## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 6, 2025

## Sunday, April 6

11:30am - Life Ministry Team 6:00pm - Pickleball Open Play

## Monday, April 7

6:00pm - Crossfire Volleyball

7:00pm - Bells of Peace Rehearsal

7:00pm - Boy Scout Troop 584 Meeting

## Tuesday, April 8

POLLING SITE AT PEACE

9:00am - Quilters

6:00pm - Co-Ed Volleyball

7:00pm - Ladies Club

## Wednesday, April 9

11:00am - Organ Recital 11:30am - Lenten Worship

5:30pm - Confirmation Pictures

5:00pm - Lenten Dinner

6:30pm - Junior Confirmation Questioning

## Thursday, April 10

7:00am - Men's Morning Bible Study 9:00am - Mary/Martha Bible Study 9:00am - Surviving Spouses Breakfast

11:15am - Preschool Chapel

6:00pm - Crossfire Volleyball

7:00pm - Chancel Choir Rehearsal

# Saturday, April 12

10:00am - Easter Egg Hunt

# Sunday, April 13

PALM SUNDAY

1:00pm - Junior Confirmation Reception

2:30pm - Junior Confirmation Service 6:00pm - Pickleball Open Play

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**









The Rev. Dr. Jon Furgeson - 314.601.1039 | Rev. Robert Brown - 618.580.8817 Peace Lutheran Church | 737 Barracksview Road | 314.892.5610



# Peace Lutheran Church

THE WEEK OF APRIL 6, 2025

# **News and Notes**

## KFUO LIVE BROADCAST SPONSOR

Our 8:00 a.m. worship service this morning is live on KFUO AM 850. The broadcast is sponsored by Terry and Debby Hutton in memory of Harry and Novella Shreve.

## MARCH 29/30 ATTENDANCE

5:00 Service: 195 8:00 Service: 120 9:20 Service: 122 10:30 Service: 157 **Total Attendance:** 594

Sunday School: 68

Midweek 5: 11:30 Service: 32

6:30 Service: 98

Total Midweek Attendance: 130

# **LENTEN SERVICES**

Our Lenten journey continues this Wednesday with an Organ Recital at 11:00 a.m. featuring Rev. Arthur Eichhorn, retired pastor at St. Salvator, Venedy, IL. Worship service at 11:30 a.m. Lenten dinner at 5:00 p.m.

Junior Confirmation Questioning Service at 6:30 p.m.

# **ALTAR FLOWERS**

Flowers this week are from Steve and Linda
Kienstra in celebration of their 47th
Wedding Anniversary on April 8.

## **OUR SUPPORT**

Budget: 32,840.65 Adult Bible Class: 7.00 Help Offset Fees: 20.01

Alaska: 130.00 Altar Flowers: 50.00 Confirmation Fees: 56.00 Feed My People: 4.75

Green Park: 30.00

GP/LHSS Scholarship Fund: 83.45

Helping Hands: 25.00 Mary/Martha: 24.00

NYG: 4,131.00

Social Ministry: 135.27 St. Trinity Cemetery: 3,150.00

VBS: 72.28

Worship Expense: 28.00 Youth Budget: 135.00 In Loving Memory of:

Mark Mullen - 30 (Alaska)

Doris Woehr - 210 (Altar Linens/Banners); 35 (Concordia Student Scholarships)

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
REGISTRATION IS OPEN! We will be
going "True North" June 23-27 for
an adventure to discover that we
can trust Jesus in a wild world!
Watch the Peace Lutheran

newsletters and future News and Notes for more information about our VBS, but register your children now before it fills up!

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS** will be needed for our "True North" adventure this summer. Please go to the "Opportunities" tab on the Peace website. Opportunities for both adults and youth are available.

will be held on Sunday, May 18. A reception will be held during our fellowship hour, followed by a Retirement Blessing Send-off during the 10:30 a.m. service. If you would like to contribute towards a congregational monetary gift, please place your donation in the collection receptacle in the Commons beginning next weekend, April 12/13. Cash or checks accepted, with checks payable to Peace Lutheran Church. More details are in the April newsletter.

**WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY** will be taking a break during the Lenten season.

BUTTER BRAID FUNDRAISER FOR GREEN PARK is underway. A Butter Braid is a flaky, hand-braided pastry made with butter and often filled with fruit or cream cheese. Great for holidays, brunches or desserts when last minute guests come over! 40% of every item sold goes directly back to the school! Order

deadline is TOMORROW, Monday, April 7. Order pickup at Peace can be arranged with Gina Werkmeister (April 17 -20). Order by scanning this QR Code. Thank you!



**OUR WEDNESDAY MIDWEEK 11:30 LENTEN SERVICES AND 11:00 ORGAN RECITALS** are live on KFUO 850 AM each week during Lent.

- MEN'S MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets this Thursday morning, April 10, 7:00 a.m. in Sanctuary Hall.
- NYG "ENVELOPE" FUNDRAISER envelopes are due this weekend. If you need to turn it in later this week, please bring it to the church office. Thank you to all who supported our youth attending the National Youth Gathering this summer in New Orleans.

**LADIES CLUB 2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES** of \$12 are due now. If you're joining us for the first time, you can attend for two months before becoming a paying member.

LADIES CLUB APRIL ACTIVITY will be this Tuesday, April 8, 7:00 p.m. in Sanctuary Hall when our guest speaker Barb Kay will be portraying Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross. Barb is the lady who portrayed Katie Luther last year. You won't want to miss it! (Please note, the April 8 meeting is one week earlier than our normal meeting, due to Holy Week.)

▶THIS WEDNESDAY we will have an 11:30 a.m. service with an organ recital at 11:00 a.m. Lenten dinner will be at 5:00 p.m. with the LWML Ladies Club and Mary/Martha serving sloppy joes, sides, and desserts. Our evening service, the Junior Confirmation Questioning Service, will be held at 6:30 p.m.

**NEWS AND NOTES ARE ONLINE** If you ever forget to pick up your copy at church, the current News and Notes are on the Peace website. Click the button on the home page titled "This Week's News and Notes".

- **NEXT SUNDAY BEGINS HOLY WEEK** Please see the complete Holy Week service schedule on the back of this News and Notes.
- **LWML MITE COLLECTION** is next weekend at the Commons counter. Your 2024 donations brought in \$1,227.51 for Mission Grant Projects. Thank you so much! Drop off your mite box and pick up another one at the Commons Counter.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS Four weeks from today is the LWML Ladies Guild Kitchen Cutlery Sale. Come to the gym on May 4, 9:00 - 11:30 a.m. where Rada Cutlery will be available for purchase. All proceeds will benefit mission projects.

**LWML LADIES GUILD** will <u>not</u> have a monthly meeting in April. The next monthly meeting is Thursday, May 15.

PART-TIME HELP NEEDED AT GREEN PARK in the Childcare program. They are looking for Aftercare Employees who will work with JK-8th grade students after school hours. Qualifications: Loving and caring personality, willingness to share Christ with students. Interested candidates, please email April Baese, Director of Child Care, at april.baese@greenparklutheranschool.org

ATTENTION SUNDAY SCHOOL PARENTS On April 13, Palm Sunday, our Sunday School students, and their parents/guardians, will be meeting in the lower-level Sunday School area to participate in Christian fun and games. Plan on joining your children in the lower level at 9:15 a.m. instead of dropping them off in their classrooms. In addition, there will be a parade around the interior of the church building wherein the children will shout "Hosanna" and be given palms to wave, just like the people did upon Christ's entry into Jerusalem. More details will be emailed to you soon.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN FOR LUTHERAN SOUTH SUMMER CAMPS LuSo Summer Camp offers a variety of athletic and enrichment activities with morning and afternoon sessions available. Registration is now live! Your campers will have fun while learning a new skill. This year they are offering all-day performance and technical camps in their new theater! Participate in a month-long camp that culminates with a production of Schoolhouse Rock Live! Grades 4-8. Register for all camps at www.lslancers.org/summer.

▶ PEACE WILL BE A POLLING PLACE this Tuesday, April 8, from 6:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Please plan accordingly.

JUNIOR CONFIRMATION QUESTIONING for our 2025 Confirmands will be this Wednesday, April 9, at the 6:30 p.m. Lenten worship service. Congregation members, please join us and see God working through our youth as they anticipate their Confirmation next Sunday, April 13, at 2:30 p.m.

**NEW MEMBER CLASS BEGINS** on Sunday, April 27, in Sanctuary Hall at noon. Classes continue until early June. Lunch will be served each week. To sign up for the class, click on the "Opportunities" button at the top of the website. If you have any questions, contact the Church Office.

VOLUNTEERS <u>URGENTLY</u> NEEDED FOR THE EASTER EGG HUNT! In order to have our Easter Egg Hunt on April 12, we need adult volunteers. If you would like to help, please go to the "Opportunities" page on the website and sign up. You can choose where you would like to help. Our adults to help register families, lead the egg hunt, lead the craft, and oversee the cookie decorating. Questions? See Christina Stackle.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT next Saturday, April 12, 10:00 a.m. Children from infants to 3rd grade are invited for an egg hunt, games, crafts, and Holy Week devotions. Bring your own basket and come enjoy the fun! No registration required.

**SURVIVING SPOUSES BREAKFAST** is this Thursday, April 10, 9:00 a.m. at Denny's on Lindbergh.



OUR ANNUAL LIVING LAST SUPPER will be held on Maundy Thursday, April 17, 7:00 p.m. Come and see each disciple

"come to life" as they ask Jesus if they are the one who will betray him. Tickets are NOT required. Holy Communion will be celebrated.

▶Indicates a New or Updated Announcement this Week