

✧ Called to be Christ's Community of Truth and Mercy ✧
 ✧ Saved by Grace - Solid in the Word - Here to Serve ✧

Welcome!

"God Himself is present: Let us now adore Him And with awe appear before Him. God is in His temple; All within keep silence; Humbly kneel in deepest reverence. He alone On His throne Is our God and Savior; Praise His name forever! Hymn 907 st.1 LSB



Holy Communion

Today we celebrate the Sacrament of our Lord Jesus Christ's true body and true blood. Reception of the Lord's Supper expresses not only fellowship with the Lord, but also fellowship and agreement with the teaching of the pastor and congregation. We want to express our sincere welcome to our guests and assure them that out of care for each person and a desire to be faithful to God's Word we follow the biblical practice of closed communion. All guests are kindly asked to please speak with Pastor Gaunt before communing at our altar. Normally, people from churches in fellowship with the LCMS, are welcome to partake. Those not communing, who so desire, may come to the altar to receive a blessing. So that the pastor knows you desire a blessing please cross your arms over your chest. Please pray with us that we might all be truly united in the teaching of our Lord's precious word. (For further study: 1 Cor. 11:17-34; Matt. 5:23ff; 10:32ff; 18:15-35; 6:26-29.)

Prayers of the Church

Circuit Congregation St. Paul, Kenesaw **Health Issues** + Joyce Lynn Christensen (Wes' Step-Mother) + Duane Hoegren (Katie Hoin's Father) + Lisa Novak + Kellie Boutin + Linda Parsons + Don Nissen + Kara Nissen + Rose Witt + John Parsons + Dee Janssen **Military** + Ross Peters + Gary Thompson

In His Service

Presiding Minister: Rev. Micah R. Gaunt
 Organist: Dr. Phil Hesterman Cantor: Mr. David Witt
 Altar Guild: November: Brenda Christensen, Jackie Russell
 Elders: Dick LeBeau, Derek Zeisler, Dustin Russell
 Acolyte: Merrick Russell

Gifts of Time and Treasure

For more Financial Information see monthly newsletter.
 A complete accounting of all financials are provided at each Quarterly Voters' Meeting. Questions? Jerry Blazer, Treasurer 402-303-0932

The Lord's Week

Sunday	Nov. 5	8:30am	Pre-Service Prayer (<i>West wing</i>)
		9:00am	Divine Service
		10:15am	Sunday School, Bible Study-opening
Monday	Nov. 6	4:00pm	L.W.M.L. Executive Board
Tuesday	Nov. 7	9:30am	Bible Study
		6:00pm	Board of Finance
		7:00pm	Quarterly Council
Wednesday	Nov. 8	5:30pm	Meal
		6:15pm	Catechesis Service
		7:15pm	Youth Group
Saturday	Nov. 11	9:00am	Men's Prayer Group
Sunday	Nov. 12	8:30am	Pre-Service Prayer (<i>West wing</i>)
		9:00am	Divine Service
		10:15am	Bible Study, Children's Sunday School

Saints Are Blessed in the Eternal Presence of Christ

"A great multitude from all tribes and peoples and languages," cry out "salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne" (Rev. 7:9-17). Faith-filled saints from every place and time with unified voices eternally magnify the Lamb of God. As His beloved children, we too, "shall see him as he is" (1 John 3:1-3). Joined with the throng of angels and a myriad of saints, we shall "serve him day and night in his temple" (Rev. 7:9-17). In our earthly tension vacillating between saint and sinner, faith and doubt, sacred and profane, we earnestly seek Jesus to calm our fears, comfort our spirits, and forgive our sins. The Holy Spirit, through faith in Christ propels us forward, fortifying us in Word and Sacrament, to our eternal home. In the midst of our constant struggle as believers, we need to be blessed. And so we are. The poor in spirit, the meek, the hungry, the thirsty, the merciful, the pure, and the persecuted are all blessed and we will most certainly inherit the kingdom of heaven (Matt. 5:1-12).



Prelude & Ringing of Bells	
Hymn	#670
Confession & Absolution	p. 184
Service of the Word	
Introit	<i>insert</i>
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First Reading	
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Hymn of the Day	#677
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Prayer of the Church	
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Thanksgiving & Collect	
Salutation & Benedicamus	
Benediction	
Hymn	#680
Postlude	
Announcements	
<i>P: Go In Peace</i>	
C: "Thanks Be To God!"	

News and Notes of Interest

Divine Service: Sunday, Divine Service 9:00 A.M.
10:15 A.M. Sunday School, Bible Study-opening

Birthdays 11/06 Mike Carroll 11/07 Ernesto Alvidrez
11/09 Shannon Fowler None this week for **Baptismal**
or **Wedding Anniversary**.

Lifequote “Our comfort and motivation do not derive from laws. We neither live only according to the body nor labor for this world alone. No matter who holds office or how they decide and lead, the Lord our God reigns.” • lutheransforlife.org

A **Breakfast with Baby** event will take place on Saturday, November 18, 2023, 9-10 a.m. at Peace Lutheran Church, 906 N. California Ave., Hastings, Nebraska. All young women, single or married, with infants and preschool age children are invited to attend for conversation, making friends, mentoring, and sharing the joy of the Lord. No strings attached. A light breakfast with coffee, tea, and juice will be served. Child care will be provided for all ages. An RSVP is nice, but not required. Please call the church at 402-462-9023 or text 308-631-3963. Brought to you by Peace Lutheran Church, area LCMS Lutheran churches, and the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod Million Dollar Life Grant.

Sunday, Nov. 19th Voters' Meeting 10:15am
Budgets and Elections

Stewardship Sunday Potluck Dinner

An all-church potluck dinner will be held on Stewardship Sunday, November 19, 2023, immediately following the Quarterly Voter's Meeting, about 11:30 a.m. Each family or single person is asked to bring one dish to share. Please plan to stay and enjoy some great food and fellowship.

Wednesday, November 22

7 p.m. Thanksgiving Eve Service

Breakfast with St. Nicholas Saturday, December 9, 2023 from 9:00am-11:00am. Volunteers to help with our annual Breakfast with St. Nicholas. We need help in the following areas-serving breakfast and crafts. Please leave your name and contact information if you would be interested in serving. Sign-up is in the narthex (table). Public Relations

The Congregation at Prayer

Speak aloud as much of this order of prayer as you are able.

In the name of the Father, and of the ✠ Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The 10 Commandments

The Apostles Creed

The Lord's Prayer

Other Readings for the Week: *The Gospel Lesson on Monday, The Gospel Verse on Tuesday, The Epistle Lesson on Wednesday, The Gradual Verse on Thursday, The First Lesson on Friday & The Introit on Saturday.*

Pray in response to the Catechism and/or Readings for the Week. *What is God teaching you to **thank** Him for? What sin is He teaching you to **confess**? What is God teaching you to **ask** for? You may also pray this week's Collect, as well as for the prayers of the church (found in the bulletin).*

May the almighty and most merciful God, Father, ✠ Son and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.

Hymn- #677 “For All the Saints”

Next Week's Readings: Job 14:1-6, Thessalonians 4:13-18, Luke 17:20-30.

Week of Sunday, Nov. 5 (Midweek Service Nov. 8th)

The Third Article

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen
What does this mean?

In the same way he calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian church He daily and richly forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers.

Bible Verse

How does faith come to us?

Faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ. (Romans 10:17)

Question

What is the Church?

Bible Reading

Acts 2: 42-47

Luther's Small Catechism for Kids: p. 58-60

All Saints Day
Divine Service Setting 3

November 5th
9:00am



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