

Welcome to Praise and Worship

One event that the Bible is clear on is the return of Jesus and Judgment Day. Are you ready for that? Praise God for His gift of faith. It is the oil for our lamps as we wait for His coming. We extend a special welcome to our guests this morning. May God richly bless you as we express our love for Him.

November 26, 2017 – Last Sunday of the Church Year

“How lovely is Your dwelling place, O LORD Almighty! My soul yearns, even faints, for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh cry out for the living God.”
Psalm 84:1,2

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER 1 Thess. 4:13-18 (pg. 1840) Bruce Shaw

EXPRESSION OF WORSHIP Amanda England

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

MESSAGE Matthew 25:1-13 (pg. 1540) *“Appearances Can Be Deceiving”*

RESPONSIVE HYMN NO. 302 *Breathe on Me, Breath of God*

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”

“Our prayer: that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel.” Ephesians 6:19

Our Vision

“We see people being actively impacted by Jesus Christ, resulting in their lives being changed and transformed. We see people falling in love with Jesus their Savior, who are purposefully sharing their faith, hope, and love with others. We see God bringing dynamic change to this generation and the next for His glory.”

Prayer Changes Things

- Pray for the missionaries who have been called to the peoples living in the 10/40 window. May God bless them, protect them, and confirm the call He has given them.
- Preparations for our Sunday School Christmas Program.
- For boldness to overcome our fears of sharing Jesus with others.

Opportunities at Peace This Week

TODAY: 12:15 Christmas Decorating

- Wed 6:30 pm Ladies Bible Study in Fellowship Room.
6:30 pm Refuge for 6th to 12th graders.
- Sat 6:00 pm **Corporate Prayer** for church, community, county, country, continent and beyond. We meet in the Fellowship Room.
- 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.
12:45 pm **Ladies and Girls Christmas Party.** Bring a plate of finger food to share for lunch. If you want to participate in the Christmas decoration exchange, bring a wrapped \$5 item. Check out the invite and hand it to a friend.

Looking Ahead

- Dec. 10 2:30 pm Adult Fellowship Christmas Party. Bring a \$10 item to exchange.
Dec. 17 6:00 pm Sunday School Christmas Program with the preceding two Saturdays for practicing. NOTE: Day change
Dec. 24 6:00 pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Service.

*The prayer list is meant to be a guide for our praying for one another on a regular basis. Prayer couplings for this week: Group 1 pray for Group 9, 2 for 10, 3 for 11, 4 for 1, 5 for 2, 6 for 3, 7 for 4, 8 for 5, 9 for 6, 10 for 7, 11 for 8. 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.
- 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:

- 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 – Sue Hanson
Next Sunday – Nicole Frost