

**January 10, 2016
First Sunday after Epiphany
Organist: Arlys Willis**



Almighty Father,

Teach us to be dead to spiritually hurtful things, and truly alive to Your spiritual actions. We pray in Jesus Name. Amen



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". After the offertory and prayer, we begin the communion liturgy with the Prayer of Thanksgiving on page 161.



Hymns: 507, 601, 810

Text: Romans 6:1-11

Theme: "Dying to Live"



CHURCH ATTENDANCE:

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| New Year's Eve Worship Service | 16 |
| Holy Communion | 13 |
| January 3, 2016 | 115 |



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bible verse to memorize this week: Acts 2:38 – Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

Members from Peace Lutheran who were hospitalized this week: Glenn Meyer

Please join us here at Peace Lutheran every Sunday morning at 8:30 am in the fellowship hall for Adult Bible Study.

The Special project offering today is designated for the new mission in St. Peter.

Peace Lutheran is looking for a new Sunday School music leader. We thank Janice for all her years of outstanding service and wish her well in her retirement. If you are interested please call the office.

ATTENTION GUILD MEMBERS: The sign-up sheets for Altar Committee and Kitchen Committee are on the table in the Narthex so you can sign up for this year's work schedule.

There will be no Guild meeting in January. The February meeting is on the 21st of February after Worship service.

Reminder to Board Members: Please remember to submit your annual report to Sheila as soon as possible.

Members of Peace Lutheran have donated \$93.00 from their "Thrivent Choice" accounts this month. Thank you for your continued support. The Readers for January – April 2016 are posted on the bulletin board. Please check to see when you are scheduled to read.

We are in need of volunteers for "Meals on Wheels" in February and September. If you would like to volunteer for a week or 2 please let the office know.

Sibley County FoodShare, Inc. has reported that Peace Lutheran members have contributed \$190.78 and 65 lbs. of food to the Food shelf. Your generous donations continue to provide emergency assistance to the hungry of Sibley County.

On January 17th, 2016 St. Paul's Lutheran in Henderson will host a Soup and Sandwich Luncheon from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. Please see the flyer posted on the bulletin board for all the details.

The new Adult Inquirer's class will begin this coming Tuesday, January 12th at 7:00 pm in the fellowship hall.

Please join us on January 24th for our Annual Voter's meeting and Peace Lutheran Guild's "Soup and Sandwich" Luncheon. The luncheon runs from 10:30 am until 1:00 p.m. There is a donation sheet on the table in the Narthex for people who are interested in donating items needed for this event.

Thank you for the great response from the Sibley County DAC for old candles. We will still be collecting candles and old wax for them. If you want to get rid of more of them, you may drop it off in the container on the Narthex table. The Sibley County DAC uses these old candles to make fire starters which they sell.

Please join us for fellowship after worship today.



THIS WEEK AT PEACE

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| Today | 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. | Sunday school Bible study Worship Service with Holy Communion Fellowship |
| Tuesday | 7:00 p.m. | Adult Inquirer's |
| Wednesday | 3:45 p.m. | Catechism |
| Sunday | 8:15 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. | Sunday school Bible study Worship Service with Holy Communion Fellowship Worship service at Highland Commons with Holy Communion |