dynamic Ministry! God's Holy Word!"

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

The offering plate is available.

*August Benevolence*

*Family Crisis Center, Sioux Center IA*

May God bless your generous gifts.