

# Weekly Messenger

June 27, 2018

## **Vision Statement**

*Bringing Christ to Our World*

## **Mission Statement**

*Saved by Grace, Nurtured in Faith, Equipped to Serve:  
we are God's hands for others*

## **Ministers**

*All Members of Peace Lutheran*

## **Pastor**

*Ralph Kirkpatrick*



## **Sixth Sunday of Pentecost**

**July 1, 2018**

9:30 a.m. Worship with Holy Communion

# Peace Weekly Calendar

## Thursday, June 28

*Pastor Ralph's Day Off*

12:00 p.m. S- Anon

6:45 p.m. Gulf Park Civic Assn. Meeting

7:00 p.m. Tai Chi

## Saturday, June 30

8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast

12:00 p.m. Al-Anon

2:00 p.m. Portrait Art Group

## Sunday, July 1

9:30 a.m. Worship w/Communion

2:30 p.m. Al-Anon

## Monday, July 2

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

5:30 p.m. Al-Anon

6:00 p.m. Monday Night Men

7:00 p.m. Tai Chi

## Tuesday, July 3

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

8:00 a.m. Men's Group @ Cracker Barrel

6:00 p.m. Via de Cristo Secretariat

7:00 p.m. TN Valley Ensemble

## Wednesday, July 4

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

## Thursday, July 5

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

12:00 p.m. S- Anon

6:45 p.m. Gulf Park Civic Assn. Meeting

7:00 p.m. Tai Chi

## Friday, July 6

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

## Saturday, July 7

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

12:00 p.m. Al-Anon

2:00 p.m. Portrait Art Group

## Sunday, July 8

*Pastor Ralph Vacation*

9:30 a.m. Worship

2:30 p.m. Al-Anon

## *Serving This Sunday*

*9:30 a.m.*

*Worship with Holy Communion  
July 1*

**9:30**

**Assisting Minister:** Ellstrom, A.

**Lector/Comm Asst.:** Storm-Barnes

**Sound:** Klukken

**Ushers:** Stegner, Terwell

**Greeters:** Hudnall, Ellstrom

**Altar Guild:** Buckley, Storm-Barnes

**Bread & Wine:** Terwilliger

**Tellers:** Kratts, Anderson

**Flowers:** Kangas

## Baptism Anniversary

6/28 - Eric Carlson

7/1 - Allan Ellstrom

# Peace Prayers

*Please let the church office know of any changes in the prayers.*

**Members:** Cassie Barnes, Ernie Dickson, Ida Jenkins, Ann Kampwerth, Gary Kratts, Bethany Ladner, Bill McCamy, Stacy Nelson, David & Charlene Ottinger, Noreen Quirand, Carla Schirmer, Dee Smolik, Ruth Stallmann

**Family & Friends:** **Samantha Adamson** (niece of Eva Kratts); **John Anderson** (Tasha Abbott's step father); **Rosemary Aumaugher** (mother of Gary Aumaugher); **Courtney, Marlon, and Heaven Beverly** (friends of Marianne & Andy Stephansen); **Jeff Brig & Vincent Briguccia** (Eileen Zetterberg's sons); **David Brondos** (missionary to Mexico); **Mary Burnett** (mother of John Burnett); **Rosemary Clause** (Sue Carlson's cousin); **Betty Collins** (Butch Henderson's sister); **Jeff Davidson** (friend of Janet Barnes); **Sarah Davidson**, (Daughter-in-law of Soni & Janet Davidson); **Maryann Dusbabek** (Eva Kratts aunt); **Al & Lois Etzler** (Pete's brother & sister-in-law); **Kristyn Farley** (daughter of Marianne Stephansen's friend); **Amy Franken** (sister of Kristi Shedden); **Martha Kratts** (Gary Kratts' Mother); **Andy Hedberg** (cousin of Simone Hedberg); **Adele Krans** (John Stegner's sister); **Martha Kratts** (Gary Kratts' mother); **G. W. Larson** (father of Bill Larson); **Jan Law** (Sue Nevedal's mother); **Kenneth Lee** (son of Eric Carlson's friend); **Wendy Mallaber** (Gary Kratts' sister); **Ann Miller & Karen Milanc** (friends of the Carole & Tom Mustaleski); **Marjorie Miller** (mother of Darlene Smolik); **Linda Millis** (Rosemary Ried's daughter); **Paul Montgomery** (friend of Mike Nelson); **Mike Murrell** (former co-worker of Allan Ellstrom); **Lisa Oakley** (co-worker of Nancy Simon); **Greg Pfahles** (Cousin of Sue Carlson); **Deb Phillips** (former teacher of Angie Moore); **Taylor Ramsey** (friend of Carlsons); **John Rogers** (friend of Angie Moore); **Charles Savas Family** (friends of Rosemary Ried); **Mel Schulz** (Eva Kratts' uncle); **Mary Jo Thompson** (Adele Soucy's cousin); **John Witz** (Pam Kish's brother-in-law)

**Military:** **Erik Aderman** (nephew of Allan Ellstrom); **Tarren & David Barrett** (daughter & son-in-law of Janet & Tom Barnes & granddaughter of Bob and Evalyn Storm); **Timothy Brig** (grandson of Eileen Zetterberg); **Taylor Dobson** (grandson of Bob & Evalyn Storm); **Paul Newpher** (Jim & Susan McLemore's son-in-law); **Jeff Smolik** (son of Darlene & John Smolik); **Terra Caldwell** (Ginger Tevault's niece)

## *ELCA Prayer Ventures*

*June 27-July 4*

**27**

Remember in prayer the thousands of youth and adults beginning their experience of learning, worship, witness, celebration and service at the ELCA Youth Gathering in Houston.

**28**

Give thanks for the 12 ELCA missionaries serving in Tanzania with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Tanzania and its health care and education programs, theological education for leaders, and water resources and development work throughout East Africa.

**29**

*Peter and Paul, Apostles*

Responding to God's call to follow and give witness to the good news of Jesus Christ, Peter and Paul left the familiarity of their occupations to become apostles who shared the gospel through their witness, preaching and writing. We ask God to so inspire us to be faithful and bold followers, witnesses and leaders sharing the light of Christ in the world.

**30**

Many seasonal workers – of all ages – serve behind the scenes and in roles with little recognition or appreciation during the summer. Give thanks to God for their labor and contributions to the community and ask the Spirit to move us to regard them with respect, gratitude, generosity and mutual hospitality.

**1**

Pray for youth, adults and ELCA Youth Gathering volunteers traveling home from Houston that they will return home safely to share their enthusiasm, deepened faith, appreciation for the diversity and complexity of the body of Christ, and a broadened vision of the ELCA and their role in carrying out its mission in the world.

**2**

Give thanks to God for being attentive to our difficulties, experiences of human tragedy and questions and for reassuring us that we are loved and that nothing is beyond God's ability to heal, restore or save.

**3**

We remember in prayer people, communities and regions affected by recent flooding and severe weather that the Spirit will sustain their faith and hope while they deal with loss, damage and the daunting work of recovery and rebuilding.

**4**

Give thanks for the blessings of freedom we experience in our nation, and pray the Spirit will guide us in using our freedom to exemplify God's ways of justice, peace, humility and mercy while caring and advocating for those who still experience injustice and obstacles to freedom in our society and world.

**LIVING  
IN JESUS'  
TIME**

**VACATION  
BIBLE SCHOOL**

**JULY 9-13**

**MON. - THURS. 9 AM - 12 PM**  
**FRI. 9-11 AM**

**AT GOOD SAMARITAN IN CONJUNCTION WITH PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**

## **WORSHIP**

### **We Thanked Altar Guild**

The brunch after worship service on Sunday, June 24, was especially to thank past and present Altar Guild members. The Women of Peace decided to do this, but much of the planning and all of the hard work was done by Marlene and Gary Klukken. She found the recipes for the quiche and for the melon cup. The biscuits, however, were a contribution of Will Biscoe as was the strawberry-rhubarb jam and naughty cream. Thanks very much to these folks as well as to Adele Soucy, Frannie Kirkpatrick, Don Tevault, and Allan Ellstrom for cleaning up.

Not all past and present Altar Guild members could attend so we will repeat the list. Serving as chair is Ginger Tevault, and a past chair is Amy Anderson. Other members are Linda McClanahan, Mary Gage, Kristie and Jaden Toby, Kathleen Schuller, Judy Terwell, Deb Buckley, Eva Kratts, Janet Storm-Barnes, Simone Hedberg, Sue Brown, Evalyn Storm, Marianne Stephansen, Frannie Kirkpatrick, and Grace and Carla Schirmer.

Thrivent provided the seed money to purchase food and supplies. You donated money so that Altar Guild could purchase an item for the altar. Your donations totaled \$273. Thank you.

## Altar Flowers

The Flower Chart is pretty sparse for July and August. If you would like to donate flowers in memory of or in honor of someone, or just because, please sign up. The occasion will be noted in the bulletin. You don't have to get the flowers. Either Phyllis Etzler or I will be happy to do an arrangement for you, at no cost (donations okay, but not required). But if you prefer, you make take care of it yourself. One of us will contact you the week or two before to learn your preference. Thanks for your participation in this ministry! Contact Jan Larson at 693-8845 or [jan@thelarsons.info](mailto:jan@thelarsons.info).

## NURTURE

### Men's Breakfast THIS SATURDAY, June 30

It's almost time again for some food, fun, and fellowship. Come listen and share your adventures, hobbies, philosophies and/or small talk with other men for an hour or so while enjoying a delicious hot breakfast. Look for a sign-up sheet is in the foyer. At the close of the meal, we will hear from Dick Marth (Susan Rosch's father). He worked on the Lunar Landing project of the Apollo Space Program in 1964. He will have stories to share! You don't want to miss this special event. Breakfast begins at 8:00 a.m., its usual time.

### Table Linens are Missing

When tables were being set up for both Tony's memorial service and the Sunday Brunch we found that several of our newer table cloths were missing and have been for awhile. If you took them home to launder and somehow forgot you had them, please return to the cabinet in the fellowship kitchen. Please see Marlene Klukken if you have information.

## DISCIPLESHIP

### ELCA Youth Gathering

**GATHERING LIVESTREAM HERE!**

MYLE worship + 6/26, 6:45-8:15 p.m. (CDT)  
The tAble worship + 6/27, 10-11:30 a.m. (CDT)  
Daily Bible studies + 6/27-6/30, 3:30-5:30 p.m. (CDT)  
Mass Gatherings + 6/27-6/30, 7:30-9:15 p.m. (CDT)  
Closing worship + 7/1, 9:30-11:30 a.m. (CDT)

Go to [elca.org/gathering](http://elca.org/gathering) to see the LiveStream of the Youth Gathering. Keep in mind that times are listed as Central Time (so our time would be 1 hour later) if you want to tune in to the events in Houston.

### Peace Women's Book Group

On Tuesday, July 3, at 10:00 a.m., we will discuss *Gulp: Adventures on the Alimentary Canal* by Mary Roach, Americas funniest science writer. Looking ahead: August 7: *The Tea Girl of Hummingbird Lane* by Lisa See.

## *MISCELLANEOUS*

### **Thank You from the Kampwerth Family**

The family of Tony Kampwerth wishes to thank the Friends of Peace for their continuous gifts of Love during Tony's months of conflict.

The Prayers, phone calls, sharing of food and, especially, the visits were so very much appreciated by Tony and the family.

The kitchen crew and their recruits are to be commended for the social time after Tony's funeral on June 19th. It was a joy to all who attended. A big "thank you" to everyone who made that a special time for us to be with friends and extended family. Sincere Thanks, Ann Kampwerth and Family

### **More About the Mission at KARM**

Since its beginnings in 1982, Peace has been involved in many outreach ministries. One of those is serving a noonday meal at Knox Area Rescue Mission on Saturdays. We have shared this with our companion Lutheran churches. Periodically it is necessary to reevaluate how we do ministry. That time has arrived for KARM.

We have always had good leaders, who organized everything, and willing volunteers to do the work. We are now in need of a new leader. We must consider whether we are able to continue with this ministry. If you only serve on a Saturday morning, you may not be aware of what is required to prepare for that morning. The leader has coordinated the annual schedule with the participating Lutheran churches, written and made the recruitment announcements, shopped for food at Second Harvest, shopped for additional food at the grocery store, made sure the food arrived at KARM, and supervised the preparation of the food.

For the remainder of 2018, volunteers and backups are undertaking these many roles, but this is only a short term solution. A leader is really needed. A leader can come forward now, and we will continue. There will be an opportunity to discuss the future of Peace's service at KARM at the Budget Meeting in November. To have a true voice, you must be one who is willing to participate. Between now and then, pray about this to see where your heart is and if your heart is leading you to action.