

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

May 2025



- ❖ Roman Scott Byron January 5th
- ❖ Tiberius James Millam April 27th

Both with Pastor Daniel Freeman officiating.

Welcome to family of God Roman and Tiberius!



Lutheran Women's Missionary League

The LWML meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month. The next meeting is May 13th at 1:00pm in the Parish Hall. Contact Linda Hyuck for more information. All women are welcome! Devotion will be given by Muriel Tosh and our hostess will be Marlene Farrell. Looking forward to see you on May 13th at 1:00pm!

Baby bottle Boomerang is the big fundraiser for the Pregnancy Center in Centralia, so pick up your bottle Mother's Day, Sunday May 11th, fill it with coins, cash, or a check, and return it by or before Father's Day, Sunday June 15th.

We are asking for lotion and socks for the Seafarer boxes for the month of May. For the children's back packs, we are asking for a pencil sharpener and a ruler.

Looking ahead, mark your calendar on June 7th for a potluck and a visit with the Trumps, our missionary family in Nairobi.

EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA RECAP

The Easter Eggstravaganza on Saturday, April 12th was a huge success! We had 35 children and adults join us for fun, games, and an Easter Egg scramble in the Narthex! There were lots of delicious snacks and desserts too. The kids had a blast, and each went home with an Easter goodie bag. Thank you Pastor Freeman for sharing the Easter message with us! A huge thank you to everyone for the generous donations and to all the helpers!

NEW MEMBER POTLUCK

There will be a Welcome Potluck for our new members on May 18th at 12 p.m. Please bring your favorite dishes, salads, and/or desserts to celebrate the following people:

Steve Hirsh, Lucas & Michelle Miller, Landon Engelbertson, Weston Engelbertson, Jack Millam, Kailyn Sipp, Cody Sipp, Olivia Sipp, and we welcome John Shea back into our fold.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

The next Family Fun Night is scheduled for Wednesday, May 14th. The fun begins at 5:15 with a worship service, followed by dinner, and then games/activity. The evening wraps up around 7:30 so families can get home at a decent time to put children to bed. Stay tuned for more information coming out in the bulletin as we get closer to the day.

NEW DIRECTORY

Last chance to be sure your correct address and phone number are in the new directory! Please look in the old 2024 directory to see if any of your contact information has changed. If you have had a change of address, phone number, or email address this past year, please call or email the church office with your updated information in the next couple of weeks. The new directory will be printed the end of May. If someone in your family has moved out, please let us know.

PAID POSITION AVAILABLE:

Rita is retiring from her position as office secretary (Thank you, Rita, for your many years of service!).

The council has rewritten the position as an Office Manager, adding to the secretarial duties the day-to-day bookkeeping tasks of the congregation including payroll.

The position is 17.5 hours a week, Tue. through Thur. 8am to 11:30am plus another 7 hours (likely Mon. & Fri. 8 to 11:30, but that is negotiable).

Qualifications are: Demonstration of Christian joy and love; a friendly disposition and demeanor; ability to keep things in confidence; high attention to detail; a working knowledge of Microsoft Word (experience with desktop publishing using Microsoft Word is preferable); a working knowledge of Quickbooks (preferably the online version) (and experience in bookkeeping, payroll, and fund accounting for 501 (c) (3) organizations is preferable).

If you are interested in applying, contact Roland Falb, Peter Lahmann, or Pastor Freeman.

Did we miss your anniversary or birthday on the calendar? If so we apologize!
Please call the office at 748-4108 to give us your information. Thank you!

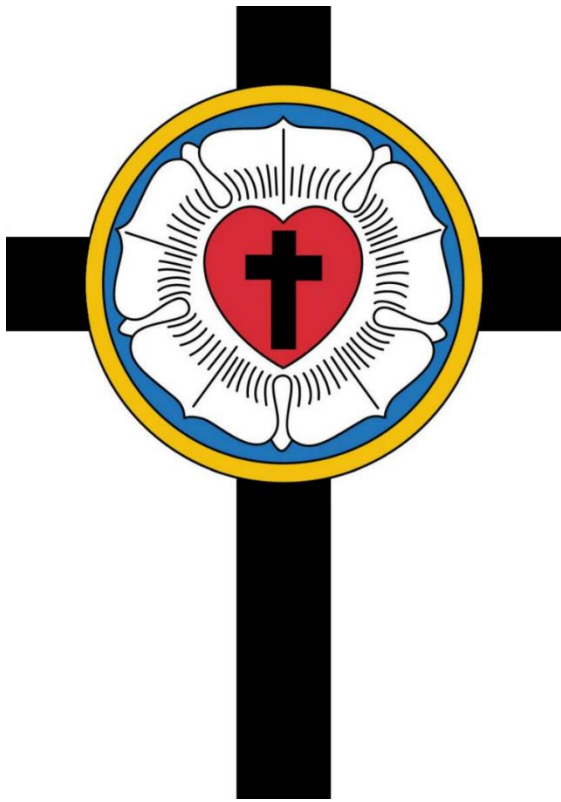
THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

If you are a Thrivent member and are allotted Choice Dollars, you must direct them to an organization of your choice, **or they are lost**. These funds are then available to organizations within Peace. So please direct those dollars today! If you have any questions, please speak with Katie Foss. Here's Thrivent's phone number and you can call them to ask if you have any Choice Dollars available and direct them to Peace Lutheran Church, Chehalis: 800-847-4836 Monday-Friday 7:00am-6:00pm (central time). Please call them today!!!

THANK YOU!

Easter Breakfast

We had another successful Easter Breakfast this year, thanks to all who were able to come and enjoy the fare. Through generous donations we brought in \$675, which nicely helps us reach the needs for the Higher Things trip. As is true every year, Easter Breakfast cannot be successful without all those generous people who give some of their time to help with set-up, cooking, serving, and clean-up. This year there is quite a list of people to thank for their assistance starting with Clinton Lupo and John Foss for bringing over the Easter Breakfast bins, moving onto those who helped set-up the tables and the main room - Alan Kilian, Loren McNiel, Roland Falb, Tom Howsden; to those who helped in the kitchen prepping food and doing dishes - Dawn Freeman, Jonah Freeman, Muriel Tosh; to those who helped with the cooking - Shirlee Hall, Larry Hall, Tom Howsden, Crystal Sipp, Kailyn Sipp, Olivia Sipp, Jonah Freeman, Roland Falb; to those who helped serve - Roland Falb, Shirlee Hall, Tom Howsden, Jonah Freeman; and finally to those who helped with the clean-up - Marlene Farrell, Linda Follett, Sharon Harris, Bob Harris, Bruce Hood, Jack Millam, Dick Reuther, Sherrie Reuther, and Roland Falb. I hope I didn't miss anyone.



May Elder: Jesse Hardy

May Ushers:

4) Matthew Hardy & Peter Lahmann
11) R.Fenstermaker & Tom Howsden
18) George Schaefer & Tom DeTray
25) K.Engelbertson & Tom Howsden
29) Roland Falb & Peter Lahmann

Acolytes:

Jehan Shea
Ronan Lupo
Jack Millam
Weston Engelbertson
Jonah Freeman

Counters: **04)** Farrell & Falb **11)** Stocker & Falb **18)** Bryant
25) Doench

Flowers: **04)** OPEN **11)** OPEN **18)** OPEN **25)** Mattson

Altar Guild:

04) Jodie DeTray & Teri Bryant
11) Rita Nay & Marlene Farrell
18) Mary McHenry
25) Karen Howsden & Jodie DeTray
29) Cherie Hill & Chris Pfaff

Coffee Hour:

04)*Cherie Hill/Julie Liseth/Sharon Kilbourn(c)
11)*Sandy Lupo/Shirlee Hall/Linda Boetsch(c)
18)*Teri Bryant/Karen Howsden/Rita Nay(c)
25)*Katie Foss/Shelly Stocker/Sommer Engelbertson(c)

May Birthdays

1. Dick Piesch
2. Chris Pfaff
7. Rachel Torres
10. Maximus Turner
12. Tom Angell
Rev. Larry Bergman
13. Larry Hall
14. Lena Ackerson
15. Samantha Turner
21. Marilyn Hepola
24. Moni Poppe
25. Jacob Turner
26. Teri Bryant
Gabriel Burger
Amelia Helman
27. Bruce Hood
31. Chris Riley

May Anniversaries

3. Erik & Alicia Wingren
2008
7. Greg & Lori Pulver
1994
14. Loren & Myrna Davidson
1960
20. Mark & Jennie Hays
1988
21. Kevin & Sommer Engelbertson
2005
24. John & Katie Foss
1980

May 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 8:30am Matins 9:00am Divine Service 10:45 Sunday School Adult Bible Study	5	6 10:00am Quilters	7	8 7:00pm Church Council	9	10
11 9:00am Divine Service 10:45 Sunday School Adult Bible Study	12	13 10:00am Quilters 1:00pm LWML 6:30pm Lutheran Confession Study @ Olympia	14 10:00am Bible Study 5:15pm Family Fun Night	15	16	17
18 9:00am Divine Service 10:45 Sunday School Adult Bible Study Noon New Member Potluck	19	20 10:00am Quilters	21 10:00am Bible Study	22 7:00pm Board of Elders	23	24
25 9:00am Divine Service 10:45 Sunday School Adult Bible Study	26	27 10:00am Quilters 6:30pm Lutheran Confession Study @ Peace	28 10:00am Bible Study	29 7:00pm Ascension Divine Service	30	31

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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.