

and today and forever. Heb. 13:8

## CHURCH

306 N. High St. Menno, SD 57045 Phone: 605-387-5224 Parsonage: 605-387-5684

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 Chrístían Reformed Church Menno, SD October 15, 2023

Organist

Alita Guthmiller

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. Ryan VanderWees

- \* Call to Worship
- \* Greeting from God/Greeting One Another
- \* Opening Hymn: Blue Hymnal 184, Psalm 95 Now With Joyful Exultation
- God's Will for Our Lives
- \* Hymn: Blue Hymnal 70, Psalm 40 Thy Tender Mercies, O My God

Congregational Prayer, followed by the Lord's Prayer

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

\* Hymn: Blue Hymnal 426 - Jesus, With Thy Church Abide

Scripture: Daniel 6:14-28

Sermon: Cast into the Den

Prayer

- \* Hymn: Blue Hymnal 455 In the Hour of Trial
- \*Apostles' Creed & Catechism Q. 29-30
- \* Benediction
- \* Closing Hymn: Blue Hymnal 493 The Doxology

Postlude

\*Please stand if able

### Today/This Week:

October 15 – Worship Service/Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. October 18 – Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m. Confirmation Class, 6 p.m. Women's Bible Study, 7 p.m. Consistory Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

#### Upcoming

October 22 – Worship Service/Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. October 25 – Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m. Confirmation Class, 6 p.m. Women's Bible Study, 7 p.m. October 29 – Worship, 9:30 a.m. with Communion

October 8: Attendance-84; Offering-\$2305 for General Fund

USHER for October: Jeremy Zeeb SOUND SYSTEM October: Jeremy Zeeb

**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 October 15 – Verlyn Hauck, Robert & Stephanie Heckenlaible, and Rano & Cindy Kirschenman.

**PASTOR RYAN'S CONTACT INFORMATION:** If you would like to get a hold of Pastor Ryan during the week you can call/text him at 616.240.8166 or email <u>ryan.vanderwees@gmail.com</u>.

**NOMINATIONS:** The nomination box is out on the table in the Social Hall. Nominations are needed for one elder position and two deacon positions along with the Sunday School superintendent.

**SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES:** During the month of October, we will have Sunday evening services again on October 22. Evening services are scheduled for the second and fourth Sundays of each month at 7 p.m. This will be a more informal service with the availability to communicate with Rev. VanderWees during the service.

**New and Existing Members's Classes** will be held during Adult Sunday School. All are welcome. If you are new to Peace or the Christian Reformed Church this class will introduce you to our distinct history, beliefs, and practices. If you are a longtime member but want a refresher on who we are and what we believe this class will also be of help to you. **SYMPATHIES:** Loretta Kirschenman's son, Terry Kirschenman, passed away Monday morning. Funeral arrangements are pending. Please keep the family in prayer asking that the Lord may grant peace and comfort at this time.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTIES:** Operation Christmas child packing party after adult School Sunday, October 22 for girls ages 5-9 years, and Sunday, October 29 girls ages 10-14 years. If we need to do additional packing, we have November 5 to finish up. If anyone is interested in helping make jump ropes, we will meet at 5p.m. October 8 and 22 before the evening worship service.

**DRESSES IN FOYER:** The dresses hanging on the coat racks are a small example of the dresses that have been made to pack in the girl boxes of all ages, as it had been done in previous years. We thank the ladies who sewed them and everyone who has donated items and helped pack boxes. It takes everyone's help to do the Shoebox Christmas box project.

#### UPDATED NEEDS FOR OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD BOXES:

school scissors				pencil sharpeners		
pens			band aids			

These are some filler items that we need to pack the boxes.

**BLOOD DRIVE:** To all the blood donors this past week, thank you! Vitalant had a goal to collect 37 units on Monday but collected a total of 44. Thank you to Ashley Neuharth, Donna Zeeb, and Linda Guthmiller for helping with the blood drive registration table; it makes a day go much smoother with extra hands.

**STAINED GLASS WINDOWS:** There is a group of the stained glass windows in the social hall that can now be taken home. Daniel Sayler, Trent Guthmiller, Aidan Heckenlaible, Brooklyn and Jaxon Mettler, please pick up yours to take it home. Thanks!

#### Peace Christian Reformed Church Online

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PEACE CRC Consistory Members: ELDERS DEACONS Boger Guthmiller Brett Guthm

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