

The Good News Of Peace

To live as God's family gathering around His Word and promises
to effectively share

The Good News of God's love in Christ with our neighbors.

Peace Lutheran Church and Preschool

Chehalis, Washington

February 2019

Summary of the Congregational Meeting

The following were elected at the January 2019
Congregational Meeting. They assumed office the
last Sunday of January and they will be installed
on Sunday, March 3rd during the 9:30 am service:

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| Vice President | Tom DeTray |
| Treasurer | Jean Falb |
| Recording Secretary | Teri Bryant |
| Board of Elders | Peter Lahmann Dick Piesch Tom Howsden |
| Board of Evangelism | Linda Hardy |

Other business:

The 2019 budget was passed.

Synodical President nominations: Rev. Matthew
C. Harrison and Rev. Lawrence R. Rast.

1st Vice President nominations: Rev. Lawrence R.
Rast and Rev. Peter K. Lange

West South West Regional Vice President
nominations: Rev. Scott Murray and Rev. Eric
Lange.



Obituaries

It pleased the Lord to call to
His heavenly home:

Walt Franz

December 29, 2018

January Obituary Correction

It pleased the Lord to call to His heavenly home:

Daisy Lawton

December 02, 2018

Thrivent Choice Dollars

For those of you who are Thrivent members,
Thrivent allots you Choice Dollars on a regular
basis but you must direct them to an organization
of your choice **or they are lost**.

So please remember to do that and if you should
want them to go to Peace Lutheran, be sure to
select Peace Lutheran Church, Chehalis as there
are numerous churches with the same name. These
funds are available for and by organizations within
Peace.

Donations are way behind, so please direct those
dollars today! Even if you have once directed your
dollars, you **MUST** do it again each time you have
a premium due.

If you have any questions or need assistance,
please speak with Katie Foss, our Thrivent
coordinator. Here's Thrivent's phone number and
you can call them to ask if you have any Choice
Dollars available: 800-847-4836 Monday-Friday
7:00am-6:00pm (central time).

Please call them today!!!



Annual Sweetheart Banquet

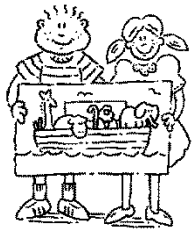
Ladies, you are cordially invited to attend our annual Sweetheart Banquet, where the men will do the cooking, serving and clean up.

WHEN: February 10th (following Sunday School)
WHERE: Peace Lutheran Parish Hall

Let Me Call You Sweetheart!

Hey guys, it's that time of the year to honor our sweethearts. Yes, it's the Sweetheart Banquet to be held Sunday, Feb. 10th immediately following Sunday School.

Dust off those culinary skills and bring your favorite lady and a dish to share. Since this is their day, we gents will set up, and finish with cleanup.



Preschool News

We will begin taking registrations for the 2019/2020 school year on April 1st. This

gives us the chance to assess and give recommendations to parents of the current class. You may pick up registration forms in the church office after April 1st. We require a \$25.00 registration fee and a completed form to hold a child's place in class.

Valentine's Day is coming soon and the students may exchange Valentines if they like. The list of student names is on the monthly calendar, under their sharing days. We currently have 20 students in our class. . If you bring Valentines, it would be a huge help to us if you could help your child place them in each students Valentine Pocket that

will be on their hooks when they come to class. Thank you!

School closures happen quickly in our area, whether they are due to a power outage, snow, ice, or flooding. Our main goal is to make sure that your child is safe and that may mean that we close preschool until conditions improve.

Peace Lutheran Preschool parallels, as much as possible, the Chehalis School District calendar year. When Chehalis Schools close or have late arrival, Peace Lutheran Preschool will be closed.

When severe weather conditions are present please use the resources below.

The following radio stations have local school closure information;

KITI 1420am
KELA 1470am
KACS 90.5fm
Live95 95fm

Seattle morning news channels also have closures;

Komo 4
King 5
Kiro 7
Fox 13

Here is a webpage online that will have information;

<http://www.flashalertseattle.net/>

I will also post on our Facebook page as soon as I find out if class will be cancelled. If for some reason class is cancelled and the information is not available through radio, tv, or online. You may call the church office if you have any questions: 360-748-4108

If preschool is open and you ever feel that the drive into preschool will be dangerous, please stay home and stay safe. We will see you when the weather conditions are better. Your safety is what is most important.

Ms. Libby



*Serving the Lord
with gladness!*

LWML February
Newsletter

Nobody should seek his own good, but the good of others.

1 Corinthians 10:24

Our sinful nature causes us to look only to ourselves and our own interests. We tend to look on life and say, "I want it my way. Why do I have to share anything?" In Christ, however, we do not live our lives for ourselves. We see family members (regardless of how we "get" them) as gifts from God. As Christ did, we set aside our own need to be continually satisfied and instead work for the good of others. While it is not easy, with the help of God's Holy Spirit, it is how we live.

Dear Creator of families, You place us in families that sometimes are a challenge. Give us strength to look past our own needs to see the blessing You give us in them. In Jesus' name. Amen

FEBRUARY LWML MEETING

February 5th, 2019 at 1PM, a speaker from Possibilities Women's Center will be joining us to share about their mission.

**BABY SHOWER FOR POSSIBILITIES
WOMEN'S CENTER FEBRUARY MISSION
PROJECT:**

Please bring baby items to the February 5th LWML meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting, you can bring your items and leave them in the blue container by the LWML table in the Narthex. There will also be a list of baby items needed.

Here are a few suggestions if you are wondering what to bring for the baby shower for Possibilities:

Baby clothing - Newborn to 24 months, receiving blankets and bibs, new baby toys, new sippie cups, new baby bottles, spoons, diaper bags, safety items such as plug covers, health items such as thermometers, baby lotion and baby wash, baby bath towels, wash cloths, baby gear like bouncy chairs, bath tubs, swings, etc.

They **do not** take cribs, crocheted/quilted blankets or used stuffed animals.

NEW BIBLE STUDY!

Time: 10AM, Tuesdays

Place: Peace Lutheran Parish Hall (we moved)
The Bible Study is on the life of Peter. This study started on January 22nd and the first class was a DVD introduction. Next Bible Study is February 12th and February 19th. Any questions call Jennie Dries at 360-827-5578 or Katie Foss at 360-748-0869.

WOW! The ladies on Sue Kapel's team met the January Mission Goal!!! They outdid themselves! Thank you Sue and all the ladies who made over 100 pillowcase dresses!!! Definitely MISSION COMPLETED!!

PREPARING FOR THE 2020 WA-AK DISTRICT CONVENTION at Great Wolf

Lodge in Grand Mound, WA. We are one of the zones that will help put this convention together. We need volunteers to put this event together with two other zones. Our first meeting was January 26th, 2019. We will post the next meeting on the LWML board. We can use the church van to go to all the future meetings. Please contact Debbie Olson (206-303-8623) if you would like to volunteer. She has the categories for the positions. Please we need your help!!!

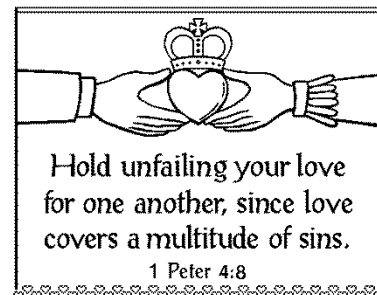
February Coffee Hour

03)*Sandy Lupo/Marilyn Hepola/Donna Lyon(c)

**10)*Marlene Farrell/Hannah Dwyer/
Edie Schroeder(c)**

**17)*Michelle Schaefer/Melinda McHenry/
Sandy Franz(c)**

**24)*Ashley Millam/Barbara Jolly/
Anita Gunlogson(c)**



Helping a Brother or Sister

Did you know?

Pastor Bob and Sharon Harris own the Rose of Sharon Farm? They raise chickens, eggs, pork, vegetables, beef and fruit. They now have honey for sale. Next year they will be able to supply your holiday turkeys too! They emphasize humane and compassionate husbandry and they strive to be as chemical free as possible. You can find out more on their website at www.RoseofSharonfarm.com. The family at Peace is invited to call or visit the farm anytime. Pastor Freeman will call them if a Peace family needs help with groceries so talk to him with referrals.

Kari Lupo sells Younique makeup and skincare products? Contact her at 360-520-6649 or email her at kari.lupo@live.com

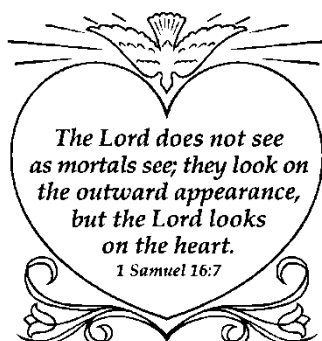
Eren Millam is a Real Estate Broker with Realty World in Chehalis. He can be reached by phone, email, or text. 360-219-3616 or erenmillam@gmail.com.

Jean Falb, EA is a tax preparer and owns Total Tax and Accounting Inc., she offers tax resolution services and tax preparation. If you or someone you know needs help in these areas please call her at 360-880-5822.

From the Church Office

Please be aware of the following deadlines:

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| Sunday Bulletin: | All information needs to be in by 11:30am the Wednesday before. |
| Newsletter: | Articles to be included need to be in by the 3 rd Sunday of each month. |



Save a Seminary!

Lutheran Theological Seminary in Novosibirsk, Russia was established by Concordia Theological Seminary in 1997 as part of the Russian Project. The aim of the project was to train Russian speaking pastors in Fort Wayne and build a Lutheran Seminary in Novosibirsk, Siberia.



The Seminary is now a strong independent institution fully capable of self-governance and staffed by a first-class indigenous faculty. It is no longer necessary for CTS to send professors from America or to oversee the administration. The Schwan Foundation has fully funded the Seminary since 1997. These grants will end in five years.

Aleksey Streltsov is the current rector of the seminary. Aleksey was the first Russian student to matriculate at CTS in 1996. He earned two Master of Theology degrees while simultaneously working with the CTS Russian Project to establish a new Lutheran Seminary in Novosibirsk in 1997—an astonishing accomplishment.



Streltsov explains why this amazing Seminary must be sustained and why your help is needed. The Apostle Paul charged Timothy to prepare men who are qualified for the pastoral ministry. They must be “faithful men who will be able to teach others also.” (2 Tim. 2:22) “We in Novosibirsk are convinced that in our day rigorous seminary training comes closest to the meaning of Paul’s words. It is a serious, time consuming undertaking that makes demands on both teacher and student. After all, the Apostles themselves spent no fewer than three years in the ‘seminary’ of our Lord Jesus Christ.

After 70 years of devastating atheism followed by years of infiltration of many sects and cults into Russia, people long for deep theology and the real sacraments. They need truly Trinitarian, incarnational and Christ-centered teaching that alone can offer lasting hope in this world of despair, chaos and death. This requires well trained faithful pastors, and thus it is **absolutely necessary to save the Seminary.**”

The Siberian Lutheran Mission Society seeks to build an endowment capable of rendering the Russian Seminary financially self-sufficient.

The goal is to raise \$7 Million over the next five years (2019-2023). Please consider supporting this mission endeavor with a one-time gift, five-year pledge or in your estate planning.

Donate online at: www.siberianlutheranmissions.org

Or mail donations to:

The Siberian Lutheran Mission Society,
Bob Kiefer, Ascension Lutheran Church
8811 St. Joe Road
Fort Wayne, IN 46835

(Please designate for “Save a Seminary” on your check

February Elder: Dick Piesch

February Ushers:
03) Tom DeTray & Jesse Hardy
 9:00 Matins & 9:30 Divine Service

10) John Shea & Brian Hill 9:30 Divine Service

17) Bruce Hood & Allen Klapel 9:30 Divine Service

24) Ray Olson & George Schaefer 9:30 Divine Service

Acolytes: **03)** Jonah Freeman **10)** Sam Howsden
17) Jonah Freeman **24)** Colby Dwyer

Altar Guild:
03) Mary McHenry & Alyssa Ackerson **10)** Sandy Lupo & Marlene Farrell
17) Cherie Hill & Abigail Freeman **24)** Jodie DeTray & Sophia DeTray

Coffee Hour: **03)***Sandy Lupo/Marilyn Hepola/Donna Lyon(c)
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Counters: **03)** Klapel **10)** Doench **17)** Bryant **24)** Stocker

Flowers: **03)** OPEN **10)** OPEN **17)** OPEN **24)** OPEN

- February Birthdays**
1. Linda Huyck
 2. Susan Bergman
 3. Karla Herren
 5. Edie Schroeder
 7. Margaret Howsden
 8. Nelly Morast
 - John Foss
 - John Shea
 9. Jacob Nay
 11. Raegan McAllister
 14. Chani Reeder
 - Slade Heinricher
 - Mathew Filer
 15. Carlyn Jensen
 17. Linda Boetsch
 18. Bill Wood
 19. Ervin Brueckner
 25. Jeanette Mitzel

February 2019

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| 3 9:00 Matins 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study | 4 | 5 1:00 LWML 6:00-6:30 Individual C & A | 6 10:00 Bible Study | 7 1:30-2:30 Individual C & A 7:00pm Church Council | 8 | 9 9:00-10:00 Individual C & A |
| 10 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study 12:30 Youth Group Sweetheart Banquet | 11 | 12 10:00am Women's Bible Study 6:30 Lutheran Confessions Study @ Olympia | 13 10:00 Bible Study | 14 1:30-2:30 Individual C & A | 15 | 16 |
| 17 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study | 18 | 19 10:00am Women's Bible Study 6:00-7:00 Individual C & A | 20 10:00 Bible Study Noon Worship Committee | 21 1:30-2:30 Individual C & A 7:00 Board of Elders Board of Property | 22 | 23 9:00-10:00 Individual C & A |
| 24 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study | 25 | 26 6:00-6:30 Individual C & A 6:30 Lutheran Confessions Study @ Peace | 27 10:00 Bible Study | 28 1:30-2:30 Individual C & A | | |

- February Anniversaries**
10. Patrick & Pamela McConkey 1979
 22. Ken & Donna Lyon 1973
 28. Frank & Judy DeVaul 1987

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Sunday Worship at 9:00 am
First Sunday of Month, Matins at 8:30 am with Divine Service at 9:00 am
Sunday School – all ages – 10:45 am

We are located four miles south of Chehalis on the corner of Jackson Highway and Bishop Road.