

The Good News Of Peace

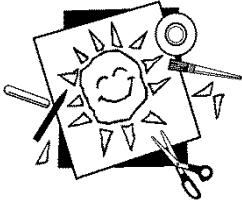
To live as God's family gathering around His Word and promises
to effectively share
The Good News of God's love in Christ with our neighbors.

Peace Lutheran Church and Preschool

Chehalis, Washington

November 2019

Preschool News



This November, our color will be brown and our shape is the rectangle. Numbers this month are 4 & 5, and our letters will be G, H & I. We will talk about what it means to be thankful and think of some of the things we are thankful for. We will learn about the pilgrims' journey to America, how they met the Native Americans, and how they lived when they first arrived here in the new world, and the first thanksgiving the Pilgrims had in the new world. We will have our own thanksgiving feast on Thursday, November 14th to celebrate and give thanks. We will also talk about wants vs. needs, hibernation, turkeys, and learn the "One Fat Turkey" poem.

Thanksgiving Break will be the week of November 17 - 23. Class will resume on Tuesday, November 26th.

During Jesus Time, we will continue the story of Moses. After Thanksgiving, we will begin the New Testament with Elizabeth & Zachariah.

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

Peace Lutheran Preschool parallels, as much as possible, the Chehalis School District calendar year/weather closures. 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:

Radio stations KITI 1420 am, KELA 1470 am, KACS 90.5 fm, and Live95 95.1 fm.

Seattle morning news channels also have closures: Komo 4, King 5, Kiro 7, and 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, I will try to phone each family to let them know. You may call the church office if you have any questions: 360-748-4108.

Thank you everyone for remembering not to use the handicapped parking (unless you have the handicapped placard). When students are arriving and leaving preschool, **please drive through the parking lot slowly and in the correct direction** (in by the building on the right side of the parking lot, exit out by the shop, left side of the parking lot). This is much safer for the families out in the parking area.

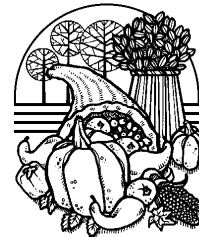
Happy Thanksgiving Everyone!
Ms. Libby

Financial Review Committee

The financial review committee is looking for a volunteer with an accounting/business background to help with this year's financial review. If interested, please see Rick Bryant or give Rick a call at (360) 880-1923.

November Coffee Hour

- 03)*Dawn Freeman/Teri Bryant/Linda Boetsch(c)
10)*Michelle Schaefer/Dick Piesch/
Loreleie Hood(c)
17)*Kathy Doench/Marilyn Hepola/
Sharon Kilbourn(c)
24)*Katie Foss/Hannah Dwyer/Jodie DeTray(c)



Join us for a Service of Thanksgiving

November 28th at 10:00am

Please note the time!

“Those who bring thanksgiving as their sacrifice honor me...” Psalm 50:23

November Anniversaries

6. William & Cleone Faussett
1965
7. Alex & Alyssa Ackerson
2015
9. Ryan & Megan Larsen
2016
- 19th. Allen & Sue Klapel
1960
22. Dave & Rene Ketchum
1981
27. Peter & Denise Lahmann
1981
27. Rod & Karen Fenstermaker
1982
27. Ray & Debbie Olson
1987
28. Andrew & Crystal Sipp
2009

It's That Time Again!



Remember to turn your clocks BACK one hour on Sunday, November 4th at 2:00am, or before bed Saturday November 3rd

AND

SUNDAY SERVICE TIME CHANGE STARTS SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH

With the change of the clock, we will also be changing our Sunday morning service times to ½ hour later. Sunday, November 3rd, Matins will start at 9:00am with the Divine Service starting at 9:30, the remaining Sundays of each month all Divine Services will start at 9:30. This change will continue until March 8th.

Youth Group News

At the Youth Group Meeting on October 13th, we discussed briefly ideas for fund raisers, this year's Higher Things conference, and the importance of encouraging other Youth Group Members to come to the Youth Group meetings especially the next one on November 10th.

FUND RAISERS

We will be having our annual Thanksgiving Pie Auction on Sunday, November 24th. We will do the pie auction during coffee hour, following the service.

The next Youth Group meeting will be November 10, 2019 at 12:30. At this meeting we will start making plans for the coming year: activities, fund raisers, etc.



Holy Matrimony

Joshua Souliere and Anna Fisher celebrated the rite of Holy Matrimony on October 19th with Rev. Daniel Freeman presiding. Congratulations and God's blessings to Mr. and Mrs. Souliere!

We invite you to join Ben and the other volunteers serving at Lewis County Gospel Mission.

Director's Note

Change is constant: Volunteers come and go, donations ebb and flow and the number of people served grows and diminishes. Through it all, God's purpose, provision and protection surround all that happens at the Mission.

God opened His hand and poured out food donations that keep us scrambling to use in the kitchen or give out through the food pantry. Funds donated last year purchased a new two door upright freezer to replace two small chest freezers.

We are privileged to celebrate clean and sober day counts with some of our guests. Our first ever "Dinner for Drug Court" event blessed participants with a nice meal. We met 19 people who ranged from just beginning to alumni who helped serve dinner. What a treat to see transformed and transforming lives!

Collaborating with other groups in the community to provide services is great with the best part is seeing hope renewed.



Volunteers come with an expectation that they can help others. Frequently serving others changes the volunteer.

Ben Nelson, one of our shower attendants, recently shared that working with our guests has affected him in ways he never expected. As he talked about being able to give grace through service, even with difficult personalities, it was clear that it filled him with a strong sense of purpose and joy in filling that purpose.

SPECIAL PRAISE

After over two years of conversations, the owner of the lot bordering us on the east finally agreed to sell the lot to the Mission. This removes an "attractive nuisance" for pests and people and will provide an off-street parking area for our volunteers.

Current Volunteer Needs:

- Shower Attendants
- Food Pantry & Clothing room helpers.
- Video and web presence developer
- Janitorial Help

Services 2019	Yearly Total
Meals	22987
Clothing	2439
Food Pantry	2990
Bedding	296
Daily Bus Passes	121
Showers	771
Sleep Bags/Tents	91
Backpacks	65



Renovation Update

The physical work on the next phase of the renovation began May 21, 2019. The plan is 1) replace a single restroom and shower with two restrooms, one ADA compatible, and a barrier free shower and 2) build new storage area and move all refrigeration appliances and food products closer to the kitchen.

An addition to the renovation plans became necessary. Acquisition of an 8 x 10 walk-in cooler requires moving some walls into the dining area. (This walk-in will replace 2 coolers and 1 refrigerator which are ready for retirement.) This change should help reduce our electric bill as well.

All this to be done while continuing to provide the services and maintain relationships at the Mission.

Please continue to pray for safety and provision of talent and supplies!

FOOD & CLOTHING DONATIONS

Donations accepted from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Monday through Friday.

Please do not drop items off outside the building.

NEEDED ITEMS:

Clothing Room

Men's and women's clothing and footwear.

Hygiene items	Sturdy belts
Tents	Sleeping Bags
Hoodies (for layering)	
Backpacks	Blankets

Guest Food Pantry

Fruit cups	snack bars
one-can meals	top ramen
bottled water	tuna
Vienna sausage	Spam
boxed dinners	peanut butter
cereal	shelf-stable milk.

FINANCIAL DONATION OPTIONS

A DIFFERENT DONATION

Sometimes people don't feel they can donate enough to make a difference. Usually donations come in rounded dollar amounts. Recently, one donor has sent checks with both dollars and cents. The amounts look like interest payments from a bank account. These so remind us of the widow's mite in the Bible.

Those smaller donations from a multitude of people with a desire to help, combine to make a huge difference!

What a wonderful way to share God's love with our neighbors in need!



Donate with your credit card, by calling Mission's Office at 360-996-4474. A portion of your donation goes toward "Square" reader fees.

PayPal is another option; again a portion of your donation goes to PayPal fees.

Online bill-pay through your bank for one-time, or recurring payment; 100% of your donation will go to the Mission.



Mail your check to:
LCGM
PO Box 631
Chehalis, WA 98532.

Your generous support enables LCGM to reach out and serve those in need. We are so grateful for your support. THANK YOU!!!

Ways You Can Contact Us

Phone: (360)996-4474

Email: info@lewiscountygospelmission.org

Website: lewiscountygospelmission.org

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Chehalis, WA 98532

Physical Address: 72 SW Chehalis Ave. WA

DIRECTIONS:

Take 77 exit east from I-5 (Main St.), turn right on SW Chehalis Ave. Go 3 blocks south and the Mission is the red building on the left at the corner of SW Chehalis and James St.

<p>November Elder: Tom Howsden</p> <p>November Ushers: 03) John Shea & Tom DeTray 9:00 Matins & 9:30 Divine Service 10) Brian Hill & Kevin Engelbertson 9:30 Divine Service 17) Rod Fenstermaker & Allen Klapel 9:30 Divine Service 24) Bruce Hood & Joe Hidalgo 9:30 Divine Service 28) TBD 10:00am Thanksgiving Divine Service</p>	<p>Acolytes: 03) Jonah Freeman 10) Sam Howsden 17) Colby Dwyer 24) Landon Engelbertson 28) Jonah Freeman Altar Guild: 03) Mary McHenry & Alyssa Ackerson 10) Jodie DeTray & Sophia DeTray 17) Sandy Lupo & Abigail Freeman 24) Mary McHenry & Alyssa Ackerson 28) Rachel Freeman & Marlene Farrell Coffee Hour: 03)*Dawn Freeman/Teri Bryant/Linda Boetsch(c) 10)*Michelle Schaefer/Dick Piesch/Loreleie Hood(c) 17)*Kathy Doench/Marilyn Hepola/Sharon Kilbourn(c) 24)*Katie Foss/Hannah Dwyer/Jodie DeTray(c) Counters: 03) Klapel 10) Doench 17) Bryant 24) Stocker Flowers: 03) OPEN 10) OPEN 17) OPEN 24) Olson</p>	<p>November Birthdays</p> <p>2. Kevin Engelbertson Pastor Harris 3. Rita Nay 7. Sheryl Ackerson 9. Megan Larsen 11. Rene Ketchum 13. Debbie Olson 14. Jesse Hardy 15. Logan Crouse 22. Marvin Hepola 23. Jean Falb Marie McAllister 26. Mike Pfaff 29. Karen Kilian</p>
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November 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS NOVEMBER 3RD	(clocks turn back 1 hour)		1	2 9:00-10:00 Individual C & A
3 9:00 Matins 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study	4 4:00pm Board of Evangelism	5 1:00pm LWML 6:00-7:00 Individual C & A	6 10:00 Bible Study	7 1:30-2:30 Individual C & A 6:30 Church Council	8	9
10 9:30 Divine Service 11:15 Sunday School Bible Study 12:30 Youth Group	11	12 10:00 Women's Bible Study 6:30 Lutheran Confessions Study @ Olympia	13 10:00 Bible Study	14	15	16
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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.