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Apostles' Creed

Prayer of the Church

Offertory

Lord's Prayer

Benediction

Sharing of the Peace

(Please be seated)

Closing Hymn "Step By Step"

Postlude "Lord, I Lift Your Name On High"

To God Be The Glory!

Calendar of Events

Monday, March 2nd

Pastor out of the office

Tuesday, March 3rd

9:00am.....Worship Committee

Wednesday, March 4th

11:00am.....Midweek Lent service

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

6:30pm.....F.I.R.E.

7:30pm.....Midweek Lent service

Thursday, March 5th

Friday, March 6th

8:30am.....Women's Bible study

1:00pm.....LifeLight

Saturday, March 7th

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

Sunday, March 8th

8:00am.....Communion Worship

9:15am.....Adult Bible study

9:15am.....Men's Bible study

9:15am.....Women's Bible study

9:15am.....F.I.R.E.

9:15am.....Sunday School

10:30am.....Communion Worship

Attendance Record 2/22-2/28

Sunday Early Service.....	52
Adult Bible Study.....	9
Sunday Late Service.....	84
Midweek Lent Service.....	32
School Of Religion.....	30
Confirmation.....	12
Midweek Lent Service.....	31

Serving in God's House

March 1st

Elder on duty

Organist K.C. Eckhardt

Audio Cathy Broz

Greeter Grant Pfanstiel

Greeter Charlene Pfanstiel

Usher Gene Meints

Lay Reader Harold Carlson

Acolyte Emmett Felcher

Acolyte

Powerpoint Cathy Broz

Late Service

Greeter Jane Schuster

Greeter Myra Tietz

Usher Gary Hunkins

Lay Reader

Acolyte Ellie Hartwell

Acolyte

Powerpoint Ben Schow

Live Stream Ryker Mooney

March 8th

Elder on duty

Organist K.C. Eckhardt

Audio Russ Ankersen

Greeter Deb Shields

Greeter

Usher Harold Carlson

Lay Reader Sue Ankersen

Acolyte Will Kunkee

Acolyte Hunter Kunkee

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

Late Service

Greeter Cindy Swanhorst

Greeter Curt Swanhorst

Usher Harold Carlson

Lay Reader Nick Nothnagel

Acolyte Raegan Kisker

Acolyte

Powerpoint Russ Ankersen

Live Stream Jackson Hartwell

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Worship Service Bulletin

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March 1, 2026

The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

*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.

Blessed Be Your Name

Blended Worship

Prelude *"I Could Sing Of Your Love Forever"*

Opening Hymn *"Sanctuary"*

(Please stand)

Invocation

Confession And Absolution

Introit *Psalm 105:4-7; antiphon: v. 8*

He remembers his covenant forever,

the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations.

Seek the LORD and his strength;

seek his presence continually!

Remember the wondrous works that he has done,

his miracles, and the judgments he uttered,

O offspring of Abraham, his servant,

children of Jacob, his chosen ones!

He is the LORD our God;

his judgments are in all the earth.

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.

He remembers his covenant forever,

the word that he commanded, for a thousand generations.

Collect Of The Day

(Please be seated)

First Reading *Genesis 12:1-9*

¹The LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. ²And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." ⁴So Abram went, as the LORD had told him, and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he departed from Haran. ⁵And Abram took Sarai his wife, and Lot his brother's son, and all their possessions that they had gathered, and the people that they had acquired in Haran, and they set out to go to the land of Canaan. When they came to the land of Canaan, ⁶Abram passed through the land to the place at Shechem, to the oak of Moreh. At that time the Canaanites were in the land. ⁷Then the LORD appeared to Abram and said, "To your offspring I will give this land." So he built there an altar to the LORD, who had appeared to him. ⁸From there he moved to the hill country on the east of Bethel and pitched his tent, with Bethel on the west and Ai on the east. And there he built an altar to the LORD and called upon the name of the LORD. ⁹And Abram journeyed on, still going toward the Negeb.

Epistle *Romans 4:1-8, 13-17*

¹What then shall we say was gained by Abraham, our forefather according to the flesh? ²For if Abraham was justified by works, he has something to boast about, but not before God. ³For what does the Scripture say? "Abraham believed God, and it was counted to him as

righteousness." ⁴"Now to the one who works, his wages are not counted as a gift but as his due. ⁵And to the one who does not work but trusts him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is counted as righteousness, ⁶just as David also speaks of the blessing of the one to whom God counts righteousness apart from works: ⁷"Blessed are those whose lawless deeds are forgiven, and whose sins are covered; ⁸blessed is the man against whom the Lord will not count his sin." . . . ¹³For the promise to Abraham and his offspring that he would be heir of the world did not come through the law but through the righteousness of faith. ¹⁴For if it is the adherents of the law who are to be the heirs, faith is null and the promise is void. ¹⁵For the law brings wrath, but where there is no law there is no transgression. ¹⁶That is why it depends on faith, in order that the promise may rest on grace and be guaranteed to all his offspring—not only to the adherent of the law but also to the one who shares the faith of Abraham, who is the father of us all, ¹⁷as it is written, "I have made you the father of many nations"—in the presence of the God in whom he believed, who gives life to the dead and calls into existence the things that do not exist.

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Holy Gospel *John 3:1-17*

¹Now there was a man of the Pharisees named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews. ²This man came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God, for no one can do these signs that you do unless God is with him." ³Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God." ⁴Nicodemus said to him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" ⁵Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. ⁶That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born again.' ⁸The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit." ⁹Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?" ¹⁰Jesus answered him, "Are you the teacher of Israel and yet you do not understand these things? ¹¹Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen, but you do not receive our testimony. ¹²If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things? ¹³No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man. ¹⁴And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up, ¹⁵that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. ¹⁶For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. ¹⁷For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him." raised from the dead."

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Children's Message

Hymn of the Day *"Blessed Be Your Name"*

Today's Message