Sidings of Peace

June/July/August 2017 Newsletter of Peace Lutheran Church, Deshler, Nebraska Summer Public Office Hours

10:00 -3:00 PM Tuesday-Friday (Closed Monday)

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Vacation Bible School for ages 3 thru 6th grade

June 5 - 9, 2017 9:00 AM - Noon

"Operation Arctic" Get ready for your COO/est VBS ever!!

Every day, our kids are bombarded with messages that the Bible isn't the true Word of God. They hear that it can't be trusted to tell us the truth about the past or more importantly, about how we can receive the gift of eternal life. At Operation Arctic VBS kids will warm up to the Word as they explore the coolest book on the planet and discover how we can know **for sure** that the Bible is God's written message to us!

> THANK YOU! THANK YOU! to all of you who have volunteered so far! You'll feel blessed as you spend time teaching the children about the Bible!

REGISTRATION FORMS are available at Peace Lutheran Church and Arend's Grocery Store. **FAMILIES** AND FRIENDS are invited to join us for a Bible School Program on Sunday, June 11, at 10 A.M.



Vacation Bible School Needs...

If you cannot speak like angels, If you cannot preach like Paul, You can lead the little children, to the Savior's waiting arms.

We still need **helpers, music & game people** to share your never ending enthusiasm and love in anyway you deem possible. Please let Connie know ASAP if you'd be able to help for all, or any part of the week (#402-236-8840).

Jr & Sr. High helpers - please contact Connie if you are planning to help so she can determine if all the needs are covered.

VBS SNACKS - FIRST, thank you to those of you who have agreed to help out in the kitchen with the snacks for VBS during my absence, and special thanks to Connie Meyer for overseeing snack time for me. NEXT, money donations towards the VBS snacks has worked very well in the past. This year I was approved for \$250 Thrivent Seed Money to use towards the snacks. The cost of the food for the entire week is close to \$400. If you would like to donate towards helping with the snacks, you can give the money to me or to Marla in the office. If you would prefer baking cookies, please contact me. Thank you. ~ Joan Kirchhoff





Happy June Birthday to...

Special note will be made of these birthday milestones - 75, 80, 85, 90 and over.

Special birthdays this summer are: Vic Johnson will be 75 on June 7, Gladys Jenkins will be 94 on June 23, Earlene Othling will be 85 on June 29, Roger Hoffmeyer will be 80 on July 9, Kappy Carlson will be 80 on July 19, and Lois Pederson will be 75 on August 13. A birthday is a gift in itself and we thank God for each and every one! Happy Birthday!!!! Please let Marla know if a birthday/anniversary date is missing or incorrect. It helps insure that the church records are accurate. Also, if you'd like your birthday or anniversary included please, let us know the date, or if you'd prefer not to

have your age noted as a special year just let me know. Thanks!

June 1	Joshua Pohlmann	June 12	Sydney Roth	June 23	Gladys Jenkins
June 2	Richard Mohrmann	June 15	Delbert Culler	June 24	Danica O'Neal
	Bruce Maschmann	June 17	Deb Hintz	June 25	Connie Meyer
June 3	Jae Fintel		Ali Turan	June 26	Kimm Fintel
June 4	Brenner Culler		Aubrie Birkel	June 27	Bryce Mammen
June 7	Vic Johnson	June 20	Joshua Gumaer		Mike Isernhagen
	Danielle Cathey	June 21	Sandra Spitler	June 28	Janet Ritterling
	Lisa Hintz		Brody Fayle		Sue Dlouhy
June 8	Ardith Maschmann	June 22	LeRoy Fangmeyer	June 29	Trinity Schardt
June 10	Dana Dlouhy		Peg Johnson		Earlene Othling
	Luke Dlouhy		Joseph Judy	June 30	Rosanne Newell
June 11	Amanda Fayle				Brittaney O'Neal

Happy July Birthday to..

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July 1	Karissa Dittmer	July 12	Nathan Mueller	July 22	Marlys Reinke
	Colton Isernhagen	July 13	Glen Maschmann		Hailey Gehle
July 2	Kinslie Gehle		Autumn Reinke	July 23	Marvin Koester
July 3	Michelle Culler		Clay Jones		Toni Hintz
July 6	Roger Petersen	July 14	Becky Cahill	July 25	Heidi Isernhagen
July 8	Howard Reinke	July 18	Reid Birkel		Mariah Motto
	Jeanette Mohrmann	July 19	Hayden Bohling		Dennis Fuller
	Lexi Weber		Kappy Carlson	July 26	Jan Maschmann
July 9	Roger Hoffmeyer	July 20	Joshua Hintz	July 28	Trista Sloane
	Addyson Hintz	July 21	Lindsey Horwart	July 30	Brandon Gehle
July 11	Jeff Grummert		Jake Beam	July 31	Barry Renz
	Penny Befort		Mackenzie Mohrmann		Daniel Fangmeier
July 12	Mike Larkins				_

Happy August Birthday to...

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Aug 3	Judy Kirchhoff	Aug 13	Lois Pederson	Aug 23	Mindy Stichka
	Paige Hinz	Aug 14	Myron Peters		Kelsey Herring
	Cody Eitzmann		Samatha Jacobe		Katie Roth
Aug 4	Joel Maschmann	Aug 15	Brenda Judy		Raegan Bartholomew
	Connie Drohman	Aug 16	Stuart Reinke	Aug 24	Stan Hofts
	Bonnie Thompson		Ashley Dahl	Aug 25	Jayden Isernhagen
Aug 5	Tom Eickman	Aug 18	Jeremy Eickman	Aug 27	Shelly Smith
Aug 6	Les Schleif	Aug 19	Sean Jones		Jackson Beam
Aug 7	Zeke Fintel	Aug 20	Taylor Stichka	Aug 28	Doug Hillman
Aug 12	Delmer Marquart	Aug 22	Larry Holtzen		Sadie Isernhagen
_	Howard Pohlmann	Aug 23	Janice Marquart	Aug 29	Steve Drohman
Aug 13	Verlen Marquart	-	Tom Dahl	Aug 30	Chloe Mosier

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Those celebrating June Anniversaries...

June 2, 1963	David & Linda Weber	June 14, 1985	Randy & Kathy Taylor
June 5, 1966	Lyle & Beverly Pitts	June 17, 1989	Rick & Leah Krotz
June 5, 1981	Bob & Kristi Duensing	June 22, 2002	Josh & Amy Nash
June 6, 1965	Glenn & Joan Kirchhoff	June 23, 2007	Jim & Lois Pederson
June 7, 1974	Merlin & June Degner	June 25, 2016	Cody & Taylor Eitzmann
June 10, 2006	Kevin & Jessie Christian	June 27, 1998	Tiffany & Phil Shaw
		June 27, 2015	Karissa & Denton Dittmer

Those celebrating July Anniversaries...

Happy 60th Anniversary to Ervin & JoAnn Fangmeyer and how special it is that your son, Randy, will be married at Peace Lutheran Church on your wedding day.

July 2, 2016	Zach & Megan Mason	July 21, 1954	Delbert & Lula Culler
July 5, 1994	Don & Sandra Spitler	July 22, 1989	Gregg & Deb Bohling
July 7, 1957	Ervin & JoAnn Fangmeyer	July 27, 1974	RT & Carol Good

Those celebrating August Anniversaries...

Happy 55th Anniversary to Verlen & Janice Marquart on August 26th!

Aug 1, 1998	Brendan & Michelle Schardt	Aug 21, 1976	Doyle & Jan Horwart
Aug 7, 1970	Bruce & Jan Maschmann	Aug 21, 1971	Lyle & Lucille Schardt
Aug 8, 1975	Paul & Connie Meyer	Aug 25, 1963	Myron & Fairy Peters
Aug 10, 2012	Jason & Lisa Hintz	Aug 26, 1962	Verlen & Janice Marquart
Aug.11, 1963	Ervin & Helen Lunzmann	Aug 29, 1954	Berdon & JoAnn Renz
Aug 16, 2014	Loel & Beth Maschmann	Aug 30, 1980	Joel & Deanna Maschmann
Aug 20, 2016	Paige & James Hinz	Aug 30, 2002	2 Bryan & Priscilla Bower
Aug 21, 1971	Stan & Mary Jo Hofts	Aug 31, 2013	Brandon & Hailey Gehle

Congratulations and God's Blessings..

- ...to Becky Cahill at the birth of a new grandchild! Brixtyn Ann Freitag, was born to Travis and Cammie (Cahill) Freitag on Wednesday, April 26, 2017, at Thayer County Health Services in Hebron, Nebraska, weighing 7 lbs., 14 oz. She has 3 brothers, Kypton (7), Huxton (3) and Kaynen (1) who welcomed her home to Carleton, Nebraska. Congratulations also to great-grandparents Lyle "Butch" and Sondra Ehlers.
- ...to Derek Schnakenberg and Jennifer Czekai who were united in marriage at Peace Lutheran Church on Saturday, May 27, 2017.
- ...to Trevor Taylor and Ashley Hillman who will be married at Peace Lutheran Church on Saturday, June 10, 2017.
- ...to Randy Fangmeyer and Tasha Hutchinson who will be married at Peace Lutheran Church on Friday, July 7, 2017.

Address Changes...

Katie Roth 7601 West Waverly Rd Malcolm NE 68402

Melissa Powers 719 Meridian Rd. Chester NE 68327

Shana Gerberding 5369 Road Q Davenport NE 68335

REMINDER FOR MEMORIAL DAY DECORATIONS:

Any flower containers or decorations on graves shall be reclaimed within ten days after they have served their usefulness (June 4)or they may be removed by the caretakers. Bylaws of Peace Lutheran Church / Part X - Cemetery Rules

Also, a reminder: Prior to 2013 members of Peace were unable to reserve their grave space unless a parent or child was deceased. In January of 2013, a change was made to the Bylaws, which allows members and non-members to reserve their plot for fees set by the Cemetery Board. If you'd like to do so, please contact Marla in the Church office, or George Kruse, Cemetery Lot Supervisor.

Weekend Worship Schedule..



NO Children or Youth Sunday School Adult Class continues at 9:00 AM

NO Saturday Evening Worship in May, June, July & August Sat. Worship will begin September 9.

10:00 AM Sunday Morning Worship



Special Music during the summer months when the choir is on a break is always appreciated. Please contact Marla in the church office to sign up for a Sunday.

Anyone is welcome to furnish goodies following worship.
Just contact the church office to volunteer.

JUNE 4 - Day of Pentecost

Guest Speaker: Rodney Hinrichs shares about our missionaries, Paul and Comfort with "Reaching the Unreached"

Goodies: Tyra Mohrmann & Anonymous & Anonymous celebrating their birthdays! ©

JUNE 11 - Trinity Sunday

Vacation Bible School Program

JUNE 18 - Pentecost 2

Holy Communion

JUNE 25 - Pentecost 3

PEPY Meeting following worship

JULY 2 - Pentecost 4

Holy Communion

JULY 9 - Pentecost 5

Pastor Rich gone on YOP Mission Trip to Omaha

JULY 16 - Pentecost 6

Holy Communion

JULY 23 - Pentecost 7

JULY 30 - Pentecost 8

Holy Communion

AUGUST 6 - Pentecost 9

AUGUST 13 - Pentecost 10

Holy Communion

AUGUST 20 - Pentecost 11

AUGUST 27 - Pentecost 12

Holy Communion



SUMMER PUBLIC OFFICE HOURS

May 20 - August 20 Tuesday - Friday 10:00 - 3:00 PM

We'll be in the office earlier and/or later on most days, but hours outside of those listed are flexible. Just call ahead if it's outside of those hours to be sure that we will be here.

Bulletin Deadline is Thursdays at 10 AM. Church Offices are Closed on Mondays in the summer, and Marla is not in the office on Fridays.

Worship, Education and Stewardship for May

Worship Attendance (Compared to one year ago)

Apr 17	150	142 + 5 = 147
Apr 24	107 + 37 = 144	130 + 7 = 137
May 1	139 + 14 = 153	147
May 8	153	137
May 15	131	125
May 21	110	150

Stewardship

Gen. Budget

Apr. 30 \$1975.50 May 7 \$2871.00 May 14 \$2751.21 May 21 \$3079.10

Education March-May Offering of \$751.92 went to RFKC.

Thanks everyone for supporting such a great cause!!!

April 30 15 (preK - 8th) \$11.00 May 7 39 \$137.00

May 14 no figures

Please note, as stated in the Council Minutes,
Peace Lutheran's budget deficit for the period
ending April 30, 2017 was -\$13,799.86.
Please remember Peace Lutheran Church
in your summer budget plans.
~ Dave Weber, Council President

Peace Lutheran's Monthly Mission Share:
May - Royal Family Kids Camp
June - Blue Valley @ Nuckolls & Thayer Co.
July - Military Bible Sticks
August - Crossroads Center (Hastings) &
Living Water Rescue Mission (York)
\$1200.00 @ month to Lindsey Mueller, our
missionary with Children of the Nations.

Another successful Blanket Tying Event...



finding great ways to incorporate Thrivent's Action Team Funds! Thrivent approved Action Team Seed Money of \$250 for Connie Meyer that she used to purchase flannel from her sister-in-law's fabric shop, at an extremely generous discounted price because of the wonderful cause it's going to. Connie created 29 nice flannel backs out of the fabric. Earlene Othling applied for Thrivent Action Team Seed Money also and used it to purchase 2 rolls of large quilt batting that was used for some of the blankets made Monday night, and will now continue to be used as batting, which will make our blankets full and fluffy. Twelve ladies enjoyed the Italian Meal package Connie had donated from her winning bid at Donovan Yoachim's Benefit and thank you to Paul Meyer for delivering the meal and joining us for a delicious supper.

Ladies of Peace held another blanket day and are

(Left to Right) Laurie Koester, Earlene Othling, Lois Nelson, Sandra Spitler, Julia Pohlmann, Ardith Maschmann, Connie Meyer & her granddaughter Mikayla Meyer. Not pictured: Deb Folkerts, Becky Mize, Louisa Fintel, Joan Kirchhoff, Anita Stevenson. The ladies have blanket tying every month of the year, except July, and these blankets mostly go to Lutheran World Relief and usually 25 to Royal Family Kids Camp. With 11 events a year, we have the possibility to be approved for a Thrivent Action Team Event each month if enough Thrivent members would like to apply for the seed money to purchase new flannel and batting. Just contact the church office if you'd want to make any month your event to contribute and we'll aid you anyway we can with the application.

A NOTE FROM WOMEN'S PRESIDENT LOIS NELSON...

The WOW (Women of the Word) Board will not meet during June and July, unless needed. Please watch the bulletin. Their next meeting is scheduled for Monday, August 21, at 7:00 p.m. If you need anything from the Women of Peace just ask we are here. ⊚