

A Prayer a Day

90 Days of Short Prayers
For God's Blessing on Our Congregation
And Our Capital Campaign



Open *the* Doors



PEACE

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Peace Lutheran Church

Imagine if each Member Prayed One Prayer a Day...

Each Peace household is receiving this booklet as part of the *Open the Doors of Peace* campaign. Imagine what would happen if every member prayed the simple daily prayer in this booklet each day. That would be over 500 prayers a day asking God to help us understand his purpose for our church, bless this campaign, and help us better proclaim his Word to our members, the community and the world.

We ask that you put this booklet on your nightstand, near the dinner table, on your desk at work or wherever it will be convenient for you to take a moment and say the daily petitions.

These petitions were written specifically for our congregation. You will note that the same prayer is repeated each Monday. This is the prayer that specifically asks for God to be merciful to our campaign. If you notice that the daily prayers differ in style, it is because our own Peace members wrote many of the prayers. In addition to Pastor Siebert, myself, and the campaign Co-Directors, other prayer writers include members of the LWML, the Elders, our choir and musicians, church leaders and some of our new members and young families. We know that each of these prayers will be a blessing to you. We also hope that if you are not in the habit of daily prayer, this will inspire you to keep praying even when the campaign is over.

The prayers are organized around the different themes of the different weeks of the campaign. Some weeks the prayers will focus on spiritual renewal, other weeks on stewardship, and other weeks on celebrating the gifts that are coming forward during this campaign.

This Booklet is Also a Helpful Campaign Calendar Tool. Interspersed in the gray boxes are reminders of all the meaningful events and projects going on during the campaign.

If you want extra booklets you can pick them up in the narthex at church.

Blessed Praying,

Pastors Mackay and Siebert and the Campaign Spiritual Renewal Team

Monday, February 10 Day 1

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, February 11 Day 2

Dear Heavenly Father, thank You for all that You daily provide for us. Guide us now as we seek Your will for our Capital Campaign, knowing that all we have or will have comes from Your hand. Give us wisdom that we may know Your will and be guided by the same, and that Peace Lutheran may provide knowledge of true faith to those around us. We ask this in Jesus name. Amen.

The first *Open the Doors of Peace* Newsletter was mailed with this booklet. Be sure to read it cover to cover for important information about how Peace will be raising funds for our building improvements.

Wednesday, February 12 Day 3

O Lord, as I trust in You, give new life as I revel in the joy of music leading to spiritual growth. We thank You for this Campaign and ask You to bring renewed opportunities to work for you in Spirit and in truth. Help us to know that glorious music gives the joy needed to move forward in His name. Grant that we might have the space for better musical joy. We pray for the success of this Campaign and for You to let us accomplish all that is necessary for the most growth according to Your will. Amen.

Thursday, February 13 Day 4

Heavenly Father, we come to You in prayer asking for Your blessings as we venture into our campaign to “Open the Doors of Peace.” We trust You will guide us as You have for many years. We pray for Your continued strength as You prepare all our hearts and minds to see what You see as we go forward. You have set before us the opportunity to serve Your flock at Peace. Help us to have caring, loving, generous hearts as we, in some small way, attempt to give back. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

Friday, February 14 Day 5

Lord God, you are our rock and our foundation. We pray you would guide our ways in thought, word and deed, so that they may be pleasing to you as we continue this journey. In your holy precious Name we pray. Amen.

Saturday, February 15 Day 6

Dear Father, Son and Holy Spirit: We are about to embark on a Campaign to raise awareness of the need of a new building and fellowship to worship YOU in. We ask that You help us with our thoughts and ideas how to make this Campaign successful. Please make our members willing to accept this challenge. This we ask in Jesus name. Amen.

Sunday, February 16 Day 7

O Lord, graciously hear the prayers of Your people that we who justly suffer the consequence of our sin may be mercifully delivered by Your goodness to the glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Looking for a way to get involved in the campaign? Consider hosting a Home Gathering or signing up for an hour of our Prayer Vigil on March 8.

Monday, February 17 Day 8

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, February 18 Day 9

Dear Heavenly Father, You gave Your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon Himself. Grant that we, Your adopted children by grace, may daily be renewed by Your Holy Spirit to grow spiritually, personally and as a congregation. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Wednesday, February 19 Day 10

Our Father, we know You are the giver of all things. Guide us in our effort to build, so Your outreach will increase. As the Psalmist says, "unless the Lord build the house, its builders labor in vain." So God, be our builder. Thank You in advance. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Thursday, February 20 Day 11

Gracious Father in heaven, I praise Your holy name for all the blessings given to me because of Jesus Christ, whom You sent into the world to be my Savior. Because of Your abundant grace, mercy, and peace shown through my Lord's sacrificial death and glorious resurrection, I live in the sure and certain confidence of my eternal life in heaven, and for this I give you my heartfelt

thanks. Lord, I pray for the success of the Capital Campaign my congregation is conducting at this time. I pray that You will speak to my heart and mind and to those of our members and move us to act as You lead us. I pray we will experience spiritual growth through this process and a deepening of our faith in You. Through all this, Lord, help us to be a willing steward of the blessings of time, talents and treasure You abundantly give to us so that we may glorify You through generous, cheerful and obedient giving. Thank you, Lord, for hearing my prayer. In Jesus precious name I pray. Amen.

Friday, February 21 Day 12

Heavenly Father, You sent us Your Son, the Cornerstone upon which the Church was built. We pray that you continue to provide for our church, that our congregation may grow. In Jesus name, Amen.

This Sunday we begin three weeks of special sermons and Bible studies on spiritual renewal.

Saturday, February 22 Day 13

My dear Father in heaven: As we proceed to accomplish this campaign to raise sufficient funds for a new and/or updated place to worship YOU, we ask You to give us the right mind-set so that we may grow in faith of our beloved Savior, Jesus Christ, who gave His all on the cross. Help us to be more cohesive as a congregation and although there will be difference of opinions, help us to work through these differences in a kind way. This we ask in Jesus name. Amen.

Sunday, February 23 Day 14

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in You, mercifully grant that by Your power we may be defended against all adversity; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Monday, February 24 Day 15

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, February 25 Day 16

Dear gracious Lord, You are so very good to each and every one of us. We humbly bow before You to ask for Your help in our need for continual spiritual growth. May the Holy Spirit touch each of us individually and also the other members of our congregation during this Capital Campaign. Help each of us to yearn to study Your Word more and to share the Word. Put that Word into our hearts that others may know by sharing the Word with them, too. Let all of us grow spiritually, knowing that You are our guide, the all-knowing One, and that only through Your Word, with the Holy Spirit's help, can we grow spiritually. We pray our congregation would be united in our Campaign efforts and that we all trust in Your Word to guide our Campaign and our lives. We ask Your gracious guidance to our pastors, all leaders and members of Peace Lutheran. Praise and thanks be to You always. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Did you get Newsletter #2? If not call the church office for a copy and be sure to read it cover to cover for important information on the campaign.

Wednesday, February 26 Day 17

Our Father in heaven, You have given us all we have. Keep us strong in faith, always trusting You, so that we might honor You. In the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Thursday, February 27 Day 18

Gracious God, You have promised to preserve Your Church until the last day and return of your Son. Defend Your Church from all error and strengthen her in the proclamation of Your unchanging truth, so that, by the hearing and study of Your Word, Your people may grow in trust toward you and in the generosity of love toward one another. Amen.

Friday, February 28 Day 19

Dear God, maker of heaven and earth. You make the weak strong. We have failed to trust you completely. Strengthen our faith so that we might lean on you and not our own understanding, both personally and as a congregation. In You we ask all these things. Amen.

Have you started to review the Spiritual Exercises Booklet? We will all be making a spiritual pledge on March 9.

Saturday, March 1 Day 20

My dear Father in heaven: As we are now in the third week of this Capital Campaign, I ask that the Holy Spirit fill our hearts with spiritual blessings. Lord please help us realize the wonderful gift we have in receiving our Savior, Jesus Christ. Though You are allowing us to be on this earth for a span of time, there is no greater gift than what You have given us for our eternal salvation. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Sunday, March 2 Day 21

O Lord, mercifully hear our prayers and having set us free from the bonds of our sins deliver us from every evil; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, March 3 Day 22

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, March 4 Day 23

O Lord, bringer of salvation, we humbly pray for more opportunities to serve those who do not know You. By working to provide more space for our church to grow in bonding and unity, grant that more ladies of Peace Lutheran search to help each other and become a friend in all ways. Continue to bless us as we ask for guidance for all ladies of our church. This we ask for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Have you signed up for a time at the Prayer Vigil this coming Saturday? Join your fellow members for an hour of prayer, asking God's blessing on Peace and the *Open the Doors of Peace* campaign.

Wednesday, March 5 Day 24

I praise and honor You, I worship and glorify Father, Son and Holy Ghost. "Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it." "It is good to give thanks to Your name, O Most High." We pray for Godly and generous spiritual pledges at the Spiritual Commitment Sunday and a meaningful uplifting Prayer Vigil. "Come and see what God has done – He is awesome in His deeds toward the children of man." "Blessed be God!!!! – because He has not rejected my prayer or removed His steadfast love from me!" Amen.

Thursday, March 6 Day 25

Creator and Preserver of faith, because we cannot by our own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ or come to Him, you have given us Your Holy Spirit in Holy Baptism. Stir us up to a greater love for You and Your Word by which you strengthen and keep us in the one true faith. This we ask, not because we are worthy, but for the sake of Your Son who shed His blood that we might be Your people. Amen.

Friday, March 7 Day 26

Dear Father in heaven, You are the one that provides us with all we have. Help me today and in future days that I may not use my time to consider and hesitate, but be positive in all my desires and pursue them. Grant me strength to hold each day precious and live it to its fullest. This we ask for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Bring your Spiritual Renewal Pledge Card to church this weekend.

Saturday, March 8 Day 27

Dear Father, You have given us wise and learned Pastors to guide us. Give us the thoughtfulness and faith to commit to further spiritual understanding and endeavors. Help us with our involvement in the Prayer Vigil to help us further our church at Peace and Your Church everlasting. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Sunday, March 9 Day 28

O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, March 10 Day 29

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, March 11 Day 30

Heavenly Father, You know our every need and provide daily for us. Grant us a faith that acknowledges all that You do for us. As we begin our journey into new and uncharted fields, we ask that You would guide and direct us as we begin this Campaign for funds for the proposed addition to our church. Be with our members and bless the Home Gathering meetings. Help us to grow both spiritually and in stewardship and give thankfully and joyfully as You have blessed us. This we pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Wednesday, March 12 Day 31

Heavenly Father, as the provider of all good gifts, bless the efforts of the Campaign at Peace, so Your Word may be spread in our church family, our community, and throughout the mission fields. In Jesus name we ask this. Amen.

Thursday, March 13 Day 32

Almighty and gracious Lord, though we may plan and strive for success in all our endeavors, unless You bless our work, we strive in vain. Grant that Your will be done among us as we plan for the future. Defend us from Satan's temptations to discord, from the obstacles of the world around us, and from the uprisings of our own sinful nature, that we might gather together and be of one mind in your Son Jesus Christ. In His name we pray. Amen.

Did you R.S.V.P. to a Home Gathering? If you cannot attend the original Gathering you were invited to, be sure to find one that fits your schedule. These are very important to the campaign success.

Friday, March 14 Day 33

Dear Lord, You are the ever loving Father. Provide us faith to come together with Your love and support so that our congregation can have spiritual and stewardship growth and that our time together during Home Gatherings be rewarding. In the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

Saturday, March 15 Day 34

Dear Father in heaven: As we proceed to hold Home Gathering meetings, please help each member to be willing to attend these meetings. Please give us the intellect and ability to converse with each other in a kind and friendly manner. Please help the leaders give thoughtful ways to tell the message that is to be told at these meetings. Also I ask that You be with the members that host these Home Gathering meetings. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Sunday, March 16 Day 35

O God, You see that of ourselves we have no strength. By Your mighty power defend us from all adversities that may happen to the body and from all evil thoughts that may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, March 17 Day 36

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, March 18 Day 37

Dear Father in Heaven, You are the provider of all that we need and have. We forget to thank You for all the blessings You bestow on us and take everything for granted. Now we come before You asking your blessing upon this Campaign for funds to build an addition on our church. You know our needs, Lord, and we pray for spiritual growth and guidance in this endeavor. Bless the Home Gathering meetings and strengthen our fellowship with other church members. If it is your will, we pray for success as we go forward. This we ask for the sake of your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

If you still need to find a Home Gathering that fits your schedule, call the church at 402 462-9023.

Wednesday, March 19 Day 38

Father in heaven: You are the Giver of all good gifts. Grant that we could be generous with these, Your gifts, so that we may share our time and talents as we join in fellowship at the Home Gathering meetings this week. In the name of Your Son, our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Thursday, March 20 Day 39

Dear Heavenly Father, we come before You to ask You to strengthen our faith and trust in You by us hearing and learning more of Your Word. May You lead and guide all of us on this journey. Provide us the means to reach out to those who are in need of hearing Your Word and help us accomplish the goals that we have set for our church. Let it be Thy will. In Jesus Christ our Savior's name. Amen.

Friday, March 21 Day 40

Almighty and merciful God, You graciously gave Your only Son who shed His blood to redeem Your people. Grant that we may continue to grow in love and trust toward You as we care for those around us; through the same Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Saturday, March 22 Day 41

We thank you dear heavenly Father for Your love and mercy so strong. You sent Your only Son, Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of all our sins. Our prayer is that the Holy Spirit will lead and guide us to do Your will in our lives and Your house of worship. Let us show this special love You've given us and share it with one another today, tomorrow and forever in Your kingdom. In Your name we pray. Amen and amen.

Don't miss the Peace Video starring your fellow members! It is showing at the Home Gathering Meetings.

Sunday, March 23 Day 42

O God, whose glory it is always to have mercy, be gracious to all who have gone astray from Your ways and bring them again with penitent hearts and steadfast faith to embrace and hold fast the unchangeable truth of Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, March 24 Day 43

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, March 25 Day 44

Dear Father in heaven, creator and sustainer of all the living, bless our Home Gatherings in the "Open the Doors of Peace" Campaign, that we may grow in faith and trust so we may be diligent stewards of the gifts you have bestowed unto us, for the sake of Your beloved Son Jesus Christ. Amen.

We're planning a wonderful Pledge Event. Be sure to attend!

Wednesday, March 26 Day 45

Dear Father in heaven, as You open the gates to Your heavenly home, we thank You. We pray You bless the Home Gatherings, that they may draw us closer to one another with Christ as our foundation. We ask this in Your Holy Name. Amen.

Thursday, March 27 Day 46

Lord of faithfulness, Your mercies are new every morning, and Your grace is sufficient for each new day. In Your mercy and with Your great compassion, You have prepared this day for me and filled it with opportunities to serve You. Heavenly Father, I pray for the success of our Capital Campaign to expand our church building. I pray for commitment to this campaign from the members of our congregation and for effective and successful home gathering meetings. May these meetings help build unity of mind and purpose and a community of fellowship among our members as we glorify You and give thanks for the many

gifts You have given to us. Lord, You can do more than we know or ask. Please strengthen us in our spiritual walk and in our stewardship growth. Renew my strength that I may live the rest of my days on earth to Your glory and according to Your will. In my Savior's name I pray. Amen.

Friday, March 28 Day 47

Dear Father, our Lord in heaven. Thank you for the trials that you have put in our path as they bring us closer to you in faith. Help us to stay on the right path in our journey, with Your spiritual guidance, as we go about our daily lives. This we ask in our faith of You and Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Saturday, March 29 Day 48

To our one and only Triune God, we at Peace Lutheran pray for the unity of us all. Keep peace among us to do Your will, not with bricks and mortar, but with Your love. We present our skills and gifts for the glory of Your kingdom. You meet all our needs, especially our spiritual needs, with Your mercy and Sacraments. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Sunday, March 30 Day 49

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, Your mercies are new every morning; and though we deserve only punishment, You receive us as Your children and provide for all our needs of body and soul. Grant that we may heartily acknowledge Your merciful goodness, give thanks for all Your benefits, and serve You in willing obedience; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, March 31 Day 50

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, April 1 Day 51

Our giving Father, all that we have is from You. We are stewards. May we be good stewards and share our wealth and talents in this building program. Open our billfolds and purses to express our love to You. You love a cheerful giver! You gave Your Son Jesus, in His name, Amen.

We hope to see all of our members celebrate together this weekend at the Pledge Event.

Wednesday, April 2 Day 52

Almighty God, heavenly Father, grant us prayerfully to be generous in our giving, as we go forward in making our pledges, all of our gifts coming from you. Be with Your servants who sing praises to God with voices and instruments, that we Your people may serve to the glory of Your holy name. Even as You bless us Your servants with various and unique gifts of the Holy Spirit, grant us grace to use them to Your honor here at Peace. Direct and guide us by Your Word, always trusting in Your mercy and forgiveness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thursday, April 3 Day 53

O Lord, God of all, You know the needs of all people. Grant us faith in You to help grow Your Church by allowing all who can to make a pledge to the spiritual and financial aid needed to advance Your work at Peace Lutheran Church. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Friday, April 4 Day 54

Dear Lord, maker and sustainer of everything good. You provided for your people as they wandered through the desert. Grant us generous hearts like yours to provide for our church future. Remind us that all we have comes from you, so that we might give with faithful hearts and gladness. We ask all these things in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Saturday, April 5 Day 55

Dear Father, Son and Holy Spirit: We realize we as humans are weak and sinful. Each one of us has an inherent want to hold on to what we have, when if we really stop and think about it, it isn't ours in the first place. There is a time when each one of us must finally make a decision on what our financial pledge will be. Help us to trust You that You will help us make it happen. Please help us with our final decision that it may glorify You. In Jesus name we pray. Amen..

Sunday, April 6 Day 56

Almighty God, by Your great goodness mercifully look upon Your people that we may be governed and preserved evermore in body and soul; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, April 7 Day 57

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, April 8 Day 58

Dear Father in heaven, we humbly thank You for all that we have as our church and as our lives have been greatly blessed. Help us to grow in your grace, seek always Your will, and help each other wherever we are needed. Give more people the opportunity to be there for each other with caring and compassion and stewardship. Lord, we pray that we may bring glory to Your name. This we ask for Jesus sake, Amen.

Wednesday, April 9 Day 59

Lord God, heavenly Father, all that we have, and all that we are, are gifts from You. Open our hearts, so that we may receive Your gifts with joy and share those gifts with others. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Thursday, April 10 Day 60

Heavenly Father, You are the giver of every good gift and promise to provide everything we need to support our body and life. By the power of Your Spirit, grant that we may trust this in the face of our trials and pressures of our daily life, so that we might be set free to support the proclamation of the Gospel where You gather your people around Word and Sacrament. Amen.

Pledge Day was last weekend. If you have not joined the rest of the congregation in making your pledge, be sure to turn in your card to the church office.

Friday, April 11 Day 61

Dear God, our Heavenly Father. We humbly thank You for sending Your Holy Spirit to work in our congregation's hearts and minds, keeping us in the faith of Your Holy Word and the promise of the everlasting life to come. As we continue to grow together in that faith, we ask that you would especially concentrate Your loving guidance in the way of stewardship and personal pledge, that each member may find calling in their hearts to donate of their time and efforts to benefit Your kingdom on earth. Because of You and You alone do we possess the strengths and abilities to spread Your Word of faith to one another, for with you, there is no foundation on which to build and grow. We cannot bring ourselves to the cross by way of our own sinful natures, and therefore cannot lend our hands of stewardship to one another on our own accord. By You, all things are possible, and we humbly ask for Your Holy Spirit to work in our hearts and minds. For the sake of Your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Saturday, April 12 Day 62

Dear Father in heaven: At this time most of us have made our pledges. If some haven't yet, please help those members to accomplish this soon. We hope and pray that it was a meaningful pledge. We ask that You help us with the success of this Campaign and that it has made us think about what You have done for us. Please grant us the desire to do what You want us to do. Please help us accept whatever Your wishes are to be done. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Sunday, April 13 Day 63

Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, April 14 Day 64

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, April 15 Day 65

Dear heavenly Father, we come again to the source of all blessings, asking that You will lead us and guide us as we come to You in prayer. We pray for the Capital Campaign and the spiritual and stewardship growth of Peace Lutheran Church, that it might be successful. We pray that those who have not pledged may do so at this time. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Wednesday, April 16 Day 66

Lord and Savior, You loved Your Church laying down Your life for her and redeeming her by the shedding of Your most holy precious blood. Continue to care for your Church as she continues to proclaim the message of salvation in Your name, and continue to feed your people, and spur us on to care for our neighbors; for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Thursday, April 17 Day 67

Heavenly Father, You established the Church on the crucified Jesus, the Stone the builders rejected. Keep our congregation ever founded upon this Rock by the hearing and meditation upon the Word, and grant that we may continue to be a place for your people to gather in the name of Your Son. Amen.

Friday, April 18 Day 68

Almighty God, Your breath called us into being. Grant that we might listen faithfully to Your call and respond generously and fully with faithfulness and trust in You who provides. In Your name, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

Saturday, April 19 Day 69

Heavenly Father, the source of all wisdom and understanding, guide our Campaign leaders and members of Peace congregation so Your will may be known. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Sunday, April 20 Day 70

O God, for our redemption You gave Your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross and by His glorious resurrection delivered us from the power of the enemy. Grant that all our sin may be drowned through daily repentance and that day by day we may arise to live before You in righteousness and purity forever; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, April 21 Day 71

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, April 22 Day 72

Lord God, heavenly Father, You sent Your Son, Jesus, to us that we might have eternal life in Him. Open the Doors of Peace that we may share the joy and peace we have in knowing Jesus as our Savior. Grant that our faith trusts You at all times and in all situations. Lead us to be good stewards of our time, talent and gifts that we share with others the peace that passes all understanding. Grant these requests in the name of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Wednesday, April 23 Day 73

Dear heavenly Father, thank You for giving us another beautiful day. You provide us with all we have in our lives. Grant us the faith and the trust we need during this special time of growth and changes taking place in our church. If it is Your will, guide and provide our members the reassurance of their offerings for our benefit. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

Thursday, April 24 Day 74

Generous Lord, You call us to decide in our hearts beforehand what we will give to You. You also ask us to give cheerfully and generously. Forgive us when we fail to use a portion of what we have to serve You or become indignant when reminded of this. You gave us everything, even Your very Son. Thank You for Your patience and forgiveness. Help us to do better! Through Jesus we pray. Amen.

Friday, April 25 Day 75

Dear Lord our Heavenly Father, we know that through You all things are possible. Please continue to hold the members of Peace close to Your heart throughout the remainder of our campaign process. Send Your Holy Spirit upon us all and open our hearts and minds to reassure us of Your loving mercy. Remind us that when we make our pledges, You will provide for us even when we are troubled with doubt. Remind us that that whatever we have given or pledge to give here on out, it is all done for You and with the hopes of growing our faith and as a church as well as reaching out to others who are in need of the knowledge of Your glory. All this we ask in thy Son's name. Amen.

Saturday, April 26 Day 76

Gracious Father, source of all blessings, help us willingly share the time, talents and treasures You have granted us, so that others may grow in the knowledge of Your love. In the name of Jesus we ask this. Amen.

Sunday, April 27 Day 77

Almighty God, grant that we who have celebrated the Lord's resurrection may by Your grace confess in our life and conversation that Jesus is Lord and God; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, April 28 Day 78

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, April 29 Day 79

Almighty God, all that we possess is from Your loving hand. Give us grace that we may honor You with all that we own, always mindful of what Jesus Christ did for us. Guide us as we fulfill our pledges. Lord, for today, show us the way. Amen.

Wednesday, April 30 Day 80

Creator of all, You have given us voices to proclaim and praise Your Word and Your truth. As we sing of Your mercy in the Divine Service and other times of Prayer, fill us always with the glorious song of old – that You have sent Your Son into this life to redeem us. Help us to sing and show our “alleluias” this Easter season! In Jesus' name. Amen.

Thursday, May 1 Day 81

Lord God, heavenly Father, bless the families of our congregation. As You raised Samuel in the temple, may we raise our children in Your same presence here at Peace Lutheran. Remind us that in making our pledges we are hoping and placing the lives and futures of the next generation in Your hands. In the name of Jesus we ask this. Amen and amen.

Our pledge total will be announced on May 4. Join us at church that day as we celebrate the Lord's blessings.

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work of all that labored diligently in this Campaign. Open the Doors of Peace, that Your Gospel would shine to those in need and Your kingdom would grow. Whether we have met our goal or not, You will provide for us and the growth of our church. Grant wisdom and guidance to our Pastors and leaders as we celebrate this Campaign and prepare to expand according to Your will. In the name of Jesus. Amen.

Saturday, May 3 Day 83

Heavenly Father, for all the blessings that You have bestowed upon all of us at Peace Lutheran Church, we thank You and pray that we may use these blessings to praise Your glory and the gift of salvation through Your Son, Jesus Christ. May our church's chosen name, Peace, forever remind us to be at peace in knowing that whatever is Thy will, it will be done. Be with us all as we hear Your Word, share Your love and extend great joy to others so that Peace may continue to grow in and for all. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

Sunday, May 4 Day 84

O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Monday, May 5 Day 85

Heavenly Father, you open the doors of heaven each week to give us the gifts of your Word and Sacraments. You have blessed us with two faithful pastors and given us a desire to share all these gifts with more in our community. Lord, have mercy on us as we improve our fellowship space and build a new sanctuary, making Peace more accessible so that your Gospel can be served to more people. We cannot accomplish this task without you. With all thanks and glory, Amen.



Tuesday, May 6 Day 86

Our creating Father, stir us so that the gift of Your Son may reach out to all. Provide us with the will and determination to further Your Church both in growth and in size by our preaching of Your Word. May we always know that You gave Your only Son as a sacrifice for us and our sin. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Wednesday, May 7 Day 87

Gracious God, You have blessed Your people with varied gifts to use in service to You and others. Grant us generous hearts as we offer to You the first fruits of our blessings as we seek to plan for the growth of this congregation through the Capital Campaign. Be with us as we conduct the Capital Campaign so that generations to come may continue to invite others, find peace that surpasses all understanding, and follow You in compassionate service. This we ask for the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who offered Himself as the supreme sacrifice that we might enjoy life forever with You. Amen.

Thursday, May 8 Day 88

Most gracious heavenly Father, Your Son promised that You will always give us what we ask for, according to Your will. Bless us with a new Sanctuary, a beautiful Banquet Hall, first floor bathrooms, a large Narthex and Choir Loft – all that is accessible to people both young and old! We don't want to build a monument or idol, merely space and place to continue growing in the Gospel. We leave it all in Your hands, O God. Thank you for all You have done and continue to do. Grant that we live our lives in service of and trust in You. In Jesus' precious name. Amen.

Friday, May 9 Day 89

Dear Father in heaven, You provide for our needs, over and above the necessities of life. Grant us Your Holy Spirit so we may not be caught up in personal riches and gain, but that we focus on the goal of spreading the Gospel. This we ask for the sake of Jesus Who died for us. Amen.

Saturday, May 10 Day 90

Dear Father in heaven, You are the provider for all. Please provide Your guidance in the growth of Peace Lutheran Church. Be with us throughout the process of the building expansion that it brings glory to You and advances the Gospel of Your Son. Let Your will be done! In Jesus Christ's name we pray. Amen.