SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

January 4, 2009
Organist: Arlys Willis

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PRAYER

Heavenly Father,

We thank You for making us Your children. Help us to live in this identity each day.
We pray in Jesus name. Amen

GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the hymnal. We will sing the "Hymn of Praise" on page 154. There is no Holy Communion today, so after the offertory hymn please turn to page 166 to continue.

The Hymns are**:**	**816, 410 v1-5, 384**
Sermon Text:	Luke 2:40-52
Sermon Theme:	"Who is this Child?"

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Church Attendance:	6:00 pm, Dec. 24, 2008	346
	7:30 pm, Dec. 24, 2008	72
	9:30 am, Dec. 25, 2008	72
	Communion, 12/25/08	53
	5:00 pm, Dec. 27, 2008	28
	9:30 am, Dec. 28, 2008	67

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The 2009 church contribution envelopes are on the table in the narthex. Please stop and pick your envelopes up before you leave if you have not already done so.
Please print your name on the contribution envelopes as you use them in 2009 to make record keeping easier for the financial secretary.

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: Philippians 1:6 He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.

St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Henderson will be having a **Soup and Sandwich Luncheon** Sunday, January 18th from 11:00 am. Until 1:00 pm. See the bulletin board for details.

Installation of Officers for 2009 will be during the worship service January 4th.

Applications are being accepted for the position of administrative secretary through January 5th. Anyone interested contact Ellerd Mathwig, Mark Stien or Pastor Lehmkuhl.

The **January – March "Portals of Prayer"** are on the table in the narthex.

The January newsletter **"Peace Passages"** has been printed and placed in the distribution boxes.

The Guild is still in need of a Secretary beginning January 2009, if you or someone you know would be interested contact Carol Mesenbring or Laura Dykhoff.

Beginning next Saturday January 10th, at 10:00 a.m. and every Saturday morning after, Pastor will have a series on the basics of our Christian faith.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

1/04	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship
1/07	3:45 p.m.	Catechism
1/10	10:00 a.m.	Adult Inquirers class
1/10	5:00p.m.	Worship Service
1/11	8:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship

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A nursery is available for parents with small children while attending our worship service. If you need to use it, please ask one of the ushers and they will direct you to it.