



# PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL NEWS & NOTES



## Our Week with the Lord: August 17—24, 2014

Sunday:	Worship .....	8:00AM & 10:45AM
	Family Bible Hour, High School & Adult Bible Study .....	9:20AM
	Reception for Laura Dietrich at Vilski home .....	12:00PM
Tuesday:	Early Morning Bible Study .....	6:30AM
Wednesday:	First Day of School & Preschool .....	8:30 AM
	Basic Christianity .....	7:00PM
Thursday:	Mid-week Worship .....	6:30PM
Sunday:	Worship with communion .....	8:00AM & 10:45AM
	Family Bible Hour, High School, <b>NEW Confirmation &amp; Adult Bible Study</b> .....	9:20AM



**Please remember in prayer** ... all who are struggling with painful trials in their lives, that the Lord will give them a perspective that sees his grace, the future glory that he will give, and his promise that all things will work for their eternal good ... thanks to God for the birth of Abrielle, the newborn daughter of Angela Kirth, last week ... our Christian school and preschool, as another year of teaching and learning begins on Wednesday ... Miss Laura Dietrich, as she begins her service in our school ... those who are struggling with health problems ... all who are not with us to hear our Shepherd's voice this weekend.



**TODAY.** We will be installing our new lower grade teacher, Miss Laura Dietrich, in our late service. After the service, you are invited to a potluck at the Vilski home (directly east of church) to welcome Laura. Bring whatever you would like for the potluck.

**THE FRONT DOOR CODE WILL CHANGE** with the start of a new school year. Members are asked to check their church mailbox for information on the new code. If you'd like a wallet-sized card with the code, please stop by the office. Thank you.

**TUESDAY: EARLY MORNING BIBLE CLASS @ 6:30AM.** We meet at Hidden Peaks Coffee Roasters, 4881 S Redwood Road.

**WEDNESDAY: 2014-15 SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS FOR K-8 & PRE-SCHOOL.** Doors open for school and preschool at 8:10AM.

**WEDNESDAY: GRACEBOOK (BASIC CHRISTIANITY) @ 7:00PM.**

**THURSDAY: MIDWEEK WORSHIP @ 6:30PM.** Remember our midweek service if you work or will be out of town over the weekend. The Thursday service is a shortened version of the upcoming Sunday's service.

**NEXT SUNDAY: CONFIRMATION & NEW BIBLE STUDY BEGINS.**

All 6-8th graders at PoP will begin confirmation class next week, as well as a new Bible Class, "The Narrow Road." Homosexuality can be a difficult topic to discuss. How do we remain faithful to God's Word while also remaining loving toward all people? In this Bible class we will study God's Word, with the goal of understanding what it says about homosexuality AND about how to interact with all people, especially those with same-sex

attraction, in Christian love.

**FUNDING UPDATE.** The Board of Home Missions recently granted our request to continue subsidizing us at the same level as last year (\$21,900) for the next two years. This current fiscal year was scheduled to be our last year of subsidy at \$12,000. While the Lord has seen fit to bless our congregation this way, we are still in a very tight cash flow situation. The last two payrolls have barely been paid and we are behind on mortgage payment, health insurance and our congregational mission offerings. Staff salaries and wages remain frozen and Leadership is taking action to reduce other expenses. Please keep the congregation in your prayers.

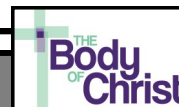
**WELS SCHOLARSHIPS DISBURSED.** Thank you to all who were able to contribute to this non-budgeted fund. Your gifts allowed us to grant scholarships totaling \$6,342 to 5 PoP students attending Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Great Plains Lutheran High, Martin Luther College and Wisconsin Lutheran College.

**FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY OFFERED AT POP!** Learn God's ways of handling money with Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace. For more information come to the **Free Preview Class at PoP Wednesday, September 10th at 6:30PM.** The preview class and course are open to the community, so please invite friends. The full course will run Wednesdays September 24--Nov. 19. For more information, contact a member of our Stewardship Committee (Alan Vollmer, Tim Ryan and Kevin Fenn).

**"SIMPLE MARRIAGE" WORKSHOP, SEPTEMBER 20 & 27.** Your marriage, next to your relationship with God, is the most profound relationship you have. The Workshop will be held over 2 Saturdays from 9:00AM-12:00PM and will be conducted by Pastor Bater. They are in modular form with frequent breaks covering: **Overcoming Frustration; Appreciate Incompatibility; Break Patterns That Destroy Oneness; Use Words that Work; and Grow More Intimate.** Cost of the workshop is \$50/couple and includes the course materials and childcare for both Saturdays. Registration will be available soon at [www.popslc.org](http://www.popslc.org). Payment can be made in the office to reserve your spot. Please speak with Pastor Bater if you desire more information.



**Next Sunday**, we listen to the beautiful conclusion of Romans 8, the promise that nothing can separate us from the love of Christ. Come to hear your Savior's promise, which he'll give us yet again through his Word and his Supper.



Serve your LORD & sign up at  
[www.popslc.org/ministry](http://www.popslc.org/ministry)

### UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Sept 4</b>	<b>Choir begins</b>
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Sept 10</b>	<b>FREE Financial Peace Preview @ 6:30PM</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 13</b>	<b>Church Work Morning 9AM-12PM</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 20</b>	<b>Marriage Seminar #1 9AM-12PM</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Sept 21</b>	<b>Praise in the Park Worship</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Sept 27</b>	<b>Marriage Seminar #2 9AM-12PM</b>

### USHER SCHEDULE

<b>August 24:</b> (please arrive @ time shown)		<b>10:30AM</b>
<b>7:30AM</b>	Deric Rust	Jared McBride
	John Sell	Jarret Hayes
	Jacob Horigan	Joe Tucker
	Eric Myers	Don Stalcup

### MOWING SCHEDULE

<b>August 21-22-23:</b>	<b>August 28-29-30:</b>
Team Head: Darrell Koplín	Team Head: Kent Carbon
Gary Cain, David Brandt, Mel Steiger	Joe Fraser, Ned Heitz, Mark Kohagen

### FAMILY BIBLE HOUR

<b>August 24:</b>	<b>August 31:</b>
Preschool: Tina Fennel	Preschool: ?
Grades 1-3: Missy Bater	Grades 1-3: ?
Grades 4-5: Kris Gollon	Grades 4-5: Tina Fennel

### STEWARDSHIP SNAPSHOT

	<u>YTD Given (8/10)</u>	<u>YTD Budget (8/10)</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Offerings:	\$36,171.00	\$46,386.00	(-\$10,215.00)
Tuition:	\$26,795.00	\$27,750.00	\$955.00
Total:	\$62,966.00	\$74,136.00	(-\$9,260.00)
WELS Scholarship fund (YTD) .....			\$90.00
PoP Tuition Assistance (YTD) .....			\$0

#### Attendance Last Week:

Sunday Worship:	Early: 55	Late: 112
Bible Study:	31	High School: 7 FBH: 20
Midweek Worship:	10	

	<b>AUGUST</b>	8 Psalms 97, 99	16 Psalm 106:34-48	24 Zechariah 9, 10	<b>AUGUST 2014</b>						
	1 Nehemiah 12	9 Psalms 99, 100	17 Haggai 1	25 Zechariah 11	<b>S</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>W</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>S</b>
	2 Nehemiah 13	10 Psalm 101	18 Haggai 2	26 Zechariah 12, 13	31					1	2
	3 Psalm 90	11 Psalm 102	19 Zechariah 1, 2	27 Zechariah 14	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	4 Psalm 91	12 Psalm 103	20 Zechariah 3, 4	28 Malachi 1:1-2:9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	5 Psalms 92, 93	13 Psalm 104	21 Zechariah 5, 6	29 Malachi 2:10-3:6	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	6 Psalm 94	14 Psalm 105	22 Zechariah 7	30 Malachi 3:7-4:6	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	7 Psalms 95, 96	15 Psalm 106:1-33	23 Zechariah 8	31 James 1:1-18							