

PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH 3828 Cleveland Ave. SW Canton, Ohio 44707 facebook.com/peacecanton



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CORRECTION: NEXT SUNDAY: Holy Cross Sunday

Homecoming Sunday!

Homecoming Sunday Worship

Potluck following WORSHIP

HW: Make a personal invite to members you have not seen for some time! (i.e. Homecoming)

HELLO CHURCH FAMILY!

School buses are out, high school football is most of the newspaper, and candy is everywhere, we must be approaching Pumpkin Spice season err Fall. Fall is also the start of our recommitment to education for all. Next Sunday is our Homecoming Worship Sunday and potluck. I encourage everyone to join us! Even if you haven't attended Peace Lutheran Church for years, no better time to come back than for a potluck. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex and will be passed around this Sunday, 9/3.

I mentioned previously we need to focus on our future in prayer and discernment. We also need to be together with our church family, hear from each other and build trusting relationships. One great way to do this is over food. I encourage you on September 10 to try and sit with a person or group of people you haven't before. We won't get to know each other more if we only talk to the people we share our pew with.

Lastly, think of this statement, 'When Peace is at its best it looks like ...(your answer here).

Thank you all for joining in the Ice Cream Social last week. We have a lot of great cooks in this Church. Thank you to our wonderful Service Committee for planning this event each year.

Please reach out anytime with questions or ideas - Angela

EDUCATION HOUR BEGINS!

Sunday, September 17, following worship Peace will hold Education Hour for **all ages** (including our children) from 10:45 until 11:45. This will make it possible for our children to worship. During the Education Hour, Pastor Phil will teach catechism to adults who would like a refresher course or an informational course on the tenets of the Lutheran church and high school students who have not completed confirmation classes. Sign up is in the narthex. Class books are \$14.00 each and needed for the class.



CONFIRMATION CLASS

Tuesday, September 5 from 6:30-7:30 pm in fellowship hall Confirmation Class for 6th, 7th & 8th graders will begin. Pastor Phil will be the teacher for this 15-week course.

MARY & MARTHA RESUMES

Monday, September 11 at 9:30 am in fellowship hall Mary & Martha small group will return to their time of sharing and creating. They welcome you to join them as they share their faith and create quilts of comfort.



HELP SUPPORT OUR YOUTH

Join us at our next Youth Committee meeting, Monday, September 18 at 6 pm., where we will be finalizing plans for our Fall Youth Kick-off. We are looking for more great ideas, encouragement and help as we seek to grow our youth program at Peace.



THRIVENT QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Sunday, September 24 at 9 am in the café, Dave Zastawny Thrivent representative will be present to answer questions concerning products and plans of Thrivent. This will include questions and information on Thrivent Choice and Thrivent Action Teams.

AN EXTRA TREAT WITH OUR FREE MEAL

Salt & Light received 250 lunch containers free from the Food Bank. Donna G. and Sally & Don K. scrubbed them clean and disinfected them to be used for the August free community meal. It



was a hit! Because of such faithful volunteers Salt & Light can provide nutritious meals for those in our community who need that help. Are you able to offer a helping hand either with the prep on the third Friday of each month, or the serving in our drive thru on the third Saturday of each month? Contact Mary Kay J.



THINKING OF YOU

Dear Peace Family,

I hope this card finds you well. Thinking of you, loving you, praying for you....and wishing you all the special blessings that Christ alone can bring. Have a great August. Enjoy the weather. Love, Angie B.



SEPTEMBER VOLUNTEERS

September Lectors

- **09/03** Rich W.
- **09/10** Claudia B.
- 09/17 Mary Kay J.
- **09/24** Erica K.

Communion Assistants

09/10Holy Cross Sunday

Andrea M. & Abby M.

09/24 Gail H. & Michele S.

September Nursery Workers

09/03 Susan W. **09/10** Kathy K.

09/17 Deb M.

09/24 Patsy M.

OUR SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS!

Kelly S.	09/01
Dave B.	09/06
Rick K.	09/06
John G.	09/14
Bob R,	09/17



Tanessa T.	09/18
Stephan G.	09/20
Gus M.	09/23
Sharon G.	09/25
Chris S.	09/25
Hailey S.	09/28

SEPTEMBER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES!

Ann & Bruce K. 09/08/1962 Chris & Gary S. 09/08/1984 Pauline & Dale P. 09/12/2013 Christine & Tim M. 09/18/2004

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IN OUR PRAYERS

Nadine N., Dan M., John H., Pat C., David S., Harrison, Lilliana, Samantha C.



THANK YOU NOTE FROM FAIRCREST

WE ARE PRAYING FOR YOU! Thank you <u>so much</u> for donating school supplies to our students and staff at FMES. We are so

appreciative of your generosity and support. With your help, we are hoping for a great school year! Sincerely,

Taylor

School Counselor, Faircrest Memorial Elementary School



September 5

LOOKING AHEAD

September 4

Labor Day–Office closed. Confirmation Class for 6th,

September 5

- 7th & 8th graders
- 6:30-7:30 pm fellowship hall
- Worship Committee 7:30 pm
- September 6 Back Door Food Distribution 9:30 am
- September 06 Service Committee 4 pm
- September 06 Property Committee 7 pm
- **September 10** Homecoming Sunday Worship and potluck
- September 11 Mary & Martha 9:30 am
- **September 12** Confirmation Class for 6th, 7th & 8th graders

6:30-7:30 pm fellowship hall

- September 13 Coffee Klatch 9:30 am
- September 13 Church council 7 pm
- September 14-16 Pastor Phil away–emergency calls only
- **September 15** Salt & Light free community meal 11 am
- **September 17** Education Hour for all ages 10:45-11:45 am
- September 17Adult and High School catechism class10:45-11:45 am
- September 18 Mary & Martha 9:30 am

September 18	Youth Committee meeting 6 pm
	All interested people are welcome!
September 19	Confirmation Class for 6 th , 7 th & 8 th graders
	6:30-7:30 pm in fellowship hall
September 20	Coffee Klatch 9:30 am
September 23	Food Pantry Distribution 11 am
September 24	Education Hour for all ages 10:45-11:45 am
September 24	Adult and High School catechism class
	10:45-11:45 am
September 24	Dave Zastawny in café for Thrivent 9 am
September 25	Mary & Martha 9:30 am
September 26	Confirmation Class for 6 th , 7 th & 8 th graders
	6:30-7:30 pm, fellowship hall
September 30	Fall Festival! 11 am-3 pm