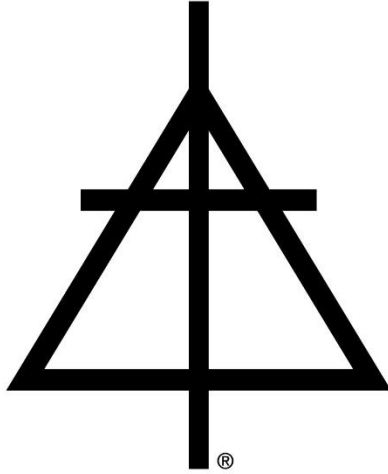


PEACE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH



Jesus Christ is the same yesterday,
and today and forever. Heb. 13:8

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CHURCH

306 N. High St.

Menno, SD 57045

Phone: 605-387-5224

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Worship at 9:30 a.m.

Welcome to guests and visitors.

If you do not have a church home, we would be glad to visit with you about making Peace CRC your church.

Peace Christian Reformed Church
Menno, SD
January 8, 2023

Organist Alita Guthmiller

Welcome & Announcements Rev. Carl Bruxvoort

Call to Worship

***Greeting from God/Greeting One Another**

*** Opening Hymn:** Red Hymnal 194 *As with Gladness Men of Old* verses 1-4

Gods Will for Our Lives

***Hymn of Confession:** Blue Hymnal 152 *Remember Not, O God* verses 1-4

Congregational Prayer

Offering Plate by the Exit in the back of the sanctuary, General Fund

*** Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 413 *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say* verses 1-3

Scripture: Luke 4:14-30

Sermon: The Peril of Familiarity

Prayer

Communion Service

*** Hymn:** Red 72 *Thou Art Worthy* verses 1,2

*** Benediction**

*** Closing Hymn:** Blue 493 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Postlude

***Please stand if able**

Today/This Week:

January 8 – Worship with communion, 9:30 a.m.

January 10 – Women of the Church meeting, 3 p.m.

January 11 – Women’s Morning Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Confirmation class, 3:30 p.m. – Elder Rano Kirschenman

Women’s Evening Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Upcoming:

January 15 – Worship, 9:30 a.m., Duane Smith

Annual Meeting, following worship service

January 18 - Women’s Morning Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Confirmation class, 3:30 p.m.

Women’s Evening Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Consistory Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

January 1: Attendance – 58; Offering – \$1550 for General Fund

SOUND SYSTEM for January: Robert Heckenlaible

USHER January: David Saylor

WEEKLY PRAYERS: Each week throughout the year we as a consistory are asking for prayers for the families and individuals of Peace Christian Reformed Church. The families to keep in mindful prayer for this week of January 8 – Jennifer Kotalik, Henry & Janelle Bender, and Brett & Rachel Guthmiller.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Connie Schaeffer passed away on Tuesday, January 3, at the Dougherty Hospice House in Sioux Falls. Visitation is this evening 5-8:30 p.m. at Peace with the funeral service tomorrow (January 9) morning at 11 a.m. May God provide comfort to Galen, Travis, Trevor and the Schaeffer and Lang families during this time.

LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS: Audrey Fergen has been in contact with Joyce Anderson, who is Ella Bertsch’s daughter. Because Joyce goes south for the winter, she is looking for some help for her mom during the week with a few small tasks, such as taking trash out and picking up mail from the post office. If we have a few people to work together, a schedule could be made to rotate weeks. If you’re interested, please contact Audrey Fergen at 605-310-5101.

BLOOD DRIVE: January 11 is the date of the next blood drive in Menno, to be held at Grace Lutheran Church. Contact Roberta Stoebner at 605-387-5642 for an appointment.

ANNUAL MEETING: The Annual Meeting is scheduled for January 15, after the morning's worship service. Snow date is the next Sunday. Elder nominations are Don Saylor and Phil Neuharth. Deacon candidate is Andrew Schaeffer. Sunday School Superintendent candidate is Cindy Kirschenman. Two elders will be elected and one deacon will be elected for three year terms.

Rano Kirschenman and Randy Woehl are completing terms as elders, and David Saylor is completing a term as deacon. Paul Schaeffer is completing his term as Sunday School Superintendent. Thank you for your service to Peace CRC!

DECEMBER COUNCIL MEETING NOTES: Meeting called to order by chairman Henry Bender. General fund report was given and approved. Motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the proposed 2023 budget for the church. A motion was made, seconded and passed to have the annual meeting on January 15 following the morning service. A snow date will be January 22, 2023. Jeremy Zeeb presented the Building fund report. Next communion will be January 8. Mark Schaeffer and Brent Haberman will be handling the feeding of the delegates for the Classis meeting to be held in Menno in March 2, 2023. Motion made, seconded and passed to have the mission committee to get a quote on a banner. Approved the purchase of a Robo vac for cleaning. Next meeting will be January 18 at 7:30 pm.

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH: Officers for the Women of the Church are Donna Zeeb, Pres.; Mary Zeeb, Vice Pres.; Vernetta Guthmiller, Secretary; and Cindy Kirschenman, Treasurer.

All women are invited to come to our Women of The Church meeting on Tuesday, January 10 at 3 p.m. at the church.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: We need to start thinking about Operation Christmas Child for next fall. You can help by starting to save your medication bottles. Please remove the label and bring the bottle to church. We'll have a collection box near the bulletin board by the nursery door. The plan is to use the bottles to create fishing kits, tool kits and sewing kits.

PEACE CRC Consistory Members:

ELDERS

Henry Bender
Mark Schaeffer
Randy Woehl
Roger Guthmiller
Rano Kirschenman

DEACONS

Brett Guthmiller
Brent Haberman
Jeremy Zeeb
David Saylor