

**PEACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
**489 S. Glenview Ave. Brillion, WI 54110 (920-756-3334)**  
**BULLETIN – OCTOBER 8, 2017**

**WELCOME TO PEACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Please welcome those near to you. If you are interested in becoming a part of the community of Peace UCC, please call the church office at 756-3334. Upon leaving Worship, please sign our Guest Register Book in the narthex.

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Pastor – Rev. Thomas Williams; cell phone (414) 510-4262

Church Secretary - Kathy Daun

Music Leadership – Sandy Eickert

Lay Reader – Cindy Riha

**WORSHIP AND CALENDAR SCHEDULE**

October 8, 2017	9:00 AM	Worship/Pledge Sunday/Mini Missions for Hurricane victims
	10:15 AM	Coffee Hour & Fellowship
October 11, 2017	5:00-6:00 PM	Confirmation Class
	6:00-7:00 PM	Christian Education Classes (Sunday school)
	6:15-7:00 PM	Adult Education Classes (500 <sup>TH</sup> Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation)
October 15, 2017	9:00 AM	Worship
	10:00 AM	Semi-Annual Meeting & Coffee Hour

<u>Date</u>	<u>FINANCIAL GIVING</u>		
	<u>In Worship</u>	<u>Our Offering</u>	<u>Children's Offering</u>
October 1, 2017	48	\$ 636.61	\$ 9.50
October 2, 2017 (e-giving)	5	\$ 76.00	
October 5, 2017 (e-giving)	12	\$ 1,988.50	
<b>Yearly Budget - \$107,568</b>	<b>Monthly Budget - \$8,964</b>		<b>Weekly - \$2,069</b>

**TODAY IS PLEDGE SUNDAY:** Please place your stewardship form into our Sunday collection plate today. If you have forgotten your form, please bring next Sunday or mail to the church office. Please take a moment and prayerfully consider your love and dedication towards your congregation and return your commitment to church as soon as possible. If anyone would like more information regarding e-giving, call the church office.

**YOUR THIRD QUARTER FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** are in your mailbox. Please take a moment and please pick up all your mail. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your financial giving to date, please call Kathy Daun at the church office (756-3334).

**TODAY'S MINI MISSION IS FOR THE** devastation caused by both Hurricane Harvey and Irma. Their need is so very great and as Christians we need to reach out to them in continued prayer and financial help.

**ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29<sup>TH</sup>,** we are hosting a "Welcome Home" worship service here at church. Invitations are available in everyone's mailbox for this special event. We are hoping to fill our sanctuary to the brim. Please remember to offer rides to those who no longer drive, invite a neighbor who may be looking for a church and invite those back into worship, you haven't seen in a while. See you on October 29<sup>th</sup>!

**PLEDGES TO DATE FROM OUR STEWARDSHIP DRIVE:** We had 21 units reply for a total of \$29,318.50 pledged to date. We also had 4 Confirmation and Christian Education students return their pledge cards for a total of \$130.00. Thank you all who have returned their pledge information.

**THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO SHOWED UP FOR THE WORK DAY AT PEACE** this past week.

**NEXT SUNDAY IS OUR** semi-annual meeting immediately after worship. It is an important opportunity for all members to participate in the governance of the church. Please make every effort to attend.

**FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED** until Thanksgiving. Please be generous and remember those in need during our upcoming Holiday Season.

**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION TEACHERS & HELPERS:** We have the following slots that need to be filled: Helper for our younger grades for **October 18, November 1 and November 8**. We also need a teacher for our upper grades on **November 1** and helper for our upper grades for **November 15<sup>th</sup>**. Please see the sign-up sheet in the fellowship hall. Classes will be held on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.

**BIRTHDAYS**

October 10 – Jessie Saenger  
October 11 – Madeline Cooney

**ANNIVERSARIES**

October 8 – Andrew & Tammy Williams  
October 12 – Todd & Becky Schneider

**SCRIP:** Please consider using Scrip to purchase your groceries and gasoline. The money earned helps pay our bills here at Peace Church. Scrip is available after worship or you may stop at the church office whenever Kathy Daun is in the office.

**OCTOBER BULLETINS** were donated by Lillian Kuchenbecker in loving memory of Harland Kuchenbecker - gone one year, but not forgotten.

**IN OUR PRAYERS:** Jenifer Pittl, Phil Sokol, Julie Luedtke, Jim Schwantes, Dan School, Rev. Kris Borns; Emily Koehler; Jerry Miller. **PRAYER CHAIN** requests are to be given to Margo Kees at 418-3300.

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:**

**LAY READERS:** Oct. 8 – Cindy Riha; Oct. 15 – Karla Miller; Oct. 22 – Barb Wittmann; Oct. 29 – Tony Reese

**GREETERS:** Oct. 8 – Sandy Kuchenbecker; Oct. 15 – Alice Horn, Amanda & Alyssa Sommers

**ACOLYTES:** Oct. 8 – Morgan Janas/Collin Greve; Oct. 15 – Chloe & Derek Vande Hey; Oct. 22 – Trae & Aubrie Williams/Alex Nowak

**USHERS:** Oct. 8 – Nick/Greg Loose; Oct. 15 – Karla Miller; Oct. 22 – Roger Schwahn; Oct. 29 – Paul Cooney

**SUNDAY HELPER:** **Oct. 8 – volunteer;** Oct. 15 – Dawn Voight; Oct. 22 – Sandy Kuchenbecker

**CONFIRMATION PARENT:** Oct. 11 – Barth Family; Oct. 18 – Fischer Family; Nov. 15 – Heritage Family

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Oct. 11: Lower Grades – Joselyn Heritage/Morgan Janas. Upper Grades – Becky & Emma Schneider. Oct. 18: Lower Grades – Amber Horn-Leiterman/**need volunteer**. Upper Grades – Becky & Emma S.

**COFFEE HOUR:** **Oct. 8 – need volunteer;** Oct. 15 – semi-annual meeting (council); **Oct. 22 - volunteer**

**WE ARE COLLECTING PLASTIC LIDS/CAPS!** Another organization was found that collects these hard plastic covers and uses the money to purchase wheelchairs for the disabled. It is very easy to do. Once again they only accept PLASTIC, NOT ANY LIDS OR COVERS WITH METAL ON IT! Here are examples of covers that they are collecting: Caps from plastic beverages, milk jug caps, peanut butter lids, laundry detergent caps, medication covers, spray paint covers, ice cream lids, toothpaste caps and the list goes on and on. They accept any color plastic, but ask that you remove any metal or paper attached to the plastic and make sure all lids are washed and clean before donating. Drop all donations in the basket located in the fellowship hall.

**BAZAAR & CRAFT SALE** on Saturday, November 4 from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church, Brillion. Admission is 50 cents; attendance prizes, salad luncheon which features: vegetable, meat, seafood, potato, macaroni, jello & fruit salads, sandwiches and beverages. Also selling homemade pies, bakery and raffles. Also many craft vendors. Sponsored by Holy Family Christian Mothers & Ladies Sodality

**HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Affinity Visiting Nurses-Hospice is offering a free training course in your area for individuals who are interested in becoming Hospice volunteers. You would be assigned roles dependent on your interests & abilities, as well as availability. This service allows for a great amount of flexibility. Personal training & ongoing support for all volunteers will be provided. If interested call 920-486-2261 or 866-236-8500.