

**Children's Message**

**Hymn of the Day** "Within The Father's House" [LSB 410]

**Today's Message**

*(Please stand)*

**Apostles' Creed** [LSB 192]

*(Please be seated)*

**Offering**

*(Please stand)*

**Offertory** [LSB 192]

**Prayer of the Church**

**Lord's Prayer** [LSB 196]

**Salutation** [LSB 201]

**Benedicamus** [LSB 202]

**Benediction** [LSB 202]

*(Please be seated)*

**Closing Hymn** "God Of Grace And God Of Glory" [LSB 850]

**To God Be The Glory!**

**Calendar of Events**

**Monday, January 4th**

*Pastor is out of the office*

**Tuesday, January 5th**

9:00am..... Worship Committee

**Wednesday January 6th**

6:00pm.....School of Religion

**Thursday, January 7th**

**Friday, January 8th**

**Saturday, January 9th**

7:00am.....Men's Bible Breakfast

**Sunday, January 10th**

8:00am.....Communion Worship

9:15am..Bible Study and Sunday School

10:30am ..... Communion Worship

**Attendance Record 12/24-12/27**

Early Christmas Eve Service.....121

Late Christmas Eve Service.....24

Christmas Day Service.....34

Sunday Early Service.....38

Bible Study.....16

Sunday Late Service..... 55

**Serving in God's House**

<b>January 3rd</b>	
Elder on duty	Victor Lauer
Organist	K.C. Eckhardt
Audio	Cathy Broz
Greeter	Deb Shields
Greeter	
Usher	Dennis Chipman
Lay Reader	Randon Peters
Acolyte	
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Jeff Pinkerton
<b>Late Service</b>	
Greeter	Myra Tietz
Greeter	Jane Schuster
Usher	Jim Dejonge
Lay Reader	Fred Gleason
Acolyte	
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Ben Schow

<b>January 10th</b>	
Elder on duty	Ron Aufrecht
Organist	Charlene Pfanstiel
Audio	Russ Ankersen
Greeter	Gant Pfanstiel
Greeter	Charlene Pfanstiel
Usher	Harold Carlson
Lay Reader	Renelle Mooney
Acolyte	
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Russ Ankersen
<b>Late Service</b>	
Greeter	Cindy Swanhorst
Greeter	Curt Swanhorst
Usher	
Lay Reader	Nick Nothnagel
Acolyte	
Acolyte	
Powerpoint	Russ Ankersen



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# Worship Service Bulletin

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January 3, 2021  
 The Second Sunday after Christmas

*W*elcome! Here at Peace Lutheran Church, our mission is to share with loving concern, the true Word and gracious love of God with one another, our community, and our world.

*May God bless you this morning as you worship with us.*



# Within The Father's House

## Divine Worship Service Setting 3

**Opening Hymn** “Children Of The Heavenly Father” [LSB 725]

*(Please stand)*

**Confession And Absolution** [LSB 184]

**Introit**

*Psalm 147:1, 5, 11–12; antiphon: John 1:14*

The Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory,

**glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.**

Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God;

**for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.**

Great is our Lord, and abundant in power;

**his understanding is beyond measure.**

But the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him,

**in those who hope in his steadfast love.**

Praise the LORD, O Jerusalem!

**Praise your God, O Zion!**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son**

**and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning,**

**is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

The Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory,

**glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.**

**Kyrie** [LSB 186]

**Gloria In Excelsis** [LSB 187]

**Salutation and Collect Of The Day** [LSB 189]

*(Please be seated)*

**First Reading**

*1 Kings 3:4–15*

<sup>4</sup> The king went to Gibeon to sacrifice there, for that was the great high place. Solomon used to offer a thousand burnt offerings on that altar. <sup>5</sup>At Gibeon the LORD appeared to Solomon in a dream by night, and God said, “Ask what I shall give you.” <sup>6</sup>And Solomon said, “You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant David my father, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart toward you. And you have kept for him this great and steadfast love and have given him a son to sit on his throne this day. <sup>7</sup>And now, O LORD my God, you have made your servant king in place of David my father, although I am but a little child. I do not know how to go out or come in. <sup>8</sup>And your servant is in the midst of your people whom you have chosen, a great people, too many to be numbered or counted for multitude. <sup>9</sup>Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, that I may discern between good and evil, for who is able to govern this your great people?”

<sup>10</sup>It pleased the Lord that Solomon had asked this. <sup>11</sup>And God said to him, “Because you have asked this, and have not asked for yourself long life or riches or the life of your enemies, but have asked for yourself understanding to discern what is right, <sup>12</sup>behold, I now do according to your word. Behold, I give you a wise and discerning mind, so that none like you has been before you and none like you shall arise after you. <sup>13</sup>I give you also what you have not asked, both riches and honor, so that no other king shall compare with you, all your days. <sup>14</sup>And if you will walk in my ways, keeping my statutes and my commandments, as your father

David walked, then I will lengthen your days.”

<sup>15</sup>And Solomon awoke, and behold, it was a dream. Then he came to Jerusalem and stood before the ark of the covenant of the LORD, and offered up burnt offerings and peace offerings, and made a feast for all his servants.

**Epistle** *Ephesians 1:3–14*

<sup>3</sup>Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places, <sup>4</sup>even as he chose us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love <sup>5</sup>he predestined us for adoption as sons through Jesus Christ, according to the purpose of his will, <sup>6</sup>to the praise of his glorious grace, with which he has blessed us in the Beloved. <sup>7</sup>In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, <sup>8</sup>which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight <sup>9</sup>making known to us the mystery of his will, according to his purpose, which he set forth in Christ <sup>10</sup>as a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth.

<sup>11</sup>In him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of him who works all things according to the counsel of his will, <sup>12</sup>so that we who were the first to hope in Christ might be to the praise of his glory. <sup>13</sup>In him you also, when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and believed in him, were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit, <sup>14</sup>who is the guarantee of our inheritance until we acquire possession of it, to the praise of his glory.

*(Please stand)*

**Alleluia** [LSB 190]

**Holy Gospel** *Luke 2:40–52*

<sup>40</sup>The child [Jesus] grew and became strong, filled with wisdom. And the favor of God was upon him.

<sup>41</sup>Now his parents went to Jerusalem every year at the Feast of the Passover. <sup>42</sup>And when he was twelve years old, they went up according to custom. <sup>43</sup>And when the feast was ended, as they were returning, the boy Jesus stayed behind in Jerusalem. His parents did not know it, <sup>44</sup>but supposing him to be in the group they went a day’s journey, but then they began to search for him among their relatives and acquaintances, <sup>45</sup>and when they did not find him, they returned to Jerusalem, searching for him. <sup>46</sup>After three days they found him in the temple, sitting among the teachers, listening to them and asking them questions. <sup>47</sup>And all who heard him were amazed at his understanding and his answers. <sup>48</sup>And when his parents saw him, they were astonished. And his mother said to him, “Son, why have you treated us so? Behold, your father and I have been searching for you in great distress.” <sup>49</sup>And he said to them, “Why were you looking for me? Did you not know that I must be in my Father’s house?” <sup>50</sup>And they did not understand the saying that he spoke to them. <sup>51</sup>And he went down with them and came to Nazareth and was submissive to them. And his mother treasured up all these things in her heart.

<sup>52</sup>And Jesus increased in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man.

*(Please be seated)*