

Next Sunday's Scripture: Jeremiah 33:14 – 16 (793); 1 Thessalonians 3:9 – 13 (1187); Luke 21:25 – 36 (1056)



November 24, 2024
9:00 a.m.

SERVING	This Sunday	T-giving Eve Worship Nov 27 @ 7pm	Next Sunday
Accompanist	JoAnn Deveny	JoAnn Deveny	JoAnn Deveny
Acolyte	Barrett R; Logan M; Oliver B	N/A	Addison W; Sawyer S; Wyatt S
Special Music	Youth	Adult Choir	Addison Johnsrud
JAM Session	Heather Heun	N/A	Becky Forland
Reader	Victoria S & Westin R	N/A	Colette Thorson
Ushers	Sprengers & Wendlands	K. Schroeders & T. Dressels	Griebels & Beulkes
Communion/MB	N/A	N/A	Bill H & Jon P
Slide Presenter	RaKel Schroeder	Sawyer Schmidt	Tracy Hulley
Sound System	Jim Grosshuesch	Jim Grosshuesch	Thomas Nickleby
Recorder	Paschkes	Amelia Schmidt	Colton Lange
Greeters	McGowans	Petersons	Seals
Peace Café	Lommels and Mays	Hospitality	Meuleners & Sandquists
Altar Care	Cathy R & Wendy F	N/A	Brian & Wendy E; Lexi D

Ministry Board Serving Today: Cathy Rieckenberg and Bill Helfritz

Family Room & Busy Bags – There is a Family/Calming area in the Fellowship Hall with activities for children. Busy bags are available at the sanctuary doors. Please place them in the basket after worship.

Assistive Listening – Williams Sound Assistive Listening System and T-Coil devices are available at the Tech Booth in the back of the sanctuary. Let us know how they sound so we can adjust the system for the best sound.

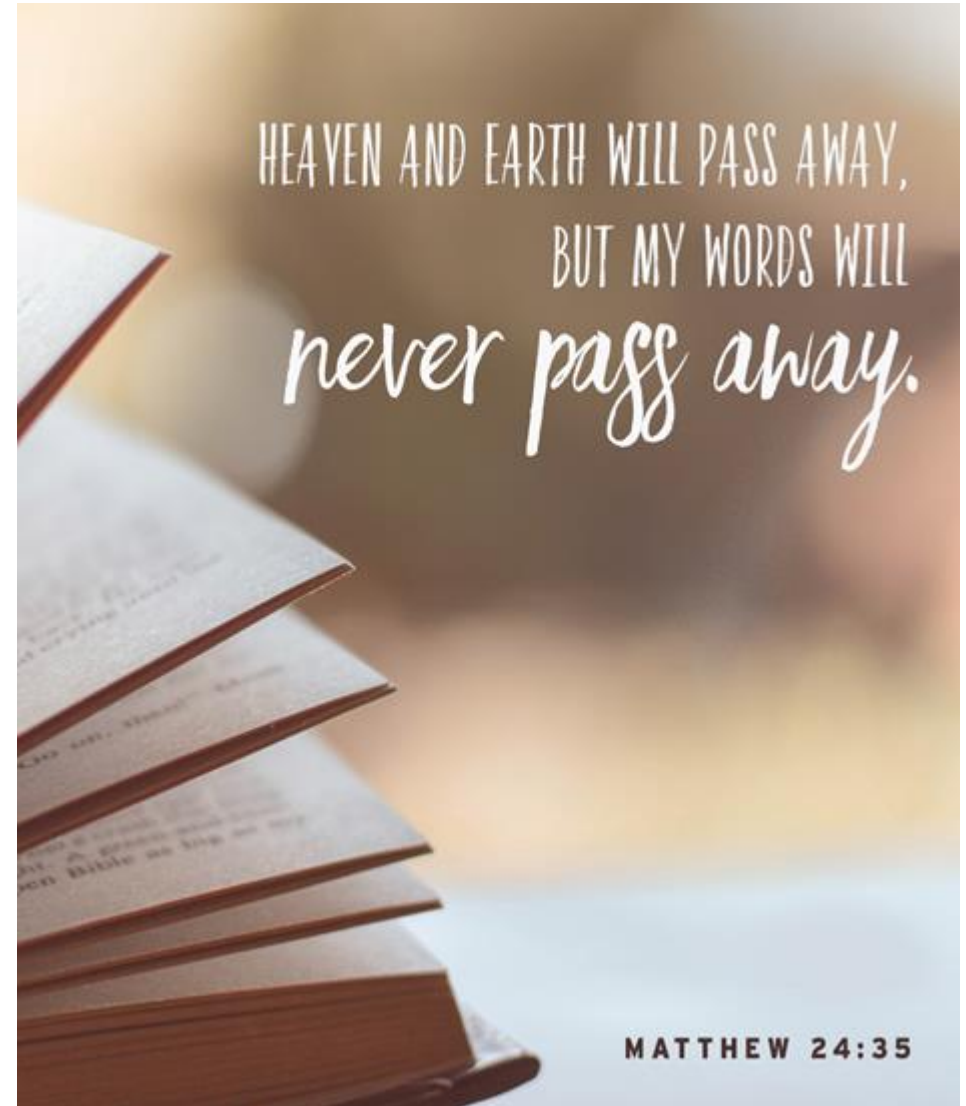
If you need to reach Pastor David, please call him at (612) 210-3017 or e-mail him at pastor@come2peace.com.

Peace Offering: Sunday, Nov 10: Received \$16,163 | Attendance: 218
Sunday, Nov 17: Received \$3,103 | Attendance: 221

Capital Campaign Envelopes are available in the chair backs. You can also request a pack of them by contacting Sue at 763-442-1703 or Sue.Beulke@gmail.com

Ways to Give

			
IN-PERSON Offering gifts are received during worship	ONLINE come2peace.com/giving 	TEXT any amount to 952-900-7789	MAIL Peace Lutheran Church PO Box 817 Watertown, MN 55388



Thank you for your generous gifts to the ministry of this congregation, your continued gifts allow us to see a positive and bright future.

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Christ the King Sunday

Praise Prelude	“Always be a Child”	Praise Band
Welcome		
Call to Worship	“Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”	LBW #407
Worship Prayer/Sharing the Peace		
Holy Baptism	Madelyn Rose Kasprick Born: September 28, 2024 Daughter of Rachel & Cody Kasprick Baptismal Sponsors: Kaylee Bunne and Jordan Rosedahl	
Apostle’s Creed		
Baptismal Song	“Jesus Loves Me”	
Confession and Forgiveness		
J.A.M. (Jesus and Me)		Heather Heun
Scripture	Isaiah 51:4 – 6 (733) Revelation 1:4b – 8 (1236)	Victoria Sprenger Westin Raser
Gospel	Mark 13:24 – 37 (1018)	Pastor David Hanson
	Pastor: The Gospel of Our Lord! People: Thanks be to God!	
Sermon	“End of the World – Part 2”	Pastor David Hanson
Sermon Song	“Praise and Thanksgiving”	LBW #409
Blessing of Operation Christmas Child Boxes		
Faith Sharing	“Yay God”	
Offering		
Special Music	“Thank You Lord”	Youth
Offering Response	“Create in Me a Clean Heart O Lord”	LBW page 75
Prayer of the Church		
The Lord’s Prayer		
Blessing and Benediction		
Closing Song	“Let All Things Now Living”	LBW #557
Sending	Pastor: Go in Peace. Serve the Lord!! ALL: We will!!	
Praise Postlude	“You are My King (Amazing Love)”	Praise Band

WELCOME GUESTS! May the Holy Spirit bless your worship so you can leave with peace and hope in your heart, ready to follow Jesus. You are always welcome here at Peace! Please leave your name in our guest book by the front door or share your contact information on the “Let’s Get Acquainted” Card in the pew. Blessings!

WE PRAY FOR COMFORT & HEALING FOR

Our church family: **Greg Tesch; Hailey Sinnen; Paul Nesvold; Tom Mittelstaedt; Glenn Johnson; Judy Jacobson; Jennifer Hoese-Kielbasa; Mary Anne Hoese; Stu Foster; Robert Dean; Renata Dahl; Bob & Jan Carlson; Grace Carlin; Jeremy Baumann; Steve Rome**

Our friends and family: **Brian Juncewski; Shirley Klitzke** (*Julie Berrios’ mom*); **Cory Leston** (*Robert Lotito’s sister*); **Kate Lynne** (*Barfnechts’ friend*); **Eric Meyer** (*Pastor David’s friend*); **Terri Olson** (*Ely’s friend*); **Ken Schmidt** (*Tory’s dad*); **Dawson Semolina** (*Jobes’ nephew*); **Cammy Stucchi; Jill Swing** (*Jackie Cramb’s sister*); **Bob Witt** (*Billie’s step-dad*); **Ken Wyatt** (*Barfnechts’ friend*); **Vikki** (*Marla Erickson’s friend*); **Chuck Venske; Carole Berg** (*Charlotte Helfritz’s sister*); **Dan Bird** (*Laurie Langner’s brother*); **Jim Dye** (*Edie’s friend*); **Doug Feltmann** (*Jamie’s dad*); **Steve Gravelle** (*Karen Dressel’s friend*); **Phil Hayes** (*Zachary Potter’s Godfather*); **Phyllis Healy** (*Marla’s stepmom*); **Tatum Heitz** (*Rieckenberg’s great-granddaughter*); **Betty Heun** (*Tim’s mom*); **Pat Hunter** (*Robert Lotito’s mom*); **Marc Fontaine** (*Cindy Juncewski’s friend*)

Our community: **LCMC & Augustana District churches; Love INC; those serving in the military; law enforcement, first responders & frontline workers who serve and protect our community; and area churches’ ministries.**

Each week we will pray for LCMC churches. Join us by continuing to pray for these churches during the week:

- St. Peter’s Lutheran Church - Sanborn, NY
- Tahoma Lutheran - Maple Valley, WA

Submit prayer requests using the “How Can We Pray for You?” card (back of “Let’s Get Acquainted”) or at www.come2peace.com/prayer.

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God by the Kasprick family in honor of Madelyn Kasprick’s baptism.

Information on how to provide flowers for the altar is located on the announcement board by Mark’s office.

Mission Opportunities

donations can be placed in the Missions' stack by the youth room

FOOD SHELF DONATION

Sunday, Nov 24th

Consider helping by donating non-perishable food items or making a monetary donation. Checks/envelopes made out to "FFL Food Shelf." & placed in offering.

MITTENS OF HOPE

Pick a mitten Nov 24-Dec 1
Return gifts by Dec 8

Peace Lutheran is participating with Watertown-Mayer School in the Mittens of Hope program. This program enables us to reach out to children in our community (on a confidential basis) during the Christmas season by sharing gifts with which we have been so abundantly blessed. Check out the Mittens of Hope tree to select a child to shop for this Christmas Season.

ROYALS ROOM

The Royals Room is a food & supplies pantry that supports Watertown-Mayer students.

Current need is healthy snacks. To make it easy, follow the QR code for their Amazon Wish List.



POP TABS

We're collecting **POP TABS** to support Ronald McDonald House Minneapolis Children's Hospital. Tabs can come from soda cans, energy drinks, soup cans or anything with a metallic tab.



Community Events

MARY, AN ADVENT BY CANDLELIGHT

December 1st | 2pm
Zion Lutheran in Mayer

All women, of any age, are welcome to join us for *Reflections of Mary*, an Advent by Candlelight. Wendysue, as Mary, brings us back in time with a dramatic re-telling of Jesus' life. Scripture, monologues, and music will help us ponder, participate, and prepare for His coming. Doors open at 1:30 with refreshments to follow.

CELEBRATE HIS HARVEST

December 6
5pm Social Time | 6:30pm Dinner
Mayer Lutheran Field House

Celebrate His Harvest is an evening to socialize, enjoy games, bid on silent auction items, and celebrate all the Lord has done for this marvelous school! Proceeds support Mayer Lutheran's Student Scholarship Fund. **Visit Mayerlutheran.org (community tab) for tickets.**

"JULEBORD DINNER"

Saturday, December 7 | 2-6pm
Lyndale Lutheran in Maple Plain
(763) 479-1719

Includes Lutefisk, meatballs, lefse, roasted potatoes, herring, rolls, pickled beets, fresh rutabaga, lingonberry sauce, Krankakka and more!! Musical entertainment
Singleton Street 3:00 pm – 5:30 pm.
Reservations at (763)479-1719 or lyndalelutheran@frontiernet.net.

NIKOLAUSABEND

Sunday, December 8 | 4:30-6:30 pm
St. Peter's Lutheran Church
www.stpeterlc.org

German buffet, activities, crafts & games for kids. Pre-order by December 5 to help plan. Free will donation-new toys, gift cards or monetary donation per person.

weekly ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, November 25

6:30AM – Men's Coffee
8:00AM – Church Cleaning Crew
6:30PM – Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, November 26

6:30AM – Men's Coffee
9:00AM – Story Time

Wednesday, November 27

6:30AM – Men's Coffee
7:00PM – Community Thanksgiving
Worship

Thursday, November 28

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

Happy
THANKSGIVING.

Friday, November 29

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
6:30AM – Men's Coffee

Saturday, November 30

6:30AM – Men's Coffee

Sunday, December 1

9:00AM – Worship
10:00AM – Fellowship
10:15AM – Christmas Parent
Connection - Wreath Project
3:00 PM – Grief Support Group

*Activities @ Peace unless
otherwise noted*

Community
Thanksgiving
Worship
pie & beverages to follow

Let's give
thanks together!

Wednesday, Nov 27 @ 7pm
Peace Lutheran Church

Thanksgiving offering to Love INC
and Gather & Grow Food Shelf

Upcoming Events

Outreach MT Mtg – Dec 2 @ 6:00PM
 Storytime – Dec 3 @ 9:00AM
 Choir Rehearsal – Dec 4 @ 5:00PM
 Confirmation – Dec 4 @ 6:20PM
 HS Youth Group – Dec 4 @ 6:20PM

Bazaar & Cookie Walk – Dec 7
 Love INC Donation Sunday – Dec 8
 New Member Sunday – Dec 8
 Parent Connection – Dec 8 @ 10:15AM
 Xmas Program Prac – Dec 8 @ 10:15AM
 Grief Support Group – Dec 8 @ 3PM

Email new & updated meetings or events to office@come2peace.com



Join us for
Youth Friendsgiving
 Sunday, Nov 24
 6-8 pm
Johnsruds Shed
 3250 County Road N, Watertown

Friends are welcome.
 This is a potluck so bring a dish to share
 (doesn't need to be a Thanksgiving type food)

Follow the QR Code to RSVP → 

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP



Sunday, Nov 24 | 3 - 5 pm

A free *Survival Guide* will be available



More info / register:
come2peace.com/grief or
 call (952) 955-3434

The holidays can be an especially difficult time for those grieving the loss of a loved one. Join us for *Surviving the Holidays* grief support group designed to focus on dealing with grief during the holidays.



CHOIR REHEARSAL

Monday, Nov 25 | 6:30PM (*this is for the community choir for Thanksgiving worship*)
 Wednesdays, Dec 4, 11 & 18 @ 5 pm

New voices welcome. Questions?
 Contact Marla 763-331-2525

NEW TO PEACE?

Join us for *Coffee, Cake & Conversation*, Nov 24 | 10:15
 New Member Sunday, Dec 8

Coffee, Cake & Conversation is a great chance for you to hear the history, vision & more of Peace Lutheran and for us to get to know you & what you're looking for in a church family. We will meet at Pastor David's house following worship—936 Deerfield Rd, Watertown.



Saturday, Dec 7 ❄️ 9 am - 2 pm

COOKIE WALK DONATIONS

We're looking for donations of 9-12 dozen cookies and/or baked goods (breads of all kinds, pies, candy, jams & jellies, etc.) Bring cookies & baked



goods, with an info label, to church the afternoon or early evening of Friday, Dec 6th. Sign up in the commons.



Children's Christmas Program

a *Perfectly Imperfect*

way to tell the *Christmas Story*
 Sunday, Dec 15th @ 9:00 a.m.

"Happy Birthday Jesus"
 Celebration to Follow



Christmas Parent Connection

An informal gathering for parents of children 5th grade and younger

This advent season, join us as we gather on Sunday mornings at 10:15 to share some easy ways to prepare our hearts and make room for Jesus in our family celebrations. We'll meet while the children are practicing for the Christmas program.

Celebrating Advent

Sunday, Nov 24 following worship
 Preschool Room

We will focus on the weeks leading up to Christmas as we share ideas to prepare our hearts for Jesus coming.

Includes an advent devotional for kids.

Family Craft Activity

Sunday, Dec 1 following worship
 Youth Room

Families will make an advent wreath together to take home. (No regular Sunday school this Sunday). **Help us plan for by signing up the in Commons or following the QR code.**



Celebrating Christmas

Sunday, Dec 8 following worship
 Preschool Room

We will focus on the Christmas holiday itself as we share ideas to make room for Jesus in our holiday traditions.

Advent Giving Calendar

FOOD DRIVE

Bring your box on or before
Christmas Eve & we'll deliver it to
Watertown Food Shelf.

Week 1

- Dec 1 - stuffing mix
- Dec 2 - boxed potatoes
- Dec 3 - seasoned rice packages
- Dec 4 - package of pasta
- Dec 5 - spaghetti sauce
- Dec 6 - package of rice
- Dec 7 - macaroni and cheese

Week 2

- Dec 8 - canned mixed vegetables
- Dec 9 - canned carrots
- Dec 10 - canned green beans
- Dec 11 - canned corn
- Dec 12 - canned sweet potatoes
- Dec 13 - peanut butter
- Dec 14 - canned tomatoes

Week 3

- Dec 15 - chicken noodle soup
- Dec 16 - canned tune or chicken
- Dec 17 - canned beef stew
- Dec 18 - box of crackers
- Dec 19 - package of oatmeal
- Dec 20 - canned peaches
- Dec 21 - canned pears

Week 4

- Dec 22 - box of cereal
- Dec 23 - pancake mix
- Dec 24 - tomato soup



Food Shelf Hours

Mondays • 4-7 pm
Tuesdays • 9 am-Noon
Fridays • 9 am-Noon

Address/Contact

309 Lewis Ave S (PO Box 824)
Watertown, MN 55388
952-955-1980
gatherandgrowmn.org/watertown/

Other Ways to Give

We'll also collect monetary donations. Make checks payable to "Gather & Grow Watertown" or money in a sealed enveloped with "Gather & Grow Watertown" written on the outside. You can also follow the QR code and make a donation online.

Monetary donations are used to purchase meat, milk, eggs, cheese and groceries purchased through local markets & food banks.



Since 1988, Watertown Food Shelf has been sustained by individuals, churches, businesses, civic groups, employer matches & corporations in and around Carver County. The City of Watertown provides space in the City Hall building.