



Cross Roads *from Peace Lutheran*

July 16-31, 2010

Peace Presents:

We've got Good News!

The Youth & Family Minister Search Committee has received several great applications! They narrowed the search down to three candidates & held telephone interviews with those candidates the evening of Thursday,

July 15. From there, they have narrowed the field to two candidates who will be coming to Peace for face-to-face interviews in the next few weeks. We continue to ask for your prayers as the Holy Spirit guides us to choose the right Partner in Ministry for Peace Lutheran.

Peace welcomes the Little Apple Barbershop Chorus!

This Sunday, July 18, be sure to not miss the Little Apple Barbershop Chorus as they provide special music at the 9:30 service!

Vacation Bible School Mission Project

A group of faithful servants assembled 60 health kits to be sent to Lutheran World Relief! Thank you to everyone who contributed items & money for this worthy cause for Asia, Africa & Latin America!





Please pray for...

Special requests:

Safe travel for Tatyana Gridneva & her daughter Lydia from Russia
For Peace as we continue to search for a Youth & Family Minister
Peace Lutheran's finances
All who are seeking employment, especially Lindsay (Ballowe) McDonough & Sonja Erickson
For the congregation of First Assembly of God in Manhattan

Thanksgiving:

For Thad Reist and the beautiful music he brings forth from the new grand piano;
Faithful worshipers who continue to support Peace's worshiping community on Sunday mornings;
For Kevin Cook agreeing to be the Interim Praise Team Leader;
For Ashlyn Clites' service as Praise Team Leader these last few months.

Those who need healing, comfort, peace:

Family of Tony Zajac died Sunday, July 11
(Steve Waldron's stepbrother)
Amanda *(Judy Lynch's niece)* recovering from a car accident
The Barstow Family mourning the death of baby Christian
Ray Johnson in hospice care
John emotional healing

Those who are preparing for or recovering from surgery:

Marquis Liggons *(Ruth Adams' son)*
Cassie Kingslien
Dean Thompson

Healing for all who struggle with cancer & effects from treatment:

Jameson Carmichael	Sylvia Loecker	Jessica Peil
Dianna Chalfant	Lisa Morgan	Pippy
Steve Cook	Renee Morton	Rosie
Sara Erickson	Lindsey Nichols	Vicki
Carol Hanson		

Those who are deployed and their loved ones at home:

Dwayne Parrish			
Scott Shugart	Afghanistan	Scott Unsworth	Korea
James MacGregor	Iraq	Ryan Mann	Iraq
Ryan Stidum	Iraq	Thomas Ciurro	Iraq
Dustin Brey	Iraq	Tyson Riemann	Iraq
Brien and Melissa Buckentine	Kosovo	Josh Dixon	Iraq



Dear Youth at Peace,
Hello again! I can't believe it has already been two months from when I got married and last saw you! I miss seeing you & being able to worship with you. Douglas & I pray for Peace, especially the Youth at Peace. I thank God for the time I had with each and every one of you. Thank you for making my wedding day so memorable! I will always cherish that day. Please facebook me & text me so I can hear about your lives!

May God continue to bless each one of you and enrich the Youth at Peace today and always. I miss you and love you all so much! Thanks for making my wedding day so great!
Blessings, Lindsay (Ballowe) McDonough

Military Update

Thank you to everyone who baked cookies, donated postage and made lovely art projects to send to our deployed soldiers!
These packages are greatly appreciated!
Thanks to Cassie Kingslien for assembling & shipping them!

Financial Focus

In May we hired a new accountant who is doing an excellent job correcting our accounts. We can now report numbers!

June, 2010 actual income	\$15,437
June, 2010 actual expenses	\$15,960
Year-to-Date actual income	\$88,255
Year-to-Date actual expenses	\$97,719

While we have not received as much in offerings as we budgeted, neither have we spent as much as we budgeted to spend.

"Don't worry about anything, but PRAY about everything. With thankful hearts offer up your prayers and requests to God." - Philippians 4:6

"The Lord will give strength unto his people; the Lord will bless his people with peace." - Psalm 29:11

General Peace Info.:

Youth At Peace & Parents – Please come to a planning meeting Sunday, July 25, at 10:30 a.m. in the small sanctuary. We will be planning events for the coming year!

Power of Prayer – Peace Lutheran received this note from Pastor Ken Balken of First Assembly of God: “Dear Pastor Michael, just a note to let you know, we as a church will be praying for your church beginning Sunday, July 18, 2010.” Let’s pray for them in return!

Serendipity Bible Study – This adult class continues to meet this summer after the 9:30 service. The discussion this summer is Christianity in America today. All adults are welcome! Copies of the materials are located in a folder at the front of the family folder box. The July 18 & 25 classes will be “The emerging/emergent church movement – what should the church be in the 21st century?”

The Praise Team is seeking more instrumentalists and vocalists. Our goal is to have a large enough group so that Sundays could be staggered with different band members. If you are interested, contact Interim Praise Team Leader Kevin Cook at kcook@ksu.edu.

Fall Fellowship Coffee Hosts Needed – If you are willing & able to set up coffee & provide treats for the hour between morning services beginning in September, please contact the church office.

Comings & Goings – Gary Schwandt has transferred his membership to University Christian Church. We wish him God’s blessings as he serves the Lord in this house of worship!

Access the Peace calendar at www.peace-to-you.org

Community Info.:

Lutheran Campus Ministry is looking for a K-State student(s) to serve as caretaker of Luther House. This position will be responsible for maintaining and keeping up the interior and exterior of the Lutheran Campus Ministry premises located at 1745 Anderson Ave. in lieu of paying rent. Experience and skills with cleaning and yard work are important. Applicant should have an understanding of hospitality. Experience and enthusiasm for working with and involvement in a Christian ministry are preferred. If interested, please contact Pastor Kevin Clark at therevkev@att.net or 785-539-4451.