



This year marks the 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Reformation.

## TODAY

8:00 am Worship

9:15 am Education Hour

10:30 am Worship

4:00 pm Sunday School Christmas Pageant

5:30 pm Cantata Practice

## THIS WEEK

### Monday 12/11

7:00 pm Bible Study @ Peloquin's

7:00 pm Leader Team

### Tuesday 12/12

9:30 am School Chapel

1:30 pm School Chapel

2:00 pm Bible Study @ Gross'

4:00 pm Worship Arts Committee

### Wednesday 12/13

9:30 am School Chapel

10:30 am Kindergarten Program

1:30 pm Avamere Bible Study

7:00 pm Hand Bells

8:00 pm Choir

**We have a staffed nursery during our service!**



- There will be a Voter's Meeting next Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup> following the worship service.
- A Big thank you to all who provided items for our Thanksgiving Families!
- Thank you to Matt Taylor, Carl Swinford, Chase Ueltschey, and Boy Scout Troop 618 for conducting a food drive for our pantry.
- Join us **this afternoon at 4:00 pm** for our Sunday School Christmas Pageant. It will be followed by a soup supper.
- Be sure to notice and sign the **NEW RED** attendance book in the pew. **Please use both first and last name.** We are trying to keep accurate records for the lay ministry team and the District Office.
- Pick up your copy of the **December** calendar and/or service roster in the church.
- Check out our website for up to the minute news! [www.princeofpeacecl.org](http://www.princeofpeacecl.org)

Like the church on Facebook to get updates on what is happening!

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Portland.



**Our Kindergarten Christmas Program is Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am.**



### *Family Christmas Tree!*

*The Worship Arts and Community Building Ministry Teams invite you and your family to create and/or bring homemade ornaments to hang on the Family Christmas Tree in the Fellowship area all through the Season of Advent. Just bring your hand-crafted ornaments all through December on any Sunday, or during the week, and add them to the tree. This is a marvelous opportunity to talk with your children about the real meaning of Christmas as you create special ornaments to share, and contribute to a community celebration of our coming King!!*



**Save the Date: Youth Snow Retreat is being planned for February 16-18, 2018.**

Looking for ushers and AV crew for the Christmas Eve Services. There is a service at 5:00 pm and one at 7:00 pm. Also looking for an acolyte for the 7:00 pm service. We will also need volunteers for our service Christmas Day.



**Reminder that there will be only one service at 10:00 am on December 17, 24, and 31.**

### **Home Plate Volunteers Needed!**

Sign up online at Prince of Peace home page or <http://vols.pt/EVbtwE>

You can also contact Jeff Oltmann at 503-644-3011 or [jeff@spspro.com](mailto:jeff@spspro.com)



**Next HomePlate: December 20, 2017**

Every Christmas, HomePlate has a "Holiday Store" event where youth can pick out a few gifts to give to friends or family members. This helps youth who are homeless or in difficult situations to practice generosity. The holiday store will be open this coming week - in Hillsboro on December 12 and 14, and at Merlo Station in Beaverton (our location) on Dec. 13. Contact Jeff Oltmann ([jeff@spspro.com](mailto:jeff@spspro.com) or 503-644-3011) if you'd like to volunteer or donate a gift. You can also volunteer for the dinner that we will be serving on Dec. 20.



## Birthdays & Anniversaries

12/10 Pam Haugan  
 12/11 Shirley Silzars  
 12/13 Jill Frerichs  
 12/15 Larry Arnold, Jr  
 12/13/1962 Ron & Carol Reule

### LEADER TEAM MEMBERS

Pastor, Jeff Kranich, Teresa Brophy

Nate Frerichs,	President
Chip Ueltschey,	Vice President
Vanessa Warren,	Secretary
Ben Kaster	Bruce Harford
Katie Lydon	Jackie Fishkin

### DECEMBER ALTAR CHAIRS

Jody Thurston  
Kim Goudy

### DECEMBER COFFEE SET UP

Your Name Here?

### DECEMBER ETERNAL CANDLE

NEXT HOME PLATE DINNER SERVICE  
December 20



Box Meals  
Pasta  
Canned Fruit  
Soup/Broth  
Cereal Peanut Butter

### SERVICE REMINDER FOR

12/17/2017

Please find a sub if unable to Serve.

	10:00 am
GREETERS	Jeff Kranich
ACOLYTE	Jessica Harmond
WORSHIP ASSISTANT	Paul Goudy
COMMUNION ASSISTANT	Twila Kaye
LECTOR	George Thurston
CHILDREN'S SERMON	David Hoover
USHER	Sixta Family
AV CREW	Jeff Oltmann
FLOWERS	***
COOKIES	***

### Lay Ministers

Don Kaster                      Edie Dorn  
 David Hoover                  Mark Sixta  
 Paige Ueltschey



**New Flower Chart for 2018!**  
**Sign up sheets for Cookie Angel in 2018 are on the Bulletin Board.**

### PRINCE OF PEACE OFFERING UPDATE

	November	YTD
Actual	\$20,529	\$218,261
Budget	\$20,000	\$238,617
2016	\$31,362	\$230,204

Av. Sun. Attendance	November	YTD
2017	117	102
2016	120	107

### READINGS FOR 12/17/2017

FIRST	Isaiah 61:1-4, 8-11
PSALM	126
EPISTLE	1 Thessalonians 5:16-24
GOSPEL	John 1:6-8, 19-28

**Announcement Deadline is Thursday 11:00 am**

Please send announcements to:

[assistant@princeofpeacelc.org](mailto:assistant@princeofpeacelc.org) or call the church office 503-645-1211



Prince of Peace Prayer Chain  
 Please call  
 Sally Bailey 503-690-4470



If you know someone who is ill, has lost a loved one or is going through a difficult time, please consider giving them one of the prayer shawls available at no cost via the Church office. The shawls have a tag with a prayer, and are intended to signify the loving arms of God wrapped around a person in need.