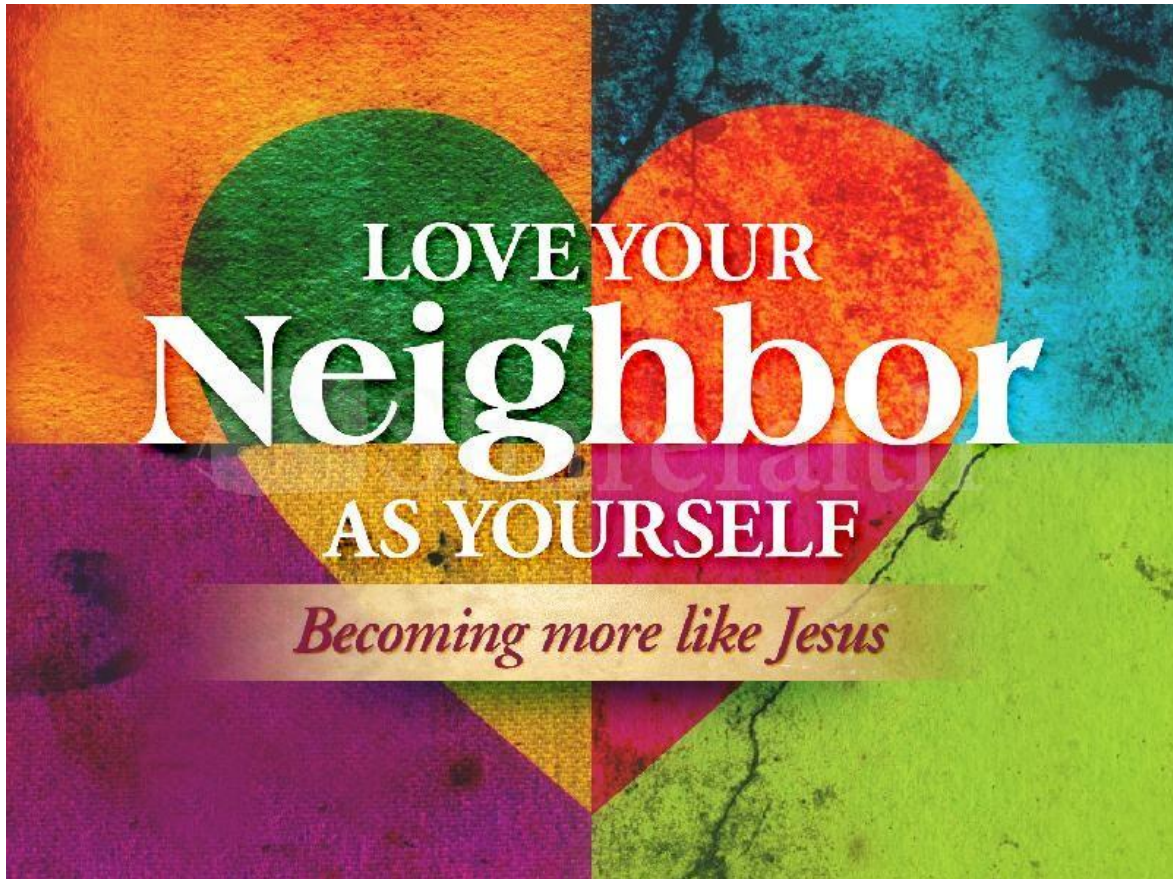


# Peace United Church of Christ

208 E Maurer Street  
Shawano, WI 54166



Sunday June 12, 2022 – 9:00 AM

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Order of Worship  
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**PRELUDE** “Amazing Grace/I Could Sing of Your Love Foreverz” att. Tornquist

**ANNOUNCEMENTS/INTRODUCTION**

**OPENING HYMN** “Sanctuary” #2164 (The Faith We Sing Hymnal)

*Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true*

*With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.*

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**PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**Welcoming in God's Spirit**

Let us pray... God of mercy and grace, we ask that you draw near to us this may. May we feel your presence among us. As we yearn for Good News, as we struggle to hold on to hope, tether us to your love and do not let go. Be with us as we breathe and pray together: (inhale) God our Creator, (exhale) fill us with your peace.

**SCRIPTURE READING**

OLD TESTAMENT: Deuteronomy 6:4-9

4 “Hear, O Israel: The Lord is our God, the Lord alone. 5 You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might. 6 Keep these words that I am commanding you today in your heart. 7 Recite them to your children and talk about them when you are at home and when you are away, when you lie down and when you rise. 8 Bind them as a sign on your hand, fix them as an emblem on your forehead, 9 and write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

**PRAYER FOR THE HUMAN FAMILY** (Book of Common Prayer, p. 815)

O God, you made us in your own image and redeemed us through Jesus your Son: Look with compassion on the whole human family; take away the arrogance and hatred which infect our hearts; break down the walls that separate us; unite us in bonds of love; and work through our struggle and confusion to accomplish your purposes on

earth; that, in your good time, all nations and races may serve you in harmony around your heavenly throne; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **PASSING OF PEACE**

### **SHARING GOD'S PEACE**

One: This is the day that the Lord has made.

**All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

One: May the peace of Christ fill you today and every day. Please turn to your neighbors to

wave and share God's peace by saying, "Peace be with you!"

### **HYMN**

"Amazing Grace"

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### **SCRIPTURE READING**

NEW TESTAMENT: Romans 12:6-21(The Message)

6-8 If you preach, just preach God's Message, nothing else; if you help, just help, don't take over; if you teach, stick to your teaching; if you give encouraging guidance, be careful that you don't get bossy; if you're put in charge, don't manipulate; if you're called to give aid to people in distress, keep your eyes open and be quick to respond; if you work with the disadvantaged, don't let yourself get irritated with them or depressed by them. Keep a smile on your face.

9-10 Love from the center of who you are; don't fake it. Run for dear life from evil; hold on for dear life to good. Be good friends who love deeply; practice playing second fiddle.

11-13 Don't burn out; keep yourselves fueled and aflame. Be alert servants of the Master, cheerfully expectant. Don't quit in hard times; pray all the harder. Help needy Christians; be inventive in hospitality.

14-16 Bless your enemies; no cursing under your breath. Laugh with your happy friends when they're happy; share tears when they're down. Get along with each other; don't be stuck-up. Make friends with nobodies; don't be the great somebody.

17-19 Don't hit back; discover beauty in everyone. If you've got it in you, get along with everybody. Don't insist on getting even; that's not for you to do. "I'll do the judging," says God. "I'll take care of it."

20-21 Our Scriptures tell us that if you see your enemy hungry, go buy that person lunch, or if he's thirsty, get him a drink. Your generosity will surprise him with goodness. Don't let evil get the best of you; get the best of evil by doing good.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 10:25-28

25 An expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he said, “what must I do to inherit eternal life?” 26 He said to him, “What is written in the law? What do you read there?” 27 He answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind and your neighbor as yourself.” 28 And he said to him, “You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.”

**SERMON**

“Embodying Love”

– Rev. Kelsey Beebe

### **PRAYING TOGETHER/LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

### **OFFERING MOMENT**

### **PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**Generous, Abundant, and Precious God, bless our offerings of presence, ability, and resources as we participate as your co-creators.**

**HYMN**

“Creating God, Creating Still”

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### **BENEDICTION**

May the God of Peace assure you. May the God of Life invigorate you. May the God of Wind direct you. Go, in peace and hope, to transform your community and the world to the glory of God.

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### **This week at Peace Church:**

Sun., June 12: 9:00 AM Worship

7:00 PM AA Meeting

Wed., June 15: 10:00 AM Upper Room Discussion

Thurs., June 16: 1:30 PM Worship

June 20 – 26 Pastor Uriah and Shellev will be on vacation

Church Office Summer Hours: Monday thru Thursday 8:30 AM till 2:00 PM., Friday 9:00 AM till noon.

**Prayer Concerns and Celebrations:**

*Call the church office (715.526.2916) if you would like to put yourself or a loved one on the prayer list.*

Joys

Birthdays: 6/10: Scott Fuqua; 6/11: Jordan Ponschok; 6/15: Courtney Laehn, Jan Schroeder

Anniversaries: 6/9: Craig & Terry Adelbush, Dennis & Carol Bohm; 6/15: Christina & Nickolas Koch; 6/18: Jenn & Brenda Maglio; 6/19: Lynn & Ivan Hills

Concern

Jim Niesen	Abby Tuma	Clayton Blom
Karen Mandel	Lola Kaczor	Jerry Bucher
Pastor Lew	Barbara Minster	Bob Engel
Lori Mueller	Mary Ellen Scherer	Marian Pauly
Theresa & Jim Timmer	Leola Anderson	Andrea Knickerbocker
Mary Peterson	Sandy Laehn	Gary Gurnee
Baby Helena Theis	Brian Wescott	Mike Winkler
Roland Dobratz	Jovy Laatsch	

All our homebound members

Those serving in the military: Mike Hert, Shayne Lanou, Adam Larson, Ian McNerney and Ryan McNerney.

SCRIPTURE LESSONS: June 19: 1 Kings 19:1-4, (5-7), 8-15a and Psalm 42 and 43, Isa 65:1-9 and Psalm 22:19-28, Galatians 3:23-29, Luke 8:26-39

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*Greeters!* Lets bring back greeters to the church. Sign-up sheets posted in Great Room.

*Sensory Room!* Check out our Amazon registry if you would like to support this project by purchasing any of the equipment yourself or if you would like to mark your offering envelopes specifically for this project, we will make sure your offering is utilized for this purpose.

*New Member Course!* - Course to be held in early June

*Committee/Group Roster* - Committee heads please send a list of current members, a short description of what the committee/group does, and the best contact info for the head of the group, we would be greatly appreciative! Thanks to all who have responded!

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**Are you interested in joining a Peace Church Group in attending a Wisconsin Timber Rattlers baseball?**



The last time as a church group we attended a game was in 2019, we had a fun time.

We would need at least 20 people to get a group discount on tickets. Box seats around home plate run \$15 – discounted to \$13 for group. Food and drinks would be on your own. Form your own carpools to ride to game.

A couple of dates have been suggested:

**Thursday July 28<sup>th</sup> start time 6:40 PM**

Or

**Thursday August 11<sup>th</sup> start time 6:40 PM**

Interested - please use the sign-up sheet on bulletin board or let Carol Fuqua know.

We would collect money in advance so once group agrees on date to hold your group discount.

Invite your family members, children, grandchildren, or baseball buddies. Thank you,

**THURSDAY SERVICES:** Throughout the summer months we have decided to move our Thursday Services to the first and third Thursday each month. They will resume to every Thursday sometime in the early fall/late summer. The first Thursday each month will have communion.



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## *Joys & Concerns*

**JOYS AND CONCERNS:** It has been brought to our attention in the office that the Joys and Concerns in the bulletin have a variety of items that are outdated and are in need of follow ups. We will be implementing a system that will involve following up with cases as they are added, but for now we want to clean up this section of our bulletin. If you or a family member has a Joy or Concern in the bulletin that you would like to keep in there, please reach out to the church office no later than 10:00 AM on June 15th. After that, any joys or concerns we have not been told to keep will be removed in preparation for our new system.