

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.

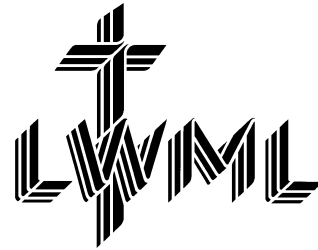
Peace Lutheran Church and Preschool

Chehalis, Washington

September 2023

Memorial for Margaret Schwarzkopf

A memorial for Margaret will be held Saturday, September 9th, from 2pm-4pm at Stillwaters Gathering Place, 2800 Cooks Hill Rd., Centralia.



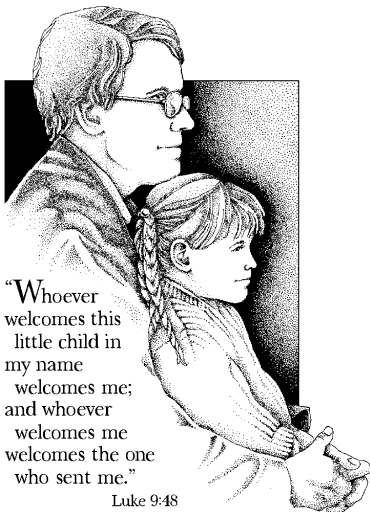
Obituaries



It pleased the Lord to call Ken Lyon to his heavenly home on July 14th. A funeral was held July 28th at Peace.

Vacation Bible School

VBS was well attended by six eager students learning the Gospel, songs, creating stained-glass pictures, and having fun. Many thanks go to Pastor Harris, Dawn Freeman, Michelle Schaefer, Rita Nay, and Ashley Millam for making this a fun event for all.



"Whoever welcomes this little child in my name welcomes me; and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me."

Luke 9:48

Fall is arriving on September 23rd, and LWML will be having their first meeting on Tuesday, September 19th at 1:00p.m. Our first meeting will include a business meeting, along with Linda Huyck sharing her experience from the national convention in Milwaukee this last June.

We are working on making pillow case dresses for the children in Africa. There are directions on the LWML table in the narthex if you are willing to make a dress or two. If you don't sew or don't have the time to sew a dress, you can also donate new or lightly used pillow cases. Just leave them on the LWML table. We have a goal of 50



dresses to be made to go along with the 30 dresses already made to celebrate LWML 80th anniversary which was in 2022.

All women of the church belong to LWML even if you are not actively involved. So please help us meet our goal of 80 dresses.

Hope to see you on the 19th!

Lewis County Gospel Mission

Written by Sandy Sund

This is a hard one to write. We have always had the poor, the sick, and the homeless. Even in Jesus' time, they were there, in society. Many of the miracles recorded in the Bible are about how Jesus treated this portion of His society. Today, the poor, the sick, and homeless have become a political football. Reasons for why people become poor, sick, and homeless are debated from 21st century "soap boxes". The same boxes are also used to debate what to do about this segment of our community. But if we can put the debates aside and get down to the "nitty gritty" the poor, the sick, and the homeless can die from the situation they are in. Should we let them "reap what they sow", or do we do what we can to help them survive until a solution is found, and/or the power of prayer and our Lord intervenes. Until then what do we do besides pray. Here is one charity activity in which you can participate: Lewis County Gospel Mission.

The Gospel Mission statement says, "Glorify God by meeting spiritual and physical needs of the homeless and needy in Lewis County. Lewis County Gospel Mission helps meet the needs of hurting people and transforming lives by exercising the love of Jesus Christ in the Lewis County Gospel Mission facility and the Lewis County Jail. Our goal is to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ, provide Christian fellowship, provide for physical needs and to work together with churches and organizations in Lewis County, Washington." They are a multi denominational supported organization that keeps it's gospel mission simple - Jesus died, rose again to save us from our sins. He that believeth in Him shall be saved. Their facility on Chehalis Avenue provides a clothing bank, grooming facilities, meals, counseling, worship & bible study, and Christ centered 12 step intervention programs.

If you find this charity calling you there are several opportunities. First you can volunteer to serve at the facility. Needed are Cooks, kitchen help, office and bookkeeping, and

janitorial/maintenance. If you cannot donate your time there are items that are always needed:

- ◆ Clothing
- ◆ Outdoor Living supplies such as sleeping bags, Toiletries,
- ◆ Food items for Food Pantry.

Twice a winter when I order something from Amazon I add socks to the list, donate them, and have them delivered directly to the mission. Just volunteers and supplies cannot keep and agency such as this functioning. You can also donate monetarily. More details are listed on their website. <https://lewiscountygospelmission.org/> Lastly, they ask for your prayers that their mission will save lives and souls.

Again. How best to help the poor, the sick, and the homeless can be debated. The clear way to decide is to seek the guidance of the gospel and make a decision if this option is a proper way to help.



From the Church Office

DEADLINES:

If you have an address and/or phone number change, please let us know as soon as possible.

Deadlines:

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 3rd Sunday of each month.



"You make the gateways
of the morning and the evening
shout for joy."

Psalm 65:8

September Elder: Brian Hill

Ushers: Tom DeTray
03) Roland Falb
10) George Schaefer
17) Rick Bryant
24) Kevin Engelbertson

Acolytes:
03) Jonah Freeman
10) Jack Millam
17) Weston Engelbertson
24) Landon Engelbertson

Counters: **03)** Falb & Farrell **10)** Dries & Poppe
17) Bryant **24)** Doench

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

Altar Guild:

03) Cherie Hill
10) Rita Nay & Teri Bryant
17) Marlene Farrell & Jodie DeTray
24) Mary McHenry

Coffee Hour:

03)*Marlene Farrell/Muriel Tosh/Mary McHenry(c)
10)*Katie Foss/Karen Killian/Gitti Burger(c)
17)*Michelle Schaefer/Linda Follett/Linda Huyck(c)
24)*Sandy Lupo/Marilyn Hepola/Sarah Ackerson(c)

September Birthdays

1. Sandy Franz
- Dave Lykken
5. Cleone Faussett
6. Shelly Stocker
7. Loren McNiel
9. Yvonne Mattson
- Alyssa Naillon
12. Marlene Farrell
14. Dave Ketchum
15. Mary McHenry
16. Melinda McHenry
18. Loren Davidson
- Jordan Bryant
19. Muriel Tosh
22. Bruce McHenry
28. Dianne Boetsch
- Jane Millam
29. Alex Ackerson
30. Kari Lupo
- Pete Ringen

September Anniversaries

10. Dale & Nelly
 Morast
 1966
11. Rick & Teri
 Bryant
 1989
12. Marvin & Marilyn
 Hepola
 1969
22. Fred & Barbara
 Jolly
 1985
23. William & Amelia
 Helman
 2017
26. Jesse & Linda
 Hardy
 1987

September 2023

Oct 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 8:30 Matins 9:00am Divine Service 10:45am Sunday School Adult Bible Study	4	5	6 10:00am Bible Study	7	8	9
10 9:00am Divine Service 10:45am Sunday School Adult Bible Study	11	12 6:30pm Lutheran Confession Study @ Olympia	13 10:00am Bible Study	14	15	16
17 9:00am Divine Service 10:45am Sunday School Adult Bible Study	18	19 1:00pm LWML	20 10:00am Bible Study	21	22	23
24 9:00am Divine Service 10:45am Sunday School Adult Bible Study	25	26 6:30pm Lutheran Confession Study @ Peace	27 10:00am Bible Study	28 7:00pm Board of Elders	29	30

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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.