



Peace United Church of Christ

Rev. Eric Kirkegaard

21 June 2020

Third Sunday after Pentecost – Father's Day

We, the members of Peace United Church of Christ, believe that we are called to be a congregation of grace and welcome to all of God's children:

- to celebrate every person as a child of God, created in God's image.
- to love all as God has first loved us.
- to acknowledge the presence of, and offer healing to the wounds of oppression, injustice, prejudice, and hate, and to stand with those who are left out.

Following Christ's example, we welcome and include everyone in all aspects of life, leadership, and ministry of the church. We affirm persons of all races, nationalities, sexual orientations, gender identities, family structures, physical or mental abilities, political stances, faith backgrounds and socio-economic status.

In the way of Jesus, we stand against acts of hate and violence in all their forms.

Therefore, we declare ourselves to be an Open and Affirming Congregation, where an extravagant welcome and grace are extended to all, and each person's gifts are celebrated, welcomed, nurtured and blessed, that all may be one. Amen.

Approved by Peace Church 10/20/2019

WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

Greetings - A Time of Centering

↑ Hymn #655

“Come Away from Rush and Hurry”

Unison

The musical score is written for a unison voice part and a piano accompaniment. It consists of four systems of music. Each system has a vocal line on a treble clef staff and a piano line on a bass clef staff. The key signature has one flat (B-flat) and the time signature is 3/4. The lyrics are printed below the vocal line of each system.

1 Come a - way from rush and hur - ry to the still-ness of God's peace;
2 In the pas-tures of God's good-ness we lie down to rest our soul.
3 Come, then, chil-dren, with your bur - dens—life's con - fu - sions, fears and pain,

from our vain am - bi-tion's wor - ry, come to Christ to find re - lease.
From the wa - ters of God's mer - cy we drink deep - ly, are made whole.
Leave them at the cross of Je - sus; take in - stead his king-dom's reign.

Come a - way from noise and clam - or, life's de-mands and fren-zied pace;
At the ta - ble of God's pres - ence all the saints are rich - ly fed.
Bring your thirsts, for he will quench them—he a - lone will sat - is - fy.

come to join the peo - ple gath - ered here to seek and find God's face.
With the oil of God's a - noint - ing in - to ser - vice we are led.
All our long - ings find at - tain - ment when to self we glad - ly die.

WORDS: Marva J. Dawn (1948-)

MUSIC: Attr. B. F. White (1800-1879), *The Sacred Harp*, 1844; arr. Jack Schrader (1942-)

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BEACH SPRING
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Being Gathered in the Presence of God – Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17

One: May the peace and grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

Many: And also with you.

One: Hear, O LORD, and answer me, for I am poor and needy. Guard my life, for I am devoted to you.

Many: You are my God; save your servant who trusts in you. Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I call to you all day long.

One: Bring joy to your servant, for to you, O Lord, I lift up my soul.

Many: You are forgiving and good, O Lord, abounding in love to all who call to you. Hear my prayer, O LORD; listen to my cry for mercy.

One: In the day of my trouble I will call to you, for you will answer me. Among the gods there is none like you, O Lord; no deeds can compare with yours.

Many: All the nations you have made will come and worship before you, O Lord; they will bring glory to your name. For you are great and do marvelous deeds; you alone are God.

One: Turn to me and have mercy on me; grant your strength to your servant and save the son of your maidservant.

Many: Give me a sign of your goodness, that my enemies may see it and be put to shame, for you, O LORD, have helped me and comforted me.

All: But I trusted in your steadfast love; my heart shall rejoice in your salvation. I will sing to the Lord, because he has dealt bountifully with me.

Confession of sin

One: We lift up our voices as we confess our sins before God.

All: Merciful God, it is difficult to follow your ways. It's hard to be bold in our witness when faith-values seem unpopular. It's hard to be extravagant in our love for all, when our nature so easily embraces our own needs before those of others. It's hard to remember that each of us belonged to you before we were our own.

Forgive us for when we fail to love you with all our heart, and soul, and mind, and for when we fail to love our neighbors as ourselves. For what we do, and for what we fail to do, we confess our brokenness to you. Please help us now and forever to be more open and understanding of others in all of their diversity, and humbly guide us in your paths.

Leader: Please join me in the prayer that our Lord taught us by praying:
“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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.”

Assurance of Pardon

One: Friends, believe the good news of the Lord

Many: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

♪ A Response Of Halleluja “Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le,lu-ja”

Passing of the Peace

Peace be with you

And also with you

The Children's Time – we sing let the child in each of us join in singing

♪ Hymn #437 “Jesus Loves Me, This I Know” vs. 1

♪ Hymn #422

“Amazing Grace”

1 A - maz - ing grace! how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!
 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears re-lieved;
 3 The Lord has prom-ised good to me, his word my hope se-cures;
 4 Through man - y dan - gers, toils and snares I have al - read - y come;
 5 When we've been there ten thou-sand years, bright shin - ing as the sun,

I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.
 how pre - cious did that grace ap - pear the hour I first be-lieved!
 he will my shield and por - tion be as long as life en-dures.
 'tis grace that brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
 we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first be - gun.

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WORDS: John Newton (1725-1807), alt.; vs. 5, anonymous
 MUSIC: Virginia Harmony, 1831; adapt. Edwin O. Excell (1851-1921)

NEW BRITAIN
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Lesson Genesis 21:8-21 (Page 14)
Gospel Matthew 10:24-39 (Page 744)

Sermon "What if Your Parent Isn't Always Right?"

Special Music "This is My Father's World" arr. Lorie Line

Prayer of Dedication

Precious Lord, we give thanks for all that you have given us. We remember with our offerings that everything in our lives is a gift from you. We challenge ourselves to live the power of that gift. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer – Silent Prayer

Benediction

One: Go in peace, serve the Lord

People: We go to love and to serve, for we are the church!

All: Thanks be to God! Alleluia and Amen.

Announcements

♪ Hymn 712 "Sent Forth by God's Blessing" (*music next page*)

Unison
N.C. F C/E F Dm Gm/Bb C C/E

1 Sent forth by God's blessing our true faith confessing, the
2 With praise and thanksgiving to God ever living, the

F F/A Bb F/C C7 F N.C.

peo - ple of God from this dwell - ing take leave. The
tasks of our ev - ery - day life we will face. Our

F C/E F Dm Gm/Bb Gm Gm/Bb C C/E

ser - vice is end - ed, O now be ex - tend - ed the
faith ev - er shar - ing, in love ev - er car - ing, em -

F F/A Bb F/C C7 F

fruits of our wor - ship in all who be - lieve. The
brac - ing God's chil - dren of each tribe and race. With

WORDS: Omer Westendorf (1916-1998)
MUSIC: Welsh folk tune; harm. Leland Sateren (1913-)

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F C7

seed of the teach-ing, re-cep-tive souls reach-ing, shall
your grace you feed us, with your light now lead us: u -

F C Dm C/E C/G G C Dm7 C/E

blos-som in ac-tion for God and for all. God's
nite us as one in this life that we share. Then

F C/E F Dm Gm/Bb Gm Gm/Bb C C/E

grace did in-vite us, and love shall u-nite us to
may all the liv-ing with praise and thanks-giv-ing give

F F/A Bb F/C C7 F

work for God's king-dom and an-swer the call.
hon-or to Christ and that name which we bear.

Postlude

SERVING TODAY

Our Worship Team:

Sherry McElhatton, Piano, Vocal
Karla Spaits, Melodica, Ukulele, Vocal
Elsa Kirkegaard, Flute, Percussion
Maëlle Leopardo, Violin, Percussion
(Our French exchange student – living with the
Kirkegaards)
Laura Kirkegaard

Ministers: ALL OF YOU!

**The flowers on the altar are in honor of the Hallen-Schmidt families
from Betty Hallen.**

CALENDAR – WEEK OF JUNE 21

June 23 10:00 am. Lectionary Study via Zoom, see link below

All services can be accessed at Peace UCC Kewaskum [YouTube](#)
or Peace United Church of Christ [Facebook](#) page

Weekly **Sunday School lessons** are available on the YouTube link found
on the church website www.peace-ucc.org Check out some of the special
guests offering messages, and get ready to have a birthday party! Also
coming in June... an amazing TOY Bible STORY series with Ms. Alexia!

Adult Faith Formation, Confirmation Redux – is taking a break for the
summer. We will resume in the fall.

Tuesdays at 10 am. - Lectionary group. Each week we will study the scripture for the upcoming Sunday.

Join Zoom Meeting on your computer by copying or clicking this link:

<https://zoom.us/j/299920158?pwd=WTdLNEx4dXExRHFteFB3RVBjQzN1dz09>

Meeting ID: 299 920 158

Password: 114964

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Lectionary texts for June 28 – Genesis 22:1-14 and Psalm 13 • Jeremiah 28:5-9 and Psalm 89:1-4, 15-18 • Romans 6:12-23 • Matthew 10:40-42

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you Peace Church Congregation!

The Peace Church congregation has always been committed to our mission and has demonstrated that commitment over and over. **We thank all of you who have continued to send in your offerings – it is very much appreciated!**

We hope, that if you are able, you will continue to give to the church during this difficult time.

Here are ways to give to Peace:

- Mail your gift to church: The church address is: Peace UCC, PO Box 433, Kewaskum, WI 53040
- Give online by going to [GIVE](#) on our website. Scroll down to online giving and click the link and follow the directions.
- You can also set up automatic contributions with your bank. To do this just go to your bank's website or to call your local branch and they will assist you.

Thank you all...and God Bless.

It's Hammer Time - Peace Habitat Needs You!

Peace Habitat will be working on building a new house from July 7 – 11, 2020. We welcome you to join us – here are the details:

Address of the build is 2030 N. Western Ave, West Bend. Please bring your own lunch, safety glasses, hearing protection, and a tool belt and hammer if you have them. Handwashing station is on-site, and mask-wearing is optional. You can work one day or the whole week...the choice is yours!

This build is open to anyone over the age of 16 and under 100. To sign up, please contact Karen Kletti at 262-224-2212 or the church office at 262-626-4011.

Red Cross Needs Our Help!

Peace Church is the scheduled site for a Red Cross blood drive on Wednesday, June 24th from 1:00-6:00 PM. Many new precautions are in place to safeguard the health of volunteers, donors and Red Cross staff.

If you, or anyone you know from the Kewaskum community, can support this life-saving event, please call the church office TODAY at 262-626-4011 to volunteer, and go online at redcrossblood.org to reserve a time to donate blood.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Happy Birthday June 21 – June 27

June 22 William Becker, Joanne Stautz
June 23 Pam Berres, Carly Reif
June 24 John Hubbell (82), Kathy Mertz, Mandi Rahmer
June 25 Catherine Vey
June 26 Amber Charland, Connor Lemke, Nicole Weinreich
June 27 Bonnie Clark, Dave Domasky (81), Gary Panzer

Happy Anniversary June 21 – June 27

June 21 Bill & Diane Stangl (40)
June 22 Becky Manthei & Mathias Dornacker (13),
Wes & Barb Westra (57)
June 23 Dave & Marlene Domasky (47), John & Sara Lemke (19),
Roger & Kandy Lindgren (29)
June 25 John & Jeanne Wood (60)

PRAYER LIST

Please let us know of any updates to the Prayer Lists

Those in Need of Healing: all shut-ins and those experiencing pain or loss

Members:

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| Harvey Brodzeller | Dennis Novotny |
| Debbie Butzlaff | Mitch Ogi |
| Barry Clark | Doc Ogi |
| John Coulter | Alexia Polzin |
| Marion Doms | Heidi Rodenkirch |
| Gary Fisher | Carol Sedgwick |
| Betty Graff | Betty Skaug |
| Les Martin | Cherie Singer |
| Marilyn McIntosh | Alec Taylor |
| Robert Neumann | Greg Vorpahl |
| Don Neitzel | Bev Winninghoff |

Friends & Family:

Ruth Betts (M. McFadden)

Caelyb (Bocher)

Ron Geurts (Stern)

William Gudex (C. Gudex)

Cindy Hoffman (Grundahl)

Debbie (Hallen)

Larry Haas (Lemke)

Eric Haas (Lemke)

Heidi (C. Manthei)

Sue Heiser (Rodenkirch)

Jeremy Heiser (Rodenkirch)

Mason Hollbrook (Bocher)

Robin Kann (Atwater)

Valerie Knurr (Kletti)

Bonnie Laufenberg (Lemke)

Mrs. Muckerhide

Babette Rhoads (Rhoads)

Ashlyn Roecker (Becker)

Ron Scheid (Liepert)

Bill Schuster (D. Stangl)

Charlie Straub (J. Becker)

Louise Steuerwald (Bocher)

Ann Thill (Mertz)

Katie Van Ess (G. Van Ess)

Please keep us updated. Concerns will be listed for 6 weeks.

Those Dealing with Cancer:

Members: Laurie Struck, Cherie Singer

Friends & Family:

Gary & Evelyn Beaupre

Kim Breit

Jean Cornell (Herriges)

Nephew of Beck Ehmer

Kerri Estep (Atwater)

Ron Geurts

Paula Hader (Adler)

Norm Hughes (K. Hughes)

Sheri Theep (Van Beek)

Dennis Jacak (Manthei/Rauch)

Jan (D. Stangl)

Rev. Kathryn O'Connor Kuhn
(O'Connor and Kuhn)

Sue Mitchell (Rhoads)

Paige More (Pearson)

Sharon Rosbeck (Herriges)

Dennis Liepert (J. Michaels)

Steve Siebenaler (J. Manthei)

Susan Tolonen (Lindgren)

Russell Will (Will)

Those who have entered Hospice for additional care on the journey:

Barbara Wenzlaff, John Waskiewicz, Norm Hughes

Those Serving our Country



Thank you to the following who are currently serving in the **Armed Forces**, for their courage, strength and dedication to keeping us safe:

Julia (Leithold) Beasley (Air Force)

Sgt. Tyler Graff (Air Force – Betty Graff grandson)

Spencer Guenther (Air Force – Van Ess nephew)

Kyle Henk (Army)

Matthew Jankowski (Army National Guard – Jackie McCurdy grandson)

Luke Linden (Army National Guard – Joanne Amerling grandson)

Major Erik Rundquist (Army)

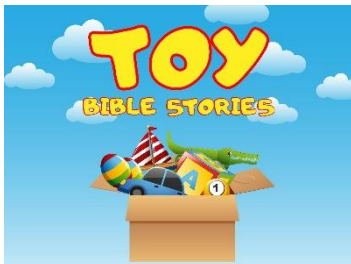
Maggie Singer (Army National Guard)

Dallas Stolowski (Marine Corp. – Knoth grandson)

Ryan Wunsch (Army National Guard – McElhatton son-in-law)

Samuel Zemlicka-Retzlaff (Air Force)

Our Covenanted Partner in Ministry: Rev. Gretchen Martin who serves the wider church through her work with the North Carolina Organ Donor Network.



Summer Sunday School

Be sure to tune into the Peace Church YouTube channel through the entire summer... June, July, and August!

Follow the Sunday School link at: www.peace-ucc.org

Each week, Ms. Alexia will offer a fun lesson and introduce you to one of the famous characters you know and love... cowboy, space ranger, slinky, T-rex and MORE!

Plus, you'll learn what toys can teach you about servicing God, and the different people in the Bible who carried out God's purposes.

Tune in any day or time. We'll be here for you!

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