The Twenty Second Sunday after Pentecost
November 13, 2011
Organist: Arlys Willis

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PRAYER: O Loving Father,
Giver of all good gifts, teach us to use all material blessings in ways which extend Your kingdom. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen

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GUIDES FOR WORSHIP

The order of worship begins on page 151 in the front of the hymnal. Holy Communion will be celebrated today, so the Hymn of Praise is "This is the Feast". The offertory hymn is on page 159, followed by the communion liturgy.

Hymns: 940, 694, 643
Text: Matthew 25:14-30
Theme: "Using God's Gifts"

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Church Attendance:	Saturday, November 5, 2011	28
	Sunday, November 6, 2011	133
	Sunday School	61

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week is: John 15: 12 – "My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you".

We are looking for volunteers to help with fellowship. If you would like to bring something or help serve, please let Elia know at 964-5861.

Known to be hospitalized this week from Peace Lutheran: Elmer Otto, Delores Sauter.

Please save the UPC labels from all of "Our Family" food products. There is a container on the table in the narthex to put them in. The proceeds will go to the Youth Group to help defray cost of upcoming projects.

Peace Lutheran has a piano and office desk to be given away. If interested in either item please call the office.

The Special Projects offering for today is designated for the Scholarship fund.

This past month people from our congregation have contributed $420.00 from their Thrivent Choice Dollars to Peace Lutheran. Thank you for your generosity.

NOW IS THE TIME! Many of us are waiting for Immanuel Lutheran in Gaylord to make the final decision about building a new school before making a gift or a pledge. However, the leaders need to know <u>now</u> about the support they can expect, in order to know how large the new facility could be. Give a pledge, or a plan to loan, or to include the school in your will. NOW IS THE TIME!

Peace Lutheran Guild will be selling Christmas cards and napkins starting today through December 18, 2011.

Peace Lutheran contributed 19 pounds of miscellaneous food to the Sibley County Food Share. Your generosity continues to supply emergency assistance to the hungry of Sibley County. Your thoughtfulness is appreciated.

The Peace Lutheran Youth Group is busy planning their annual Pancake Supper which will be November 16, 2011 from 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the Narthex for anyone who would like to contribute supplies for the supper.

Contributions for the cornucopia should be brought to church by November 22, 2011.

Do you want to learn Chinese? Ask Amanda Wolter about her class, or check the bulletin board by the office.

If you would like to help with the "Living Nativity", call Dan Woehler at 964-2973.

Mayer Lutheran High School will present "Beauty and the Beast" on November 17, 18, 19th at 7:00 p.m. and on November 20th at 2:00 p.m. Ticket prices are as follows: Adults $7.00, Students $5.00.

Augsburg College presents their 32nd Annual Advent Vespers on Friday, December 2, 2011 at 5 & 8 p.m. and Saturday, December 3, 2011 at 2, 5, and 8 p.m. at Central Lutheran Church, 3rd Ave. S at 12th St – Downtown Mpls.

Zion Lutheran Church & School, 1435 County Rd. 153, Cologne, will host a Soup & Pie supper on Monday, November 7, 2011 from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Please see the bulletin board for more details.

Mayer Lutheran will present a High school Rediness Seminar where educators will discuss topics such as: How has High School changed, Academic planning for the high school year, How will my child fit in, essential skills for post high school pursuits on November 17th at 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Please call Renae Johnson at 952-657-2251 for more information.

St. Mary's Church, Arlington will host a Turkey Dinner today, Sunday, November 13, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Menu and prices are listed on the flyer on the bulletin board.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Green Isle will host a Fall Get-Together Soup & Sandwich today, Sunday, November 13, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Please see the bulletin board for menu and cost. Proceeds will be used for Mission projects.

Sibley County Human Services is coordinating Santa's Helpers Workshop for Christmas 2011with the assistance of Sibley County civic organizations. This program is to help disadvantaged families in Sibley County. Donations of new toys, games, mittens, quilts, money, wrapping paper will be accepted until December 5, 2011.
Donations may be dropped off at Sibley County Human Services between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. We also need volunteers to sort and wrap gifts, chaperone and clean up. Santa's Helpers Workshop will be held Tuesday, December 6, Wednesday, December 7th and Thursday December 8 at American Lutheran Church, 911 8th St., Gaylord, MN. For more information, please call 507-237-4000.

If you are interest in donating a shoe box filled with gifts for OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD they can be dropped off at Word of Life Church, 890 Kingsway Dr., LeSueur MN. For more information on this project, please call 507-665-6393. Drop off times and dates are also listed on the flyer posted on the bulletin board.

Please join us in the fellowship hall after worship service for food & fellowship.

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THIS WEEK AT PEACE

Today		
	8:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship and Youth Group meeting
Wednesday	3:45 p.m.	Catechism
	4:30 – 7:00 p.m.	Pancake Supper
	5:00 p.m.	Youth Bell Choir
Thursday	7:30 p.m.	Church Council meeting
Saturday	5:00 p.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
Sunday	8:15 a.m.	Sunday school
	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service with Holy Communion
	10:30 a.m.	Fellowship

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Money is a tool that is to be used
for the benefit of the believers.

"There were no needy persons among them.
for from time to time those who owned lands or houses sold them, brought the money
from the sales and put it at the apostles' feet,
and it was distributed to anyone as he had need" (Acts 4:34-35).