



Mission Statement

As men, women and children united in faith and worship by the Word of God, we are **committed to making disciples**, using the gospel to win the lost for Christ, and nurturing believers for Christian service, all to the glory of God.

Service Times

Sundays 8:00 & 9:30; Monday 6:30pm

Television: Sundays, 12:30 pm,
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Pentecost 5

*Believers can't help but speak in
spite of suffering.*

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

232 Windsor St. Sun Prairie, WI 53590

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

We love that you are here today! For your convenience, restrooms are located in the foyer by the library. There is a cry room in the back of the sanctuary.

TODAY'S FOCUS

We have seen a progression over the last several weeks. We heard that the Triune God is a God of grace. We have observed how God arranges to have His message of grace communicated to the world through humans –calling even a sinful tax collector to the public ministry. We have observed that He employs His entire Church to be a “kingdom of priests.” Today we observe that God’s Spirit fills believers with zeal so they cannot remain silent about His grace even if they have to suffer for speaking up.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Common Service **pg. 15** in the red hymnal

Hymns

- Opening Hymn **561** *Lord, Speak to Us that We May Speak*
- Hymn of the Day **202** *If God Had Not Been on Our Side*
- Communion Hymns **567** *Awake, O Spirit, Who Inspired*
- 538** *The Church’s One Foundation*
- 381** *Grace Has a Thrilling Sound*
- Closing Hymn **562** *I Love to Tell the Story*

Scripture Lessons

- First Lesson **Jeremiah 20:7-13** (pew Bible, pg. 1206)
- Psalm of the Day **Psalm 25** (Hymnal, page 74)
- Second Lesson **Acts 23:1-11** (pew Bible, pg. 1734)
- Gospel Lesson **Matthew 10:24-33** (pew Bible, pg. 1511)

Sermon

Jeremiah 20:7-13

“...but the Lord is with me.”

PLEASE RESPECT OUR PRACTICE OF “CLOSE COMMUNION”

Christ says the Sacrament is an expression of unity (1Co 10:14-15). We WANT to be unified with you on the basis of Christ and His doctrine! Honesty compels us to ask you to WAIT before communing with us: 1) until you’ve had a chance to find out what we teach; 2) until you make your unity with us evident by membership at Peace. Regular classes are conducted for this purpose (837-5346). WELS & ELS guests, please sign a “guest” card and give it to an usher before communing. Thank you.

GUEST PREACHER—JOSH ZARLING

Delivering the sermon today is Josh Zarling, husband of our 1st grade teacher, Rossi Zarling. Josh is a Wisconsin Lutheran Seminary graduate and is seeking eligibility for the public ministry through the Southeastern Wisconsin District. (We are in the Western Wisconsin District). Here at Peace we are happy to give Josh opportunity to serve and to establish a record of service toward eligibility.

HYMNS TODAY

The hymns today speak to the zeal, love and necessity for Christians to speak out concerning the truth of God’s Word. At the same time, the hymns acknowledge the suffering that Christians must endure because of their faithful testimony to the world.

A CHRIST-CENTERED SERVICE

Each of the liturgical songs that make up the historic liturgy (the service we’re using today) focuses on Jesus Christ. One of the beautiful and purposeful purposes of the liturgy is to keep us centered on Jesus. They mostly quote Scripture. Jesus is the focus of the Bible as well.

Please see the prayers on pages 10-11 of the hymnal to prepare for the service.

SERVING IN WORSHIP

- Sermon** Joshua Zarling
- Presider** Rev. Luke C. Werre
- Worship Coordinator** Mrs. Kristin Huebner
- Organist** Mrs. Sarah Bilitz
- Altar Assistants** (8:00) Calvin Grant; (9:30) August Gresens
- Ushers....** Team #4 8:00—J. Alberts (captain) 9:30— M. Pilgrim (captain)
- Monday Night—Craig McDowell Next Monday— Bruce Miller
- Next Week’s Ushers** Team #5- Captains: Todd Larsen; Lynn Lee

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