

Welcome to Praise and Worship

We can rejoice today for surely this is the day that the Lord has made! Easter is the celebration of Christ's victory of life over death. His empty tomb and the host of witnesses are our proof. We can claim His victory as our own by believing in Him. That is our reason for worship and rejoicing this morning. We extend a special welcome to those who are guests. It is so good to have you with us today. May God richly bless you all as we worship our risen Savior together.

April 1, 2018 – Easter Sunday

"He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid Him. Thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Psalm Mark 16:6b & 1 Corinthians 15:57

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

TESTIMONY

Emily Stenberg

EXPRESSION OF WORSHIP

Katie Newton

PRAYER AND WORSHIP

MESSAGE Mark 16:1-8 (pg. 1584)

"The Significance of Easter"

RESPONSIVE HYMN NO. 262

He Lives

DOXOLOGY HYMN NO. 7: "Praise God from whom all blessing flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen"

"Our prayer: that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel." Ephesians 6:19

Our Purpose

*"Love God, Love People, and Make Disciples
– all through Jesus Christ."*

Prayer Changes Things

- Praise God for the miracle of Easter!
- Missionaries Paul and Teresa Szobody as they minister to an Arab village in Chad. May God open doors to share the message.
- Continued wisdom and open doors as we work out details for a Bible school.

Opportunities at Peace This Week

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| Mon | 5:30 pm | At Peace Life Group at Rob & Sadie's. |
| Tues | 6:00 pm | VBS Planning Meeting. Anyone interested may help plan. Dinner at 6, meeting at 6:30. |
| | 6:00 pm | Trustee Meeting. |
| | 6:00 pm | Church Council Meeting. |
| | 6:30 pm | The Refuge for 6th to 12th graders. |
| Wed | 1:00 pm | Daytime Life Group at church. |
| | 6:30 pm | Ladies Bible Study in the Fellowship Room. |
| | 7:00 pm | Life Group at Art & Marion's. |
| Thur | 7:00 pm | Life Group at Marlene Inverso's. |
| | 7:00 pm | Joyful Noise Life Group at Mark & Clarissa Norby's. |
| Sun | 8:45 am | Message for those who want to hear it early. |
| | 9:00 am | Join us in prayer for the ministry and the day. |
| | 9:30 am | Sunday School for all ages. |
| | 10:45 am | Morning Worship service with Communion. |
| | 12:30 pm | Christian Education Meeting after church. |
| | 6:00 pm | Finnegard family concert. Check out the insert. |

Looking Ahead

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| Apr 15 | Care Net Sunday. Check out the insert to see how you can help. |
| Apr 21 | PRN Ladies Spring Event in Seattle Community Puzzle Exchange |

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

*The prayer list is meant to be a guide for our praying for one another on a regular basis. Prayer couplings for this week: Group 1 pray for Group 3, 2 for 4, 3 for 5, 4 for 6, 5 for 7, 6 for 8, 7 for 9, 8 for 10, 9 for 11, 10 for 1, 11 for 2. This list can be found on the table next to the door going out of the sanctuary. They are updated.

A special "hello" to our guests! For your information:

- There is a hearing system available. If you need assistance, ask a sound guy in the back booth.
- A nursery is available for children infant through 3 years old in the room at the back of our worship area.
- Children's Activity Bags are in the back of our worship area.
- If you'd like to see who we are and what we do, pick up the latest newsletter on the entry bulletin board.
- If you'd like to hear a message after any Sunday, go to Peace Lutheran Brethren Church, Olympia on the web. Sermon Audio link is on the homepage.

Reminders:

- Write your prayer request on a card provided. It will be taken during the worship of our tithes.
- Junior Church for 4 year olds to 5th grade: This Sunday – Clarissa Norby
Next Sunday – Pat Vagt