

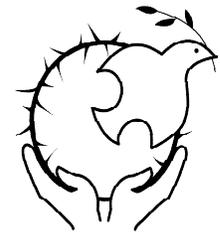


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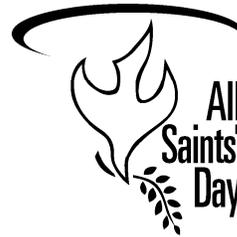
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Wednesday, November 1st

All Saints' Day Service at 7:30 p.m.

Community is invited to a Service of Music and Meditation in memory of loved ones who have died.

Music by Chancel Choir and Bells of Peace.

All Saints' Sunday

New Members and Annual Membership Renewal

Sunday, November 5 at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m

Variety of Music Groups

Thanksgiving Eve Service

Wednesday, November 22 at 7:30 p.m.

Chancel Choir



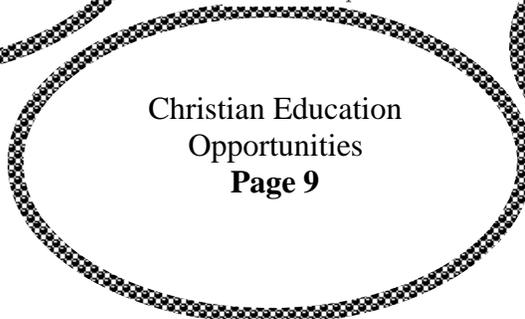
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From the Church Office

The deadline for articles for the **December Vine is November 10, January Vine is December 8, and February Vine is Jan. 12.**

The deadline for bulletin announcements is Wednesday at noon of each week. Please inform the church office if you have a new address—or if you will be away from your present address temporarily. The post office charges Prince of Peace 75 cents for each returned newsletter with an incorrect address.



The finances are heading in the right direction. Income exceeded expenses by \$3,179 this month.

Contribution statements will be enclosed with your stewardship packets. Please prayerfully consider your financial support of the ministries of Prince of Peace for the months of November and December. The stewardship packet will also include your membership renewal form which includes your intended gifts for 2007 as well as your gift of time as a volunteer at Prince of Peace. Thank you for taking the time to review and complete all the information.

Financial Information

Income Year to Date
(Jan–Sept 30) = \$324,880
Expenses Year to Date
(Jan–Sept) = \$335,759
General Fund Bal = \$(4,286)
Building Fund Bal = \$280,684
Other Funds Balance = \$60,288
Thank you for your financial support of our ministry.

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Bells of Peace Director: Kristen Haakenson
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Weekend Custodian: Natalie Tungsvik

Church Council

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Mark Lundquist Vice-President
Barry Brahier Secretary
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Linda Hernes Worship and Music
Cindy Olson Education Ministry
Open Stewardship—Please consider this opportunity
Liz Ericksen Community Life
Chris Gillette Service & Advocacy
Asitha Sandanayake Property

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Worship</u>	<u>Adult Ed</u>	<u>Youth/Adult</u>	<u>Children/Adult</u>
A					
T	9/17	220	33	16/4	38/17
T					
E	9/24	325	50	11/4	37/13
N					
D	10/1	217	66	12/3	35/13
A					
N	10/8	246	48	11/3	29/14
C					
E					

From Pastor Andrew Rogness

FROM GHOSTS TO SAINTS

Tradition has developed a pattern of thinking that October 31 is a time when ghosts and goblins are active and agitated, because it is the day before November 1, All Saints' Day. Some traditions also think of ghosts as those souls who are hanging on to this life, unwilling to move on to the next. Of course both notions are a part of folk mythology. Yet they tap into some archetypes and wisdom from which to learn.

Remember Charles Dickens' *Great Expectations* and the character, Miss Havesham? Jilted on her wedding day, she spends the next years of her life withering away, always wearing her wedding dress and sequestered in the room that still has the decorations for the reception, now covered with dust and cobwebs, still waiting for the nuptial rite. Or consider Lot's wife who looked back upon the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah, unable to let go of the past, she lost the chance to move into the future. Both of them attempt to hold onto the past without adjusting to changed realities. They wither, ghost like, without a future.

There have already been a number of thoughtful discussions around the 50th anniversary of Prince of Peace. A constant theme in those conversations has been the desire to **name and claim**.... **to name** those things from the past 50 years that are a blessing to us in the present, and **to claim** them as what we hope to carry into the future. There is a rich heritage to carry forward. At the same time, we know that Roseville and the surrounding metro area have experienced a great deal of change, and that the challenges for our mission have many new dynamics added to some of

the constant needs of humans and our communities.

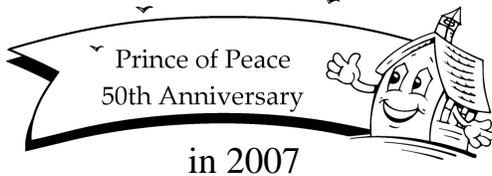
Some changes in our lives come by our choice. Other changes are not of our making. It is not uncommon in the midst of change for someone to give voice to the folk wisdom that remembers *when a door closes, look for another door to open*. Ghosts think that the past must be held onto at all costs. Saints know that resurrection and new life are always possible.

We do not know for certain what the next 50 years holds for Prince of Peace. We do know that a vibrant Christian community is always renewing itself. We have a firm foundation in the love of God, the grace we find in Christ, and the strength that the Spirit provides. A church that only hangs on to the past withers, becomes ghost-like. The saints trust the blessings of the past to inspire them to the challenges and mission of the present and the future. In that spirit, we will renew our membership in Prince of Peace on All Saints' Sunday.

A Tip for Sharing Faith

Place a symbol of your faith at your workplace – something as casual as a Prince of Peace coffee cup (we have extras if you want one) or as unusual as a big rock (“Rock of Ages”...) Not only will it be a reminder for you about how you hope to live out your faith through your daily work, it may also be something a coworker asks about which gives you an opportunity to talk about your church and/or faith.

Did you know that 80% of people who come to a church do so because a church member has told them about the church and extended an invitation?



Learn from the Past.

Rejoice in the Present.

Hope for the Future.

There is a vision...

Name and Claim...

Prince of Peace has been richly blessed by our worship and music programs. We have offered a variety of worship experiences including Outdoor Worship at Central Park, Seasons of Song service, Children's services, Lenten services and Lenten Dramas, and The Gathering (a contemporary service with a teaching and musical emphasis.) We are also musically rich. We have been blessed with presentations of major choral works and youth musicals. We have had superb leadership from our choir directors and organists.

From Prince of Peace Lutheran Church 40th Anniversary booklet.

Sign up on the bulletin board outside the office to help with the planning and organization of this celebration

Hello from the Music Ministry Coordinator—Milt Warkentien

I'm very excited about what is taking place musically, at Prince of Peace. The Chancel Choir is sounding great and has blessed us with some incredible anthems. The Bell Choir is ringing, too. What an aura for worship they create. The kids' choir is also rehearsing and has a wonderful problem. Sara has so many kids participating that she could use some "parental" help with "crowd control." Please see her if you could help out. I'm still looking for more Jr. and Sr. High youth to participate musically. Some exciting opportunities should be coming. See Milt if you have questions.

I want to thank those that have put their hymn requests in the Duck. Please be patient. We are trying to use all the hymns requested. We work one to two months in advance for the services, so it might be a couple months before your requested hymns appear in the service.

I also want to thank all of you who have supported the music team. We really appreciate it and work hard to provide meaningful and varied worship experiences.

November is the last month of the church year and provides some wonderful festive Sundays. I'm very excited about the Wednesday evening All Saints' Service. That is followed up by All Saints Sunday and Thanksgiving eve and Sunday. What a wonderful month this should be. We remember all those who have led the way and give thanks for all our blessings.

May God Be with you all. Milt

A Reflection on the Prince of Peace trip to Tanzania by Caryn Josephson

One of the many exciting parts of our trip to Tanzania was our trip out to visit the Boma la Ng'ombe Secondary School. When we visited in 2004, the students were attending classes in the village at the church and other buildings. We had the opportunity to visit the school site, and saw the soon-to-be finished first block of classrooms, and the beginnings of a temporary dorm. It was a thrill this year to be able to go out to visit the site again, where students are now living and attending classes. Although there is an incredible amount of work still to be done to complete the site, the enthusiasm of the students and teachers, and changes to the school site were fun to see. The first block of classrooms and a small administration building are finished

and they are working to build a science/math building. The science/math building is one of the buildings that the government requires in order for a school to be certified. In addition to the permanent buildings, they have put structures in place for dormitories, latrines, a kitchen, housing for the teachers who serve as the dormitory supervisors and a football (soccer) field. These will eventually be replaced with more permanent structures. The growth of the school is particularly exciting. The students are doing very well academically, which means that more and more parents and congregations want to send their children to Boma la Ng'ombe Secondary School for their education. The needs are great, but

the joy, enthusiasm and pride that we saw on the faces of the students and teachers was incredible to behold. It was such a gift to be able to see first-hand what a difference our partnership is making in the lives of these young people. And, humbling to realize how much we can learn from them in their hunger for education and joy in the Lord. One of the Form One students, Malak Tweve, prepared a speech for us in which he said "This has been possible through your effort to help us. We see Jesus in your faces." We certainly saw Jesus in their faces, and experienced the wonderful connections that our mutual faith in Jesus Christ gives us. Bwana Jesu Asifewe! Amen!

November Birthdays

Margaret Sorensen	Geneva Lyman	John Kopas	Mark Lundquist
Nancy Latterell	Carroll Cooper	Annelies Bosley	Megan Miller
Kay M. Johnson	Paul Peterson	Carol Stokes	Michael Amos
Lisa LaBorg	Sheila Gniffke-Pribyl	Burt Thompson	Sarah Schreiner
Gary LaBorg	William Kaufenberg	A J Brown	Nicholas Forsyth
Melissa Hernes	Matthew Buck	Mary Palumbo	Nancy Gates
Kathleen Tempel	Allison Kroeten	Rami Chehour	Patti Rogness
Paul Wiltse	William Schleicher	Loren Hanson	Brian Franson
Mike LeMay	Marcheta Ross	Matthew Ficocello	Barbara Mampel
Ken Boyum	Bruce Urman	Daniel Anderson	Melissa Burke
Jean Adams	Lee Frehner	Karen Olson	Amy Kolia
Lindsey Hangsleben	Ferne Wachter	Liz Ericksen	Laurel Vanderbilt
Gerald Sporre	Jan Hanson	Maddie Hanson	Erik Tungsvik
Char Thompson	Jesse Glommen	John Arver	Maren Youngquist
Anne Haugan	Adrian Holmberg	Barb Marsh	Harland Thomesen
Janice Kaufenberg	Lori Steffen	Phil Stokes	

Bega kwa Bega

You are invited to the **6TH ANNUAL TANZANIAN DINNER**

Sunday, November 12, 2006 at 5:30 p.m.

MAKING THE IMPOSSIBLE POSSIBLE Mark your calendar for the 6th annual Tanzanian dinner sponsored by the Tanzanian Mission Partners. Bring your family to taste the food and experience some Tanzanian culture with a program of music and a report including a presentation of an update of happenings at Bomalang'ombe Lutheran Church and Boma la Ng'ombe Secondary School.

A freewill offering will be taken to support the Bomalang'ombe Scholarship Program and the Boma la Ng'ombe Secondary School. One of the students gave a speech in which he stated that it is through our efforts to help that they see Jesus in our faces and that they know that ***THE IMPOSSIBLE IS POSSIBLE***.

SCHOOL IS A BUILDING OF FOUR WALLS WITH TOMORROW INSIDE.

"Teach a child how they should live, and they will remember it all their life." Proverbs 22:6

Please come and support these students and the secondary school in Bomalang'ombe so that they too may have a tomorrow.

Children and Family Ministry—Ginger Ryan

The season of Thanksgiving is just around the corner and the Children's Ministry Committee is hoping that we can work together to help others feel thankful. We would like to encourage all members of the congregation to once again participate in Operation Christmas Child! You will find brochures at the church for this hands-on mission project or if you would like more information please go to <http://www.samaritanspurse.org>. Operation Christmas Child is focused on helping children around the world by giving them shoe boxes filled with small gifts as well the Good News of God's love in a Gospel booklet in their own language.

Simply follow the 5 steps below to participate. If you would like to give but don't have the time to put together a box, you may drop off your donation to the church office.

Step 1: SHOE BOX

Use an empty shoe box (standard size, please) or a small plastic container. You can wrap the box (lid separately), but **wrapping is not required**.

Step 2: BOY OR GIRL?

Determine whether your gift will be for a boy or a girl, and the child's age category: 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14.

You can pick up a label at the church on the back of the brochure.

Step 3: FILL WITH GIFTS

Fill the box with a variety of gifts that will bring delight to a child. **Step 4: INCLUDE A DONATION (If you are able)**

Please donate \$7 or more for each shoe box you prepare to help cover shipping and other project costs. Please make checks payable to Samaritan's Purse (note "OCC" on memo line) and place it in an envelope on top of the gift items inside your box.

Step 5: DROP OFF

Place a rubber band around each shoebox and lid and drop off at the church by

Sunday, November 19th!

GIFT IDEAS:

TOYS

Small cars, balls, dolls, stuffed animals, kazoos, harmonicas, yo-yos, jump ropes, small Etch A Sketch®, toys that light up or make noise (with extra batteries), Slinky®, etc.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Pens, pencils and sharpener, crayons or markers, stamps and ink pad sets, writing pads or paper, solar calculators, coloring and picture books, etc.

HYGIENE ITEMS

Toothbrush, toothpaste, mild bar soap (in a plastic bag), comb, washcloth, etc.

OTHER

Hard candy and lollipops (please double bag all candy), mints, gum, T-shirts, socks, ball caps; sunglasses, hair clips, toy jewelry, watches, flashlights (with extra batteries)

A PERSONAL NOTE

In a separate envelope, you may enclose a note to the child and a photo of yourself or your family. (If you include your name and address, the child may write back.)

DO NOT INCLUDE:

Used or damaged items; war-related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures; chocolate or food; liquids or lotions; medications or vitamins; breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers; aerosol cans

Mark your
calendars
Now!



Prince of Peace Advent Fair!
Sunday, December 3, from 3-5 p.m.
Crafts, Games,
Music, and Worship
ALL ARE WELCOME!!

Thoughts from Audrey

In the last ten months I have been back to my home congregation twice. I was reminded that the folks there are “family.” I left that community 36 years ago, but folks there welcomed and supported me as they did when I was a child in that congregation.

Many of these people helped my parents raise me. They helped us celebrate their lives this last year as we said our final goodbyes. We shared many memories and stories about years long gone. And what I am treasuring about these last two visits “home” is that their care and concern for my siblings and me is just as genuine as the days when we were growing up. It has been more than seven years since my parents were weekly attending worship, yet these folks knew where we kids were living and what we are doing. These folks have made the pain of the last months more bearable. I believe that at any time I walk into United Lutheran Church I will be welcomed by these folks.

Is that not what the church is all about? Being family for each other. Supporting one another. Sharing our memories, joys, and sorrows. Telling our stories and hearing their stories. Being in relationship with each other.

As I “come back” to Prince of Peace today, I am asking myself if our “children of the congregation” know that they are loved by us. Next time you see one of those folks who grew up or are growing up in our mist—stop to share a memory or story with them.

Middle School Basketball
Want to play basketball?
Contact Audrey.

High School Basketball
Want to play basketball?
Contact Audrey.



Jr. High Youth Events

Rockin' at the Roy!

Wednesday, November 1

Meet at church at 5:45 pm and return
to the church at 9 pm.

Celebrate with thousands of confirmation youth
from across the metro area!

Speaker Heidi Neumark
Music by Daniels Window
Cost is \$6.00 per person.

Moonlight Madness

Friday, November 10th, 8:40 PM thru

Saturday, November 11th, 7:00 AM

We will begin at Augsburg College Gymnasium

Go to Grand Slam Entertainment Center

From there to Andover Cinema

Ending the night with Bowling

Cost \$35.00/person

Sr. High Youth Event

Breakfast Club

Sunday Morning 9:30—10:30 AM
In the Youth Room

FEAST

(Friends Eating and Sharing Together)

Wednesday Night 5:45—6:40 PM
In the Youth Room

Lock-In

Friday Night, November 24th, 9:00 PM—
Saturday, 7:00 AM.

The project for the night is to
“redo” the youth room.

Have opinions and ideas—come join us.
We'll have some fun, food, and fellowship.
Cost: \$20.00/person

Movie Night

Saturday, November 18th, 7:30—10:00 PM

We'll meet in the Youth Room.

Watch a movie and discuss it.

Bring a snack to share and beverage of choice.

Prayer Requests

Phone or e-mail prayer requests to the church office. Please call Lois Berg on the weekends.
651-484-9196

Meals on Wheels

Nov 6 and Dec 18

Food for Friends

at Salvation Army
3rd Thursday of each month.

Interested in

Quilting this fall?

Please call
Cathy Yoon
651-483-1311

Prayer Shawl Knitting

3rd Wednesday of the month at 10:00am in the library

Library Cleaning day returns to 3rd Tuesday of each month at 1:00pm



Women's Bible Study at Prince of Peace



Bible Study Leaders' Meeting

November 7 at 6 pm Church Library

Martha Circle Monday, Nov 13, 1:00 pm

Hostess: Cathy Yoon 483-1311

Study Leader: Ellie Osterhoudt

Church Library

Rebecca Circle Monday, Nov 13, 7:30 pm

Hostess: Lois Johnson

Study Leader: Patti Rogness

Rachel Circle Tuesday, Nov 14, 9:30 am

Hostesses: Mae Bush 484-4430

Kathleen Gabrielsen

Lil Paetz

Study Leader: Ruth Hagander

Ruth Circle Tuesday, Nov 14, 7:30 pm

Hostess: Jean Knaak 483-9261

Study Leader: Anne Haugen

Next Older Kids Program

Ok's

The Ok's will be touring the Guthrie Theater—it's BRAND

Ok's

NEW and should be N-E-A-T!!!

When: Saturday, November 11

Transportation: Motor Coach

Time of Tour: 10:00-11:00am

Cost/Person: \$15.00 (bus and tour fee)

Reservation and Money Due: Sunday, October 15 and/or Sunday, October 22

No reservations will be taken after October 22! (ticket need to be purchased in advance)

See you at the Guthrie!!!

Prince of Peace Caring Community



CHRISTIANS
Caring for each other

Help the church Staff and the Prince of Peace family.

If you or someone you know from Prince of Peace is ill and/or is in the hospital and would like a **Pastoral visit** or has a prayer request for our prayer chain please call the church office.

Befrienders at Prince of Peace

November 28, 2006

Tuesday, 7:00pm - 8:30pm

Program: Matt Mathiasen,

Director of Roseville

Seniors at Home -

A Living at Home

Block Nurse Program

Christian Education Opportunities

New! Meditation Group just starting!
Tuesdays 5-6 pm in the Lower Level
Pastors and others lead in exploring and reviving the practice of meditation from our Christian tradition.

Additional Special Movie Showings *An Inconvenient Truth*



Thursday, Oct. 26 at 7:00pm or
Sunday, Oct. 29 at 12:30pm (light lunch at noon)
Prince of Peace joined congregations around the country in screening the movie during the week of October 1. There have been a number of requests to show the movie again.

This event was organized by Earth Ministry and Interfaith Power and Light. Al Gore's surprising hit documentary on global warming issues a prophetic call and moral challenge for our time. How might people of faith respond?

Sunday Mornings at 9:30am

Biology and Belief: Conversations in Faith and Science: continues the popular series from last spring featuring a 20 minute video by scholars, and opportunity for discussion on several current issues. Facilitator: Kent Olson, Prince of Peace member and U of M professor in the Dept. of Applied Economics.

Nov. 5—"Science vs. Belief? The Challenge of Naturalism."

November 12—"Intelligent Design in Biology"

November 19—"Genetic Engineering"

November 2, 9 and 16

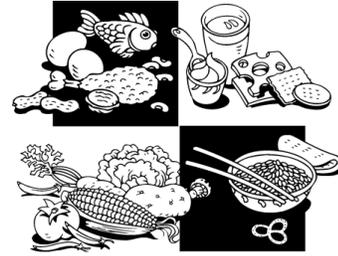
Thursdays at 7:30-9:00pm

Speaking of God, by Paul Sponheim

Sponheim's gentle speaking enlarges the reader's theological imagination, engaging one to think about such questions as how God acts, what happens in prayer, how God is to be understood in relation to evil, and how apologetics and evangelism can be affirmed today.

Discussion led by Paul Sponheim himself!

Prince of Peace Events



Bold Food

Let's get together and cook a few tasty meals to have in the freezer for the chilly winter.
Monday, Nov. 13th - 10:00 am and 6:30 pm
Sign up sheet on the bulletin board.



Looking ahead to January 2007 for a Church Progressive Dinner.

If you would like to host a course at your home please contact Michele Pedersen at mpedersen@tcinternet.net or 651-777-2367.

A sign up sheet will go up later with information on food and locations.

Mark your calendars
Now!



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Thank you Corner

*Fellow Christians of Prince of Peace,
 Many thanks for your prayers during my recent
 illness.
 My angel visited me and told me not to worry as
 everything would be alright.
 I've been enjoying the letters, cards and notes I've
 received.
 Thanks also, for the phone calls I've received since
 I came home. Also the food. This recovery seems
 so slow.
 Prayers of Patience are welcome.*

Mary Lewis

**Thank you to the Summer Lawn Maintenance
 Crew:** Jesse Glommen, Tom Frantz, Roger
 Hintze, Dick Jacobson, Steve Olson and Brian
 Johnson.



Stewardship 2007

Stewardship packets will be mailed
 out the week of October 18. The
 packets will include your
 contribution statement with your
 giving from January 1 to October 15,
 2006. Please review your pledge and
 giving as you prayerfully consider your gifts for 2007.



Packet will include:

- Letter from our Pastors and Council
- Annual Membership Renewal form
- Contribution Stmt and a note from Pastor Rogness
- Simply Giving information and authorization form

Please return your Annual Membership Renewal form
 on or before Sunday, November 5, 2006.

If you have any questions about the Prince of Peace
 Annual Membership Renewal form please contact
 Pastor Andrew Rogness, Pastor Anita Beste or the
 Parish Administrator, Carol Garbisch.

Mail or drop this entire page to the office (include the mailing label above).

Changes to your personal information? Please let Prince of Peace know.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Work phone: _____

E-mail address: _____

Note to the office

