

**This Week's Activities**

**MONDAY & TUESDAY:** Quilting 9:00 AM

**WEDNESDAY:** Endowment Meeting 8:30 AM

Confirmation Class 7:00 PM

Online Bible Study 8:00 PM

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Sunday School & Adult Bible Study 9:30 AM

Worship 10:45 AM

\*Please check Facebook and the PLC web-site for PLC news and announcements.

Hymns for Next Sunday: Stump the organist

\*For the month of **January:** Reader is Mark Heidrich. We need Ushers, Acolytes, and Greeters. The volunteer sign-up sheet for the New Year is on the table in the narthex by the white board. Please sign up!

**Announcements**

\* Our Annual Meeting is scheduled for next Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup>. Items of business include the yearly budget and the election of 3 new church council members. Pot Luck Meal to follow. The work lists for our meal are listed on the narthex bulletin board.

\*Please have your annual Reports in to the office ASAP. Those not yet received are: **Stewardship Report.**

\* **The PLCW is collecting cold weather items (hats, gloves, coats, blankets, warm sox, etc.) for two Bismarck ministries: Heaven's Helpers and Ministry on the Margins. Items can be placed on the table in the narthex. The drive will go through February 13th.**

\* Please pick up your offering envelopes for 2022 located in the narthex. All new attendees in the past year have been assigned a number. If there is not a book of envelopes for you and you would like one, please contact the secretary or Pastor Sean. **\*Also, please pick up your yearly statements for 2021.** You will find them in the narthex near the offering envelopes.

\*The Birthday shared meal has been rescheduled to February 13<sup>th</sup>. Sign-up sheet for decorating tables will be passed around in church.

***Last Sunday Attendance:*** 58

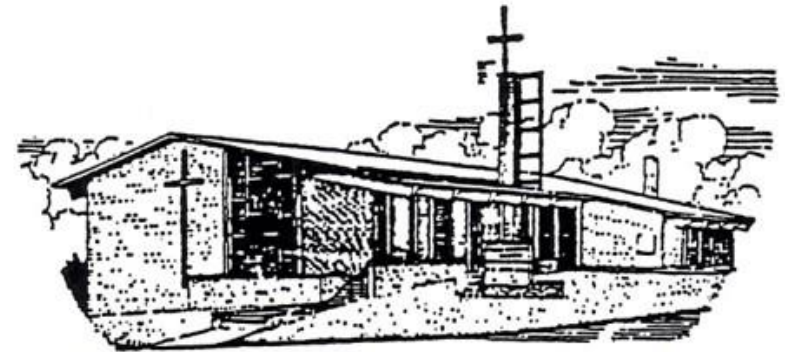
***Finances: Current:*** \$1,994.52; ***Mission:*** \$62; ***Building:*** \$128.

***Tithe.ly This Week:*** \$ 68.32

***Average Weekly Offerings for 2022,*** \$2663.

***WELCOME TO WORSHIP!***

Mission Statement: Welcome people in. Help them grow  
Send them out to care. Welcome → Grow → Care



***Peace Lutheran Church***

**January 23, 2022**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany**

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## Order of Service

A Pharisee comes to Jesus under cover of darkness, asking questions and seeking understanding. As Jesus explains his ministry, the Pharisee becomes more confused.

### Gathering

**Prelude: "Bless the Lord O My Soul"** (*Celebrate* #46)

Bells

Welcome and Announcements

Mission Selection

Psalm Reading: Psalm 139:1-18 (Overhead)

Order of Confession and Forgiveness (Overhead)

**Gathering Songs: "Come, Christians, Join to Sing"** (*Celebrate* #35)

Prayer of the Day: **God of all life, You gave us new life when we were reborn in the waters of baptism. Help us by your Spirit to live into that new life, refreshed and renewed for your work.**

**Amen.**

### Word

**Song: "Day by Day"** (*WoV* #746)

Children's Sermon

Second Reading: John 3:1-21 (pg. 906)

Sermon

### Response

**Song: "O Christ the Same"** (*WoV* #778)

Apostles Creed (Overhead)

Prayers of the Church/**Lord's Prayer**

### Sending

Benediction and Sending (Overhead)

**Closing Song: "Power of Your Love"** (*Celebrate* #165)

### In need of healing:

- Pastor Fred Henkelmann, Rob Nauert, Albert Masset, Lil Kunz, Mary O. Shope, Laurie Schafer, Vickie Toavs, Levi Gartner, Corriena Ann Gregg, Dennis Vernon, Bernice Kautz, Lisa Fisher, Hazel Jacob, Harper Anderson, Laurie Jonas, Terry Schafer, CJ Maier, Tammi Schuetz, Kelani Larson, Dale Winterberg, Sylvia Weisser, Connie Johnson, Daisha Quale, Edna Serr, Leola Dietz, Dennis Johnson, Mary Maier, and many others.

### Who are shut-in:

- Magdalena Bender, Bernice Kautz, Eva Heyne, Rebecca Bosch, Kenneth Schatz.

### Who are serving in the Military:

- Matthew Jasper, Brady Malmedal.

### Who celebrated their Baptism:

- Larry UMBER III, Libby Wohl.

### Who celebrated their Birthday:

- Duane Baer, Mitchell Forderer, Evelyn Petrick, Jill Huber, Aaron Stuckle, Jennifer Roemmich, ShayLee Bosch, Loretta Haas, Pastor Sean Barnhart (today!), Matthew Nieuwsma.

### Special Prayers:

- The Church Council: Wade Huber, Denise Martin, Edgar Ohlhauser, Lisa Hendrickson, Rachal Peterson, Mark Heidrich, Heather Rossow, Terry Serr and Lyle Wohl.
- Our mission of the month: **"Ronald McDonald House Charities of Bismarck"**.

\*This year during Lent, we will be having a book club featuring "Ragged" by Gretchen Ronnevik. Sign-up at the bulletin board to be included in the book order. Books will be ordered by Wednesday, Feb 9<sup>th</sup> and cost \$14.99 each. Book club discussion will take place weekly during Lent (day/time TBD).

### Daily Readings for the Week:

**Sunday:** John 3:1-21

**Monday:** John 3:22-30

**Wednesday:** John 3:31-36

**Friday:** Matthew 11:7-15

**Tuesday:** John 3:31-36

**Thursday:** Matthew 11:2-6

**Saturday:** Matthew 11:16-19