



**Peace Lutheran Church**  
*Established in 1962*  
*Cincinnati, Ohio*

**PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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**The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**September 16, 2018**



**PRAY FOR** We remember in our prayers this morning and ask for God's continued comfort, strength and healing: Jackie Dubois, Barb Fuhr, Janet Hill, Donna Huber, Dorothy Keller, Ulla Nystrom, Cathy Ongpin, Wanda Rosenzweig, Marian Schuk, Carol Sullivan.

In our prayers we remember Eric Shuck who has recently had a report of lung cancer. He will be undergoing radiation treatment. May our Lord grant him strength, comfort and healing according to God's good and gracious will.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God by Bob & Jenice Miller in celebration of their 63<sup>rd</sup> Wedding Anniversary (Sept. 10).

Sunday September 30<sup>th</sup> and October 21<sup>st</sup> are still available for flower donations.

Check in the office.

**SPECIAL CELEBRATIONS** We rejoice with those who celebrate birthdays and anniversaries. Please remember our "Peace Family" and send a card or give a call to wish them blessings on their special day.

Sep 16 Maggie Morgenroth

Sep 22 Anthony Evans

Sep 19 Daniel Lade

Sep 27 Janet Dotterman

Sep 19 Bob Sheline

Sep 29 Brooke Koelling

Sep 20 Brad & Emily Underwood



Psalm 92:1 A song. For the Sabbath day.

"It is good to praise the LORD and make music to your name, O Most High,"

**Choir Season: each Wednesday at 7:00 PM. Come, Join Us!**

**COMMUNITY RELATIONS/OUTREACH COMMITTEE** will be meeting on Monday evening, September 17, at 7:00 pm, at church. Come and help us do some planning on various outreach events for the year.



**FINANCES AT A GLANCE** January – August

Offerings received	\$110,737.59
Expenditures	\$122,590.95
Total.....	\$ -11,853.36



**PEACE LUTHERAN SMOKER** Join us Saturday, September 22 for fun and games beginning at 3:30 and then delicious meal of **various “smoked” meats** and dishes at 5:30. Here what’s needed - If you plan to bring some smoked meats, please use the sign-up sheet in the narthex or talk with Mary Senger (making sure we have enough). Families are to bring side dishes and dessert to share, lawn chairs and games for all to play.

**SPECIAL SHOWING** of the movie “75 From Darkness, There Is Hope” will be shown on September 15 & 16 at the Garfield Theatre. Shot in Cincinnati by local filmmakers with local cast and crew, a compelling drama about the heroin/opioid crises on four Cincinnati families, healthcare professionals and law enforcement. Ticket are \$10.00 in advance and \$15.00 at the door. Sherrie Bowen-Slutzky is part of the cast.

The Federation of Lutheran Churches  
2018 Brad Alles Conference



An Intergenerational Conference for Youth and Adults  
Saturday, September 22 @ St. Paul Lutheran Church  
Tickets are free and available at [Evenbrite.com](http://Evenbrite.com)  
More information can be seen on the Bulletin Board



The Federation of Lutheran Churches presents **Don Wharton in Concert** Sunday, September 30, 2018 @ 4:00 pm Christ Lutheran Church

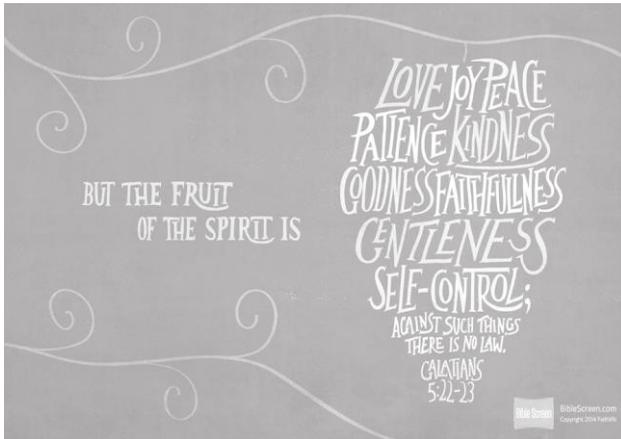
***Tickets are required due to limited seating.*** Register at <https://don-wharton-in-cincinnati.eventbrite.com> or call Linda Schuster at 513-221-3187. Leave your name and phone number. Linda will contact you as soon as she is able for your order information.



PEACE LUTHERAN RUMMAGE AND BAKE SALE – October 6<sup>th</sup> 9:00 – 1:00

**MARK YOU CALENDARS** and join St. Paul Lutheran Church, Madisonville in Celebrating 150 years of God’s Faithfulness on Saturday, October 13 from 1:00 – 3:00.

# Fruit that's Always in Season



Galatians 5:13-26 (ESV)

<sup>13</sup> For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. <sup>14</sup> For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." <sup>15</sup> But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another. <sup>16</sup> But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. <sup>17</sup> For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. <sup>18</sup> But if you

are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. <sup>19</sup> Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, <sup>20</sup> idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, <sup>21</sup> envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>22</sup> But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup> gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law. <sup>24</sup> And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. <sup>25</sup> If we live by the Spirit, let us also walk by the Spirit. <sup>26</sup> Let us not become conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.

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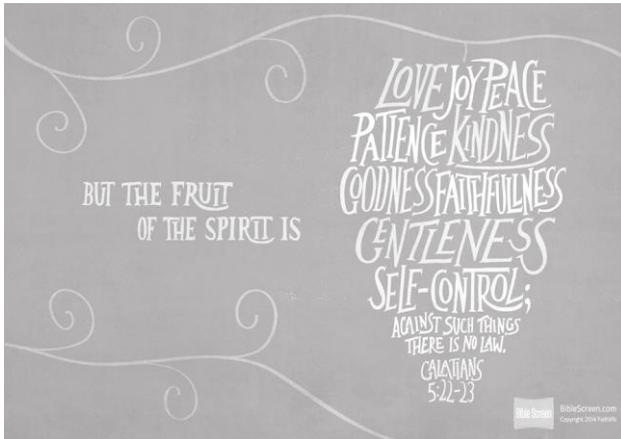
Why can we now ignore the commands of our sinful nature?

What does it mean that love is an action more than it is a feeling?

How did God show us what love is?

How does God's love influence our lives?

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