

Peace Christian Reformed Church
Menno, SD
Easter ~ April 9, 2023

Organist Sandra Schaeffer
Welcome & Announcements Rev. Ryan VanderWees

*** Call to Worship**

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

*** Opening Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 356 - *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

God's Will for Our Lives

*** Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 357 - *Low in the Grave He Lay*

Congregational Prayer

Offering Plate by the Exit in the back of the sanctuary, for World Missions

*** Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 383 - *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Scripture: Mark 16:1-20

Sermon: *He Has Risen!*

Prayer

*** Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 22, Psalm 16 - *When in the Night I Meditate*

Lord's Supper: Blue Hymnal, Form 3, p. 156

***Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 360 - *Alleluia! Alleluia!* vs 1,2

*** Benediction**

*** Closing Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 360 - *Alleluia! Alleluia!* v 3

Postlude

***Please stand if able**

Today/This Week:

April 9 – Worship, 9:30 a.m.

April 12 – Women’s Morning Bible Study, 10 a.m.

Confirmation class, 3:30 p.m.

Women’s Evening Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Men’s Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Upcoming

April 16 – Worship, 9:30 a.m., Sunday School

Consistory Meeting, 4 p.m.

April 19 - 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.

April 2: Attendance – 97; Offering – \$1842 for General Fund

April 7: Attendance - 76 ; Offering - \$551 for The Bible League

SOUND SYSTEM for April: Robert Heckenlaible

USHER April: Brent Haberman

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 April 9- Ralph & Carol Schnabel, Rich & Colleen Viet, Earl & Mary Zeeb.

OFFICE HOURS: Pastor Ryan will have scheduled office hours at the church each Tuesday, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

COMMUNION: Regarding the communion elements, the center ring is grape juice and the bread is gluten free.

BIBLE STUDY: If anyone is interested in a Sunday afternoon or evening bible study, please talk to Pastor Ryan.

SERVE LEADERS NEEDED: The Youth Group is looking for two SERVE leaders that would be willing to accompany our group to Alamosa, CO June 17-24. If anyone is interested or has questions, they can talk to Rachel or Brett Guthmiller. It's a great opportunity and we ask that you prayerfully consider it. It's a moving experience that's hard to describe.

VBS DATES – MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Vacation Bible School will be held July 24-28. The theme is *Keeper of the Kingdom*, based on Ephesians 6:10 Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might.

SCOTLAND COMMUNITY CHOIR will be presenting its annual Easter concert on Wednesday, April 12, at 7:30 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Scotland. All are invited to attend.

THANK YOU to the Youth Group for the Easter baskets, “It was a day-brightener.” – from the recipients of the baskets.

MOTHER-DAUGHTER LUNCHEON: The Mother-Daughter Luncheon is planned for April 29, at 6:30 p.m. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the Social Hall.

Easter Sunday Offering: The offering today is for World Missions (the Sterk and Klompfen Families). The offering plate is at the back of the Sanctuary.

PEACE CRC Consistory Members:

ELDERS

Roger Guthmiller
Henry Bender
Mark Schaeffer
Phil Neuharth
Don Saylor

DEACONS

Brett Guthmiller
Jeremy Zeeb
Brent Haberman
Andrew Schaeffer