

PRINCE OF PEACE NEWS

August 21 and 22, 2010 – 13th Sunday after Pentecost

This Week's Calendar

Saturday, August 21

† Worship with Holy Communion5:00 PM

Sunday, August 22

† Worship9:00 AM

† **Semi-Annual Meeting – Main Sanctuary**10:15 AM

Monday, August 23

➤ SJO Cheerleaders in East Hall5:30-8:00 PM

Wednesday, August 25 – Prayerfully Yours Ministry Meets6:00 PM

Wednesday, August 25 – Friday, August 27

† Lutheran Core Theological Conference and Convocation in Columbus, OH – Pastor Jersild and others from the Council/Congregation will be attending.

Saturday, August 28

† Worship with Holy Communion5:00 PM

Sunday, August 29

† Worship9:00 AM

† Workcamp Stockholders' Dinner5:30 PM

Monday, August 30

† ELC Chapel10:00 AM & 3:30 PM

➤ SJO Cheerleaders in East Hall5:30-8:00 PM

Tuesday, August 31

† ELC Chapel10:00 AM

Wednesday, September 1

† ELC Chapel10:00 AM & 3:30 PM

† Confirmation Orientation - WFHall6:30 PM

Saturday, September 4

† Worship with Holy Communion5:00 PM

Sunday, September 5

† Worship with Holy Communion9:00 AM

† Confirmation Orientation - WFHall10:15 AM

Addition to August 2010 Newsletter – The notes from the July 13, 2010 Council Meeting were accidentally omitted from the August Newsletter. Since the newsletter went out, the notes have been added to the body of the letter, and posted on the Prince of Peace website if you would like to read them. The web address is

www.popstjoe.com.

Our **Youth and Family Minister**, Beth Hill, is in training at Tentmakers in Minnesota for much of the month of August. Please remember her in prayer during this time.

UPCOMING

You may place your shoe donations for the "Soles 4 Souls" shoe drive in the box in the narthex. *Shoes will be picked up Monday, August 23rd for the final time. Thanks for your great participation in this project! One of the organizers thought they would hit 1000 pair a few weeks ago – and more still came in! Awesome!*

Preschool Openings - The Prince of Peace Early Learning Center has openings for its half-day preschool program starting September 7th and 8th. There are openings in both the Monday/Wednesday/ Friday and Tuesday/Thursday preschool from 8:30-12. Call 469-9200 with questions or to register.

PoP's Plus

The month of **September** is still being planned. Watch your bulletins for further details.

In **October**, we will see a play at the Little Theatre in Sullivan, on Friday, October 8, at 2:00 PM. The play is "Greater Tuna", for which we have pre-purchased 24 tickets. If all 24 are sold, the cost will be \$29.00 per person. Please sign the sheet located on the bulletin board in the hallway adjacent to the Conference Room. Please sign early if you plan to attend. Since there is a specific number of tickets, there will only be the one sign-up sheet (one name per line please). We will stop in Arthur for lunch before we go to the play.

Prince of Peace Semi-Annual Meeting

The Semi-Annual Meeting of Prince of Peace Lutheran Congregation is set for this Sunday, August 22nd at 10:15AM, immediately following the 9:00 AM worship service.

The agenda for the meeting will be as follows:

- † Call to Order
- † Opening Prayer
- † Financial Reports
- † Pastor's Reports
- † Early Learning Center Reports
- † Election of Three (3) Nominating Committee Members
- † Any questions from the congregation
- † Adjournment and Closing Prayer

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend this important meeting of the congregation.

Prayerfully Yours Ministry will meet Wednesday, August 25 at 6:00 PM.

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION MEETINGS IN EARLY SEPTEMBER

It's almost time to begin our 2010-2011 year of confirmation instruction at Prince of Peace. All confirmation students and their parents are required to attend an orientation meeting on **one or the other** of the following dates:

-**Wednesday, September 1st at 6:30 p.m.** (Old Fellowship Hall)

-**Sunday, September 5th at 10:15 a.m.** (Old Fellowship Hall)

At the orientation, we will be discussing the confirmation curriculum and requirements, and also scheduling some fun and fellowship events for the kids. The meeting will last about an hour.

If you have children entering the 7th or 8th grades, please mark these dates on your calendars! If you know of any families outside our congregation who may be interested in participating in confirmation this year, make sure to invite them to come and find out more about it. Our first regular classes will take place on September 8th, and a special confirmation kick-off fun event will be announced soon.

There will be a **Sunday School Teachers Meeting** to distribute materials and go over the calendar on Tuesday, September 7, 7-8:00 PM. The meeting will be held at Tracy Wilson's home, 1501 Nottingham Dr., St. Joseph. Dessert will be provided.

Fall Women's Study to Begin

Quick – name your favorite Bible character! Is it a woman? Chances are it's not, even though women are central to God's story – and His plan. Genesis alone is peopled with women who experience death, marriage, divorce, rape, and family tragedy. And if that sounds like something out of last night's prime-time TV, it just goes to show that the Bible has a message for you – today. Discover the vivid lessons and rich wisdom of Israel's founding mothers in ***'Living Relationally; Lessons from the Women of Genesis.'*** *This ten week women's study begins Thursday, September 9th at 6:30pm* and offers a profound experience of God's Word without an overwhelming commitment of time. **To order your book, sign up on the sheet on the bulletin board adjacent to the conference room in the hallway or call the church office by Wednesday, August 25th! Cost is \$14.** Genesis is full of wives and mothers, slaves and owners, sinners and saints – and each woman's story will touch your heart. Please join us!

We are in need of certain items for the **Lutheran World Relief Kits** to make complete kits. For **Health Kits**, we are short on washcloths, toothbrushes, bandaids, and soap. For **School Kits**, we are short on pencil sharpeners, scissors, and notebooks. Monetary donations to purchase items are also great if you would rather not shop. Please place donations in a pew envelope, mark it LWR, and put it in the offering plate.

DAILY BIBLE READINGS THIS WEEK: The following readings are from our daily lectionary. By using them regularly through the two-year cycle, you will cover a significant portion of the Bible. Read each passage slowly and carefully, asking God to open your heart to his word for you. End your devotional time with prayers for God's Church, the world, and personal issues. Please remember the discipline of daily bible reading and prayer!

Week of August 22-28:

Sunday: Job 4:1-6, 12-21; Rev 4:1-11; Mark 6:1-6a **Monday:** Job 4:1, 5:1-11, 17-21, 26-27; Acts 9:19b-31; John 6:52-59 **Tuesday:** Job 6:1-4, 8-15, 21; Acts 9:32-43; John 6:60-71 **Wednesday:** Job 6:1, 7:1-21; Acts 10:1-16; John 7:1-13 **Thursday:** Job 8:1-7, 11-19; Acts 10:17-33; John 7:14-36 **Friday:** Job 9:1-15, 32-35; Acts 10:34-48; John 7:37-52 **Saturday:** Job 9:1, 10:1-9, 16-22; Acts 11:1-18; John 8:12-20

August 14 and 15, 2010 Statistics

Saturday Worship Attendance	45
9:00 AM Worship Attendance.....	154
Weekend Total	199
Offering Received	\$4,419.69
Offering Needed Per Week	\$5,432.42

Please pray for our church family and friends:

PRAYER LIST INSTRUCTIONS: The pink prayer request cards should be given to the usher(s) during the hymn of the day after the sermon. In your personal prayers this week, **please pray for Peace, Comfort, Strength, and Healing** for the following people. Prince of Peace members are listed first, and family members and friends are listed alphabetically after them. A name will remain on the list for 3 weeks unless you tell us otherwise. Please let us know when a person can be removed from the list. Thanks for your help!

FOR MILITARY:

Our Ladies' Day Out Group regularly sends cards to the servicemen and women listed in our weekly prayers. If you know of any address changes or deletions/additions to be made to our prayer list, please notify the church office.

Connie Behrens	Anita Lietz	Jason Mines	Cousin of Cindy Goetting
Cecil Busboom	Peggy Maddock	Edward Patton	Father of Dave Patton
Brooke Earl	Maxine Nelson	Edith Sancken	Mother of Judy Rothermel
Norbert Franzen	Bill Rohl	Jennifer Smith	Friend of Mike Trame
Barbara & Charlie Hollers	Cheryl Schlueter	Jane Waldbillig	Friend of Mike and Jennifer Carlson
Abby Immke		Pastor Dan Wissmann	Friend of Prince of Peace
Kendra Adams	Friend of Kevin and Lisa Sage	The family of Jeannette Lundquist	Mother of Bob Lundquist, passed away, Sunday, August 15.
Burton Bockel	Father of Donna Patton	The family of Delbert Johnson	Brother-in-law of Linda McCormick, passed away Friday, August 20.
Annalee Bouslog	Mother of Annette Duitsman		
Larry Frerichs	Father of Laura Ehmen		
Mary Katterhenry	Aunt of Deb Lundquist		

Those in the Military Service:

Mark Atkins	Nephew of Roger and Janice Koss – <i>Back in states</i> ; Stationed at Fort Lewis, WA
Rob Brown	Nephew of Molly Jackson & friend to several @ PoP– Stationed on the USS Carl Vinson
Alex Burton	Son-in-law of Bev Goldenstein, brother-in-law of Chad – Stationed in Afghanistan
Brandon Cagle	Son of Kevin and Debbie Cagle – <i>Now Home</i>
Amy and Ben Crane	Grand-daughter and Grandson-in-law of Nettie Henry – Amy is stationed at Fort Campbell, KY and Ben is stationed in Afghanistan
Don Cribbett	Nephew of Connie Bensyl & Donna Weaver – Stationed at Fort Sill, OK
Adam Deremiah	Grandson of Doris Deremiah – Stationed in Afghanistan
David Farrell	Nephew of Tom and Doris Long – Stationed in Germany
Matthew Giertz	Brother of Tonya Dunn - Stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, KS
Mathew Marshall	Friend of Harpers – Stationed in Afghanistan
Joey Morrissey	Nephew of Paula Plotner – Stationed at Fort Hood
Matt Panepinto	Friend of Bob and Terri Herbst – Stationed in Texas
Casey Sadler	Granddaughter of Sandens, niece of Michelle Johlas--stationed and living in Guam.
Ken Smalley	Friend of Lundquist's – Stationed in Washington State
Chris Starr	Friend of PoP – Barksdale AFB, Louisiana