



### **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 & 10:30; Monday 6:30pm

Television: Sundays, 12:30 pm,  
channel 98 analog; channel 983 digital

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# PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

232 Windsor St. Sun Prairie, WI 53590

January 7, 2018

## 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

Today we celebrate "the Epiphany of Our Lord." Each year, January 6, marks is the day of Epiphany. Epiphany comes from the Greek word that means to shine upon. When light shines upon something, you can see it clearly. In Epiphany, God makes clearly known to us what we could not otherwise see.

Epiphany shows us Jesus is true God, the eternal God the Son, the Savior of all the world. This is of course, has always been true. But because Christ becomes true man and hides his glory as true God, the child born in Bethlehem looks like any other child. But the shining of the star, the coming of the Wise Men, the inclusion of non-Israelites such as Ruth the Moabite in His family tree, all show clearly that Jesus of Nazareth is King of kings, the Savior of *all* people.

## Order of Worship

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### Hymns

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|-----------------|---|
| Opening Hymn    | <b>CW 80</b> Angels from the Realms of Glory  |
| Hymn of the Day | <b>CW 94</b> O Jesus, King of Glory           |
| Hymn            | <b>CW 83</b> As with Gladness Men of Old      |
| Closing Hymn    | <b>CW 87</b> Hail, O Source of Every Blessing |

### Scripture Lessons

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| First Lesson     | Ruth 4:13-17     | (pew Bible, pg. 416)  |
| Psalm of the Day | Psalm 72         | (red hymnal, pg. 93)  |
| Second Lesson    | Ephesians 3:2-12 | (pew Bible, pg. 1820) |
| Gospel Lesson    | Matthew 2:1-12   | (pew Bible, pg. 1497) |

### Sermon

Matthew 2:1-12  
"God Makes Wise Men."

## ELECTRONIC THANK OFFERINGS

If you would like to give a contribution via text, send a text message to [\(608\)480-1612](tel:6084801612) with the amount you would like to contribute (example: 25). Within a few seconds, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and debit or card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt of your donation via email. Thank you!

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN MORE?

We offer an 8-lesson Bible information course, Thursday nights, 6:30-8:30 p.m. beginning January 11, 2018. This course also serves as our entrance course for those interested in membership, but there is no obligation. For inquiries or to register: [luke.werre@peacewels.org](mailto:luke.werre@peacewels.org) or call 837-5346.

## CHURCH COUNCIL INSTALLATION

Today we install both the new and current members of the Administrative Church Council. We pray for and support these men we have called through election to lead and serve us as we carry out the ministry the Lord has entrusted to us at Peace. (Newly elected leaders are in bold).

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| Darrell Zastrow, <b>President</b>                | Dave Russ, Secretary              |
| Don Johnson, <b>Vice-President</b>               | Mike Mandler, Treasurer           |
| Craig McDowell, Financial Secretary              | Dan Larson, Adult Discipleship    |
| Michael Gresens, <b>Board of Elders Chairman</b> | Justin Leiterman, Family Ministry |
| Chris White, <b>Outreach Board Chair</b>         | Kevin Riley, Property             |
| Tim Constien, School Board Chairman              |                                   |

We thank the men who have concluded their service on the council. Praise to be God for their faithful service to their Savior and all they have done for His people:

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| Brad DeNoyer     | Jeff Zondag   |
| Randy Wiessinger | Brian McCrary |

## SERVING IN WORSHIP

**Presider** ..... Rev. Shaun M. Arndt  
**Organist** ..... Mrs. Sarah Bilitz  
**Guitarist** ..... Will DeNoyer  
**Ushers.... Team #6** 8:00—M. Larson (captain) 10:30— A. Schumacher (captain)  
**Monday Night**—Jeff Hoefner **Next Monday**— Jeff Ross  
**Next Week's Ushers Team #1** Captains: Dan Becraft; Paul Guenterberg