

March 16-22, 2018



Weekly Update

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Announcements

Adult Forum meets in the green room during the Sunday School hour, beginning at 9:30 a.m. The topic this Sunday is: *Jeremiah*. All are welcome.

“Have mercy on me, O God,
according to your steadfast love;
according to your abundant mercy
blot out my transgressions.
Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin.”

Psalm 51:1-2

We need worship assistants for next Sunday's services (Palm Sunday -3/25) and especially for Holy Week Services, including Easter. If you are willing to help, please sign up at the table in the Narthex or call René in the church office.

Our last Midweek Lenten Soup Supper will be held on Wednesday (3/21) with soup and bread supper at 6:30 p.m. and brief Vespers Service at 7:30 p.m. Please sign up in the Narthex to bring soup or bread, or to help with set up and clean up.

Donations for Easter Egg Hunt: We will have an Easter Egg Hunt for the children between Easter Services again this year. A box is in the narthex for donations of individually wrapped candy, stickers, bouncy balls, and other items that will fit inside plastic Easter Eggs. Please drop off donations before March 25th so we'll have time to prepare them for Easter.

On Palm Sunday (3/25) we will have *The Way of the Cross* between Sunday Services (9:15 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.). There will be 13 self-guided, interactive stations exploring the story of Holy Week. Designed to engage children and adults, each station provides a brief reading and then an experience that encourages you to think about love, faith, integrity, betrayal, and forgiveness. Everyone is encouraged to participate.

ELCA National Youth Gathering
Pie A Vicar/Youth Director/Chaperone
in The Face Fundraiser

Have you ever wanted to pie a Vicar in the face? How about a youth director or chaperone? Well now is your chance!

Beginning this week and continuing through mid-April, there will be three containers placed in the narthex during services on Saturday and Sunday, one for Vicar Dan, one for Deb Dlug, youth director, and one for Dave Reitz one of our chaperones for Houston. The idea is, whoever collects the most money will be the lucky recipient of a pie to the face. The choice is in your hands! Bring in your spare change or if you feel so inclined, you can place checks in the jar as well. They can be made out to Prince of Peace Youth Group, with National Youth Gathering written in the memo line.

Will it be Vicar Dan, Deb Dlug, or Dave Reitz? The choice is entirely in your hands!

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Event	Time	Location
Friday, March 16		
Women's A.A. Meeting	10:00 AM	Green Room
Chimes	4:30 PM	
Saturday, March 17		
Worship Service	5:00 PM	Sanctuary
A Joyful Noise	6:15 PM	
Sunday, March 18		
Worship Service	8:15 AM	Sanctuary
Adult Forum	9:30 AM	Green Room
Sunday School	9:30 AM	
Cherub Choir	10:25 AM	
Worship Service	11:00 AM	Sanctuary
Joy Ringers	12:00 PM	
Joy Singers	1:30 PM	
Tuesday, March 20		
Knitting Group	9:30 AM	Office Reception Area
Women's A.A. Meeting	10:00 AM	Green Room
Confirmation	6:30 PM	Green Room
Council Meeting	7:30 PM	
Wednesday, March 21		
Soup Supper	6:30 PM	Fellowship Hall
Brief Lenten Service	7:30 PM	Sanctuary
Thursday, March 22		
Women's A.A. Meeting	10:00AM	Green Room
Handbell Choir	6:30 PM	
Boy Scouts Meeting	7:00 PM	Fellowship Hall
Sanctuary Choir	7:30 PM	Sanctuary

Sunday's Scripture Readings:
Jeremiah 31:31-34; Psalm 51:1-12; Hebrews 5:5-10; John 12:20-33

Sunday's Worship Assistants:
March 18 - 8:15 AM

Acolyte	Morgen Kleppin
Altar Guild	Heidi Adam, Barbara Morris & Marci Sharp
Communion Assistant	Jocelyn Doré
Communion Host	Carolyn Palmer
Lector	Pam Nemetz
Greeters	Allen & Pam Nemetz
Ushers	Phil Burdick Jim Sharp

Sunday's Worship Assistants:
March 18 - 11:00 AM

Acolyte	Maggie Mattera
Altar Guild	Heidi Adam, Barbara Morris & Marci Sharp
Assisting Minister	John Schwanke
Communion Host	Kristen Mattera
Lector	John Schwanke
Greeters	Mary & Gary Weisensee
Ushers	Julie Parker Nancy Tolmoff
Offering Tellers	Mary & Gary Weisensee

Next Sunday's Scripture Readings:
Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Phillippians 2:5-11; Mark 14:1-15:47

Next Sunday's Worship Assistants:
Palm Sunday - March 25 - 8:15 AM

Acolyte	T.B.A.
Altar Guild	Marilyn Roginski, Edith Sherman & Louise Kleppin
Assisting Minister or Communion Assistant	NEED VOLUNTEER
Communion Hosts	NEED VOLUNTEER
Lector	NEED VOLUNTEER
Greeters	Ed & Vivian Wainwright
Ushers	Phil Burdick NEED VOLUNTEER

Next Sunday's Worship Assistants:
Palm Sunday - March 25 - 11:00 AM

Acolyte	Riley Roksvold
Altar Guild	Marilyn Roginski, Edith Sherman & Louise Kleppin
Assisting Minister	Kevin Fay
Communion Hosts	Ron & Dory Kutz
Lector	Danny Smith
Greeters	NEED VOLUNTEER NEED VOLUNTEER
Ushers	NEED VOLUNTEER NEED VOLUNTEER
Offering Tellers	Cindy Rosato & Marci Sharp

Easter Garden - 2018

If you would like to contribute a plant(s), please indicate below. The plants may be picked up after the 11:00 a.m. service on Easter Sunday. Those plants not picked up will be planted at the Prince of Peace Cemetery.

Please put this form, along with your check, in Rene's (church secretary) mailbox or mail it to Prince of Peace (P.O. Box 5184, Brookfield, CT 06804).

Please Note: Please Note: Orders MUST be placed on or before March 19th.

Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Plant	Pot Size	# of Plants Ordered	Price	Total Amount Due:
Daffodils	4" (mini)		\$5.00 each	
	6" pot		\$9.00 each	
Lilies	6" pot, 5 blooms		\$13.00 each	
	10" pot (3 stem)		\$35.00 each	
Tulips	6" pot, 5 blooms		\$9.00 each	
	8" pot, 10 blooms		\$19.00 each	
Pansy	10"		\$20.00 each	
Hydrangeas	6" pot, 3 blooms		\$20.00 each	

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