# Welcome to Praise and Worship

How is the battle going? The journey of faith in Christ is often just that as we struggle against temptations and desires that are contrary to God's will. God's Word and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper remind us that the battle is not against people but against spiritual dark forces and He wants to strengthen our spiritual lives this morning. Today we are called to be honest about our sin and confess it to God that we may be cleansed and empowered to win the battles we find ourselves in on our journey of faith.

# October 2, 2016 – Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

"I love the LORD, for He heard my voice; He heard my cry or mercy. How priceless is Your unfailing love! Both high and low among men find refuge in the shadow of Your wings." Psalm 116:1; Ps. 36:7

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER Mark 7:14-23 (pg. 1564)

Mark Rue

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

EXPRESSION OF WORSHIP

Katie Newton

**MESSAGE** Romans 7:7-12 (pg. 1755)

"The Law in Our Life"

#### COMMUNION

Although you do not have to be a member of this church to take part in the Lord's Supper, the Bible teaches that to take it you are to have accepted Jesus as your personal Savior and examine your heart and conduct, recognizing the significance of the Supper and participate in it with a sincere and repentant heart.

#### PRAYER

### **RESPONSIVE HYMN NO. 360**

Wonderful Grace of Jesus

THERE IS A "CHURCH" IN THE BACK FOR THE DEACON'S FUND FOLLOWING THE SERVICE

**DOXOLOGY HYMN NO. 7:** "Praise God from whom all blessing flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen"

"Pray for us, too, that God may open a door for our message, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ." Colossians 4:3

## Our Mission

"Our Mission is to glorify God by making disciples of Jesus Christ and by becoming a loving, serving, and maturing body of believers characterized by honesty about our sin and dependence upon God's grace."

## **Prayer Changes Things**

- Place our elections in God's hands and ask His guidance in the voting process.
- For the possibility of a Bible School for the C.L.B.A.
- Against fear in sharing Jesus with others.

## Opportunities at Peace This Week

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	Mon	11:30 am	Women's Bible Study in the Fellowship Room.
	Tues	6:30 pm	CareNet Fund Raiser Dinner. Talk to Mark & Clarissa if you are
		_	interested in attending.
	Wed	6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study
		6:30 pm	Refuge for 6th to 12th graders.
		6:30 pm	Men's Bible Study at Lilly Rd. DQ
	Thur	7:00 pm	Care Group at Jack & Marlene Inverso's.
	Sat	12:30-	Community Puzzle Exchange at our church. You are welcome to
		1:30 pm	bring your own or just come pick up some at the end. We have lots of
			extras!
	Sun	8:45 am	Message for those who want to hear it early.
		9:00 am	Join us in prayer for the ministry and the day.
		9:30 am	Sunday School for all ages.
		10:45 am	Morning Worship Service
			Looking Ahead
	10/15		Men's Breakfast
	10/18		Quarterly Business Meeting
	10/21-10/22		Region North Men's Retreat. Brochures under the mailboxes.
	10/31		Trunk or Treat. Consider helping in this outreach event by bringing
			your "trunk" or giving a bag of candy.

\*The prayer list is meant to be a guide for our praying for one another on a regular basis. Intercessory prayer is meant to support and sustain us. The more we pray for each other, the greater the opportunity for the power of prayer to be experienced and demonstrated in our lives. Prayer couplings for this week: Group 1 pray for Group 5, 2 for 6, 3 for 7, 4 for 8, 5 for 9, 6 for 10, 7 for 11, 8 for 1, 9 for 2, 10 for 2, 11 for 3. This list can be found on the table next to the door going out of the sanctuary.

### A special "hello" to our guests! For your information:

- There is a hearing system available. If you need assistance, ask a sound guy in the back booth.
- A nursery is available for children infant through 3 years old in the room at the back of our worship area.
- Children's Activity Bags are in the back of our worship area.

Annual Fall Boutique.

- If you'd like to see who we are and what we do, pick up the latest newsletter on the entry bulletin board.
- If you'd like to hear a message after any Sunday, go to this link: http://www.peacelbchurch.org/

#### Reminders:

11/4 & 11/5

- Write your prayer request on a card provided. It will be taken during the worship of our tithes.
- Junior Church for 4 year olds to 5th grade: This Sunday Beth Sjoding Next Sunday — Linda Tilson