

Welcome to Praise and Worship

Thank you for joining us! In the Advent season we look back on the promises God has fulfilled for us and also we look forward to the promises of the future when He will come to take us to be with Him. Until then, we live as *People Enriched At Christ's Expense*, who trust in His grace and continue to prepare for His coming again. May God richly bless you today and through this season as we encourage one another to trust in Christ on our journey of faith.

Second Sunday
in Advent



December 8, 2019 – Second Sunday of Advent

“Who may ascend the hill of the LORD? Who may stand in His holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to an idol or swear by what is false. He will receive blessing from the LORD and vindication from God his Savior. Such is the generation of those who seek Him, who seek Your face, O God of Jacob.”

Psalm 24:3-6

WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

PRAYER

MESSAGE Malachi 3:1-4 (pg. 1490)

“God Prepares Us for Christ’s Return”

WORSHIP

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 Purpose

*“Love God, Love People, and Make Disciples
– all through Jesus Christ.”*

Prayer Changes Things

- God’s provisions on Anne Marie and company on preparing our children to share the Christmas program.
- Peace, joy and good health for our missionaries.
- Revival in our country.

Opportunities at Peace This Week

TODAY: 12:15 pm - Ladies and Girl’s Christmas Party

- Wed 6:30 pm Ladies Bible Study at Marlene’s.
7:00 pm Life Group at Art and Marion’s.
- Thur 7:00 pm Life Group at Marlene Inverso’s.
- Sat 10-2:00 pm **Sunday School Christmas Program** practice., lunch provided.
2:30 pm **Adult Fellowship Christmas Party.** For all “adults.” Please bring a \$10 gift to exchange/person and a plate of finger food.
- 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.
10:30 am Fellowship time with doughnuts.
10:45 am Morning Worship Service.
NO Potluck.
6:00 pm **Sunday School Christmas Program.** Please bring a plate of cookies to share after the program.

Looking Ahead

- 12/22 No Sunday School 12/22, 12/29, or 1/5.
Christmas Eve on Sunday Morning Service.
- 12/24 6:00 pm Christmas Eve Service

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 Peace Lutheran Brethren Church, Olympia on the web. Sermon Audio link is on the homepage.

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 – Beth Sjoding
Next Sunday – Sue Hanson