



Peace Lutheran Church
Established in 1962
Cincinnati, Ohio

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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The Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost
November 18, 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. We remember Dave Miller.

ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by Darrel & Kathy Donselman in thanksgiving for blessings received.

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.

Nov 23 Ken & Kathy Selmeier

Nov 23 Garry Sprague

Nov 24 Holly Morris

Nov 24 Donna Zimmer (80)

Nov 26 Dave Schaetzle

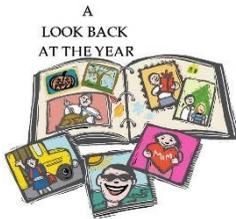
Nov 27 Wilma Seitz (84)

Nov 28 Milt & Berdie Blersch

Nov 29 Matt Morgenroth

Nov 30 Madison Lade

Nov 30 Garrett Sprague



with Thanksgiving

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP will be held on **November 21 at 7:00**. A special service of thanks as we take a look back at the events, ministries and members of Peace Lutheran in Scripture, Song and the year of our ministries in Pictures. Make plans to join us this Thanksgiving Eve at 7:00! An evening of Thanksgiving and fellowship.

REQUESTING anyone who would like to take part in presenting a character monologue for our Midweek Advent Worship on December 12. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Larry as soon as possible.





Blessings on your Thanksgiving

As we approach Thanksgiving, we are reminded of the many blessings God has given to us. The question we should be asking is, "How do we begin to thank God for all that he has done and continues to do for us?" High on our lists of things for which to thank our heavenly Father should be our new lives in Christ. In spite of our sinful ways, God demonstrated his awesome love for us by sending his only

Son to the Cross on our behalf. We certainly will also thank him for our families as well as our health and material blessings. How blessed we are that God provides for all we need to sustain our lives, and, through faith he provides, he gives us life forever with him.

Prayer: Dear heavenly Father, forgive me when I take for granted all the blessings you give me. Forgive me for my selfishness and thoughtlessness. Give me a heart of gratitude and help me to share with others some of what you've given me. In Jesus' name. Amen.

HANGING OF THE GREENS will be held next Sunday, November 25th immediately following the worship service. All members are welcome to come and enjoy the time of decorating the church for the Christmas season and then join us for a delicious lunch.

PEACE LUTHERAN CHRISTMAS PARTY will be held entirely at the church this year on Saturday, December 1st beginning at 6:00. The cost for the dinner will be \$8.00/person. (Adult fellowship) Use the sign-up sheet in the front hall.

For some additional fun, wear your favorite wacky, tacky Christmas shirt, sweater, tie, socks, etc. We'll be adding some games to the fun and fellowship!

An optional gift exchange will be held for those who wish to participate (\$10 limit). Women exchange gifts with women and men exchange gifts with men.

For more information speak with Mary Senger

We hope that you can join us!

PEACE LUTHERAN WOMEN will gather for their 4th annual Christmas Gathering on Saturday, December 8th for an 11:00 Christmas Brunch at the church. You are requested to RSVP by Sunday, December 2nd.

We will again be working with Thrivent for Lutherans in an action team event supplying gifts for the families at Ronald McDonald House who will be spending days surrounding Christmas at Children's Hospital. The entire congregation is invited to participate in this gathering. Gifts should be new, unwrapped and brought to church no later than, Sunday December 6th. For thoughts on gifting see the bulletin flyer.

OUR FINANCES AT A GLANCE: January – October

Offerings received....	\$142,944.08
Expenditures.....	<u>\$152,035.35</u>
Total.....	\$ -- 9,091.27