

and serve them. ³⁸If he comes in the second watch, or in the third, and finds them awake, blessed are those servants! ³⁹But know this, that if the master of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have left his house to be broken into. ⁴⁰You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.”

(Please be seated)

Children’s Message

Hymn of the Day “All Who Are Thirsty”

Today’s Message

(Please stand)

Apostles’ Creed

Prayer of the Church

(Please be seated)

Offertory

(Please stand)

Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

Sharing of the Peace

(Please be seated)

Closing Hymn “Who Am I”

Postlude “Today Is The Day”

To God Be The Glory!

Calendar of Events

Monday, August 8th

Pastor out of the office

Tuesday, August 9th

5:00pm.....Adopt-A-Chaplain packing

6:30pm..... Board of Elders

7:00pm..... Church Council

Wednesday, August 10th

Thursday, August 11th

Friday, August 12th

Saturday, August 13th

7:00am.....Men’s Bible breakfast

Sunday, August 14th

8:00am.....Communion Worship

9:15am.....Adult Bible Study

10:30amCommunion Worship

Attendance Record 7/31-8/6

Sunday Early Service.....54

Bible Study.....17

Sunday Late Service.....75

Serving in God’s House

August 7th

Elder on duty Brandon Kuykendall

Organist K.C. Eckhardt

Audio Cathy Broz

Greeter Grant Pfanstiel

Greeter Charlene Pfanstiel

Usher Gene Meints

Lay Reader Renelle Mooney

Acolyte Clara Hurst

Acolyte

Powerpoint Cathy Broz

Late Service

Greeter Jane Schuster

Greeter Myra Tietz

Usher

Lay Reader Sarah Risenhoover

Acolyte Jackson Hartwell

Acolyte Ellie Hartwell

Powerpoint Ben Schow

Live Stream Blayzon Mooney

August 14th

Elder on duty Victor Lauer

Organist K.C. Eckhardt

Audio Russ Ankersen

Greeter Deb Shields

Greeter

Usher Harold Carlson

Lay Reader Randon Peters

Acolyte Brayden Watts

Acolyte Tristen Watts

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

Late Service

Greeter Cindy Swanhorst

Greeter Curt Swanhorst

Usher

Lay Reader Nick Nothnagel

Acolyte Avery Davidson

Acolyte

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

Live Stream Ryland Peters



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Worship Service Bulletin

Pastor Lonnie Felcher

August 7, 2022
 The Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

*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.



All Who Are Thirsty

Blended Worship

Prelude "Take My Life"

Opening Hymn "I Will Follow

(Please stand)

Invocation

Confession And Absolution

Introit

Psalm 147:8-11; antiphon: v. 7

Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving;

make melody to our God on the lyre!

He covers the heavens with clouds; he prepares rain for the earth;

he makes grass grow on the hills.

He gives to the beasts their food,

and to the young ravens that cry.

His delight is not in the strength of the horse,

nor his pleasure in the legs of a man,

but the LORD takes pleasure in those who fear him,

in those who hope in his steadfast love.

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.

Sing to the LORD with thanksgiving;

make melody to our God on the lyre!

Gloria In Excelsis

Collect Of The Day

(Please be seated)

First Reading

Genesis 15:1-6

¹After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision: "Fear not, Abram, I am your shield; your reward shall be very great." ²But Abram said, "O Lord GOD, what will you give me, for I continue childless, and the heir of my house is Eliezer of Damascus?" ³And Abram said, "Behold, you have given me no offspring, and a member of my household will be my heir." ⁴And behold, the word of the LORD came to him: "This man shall not be your heir; your very own son shall be your heir."

⁵And he brought him outside and said, "Look toward heaven, and number the stars, if you are able to number them." Then he said to him, "So shall your offspring be."

⁶And he believed the LORD, and he counted it to him as righteousness.

Epistle

Hebrews 11:1-16

¹Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. ²For by it the people of old received their commendation. ³By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things that are visible. ⁴By faith Abel offered to God a more acceptable sacrifice than Cain, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts. And through his faith, though he died, he still speaks. ⁵By faith Enoch was taken up so that he should not see death, and he was not found, because God had taken him. Now before he was taken he was commended as having pleased God. ⁶And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him. ⁷By faith Noah, being warned by God concerning events as yet unseen, in reverent fear constructed an ark for the saving of his

household. By this he condemned the world and became an heir of the righteousness that comes by faith. ⁸By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to go out to a place that he was to receive as an inheritance. And he went out, not knowing where he was going. ⁹By faith he went to live in the land of promise, as in a foreign land, living in tents with Isaac and Jacob, heirs with him of the same promise. ¹⁰For he was looking forward to the city that has foundations, whose designer and builder is God. ¹¹By faith Sarah herself received power to conceive, even when she was past the age, since she considered him faithful who had promised. ¹²Therefore from one man, and him as good as dead, were born descendants as many as the stars of heaven and as many as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore. ¹³These all died in faith, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar, and having acknowledged that they were strangers and exiles on the earth. ¹⁴For people who speak thus make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. ¹⁵If they had been thinking of that land from which they had gone out, they would have had opportunity to return. ¹⁶But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared for them a city.

(Please stand)

Alleluia Verse "Seek Ye First"

Holy Gospel

Luke 12:22-40

²²[Jesus] said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat, nor about your body, what you will put on. ²³For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing.

²⁴Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds! ²⁵And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? ²⁶If then you are not able to do as small a thing as that, why are you anxious about the rest? ²⁷Consider the lilies, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ²⁸But if God so clothes the grass, which is alive in the field today, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, how much more will he clothe you, O you of little faith! ²⁹And do not seek what you are to eat and what you are to drink, nor be worried. ³⁰For all the nations of the world seek after these things, and your Father knows that you need them. ³¹Instead, seek his kingdom, and these things will be added to you. ³²Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

³³Sell your possessions, and give to the needy. Provide yourselves with moneybags that do not grow old, with a treasure in the heavens that does not fail, where no thief approaches and no moth destroys. ³⁴For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. ³⁵Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning, ³⁶and be like men who are waiting for their master to come home from the wedding feast, so that they may open the door to him at once when he comes and knocks. ³⁷Blessed are those servants whom the master finds awake when he comes. Truly, I say to you, he will dress himself for service and have them recline at table, and he will come