PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH 1900 E. Lincoln Hwy. P.O. Box 205, New Lenox, IL 60451 815-485-5327; www.peacenewlenox.org; e-mail: peacechurch@peacenewlenox.org June 2 & June 3, 2018 Dave Hedlin, Pastor Shari Trotter, Diaconal Minister

Our Vision Statement: Sharing Peace Faithfully Our Mission: To bring people into contact with the Gospel, and help them grow in their relationship to God in Christ.

WELCOME TO PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH & OUR WORSHIP SERVICE! We are glad that you are here! We pray that you will be drawn closer to the living, forgiving God who has come to meet us. Please come again. TODAY'S ASSISTING MINISTERS

Accompanist/Organist Todd Yetman Substitute Accompanist/Organist (8:30) Erica Desaulniers Children's Choir Director Leslie Walton Adult Choir Director Pamela Putrich Bell Choir Director **Erica** Desaulniers Director of Ladies Ensemble Pamela Putrich Sound Engineer Ted Chubb Lay Liturgist (5:00) Tammy Dunn Lay Liturgist (8:30) Debbie Goebig Lay Liturgist (11:00) Syndy Lindbloom Lesson Reader (5:00) Scott Medows Lesson Reader (8:30) Joel Peterson Lesson Reader (11:00) Georgia Piech-Pander Acolyte (8:30) Ani Grothe Nursery (ages 0-5)(5:00) Alexis Arthur Nursery (ages 0-5)(8:30) Amanda Villalobos Nursery (ages 0-5)(11:00) Grace Liszkiewicz Communion Servers (11:00) Deb & Jeff Howell, Mike Svancarek Vivian Farbak, Pam Vanick, Sarah Walton Bread Provider (11:00) Jodi Brtva Ushers (5:00) Jake & Bill Dudeck Ushers (8:30) Jasen Howard, Alec Boyens, Tyler Hanson, David I. Johnson Tori & Jason Entwistle, Jim Elkow, Patricia Olofsson-Elkow Ushers (11:00) Greeters (5:00) Dave & Lori Woodburn Greeters (8:30) Jason & Cindy Villalobos Georgia Piech-Pander Greeters (11:00) Refreshments (5:00) Julie Mathews Refreshments (8:30) Cathy Arenz, Eddie & Jennifer Barker, Ricky Wesel **Offering Counters** Aidan Soldan The altar flowers are given by Carl and Eva Trippett in celebration of their

grandson, Patrick Andrew Godfrey's baptism; also given by Glenn and Pat Vanderwall.

WE APPRECIATE your wearing name tags, turning off cell phones, and using a quiet voice for conversations once the prelude begins before worship.

WELCOME PADS

It helps us when you sign the red welcoming pads and give us your last name.

HEARING ASSISTANCE & LARGE PRINT HYMNAL AVAILABLE We are happy to offer a large print hymnal for visual assistance, as well as wireless receivers to assist anyone with a hearing impairment. Please ask an usher for either or both.

GLUTEN FREE COMMUNION WAFERS & OTHER ASSISTANCE

If you would like a gluten free cracker instead of a wafer or bread, or if you have difficulty picking up an individual communion cup, please just ask your server to assist you. Also, if you are not able to come forward for communion, let an usher know and we will come to you.

NEXT WEEKEND we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion at the 5:00 p.m. Saturday and the 8:30 a.m. Sunday worship services.

Saturday Evening Worship	5:00 p.m.
Education Hour	
Sunday Worship	8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

THIS WEEK AND BEYOND
June 2 & 3 - Recognition of Graduates
June 3 - Education Hour 9:55 a.m - *Good Stewardship Will Make You Rich* (money is optional)
Adult Choir "On Tour" at Santa Cruz/First Lutheran Church 9:00 a.m.
June 4 - Ruth Circle Quilters Potluck 9:00 a.m.
June 5 - Addiction & Family Support Group 7:00 p.m.
Committee Chairs 7:30
June 6 - Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
June 8 - National Youth Gathering Ropes Course 8:00 a.m.
June 10 - Special Congregational Meeting 9:35 a.m.
Education Hour 9:55 a.m - (After special congregation meeting) - "I Saw It on the Internet, So It Must Be True???"
Blood Pressure Screenings 9:45 a.m.

National Youth Gathering Meeting 9:45 a.m.

Peace Buddies 12:00 p.m.

Peace 360 - 4:00 p.m.

Outdoor Worship & Potluck 6:00 p.m.

June 12 - Addiction and Family Support Group 7:00 p.m. Alzheimer's Support Group 7:00 p.m.

June 13 - Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

Prayer Shawl Ministry 6:00 p.m.

Faith Discussion Group at Jan Stoller's home 7:00 p.m.

- June 15 Scrapbooking 7:00 p.m.
- June 16 Blood Drive 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

June 17 - Father's Day - <u>No</u> Education Hour Strawberries, Cake & Ice Cream Event 9:45 a.m. Ping Pong Group 6:00 p.m.

ADULT CLASS WELCOMES YOU

Our weekly **adult class** usually meets in the back of the sanctuary, starting about 9:55 a.m. Each week there is a different topic.

This week: June 3 - *Good Stewardship Will Make You Rich (money is optional)* **Next week: June 10** - (*After special congregation meeting*) - "I Saw It on the Internet, So It Must Be True???"

June 17 - No class - Father's Day ice cream event

June 24 - *Is God Male or Female or Neither or Both?* A look at how references about God have changed and stayed the same - and to ask what difference does it make?

July 1 - *Billy Graham* - *Impact on Christianity Today* We'll look at the man, but also how his theology can be a plus and/or a minus in your life.

July 8 - *Report on the National Youth Gathering* Those who attended the event in Houston will be invited to lead us in sharing their experiences!

July 15 & 22 - *Grace as Viewed through the Twenty-Third Psalm*. Jan Stoller will lead this two-part discussion. This familiar psalm written from the point of view of a shepherd, teaches much about our trust in God and how it can be used in our everyday life. Please join us for one or both sessions.

July 29 - Is There a Hell? And If So, Who's Going?

Aug. 5 - *Women in Ministry* led by Christina Montgomery

RUTH CIRCLE - QUILTERS - JUNE 4 - POTLUCK

June 4 will be the final regular quilting meeting until Fall and we will also enjoy a potluck luncheon. Please bring a dish to share. If you have questions, call Karen Dircks (815) 462-9527 or Syndy Lindbloom at (708) 479-7338.

ONCE A MONTH EVENING BIBLE STUDY - JULY 17

We will <u>not</u> meet in June. We will resume meeting on July 17 at 7:15 p.m. You don't need to know anything about the Bible to benefit. We do need to have a few more people come regularly for this class to continue. (If you'd like a reminder that week, let us know and we'll do that.)

PEACE PAGE TURNERS - JUNE 24

Peace Page Turners next will be discussing *Last Bus to Wisdom* by Ivan Doig. Join us for the discussion, even if you haven't read the book. We meet at 9:45 a.m. and all are welcome. If you have questions, please contact Kathy Davenport (815) 545-2806.

TRAILBLAZERS - JUNE 19

Our next meeting will be our usual luncheon on Tuesday, June 19 at noon here at church. The menu will be a potato bar (toppings will be provided.... plus what you bring that you'd enjoy sharing with the group - salad or dessert). Also there will be game(s) and prizes! If you have any questions, please contact the church office. Invite a friend!

KIDS IN WORSHIP THIS SUMMER - Children learn about priorities from their parents. If you consistently make worship attendance optional for the whole family, what message do you give?

PRAYER LIST

If your prayer request is for yourself or you have the other person's permission, you may be specific [for example, skin cancer]. For anyone, you may be more general [for example, "a decision to be made," or "health"]. We will keep people on the pray-for list for 60 days unless you tell us otherwise.

Eileen (health), the family of Judy Hartmann, the family of Ed Horsley, Baby Sawyer (premature), Joanna Galassi, Mike, Fred, Lana, Halley, Nolan, Greg, Robin, Amber (safe travels), Randy Kooi (tests), Steve (liver cancer), Bill Weber, Ron Fullriede (recovery), Kelly Muehlnickel, Amanda Muehlnickel, Jan Wolske, Karin Knutson, Danny Krzak (employment search), Jim Pander (recovery), Christina Montgomery, Daniel Obuchina (cancer), Siri Moss, Denise Jones, George Huffman, Cathy Rumbaugh, Jonah Huelhorst, Danielle Steinwart, Cathy Richardson, Kristie Paprocki, Rich Rosen, Mike & Judy Williams, Chuck Olson, Georgia Piech-Pander, Eric Bartels, Carol Tatro, Marie (depression), Joyce Smith, Bev Kuzdas, Ray and Edna Anglin, Wayne Bell, Barb Chobot...

Lorraine Dohrn, Carol & Rich Esposito, Liz Rogde, Jean Knoll, Melody & Brandon, Liz, Jean Britton, Carol Trosen, Sandy, Stephanie Harkins (brain cancer). Caleb Swank (health issues). C. Baungarten (health issues). Katie Ruanne (surgery), Kayla (13, with leukemia), Čathy Tague (lymphoma), Jack Hatzhold & family, Aubrie Poshard (recovery), Joyce, Tyler, Ashley Mika, Kurt (decisions), Don (better chemo treatment), Claudie Shehorn, Monica, Barry, Junior, Preston Klug, Frank & Heather, Marissa, Lt. Col. Jonathan Genge, Stefanie Bonomo, Edwina Wilber, Donna L., the Neff family (loss), George G. (life choices), Hildegard Hanson (tests), Sandra O'Shaughnessy (liver transplant), Andrew (life choices), Marijo (treatment), Judy (Marijo's mom-comfort), Alan Booton, Brock Johnson (recovery), Sandy Robertson, Erv & Mary Pander, Carol Bentley, Ron N., Deryl & Jim Hunt (strength), Bill Reidy (cancer), Mary Hand (family strength & healing), the Austin family (strength & healing), Brena V. and family (strength & healing), Dan T. & family (strength & healing), Carol Bafundo, Georgianna Bafundo (health & wellness), Jeffrey (strength & addiction), Carol Hambrick (Alzheimer's), the Potter family, Brandon McSheffery (cancer), Jarrett Vann, Ernie Bergmark.

STRAWBERRIES, CAKE & ICE CREAM - JUNE 17

You'll want to come (or stay) on June 17, at 9:45 a.m. - for our twelfth annual, strawberries-cake-other toppings & ice cream social in Fellowship Hall. Please let us know if you'll be coming (and/or if you'd provide a cake) by calling the church office or using the sign-up slip. The previous eleven years were delicious successes! (And it is a fun way for us to honor Father's Day too.)

RECYCLING ITEMS

The following items can be dropped off in the basket in the narthex: DVD players, Game Boys, digital cameras, laptops, tablets, cell phones & most printer cartridges (including Epson), chargers and cables.

BUILDING ASSETS IN OUR YOUTH AND COMMUNITY The asset that we're focusing on this month is **Youth Programs.** Some things we can do in at home are: 1) Talk with your children about their interests. 2) Become an adult leader at your child's school or community or religious organization. 3) Actively support organizations and groups that support youth.

This week's idea of the week is evaluate how you spend your time. Last week's was encourage kids to talk about their hopes and dreams.

EVERYBODY READ

Our desire to have people read a common Bible passage is part of our Book of Faith effort. Each month we'll pick a passage, invite everyone to read it sometime that month, and then those who are willing, write down a sentence or two (or more if you'd like) about what you got out of the passage. June's passage is: *Jeremiah 24:3-7*

LAST WEEK our congregation shared offerings in the amount of \$7,780.00 at worship plus another \$2080.00 electronically, and a total attendance in worship of 357. Thank you for all the ministries you enable!

BECAUSE OF YOU AND YOUR GIFTS

Khim and her husband, Chab, are farmers in Kos Run, Cambodia. When they joined a local cooperative led by Life With Dignity, an ELCA World Hungersupported partner, Khim applied for a microloan to start a small business. With her background in farming, Khim already knew how to grow cucumbers and other vegetables. She just never had the savings or access to credit she needed to expand her farm. With a small loan, Khim invested in a small plot of land - about 100 feet by 150 feet - and started planting. It didn't take long before Khim's small business was profitable. "I've increased my production because there's such a big demand," she says. "People come to buy their vegetables from me every day." Khim and her husband used the profits from vegetable sales to enroll their two children in school and cover the costs of books and school supplies. After repaying their loan, which will help other women in the cooperative, Khim started her own savings fund - and sometimes digs deep to help others in need. "Now I can use my own money to help members of the community," she says.

DO YOU CARE ABOUT THE ENVIRONMENT?

We are forming a new group, Waste-Watchers, to focus on finding additional ways to reduce our carbon-imprint here at church. Use the sign-up to let us know if you're interested in joining us.

GOLDEN OPPORTUNITIES BOOKS - NOW \$15

The price for the Golden Opportunity books has been discounted to \$15. (A portion of that goes to youth-related ministries.) They're still filled with savings coupons (through Oct. 1) for many places, from food to entertainment to carwashes. Look for the display on the entrance area counter.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

Our amazing Vacation Bible School planning crew is creating another outstanding opportunity for kids (and volunteers) to grow closer to God. The dates will be July 31 - Aug. 3. Our theme is *"Finding God's Treasures."* With an exploring theme, we will draw on some great Bible stories to make our VBS as fun and attractive as ever. The next VBS planning meeting will be <u>June 26</u> at 9:00 a.m. If you'd like to help in any way (including planning), please let us know in the office. Registration forms are in the rack on the narthex counter and on-line.

PLASTIC JARS NEEDED FOR VBS

VBS is in need of clean plastic jars with lids (mayonnaise, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter, small Gatorade bottles, etc.) for a craft project. If you have any, please put them in the box in the Narthex. Thank you!

FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP - JUNE 13

Our small group meets on Thursdays at 7:00 p.m. We will discuss various topics, usually centered around a book, to deepen our faith and build relationships within the group. We welcome anyone to join - men and women of all ages - you do not have to attend all of the meetings! The next is on June 13 at 7:00 p.m. at Janet Stoller's home. If interested, please email her at jlstoller2000@yahoo.com. P.S. we have great snacks!

CARE PACKAGES FOR SOLDIERS - JUNE 10

The National Youth Gathering group and Peace 360 group are teaming up to make care packages to send to the soldiers. If you would like to donate items listed below, please place them in the box in the Narthex by June 10. Soldiers like to receive: chapstick, sun screen, body wash, shampoo, aloe vera, razors, tissues/wipes (individually packed), tooth brush/paste, floss, nuts, protein bars, non-chocolate candy, beef jerky, tuna, any drink mix, coffee, powdered creamer, notebooks, pens, pencils, note cards, crosswords, and puzzles.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - JUNE 13

Come and prepare shawls for people who need to be wrapped in God's love. We meet on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. every other week. Our next meeting is June 13. Bring yarn, hooks/needles and patterns or we can provide these for you (also, help if you want to learn). Questions, contact Cheryl Gamen at (815) 462-3089. To date we have created 183 prayer shawls and given away 120!

PRAYER SHAWLS TO BE GIVEN AWAY

Do you know someone in need of being wrapped in prayer? Someone who would benefit from knowing that they are being prayed for? Our Prayer Shawl Ministry will create a prayer shawl for that person. Please put your requests in the box on the narthex counter. We will contact you when your shawl is ready.

Youth Ministry

PEACE 360 HS YOUTH GROUP

Have you ever wished that there was a place that you could hang with your friends (from church and elsewhere)? A place that is fun, interesting, and (sometimes) crazy? We have that place for you... Peace 360! We truly hope that you will mark off this time for us - and for you! Whenever you can be here, you'll be a welcome addition! Peace 360 meets from 4 -7 p.m.

Peace 360 Meetings - Summer meetings will be twice a month.

June 10 - Service project (with National Youth Gathering participants) for the troops, outdoor worship and potluck dinner June 24 - Pool Party at the Klock's July- 15 & 29- TBD

THE HOPE FUND

If your child(ren) would like to participate in a youth event but the cost is keeping him/her/them from joining us, funds are available to help. The Hope Fund was established through a generous donation of a Peace Lutheran Church family to enable a member(s) of our congregation to participate in church youth activities. Just let Deacon Shari or Pastor Dave know - no one else will know.

SUMMER CAMPS

Lutheran Outdoor Ministries Center's 2018 activities brochure (at <u>www.lomc.org</u>) is now available. You can also check out brochures from Lutherdale in Wisconsin (<u>www.lutherdale.org</u>) and Camp Manitoqua in Frankfort (<u>www.manitoqua.org</u>) on the counter.

PEACE BUDDIES - JUNE 10

Peace Buddies is a special needs group for high school age or older. New Buddies are always welcome! You do not have to be part of any church to join. If you know of someone, please invite them to come. Our next meeting will be June 10 and it will be a farewell party for Katie Sicinski . This will be our last meeting for the summer. We will resume meeting in the Fall. Any questions, please see Pastor Dave or call Emilie at (815) 529-7546.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS - JUNE 10

Our next monthly screening date is June 10, between the two services. Your pressure is measured by health care professionals and kept strictly confidential. If you have any questions, or have clinical experience in taking blood pressures and would like to help, please contact Marylynn Tyler at 815-423-6407.

PING PONG CLUB INVITES YOU TO JOIN - JUNE 17

The ping pong club at church meets regularly on the third Sunday of the month at 6:00 p.m. We have two tables, so there is a lot of action. The group can include all levels of play in rounds of doubles. The camaraderie is outstanding. So, if you're in the mood to join, show up on June 17, at 6:00 p.m.

BLOOD DRIVE WITH BONUS - JUNE 16

First, thanks for your great response to the last blood drive. For the next blood drives: Good news...Heartland has recently partnered with the Chicago Bears and all who donate blood will be receiving a special edition Bears t-shirt! It's actually a two-part promotion where donors will receive a short sleeve t-shirt at the June 16 drive and a long sleeve shirt for the August 11 drive!

OUT TO EAT GROUP - JUNE 30

Our next outing will be June 30, and our destination will be Little Joe's Restaurant on 1300 N. Cedar Rd., New Lenox. We'll gather there by 6:20 p.m. We have been having some great outings, and hope you can join us for this one! Use the sign-up or call the church office by June 24.

ADULT RETREAT - DEPOSIT DUE BY JULY 30

Need a special break? Imagine two autumn nights on the shores of Lake Michigan. No cooking. Roaring campfires. Linens & meals included. Walks on the beach or in the woods, plus fellowship, star gazing, and more. The cost is \$125 per person. The dates are Nov. 9-11. The location is top secret - except it's 84.3 miles from Peace Church and in Berrien County, Michigan. Space is limited. A deposit of \$50 is needed by July 30. Questions? Contact Jan Stoller (<u>ilstoller2000@yahoo.com</u>) or Margie/Pat Haugen (<u>pjhaugen@gmail.com</u>). You can also use the sign-up slip to let us know you'd like to reserve your spot!

CONFIRMATION PICTURE ORDERING

If you would like to order copies of any of our pictures look through the binder in the entrance area and let us know.

ART FAIR - JULY 21-22

We have been so fortunate to see the talents of so many different people over the years. This year's Peace Church Art Fair will be July 21-22. We would love to have members and friends share their work in painting, drawing, carving, woodwork, pottery, poetry, quilting, jewelry, photography, writing and other creative talents. Artists who have displayed their work in past years are encouraged to do so again for the benefit of newer members who have not had the privilege to see the deep pool of artistic talent in the congregation. If you are interested, please contact the church office, use the sign-up slip in the bulletin or contact John and Amy Ambrose at (708) 478-6709 (email address: jlambrose@chubb.com).

Bible Background for 2 Corinthians 4:5-12

Which is more important, the light that is given off or the light bulb? This lesson proclaims that as the people who follow Christ, our job is to let that light shine, not to pretend we're the light. Today many people love to have their five minutes of fame, no matter what the cost or how faulty the cause. Paul sees even the negative things that can happen to us as opportunities to point toward Christ and the love of God that can shine in the darkness.

PEACE WOMEN'S GROUP

The Peace Women's Group is open to all women 18 and up. We invite all interested to join us for our next events. Any questions, contact Jan Stoller (815) 530-2786.

Joliet History Museum Summer Concert Series on the Rooftop

"Great Moments in Vinyl" - Friday, July 13 at 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$10 per person. Snacks and drinks may be purchased on the rooftop. Please sign up by June 10.

DONATIONS FOR MORNINGSTAR TREASURE CHEST

We are still accepting donations of clothing and household goods for MorningStar Treasure Chest. Place your donations in the basket marked MorningStar located in the hallway leading into Fellowship Hall.

FATHER'S DAY SINGING - JUNE 16 & 17 - Special music for Father's Day June 16 & 17 will include all adult males (and any children) leading us in our opening hymn. <u>NO SPECIAL SINGING ABILITY</u> is necessary – just a desire to be part of this one-time group to celebrate Father's Day!

NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: June 24. If you get your newsletter late, please pick one up here, or if you want it via e-mail or first class, let us know.

OUTDOOR WORSHIP & POTLUCK - JUNE 10

HOSTING SANTA CRUZ/FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH & SUNNY HILL

On Sunday, June 10, at 6:00 p.m., we will have an outdoor worship service (if it's raining or cold we'll be in Fellowship Hall.) It will be a shortened service but otherwise have all the regular pieces, including special music! Following the worship we will have a time of fellowship with a potluck. We will provide sloppy joes. Please bring side dishes, salads, or desserts. We will be hosting our mission partners from Santa Cruz and First Lutheran Church in Joliet, and our friends from Sunny Hill. Use the sign-up slip in the bulletin or call the church office if you are able to join us so we know how much to cook.

WHITE SOX TICKETS - AUG. 19 - FREE

Game time is at 1:10, so kids and adults can both enjoy the game before it gets late. We'll be in section 163 on the lower deck. We have <u>34 FREE</u> tickets still available, and probably could get more if needed. We will also coordinate a bus so you don't even have to fight traffic or find parking. (The bus will leave at 11:15 a.m. - the bus cost is \$5 each with a maximum of \$15 per household.) Use the sign-up slip, or call the office. Yes, friends are welcome to come.

SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING - JUNE 10

A special congregational meeting has been called for June 10 at 9:35 a.m. to approve the budget. The meeting lasts about 5-10 minutes, but is a necessary legal event and a time to celebrate another year of ministry ready to go!

diakonia[™] IS COMING!

Are you ready to take the next step in your growth as a Christian and in your service to your congregation and community? If so, you are looking for diakoniaTM! You are invited to an information session on June 20, 6:30 p.m., at St. John Lutheran Church, 2650 Plainfield Rd. (Route 30 at Hennepin Drive, just east of Westfield Louis Joliet Mall), Joliet, IL. The next series of courses will begin in September. RSVP (or send queries) to Dr. Trenton Ferro, Location Manager, trferro@yahoo.com or (724) 762-0305.

NEW WEBSITE - CHECK IT OUT!

Our long-range plan's dream is now another of our welcoming pieces. The goal of our new website is to make our church visible on social media in a way that points to Christ and welcomes people to come and see for themselves. Check it out! See all the new things on it and promote it to others.

DO YOU GIVE ELECTRONICALLY (OR WANT TO)?

For those of you who give electronically and would like to put something in the offering plate, we have cards you may use (located on the narthex counter). If you would like to sign up for automatic withdrawals, contact the office. Also, if you want to give on-line at any time, you can go to our website (www.peacenewlenox.org), click on the donate tab. You can use most major credit cards through that site.

ADDITIONAL DONATING OPTIONS

Donations can now be made by scanning the QR code with your smart phone. You can donate one time or set up recurring giving right from your phone! You can also download the new application to manage your giving online. It is a convenient and easy way to keep up with your on-going response of gratitude to God.



FAMILY & FRIENDS IN THE MILITARY

If you know someone who is serving and would like them added to the list, let us know. We also ask for your prayers for those who have returned from war who struggle to readjust to life in the U.S. and work through their grief over friends they have lost in the Middle East.

Mike Scott, Daniel Kitley, T.J. Burns, Brie Grams (Hatch), Ned Fowler, Elizabeth (Tatro) Grossart, Brian Kettell, Jake Treasure, Grover Keltz, Dylan Sperstad, Devin Pafford, Connor Baker, Dan Treasure, Stephanie (Jones) Vail, Neil Vickers, Lane Trainor

ADDRESSES FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL

Mail for four of our members serving in the military can be sent to:MA3 Connor BakerSgt Pafford, DevinPSC 455 Box 173MC AlphaFPO -AP 96540 -1070P.O. Box 92421Yuma AZ 85369

Daniel Treasure USS Rafael Peralta (DDG 115) Unit 100415 Box 1505 FPO AP 96694 Jacob Treasure 3749 Radcliffe Rd. Abilene, TX 79602

ADDRESS & BLOG FOR OUR SPONSORED MISSIONARY

If you would like to send Steinwart a note, remember to use international postage (currently \$1.15). Her address is: Danielle Steinwart, High House, St. Swithun's Alresford Rd, Winchester SO21 1HA, UK Her blog: daniellesteinwart.wix.com/UnitedKin-dom

C.D.s & PODCAST AVAILABLE

Would you like a C.D. copy of a worship service? Look for the sign-up on the narthex counter. Also, if you want to listen to a sermon you missed or want to hear one again, go to the link on our website www.peacenewlenox.org.

CAREGIVERS INFORMATION

Whether you are a caregiver for a spouse, parent, teen, sibling or a child, you need help with the emotional, spiritual, mental and physical side of reality. Help yourself to the variety of resources that we have pulled together for you and know you're not alone. (*Information is on the narthex counter and in the hallway leading to Fellowship Hall.*)

GOOD SHEPHERD group is seeking donations of NEW beauty items (make-up, make-up brushes, eyeshadow, lotion, hair bands, cologne, lipstick, hair care products, combs and brushes), personal items, bathing items (sponges, bubble bath, shower gel), and travel size toiletries for homeless and abused persons.

QUESTIONS KIDS ASK ABOUT GOD UPDATE

The questions keep coming. We had a bunch of questions from the Kindergarten class, and three more in our box. One of those questions is "Are there games in heaven and hell?" We don't know that we'll need them, but who knows what kind of pleasure God will bring to us in heaven. As to hell, "only the frustration games!" would be one answer. "How many pets are in heaven?" All of them also redeemed by God! "How does the 'big bang' theory fit with God being created?" Very nicely! The Bible is not trying to tell us how creation happened – so pick your best theory and go with it. The Bible is interested in who the creator is and why (because is a creator and creates out of love.)

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

Do you care for someone diagnosed with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia? Are you looking for information and support? You are not alone. An Alzheimer's Association Support Group meeting is held at Peace the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome! For more information, please contact Karin Knutson at karinknutson@hotmail.com.

ADDICTION & FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP

Is someone you love abusing prescription or street drugs? Are you concerned about the destructive choices he or she is making and/or in denial? If you are feeling all alone and would like some support from other parents, siblings, friends and spouses who are traveling the same road you are on, then this group may be for you. We support all roads to recovery, so we share what has or hasn't worked for us. We also understand that we must recover, because our lives have also become unmanageable. We meet Tuesdays from 7-8:30 pm. For more information, contact Tom Moore at (815)354-3195.



2018 APPEAL - THANK YOU!

As of May 29, we have received 115 Giving Intention Cards with names & 4 without names O, with a net increase in giving of \$5,700. For each response to God through our church, we give thanks for your faithfulness!!

Name_

Phone

Email

(Please place this in the offering plate, give it to Pastor Hedlin or Deacon Shari, or call the office.)

Other

- <u>I/We will attend the Outdoor Worship & Potluck on June 10.</u> How many?
- I/We will attend the Strawberries, Cake & Ice Cream event June 17. How many?_____I will provide a cake for this event.
- I/We will attend the Trailblazers' luncheon on June 19. How many?
 I/We will attend the Adult Retreat in Berrien County, MI, Nov. 9-11. How many?
- I/We will have something to exhibit in the Art Fair on July 21-22.

I am interested in attending the Waste Watchers group meetings.

Women's Group

I will attend the Joliet History Museum Summer Concert Series on July 13.

Sports Events

I would like free tickets for the White Sox game on Aug. 19. How many? _____ I/We will take the bus, how many? _____

Other

Everybody Read - Jeremiah 24:3-7- What the passage means to me:

I would like to receive a weekly E-Blast. My email address is:

Phone

Email

Name

(Please place this in the offering plate, give it to Pastor Hedlin or Deacon Shari, or call the office.)

Other

- I/We will attend the Outdoor Worship & Potluck on June 10. How many?___
- I/We will attend the Strawberries, Cake & Ice Cream event June 17. How many?_____I will provide a cake for this event.
- I/We will attend the Trailblazers' luncheon on June 19. How many? I/We will attend the Adult Retreat in Berrien County, MI, Nov. 9-11.
- How many?
- I/We will have something to exhibit in the Art Fair on July 21-22.

I am interested in attending the Waste Watchers group meetings.

Women's Group

I will attend the Joliet History Museum Summer Concert Series on July 13.

Sports Events

I would like free tickets for the White Sox game on Aug. 19. How many? _____ I/We will take the bus, how many?

<u>Other</u>

Everybody Read - Jeremiah 24:3-7 - What the passage means to me:

I would like to receive a weekly E-Blast. My email address is: