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Purpose: To Love | God, Neighbor, Self

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Sunday Morning Schedule:

8:30am (Traditional, Sanctuary) 9-9:40am (JAM—Family Learning) 9:45am & 11am (Contemporary, ConneXions Center)

WELCOME!

Each week at Peace, we are delighted to gather in community with people of all ages and stages in life. We want to create an environment that allows each to experience the loving presence of God. If you need assistance with hearing, we have hearing aids available at the back of the service area. If you have young children with you, wonderful. Worship is one of the best ways to form the faith of a child. If your child becomes too restless, feel free to step out for a moment and return when they are ready. We also offer a nursery for children three and under. Ask someone at the Welcome Center for directions. Welcome to Peace.

Today

Inward Journey

•*We Sing and Pray*

To settle our minds and shift our focus toward a loving God.

•*We Pass the Peace*

To remind us that, whether we know one another or not, we are on this journey together.

•*We Listen to Scripture and a Sermon*

To connect God's big story to our everyday story.

Outward Journey

•*We Give Offering*

As a response to God's generous love.

•*We Receive Communion*

To be strengthened for our everyday journey. All are welcome to receive this gift.

•*We are Sent*

To live a Jesus life of compassion, love, and hope.

Sermon (All Services)

•Genesis 4: 1-7, Pastor Doug Warburton

•Supplemental Reading from "We Make the Road by Walking"
Chapter 5 (In Over our Heads)

JAM Classes: 9am

Altar Flowers

In loving memory of Aunt Gloria by the Gibson family.

Sermon Thoughts and Insights

(Pencils available at Worship entrance.)

Save the Date

Peace Lutheran Church Women Bake Sale and Tote Sale: Oct. 15

Bakers and buyers needed! Drop off your baked goods on Saturday, Oct. 14 (4-6pm, main entrance). Proceeds benefit hurricane relief efforts. PLCW will also sell their insulated Peace tote bags. Contact: Mary Westinghouse: rwestinghouse@aol.com or 614-855-8009.

Hurricane Relief Team: Planning Meeting Oct. 15, 12:15pm

Outreach Ministry is in the planning phases of sending a group to the hardest hit areas from the recent hurricanes (location TBD). Interested in learning more? See Dana Stuckey, Outreach Director at the table outside Worship today or contact him: dstuckey@peacegahanna.org.

Reformation Sunday: Oct. 29 (More details to follow)

•TWO WORSHIP SERVICES: 9am & 11am (BOTH in Sanctuary)

•German Brunch: 10am-1pm (Fellowship Hall)

•Beer and Hymns: 6:30-9pm (Flanagan's Pub in Blacklick)



DETACH AT PERFORATION



Connect

October 8, 2017 Service: 8:30am 9:45am 11am (Please Circle)

Name: (please include all in attendance today.) _____

Email: _____

Phone: (Cell) _____ (Home) _____

Address: _____
Street Zip

- ☐ I am new today! I'd like to learn more. (Please visit our Welcome Center before you leave today.)
- ☐ I attend regularly, this information is new and I am not yet logged into Peace's online community, Realm.
- ☐ Please sign me up for Peace's Email Newsletters using the above email.

See other side for more ways to connect with us.. Please place this card in the Communion Baskets during worship.

This Week’s Ministry Opportunities

1) Southeast Testament Mission Trip: October 21

Join the SET Team for the annual fall trip for maintenance, repair and improvement projects to the building and grounds. There are projects for all including cleaning, painting, donation center organization, planting/clearing, cutting/splitting firewood, power washing, meal planning and preparation. (Friday-Sunday option may also be available).

2) The Journey—Prayer: Classes Begin Oct. 22, 9:50am

Come deepen and discover different paths of your *Inward Journey* through a 4-week class on prayer. Pastoral Intern Jared Howard will lead this Sunday class in the Fireside Lounge where we will explore the "why", experience different types of prayer and meditation, and explore biblical examples of prayer.



3) Hands-Only CPR Class: Oct. 17, 10:30am, Fellowship Hall

Hands-On CPR is a non-certified entry-level class, and is an orientation and awareness of the basics of CPR and AED use. This one-hour training will emphasize the importance of quick emergency response time - the most crucial being those 3-7 minutes before first-responders arrive. Cost: \$10

4) Friendship Ministry—Saturday Respite: Begins Oct. 14

On the first or second Saturday of each month (October through May), Peace offers a 9am-3pm “day camp” respite ministry for persons age 14 and above with cognitive disabilities. Volunteer with us for Bible study, art, recreation, music, worship, food, friendship and plenty of smiles. Help once in a while or every month.

To learn more about these ministry opportunities or to sign up, fill out both sides of the form below, circle the corresponding number and place in the baskets on the Communion Tables.

Give

9/25 through 10/1 Regular Offerings
(Sunday worship and online gifts) = \$31,324.89

Last Sunday’s Attendance Numbers: (12 in Nursery)
8:30am - 151
9:45am – 268
11am – 121

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HOPE for a Better Tomorrow



Saturday, Sept. 30, our HOPE Team launched the first-ever HOPE Works job fair at the Convention Center. Unlike the previous HOPE Picnics (an annual social event held at Veterans Memorial which included various community services), HOPE Works had one main focus: to help those within the reentry, recovery, human trafficked, or marginally housed communities, to find employment and a HOPE for a better tomorrow.

The Numbers:

- 41 Job-seeking attendees
- 12 job offers or 2nd interviews awarded (numbers still coming in!)
- 10 OSU Dental Unit appointments
- 24 haircuts provided
- Various Clerk of Courts/Franklin County Judge appointments
- Various Columbus Means Jobs meetings

Some of the most priceless moments came when our job seekers received a job or a second interview, and came forward to “ring the bell,” acknowledging their accomplishment. When the bell rang, the entire convention hall of employers, service providers and volunteers erupted with applause and loud cheering, giving these often forgotten constituents a lot of much-needed and well-deserved love.

Thank you all of our volunteers who gave up their beautiful Saturday and precious weekend time to come and walk alongside someone with whom they’ve had no relationship, but who knew that person was worth the effort and time.

Way to go, Peace Community—To Love...Neighbor.

Want to learn more about the HOPE Team
and how you can get involved?
Contact Chris Broas: Christine.Broas@keybenefit.com

J.A.M. With Us!



Sunday Learning for
Children, Students & Adults
9am

Register your child(ren) today:
www.peacegahanna.org

Today is a Service Project Sunday for Pre-K—Middle Schoolers:
Fall decorations and crafts for our homebound members.

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Engage

Ministry Opportunities—Sign me up! Circle the corresponding number from today’s announcements (See details above.)

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Request prayers (submit below)
(Please ask approval from those for whom you pray, as requests appear on Peace’s Prayer Board & Prayer Line email.)

What Else?
Any other questions you have?