

November 02, 2025

Prelude & Announcements

REMEMBERANCE OF BAPTISM

The assembly stands.

In the name of the Father, and of the ✝ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Joined to Christ in the waters of baptism, we are clothed with God's mercy and everlasting life. Let us give thanks for the gift of baptism.

We give you thanks, O God,
for in the beginning your Spirit moved over the waters
and by your Word you created the world,
calling forth life in which you took delight.

Through the waters of the flood
you delivered humans and all creatures from destruction and
cleansed the earth.
Through the sea you led our ancestors from slavery into freedom.
At the river your Son was baptized by John
and anointed with the Holy Spirit.
By water and your Word you claim us as daughters and sons,
making us heirs of your promise and servants of all.

We praise you for the gift of water that sustains life,
and above all we praise you for the gift of new and everlasting life
in Jesus Christ. Shower us with your Spirit, and renew our lives
with your forgiveness, grace, and love.

To you be given honor and praise
through Jesus Christ our Lord
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Amen.

The assembly stands.

GATHERING SONG I Sing a Song of the Saints of God (on screen)

1 I sing a song of the saints of God,
patient and brave and true,
who toiled and fought and lived and died
for the Lord they loved and knew.
And one was a doctor, and one was a queen,
and one was a shepherdess on the green;
they were all of them saints of God, and I mean,
God helping, to be one too.

2 They loved their Lord so dear, so dear,
and His love made them strong,
and they followed the right for Jesus' sake,
the whole of their good lives long.
And one was a soldier, and one was a priest,
and one was slain by a fierce wild beast;
and there's not any reason, no, not the least,
why I shouldn't be one too.

3 They lived not only in ages past;
there are hundreds of thousands still.
The world is bright with the joyous saints
who love to do Jesus' will.
You can meet them in school, on the street, in the store,
in church, by the sea, in the house next door,
they are saints of God whether rich or poor,
and I mean to be one too.

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Powerful God, Although you can make your presence known in a mighty wind, or an earthquake, or a fire, you often speak to us in the sound of sheer silence. Help us to hear.

Amen.

CHILDREN'S BIBLE STORY

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE

Let us remember all the saints before God.

We praise and bless you, O holy God. You created us. You love us. You fill us with you everlasting life. You have brought us into the never-ending company of all your saints. Jesus, thank you for gathering those who have died together with you into your Father's house. We look forward to the day when you will bring us all together around your heavenly banquet table as we celebrate the salvation of the world. Prepare a place for us among those who are already with you. Help us remember all those who gone before us. We entrust them and ourselves into your eternal love.

Amen.

(those who have died during the past year) Tom Opfermann, Judy Wadysz, Roger Heiden, Steve Dull, Joanna Schlageter, Clare Tremlin, Marlene Howe, Samuel Longnecker, Cheryl Woelmer, Brian Bogedain, Herman Halter, Sue Albring, Don Stadler, Sid Gilbert

(additional, submitted names are read)

Jesus Remember Me

Je - sus, re - mem - ber me when you come in - to your king - dom.

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The image shows a musical score for the hymn "Jesus Remember Me". It consists of two systems of music. Each system has a treble and bass staff. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are written below the notes. The first system ends with a double bar line, and the second system also ends with a double bar line.

O God, you are the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. We give thanks for your faithful ones who are now at peace with you. With all your saints, we praise you, for you have swallowed up death forever. Amen.

FIRST READING 1 Kings 19:1-18

¹ Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done and how he had killed all the prophets with the sword. ² Then Jezebel sent a messenger to Elijah, saying, "So may the gods do to me and more also, if I do not make your life like the life of one of them by this time tomorrow." ³ Then he was afraid; he got up and fled for his life and came to Beer-sheba, which belongs to Judah; he left his servant there.

⁴ But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die, "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." ⁵ Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." ⁶ He looked, and there at his head was a

cake baked on hot stones and a jar of water. He ate and drank and lay down again. ⁷ The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, “Get up and eat, or the journey will be too much for you.” ⁸ He got up and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God. ⁹ At that place he came to a cave and spent the night there.

Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” ¹⁰ He answered, “I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts, for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.”

¹¹ He said, “Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.” Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind, and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake, ¹² and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire, and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. ¹³ When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, “What are you doing here, Elijah?” ¹⁴ He answered, “I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts, for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.” ¹⁵ Then the Lord said to him, “Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. ¹⁶ Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel, and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. ¹⁷ Whoever escapes from the sword of Hazael, Jehu shall kill, and whoever escapes from the sword of Jehu, Elisha shall kill. ¹⁸ Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.”

After the reading concludes:
Word of God, word of Life.
Thanks be to God.

The assembly stands to welcome the gospel.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we go?

You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia.

The gospel is announced.
The holy gospel according to John the twelfth chapter
Glory to you, O Lord.

GOSPEL John 12:27-28

²⁷ “Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say: ‘Father, save me from this hour’? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. ²⁸ Father, glorify your name.” Then a voice came from heaven, “I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.”

The gospel concludes:
The gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

PASTOR AARON D. WERNER

HYMN OF THE DAY Shall We Gather at the River vv. 1, 3-4 ELW 423

Shall We Gather at the River



- 1 Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, where bright an - gel feet have trod,
- 2 On the mar - gin of the riv - er, wash - ing up its sil - ver spray,
- 3 Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, lay we ev - 'ry bur - den down;
- 4 Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, soon our pil - grim - age will cease;



with its crys - tal tide for - ev - er flow - ing by the throne of God?
we will walk and wor - ship ev - er, all the hap - py gold - en day.
grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, and pro - vide a robe and crown.
soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er with the mel - o - dy of peace.



Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, the beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er;



gath - er with the saints at the riv - er that flows by the throne of God.

Text: Robert Lowry, 1826-1899
Music: HANSON PLACE, Robert Lowry

APOSTLES CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

L: God of grace, C: receive our prayer.

PEACE

**The peace of Christ be with you always.
And also with you.**

The people may greet one another with a sign of Christ's peace, and may say, "Peace be with you," or similar words.

The assembly is seated.

OFFERING

OFFERING SONG



Cre - ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re - new a right
spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a - way from your pres - ence, and take
not your Ho - ly Spir - it from me. Re - store to me the joy of
your sal - va - tion, and up - hold me with your free Spir - it.

OFFERING PRAYER

Lord of the harvest,
we return to you a portion of what you have given to us.
Turn us to set our hope not on the uncertainty of riches,
but on you, who richly provides for us.
Multiply what we have gathered
to bless all who are suffering and in need,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

DIALOGUE

The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.

Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Thanksgiving continues with the preface for the day; the assembly responds:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,

heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.

Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes

in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

The presiding minister gives thanks and proclaims Christ's words instituting the Lord's Supper.

LORD'S PRAYER

**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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass 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 and ever. Amen.**

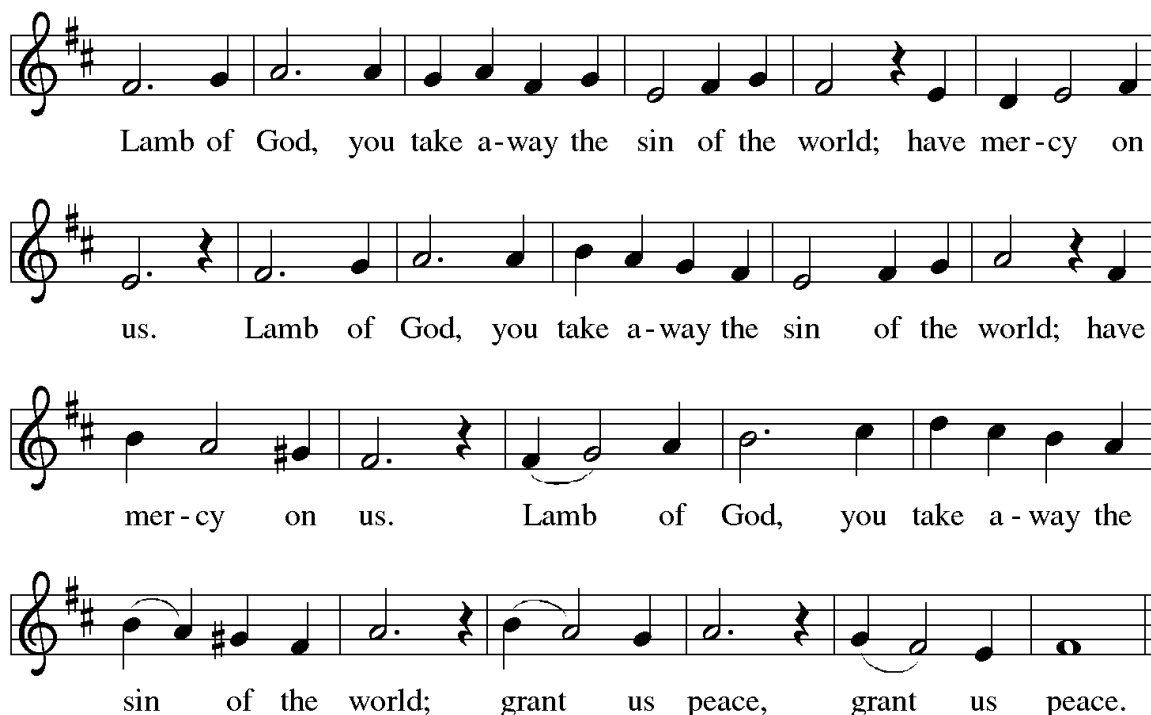
INVITATION TO COMMUNION

This is Christ's table and Christ welcomes each and every single one of you. Those of you communion at home, please join us.

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION

All who desire the Lord's Supper are invited to come forward to receive Holy Communion. Following the usher's invitation, come forward along the center aisle. Receive the wafer of bread in your hands. You may also request a gluten-free wafer. Then take a small cup from the tray: white grape juice is in the center and red wine is around the edge. Deposit your cup in the basket when you are finished and return to your seat down the side aisle. We invite children and those not receiving the bread and wine to come forward to receive a blessing.

COMMUNION SONG



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

O God,
through this meal you have strengthened us
and called us to serve.
Send us to do good and to share ourselves
with all in need.
We ask this in Jesus' name. **Amen.**

DEDICATION OF MEMORIAL GIFTS

Memorial Gifts that have been purchased since last All Saints Sunday include those given for Jeannine Roose and Letha Pullou for the Welcome Banner for the season of Pentecost; Fritz Kaminska, Loris & Duane Manor and Larry Knapp for a portable loudspeaker; and Fritz Kaminska for a drum kit.

BLESSING

May the Lord bless you and keep you
May the Lord's face shine upon you and be gracious to you
May the Lord look upon you with favor
And give you ☩ peace. **Amen.**

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Serve the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Serving our congregation this morning:

Acolytes – Eva Lynn and Grace Dusa

Altar Guild – Laurie Sherman and Mindy Stadler

Fellowship Hour –

Liturgical Minister – Tim Smith

Media – Kelsey Creguer

Organist – Ray Smith

Ushers – Ron Zabawa, Head Usher; Lynne Zabawa, Larry Kreps, Shawn Kreps

Schedule:

Sunday: Holy Communion - 9:00 AM

All Saints Remembrances & Dedications

Fellowship Hour – 10:00 AM

Sunday School & Catechism – 10:15 AM

WELCA Meeting – 10:15 AM

Monday: Dartball – St John Dundee @ PoP – 7:30 PM

Tuesday: Adult Bible Study 9:30 AM

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Wednesday: Mid-Week Worship Service – 7:00 PM

Thursday: Pickleball – 6:00 PM

Coming Soon

Sun., Nov. 09 – Informational New Member Orientation – 11:15 AM

Wed., Nov. 12 – God Works Soup Kitchen

Sun., Nov. 16 – Harvest Sunday/Ol' Creek Road – 9:00 AM

New Member Blessing

Canned Fruit Collection Due

Sun., Nov. 16 – K-2nd Grade Lord's Prayer Milestone Class – 10:15 AM

Sun., Nov. 23 – K-2nd Grade Blessing (Bibles to 1st Graders)

Sun., Nov. 23 – Community Thanksgiving Service @ UMC in Petersburg 7 PM

Sun., Nov. 23 – Decorate the Sanctuary

Thurs., Nov. 27 - Thanksgiving

Sun., Nov. 30 – First Sunday of Advent

Support God's Ministry at Prince of Peace

Give via our website: princeofpeaceida.org.

You may also direct deposit or scan to donate:



This morning, **we remember** loved ones who joined the Church Triumphant since last All Saints Sunday: Tom Opfermann, Judy Wadysz, Roger Heiden, Steve Dull, Joanna Schlageter, Clare Tremlin, Marlene Howe, Samuel Longnecker, Cheryl Woelmer, Brian Bogedain, Herman Halter, Sue Albring, Don Stadler, Sid Gilbert. You are welcome to write the name of a loved one on the index card, that will be collected during the gathering hymn and read with the others during the service.

The **WELCA** ladies will **meet** in the CC lobby **today, Nov 02 @ 10:15 AM**. We will be holding elections and planning for the holiday season. All women of the church are welcome including new members or people planning to become members.

The **Hall of Service display** profiling our member veterans will be up through Sun Nov 23rd. It will come down right after the service on the 23rd as decorating for Advent will also be after the service. Christmas **cards for** people serving in the **military** are on a table for **everyone** to **sign** to show your support for them. They will go in the care boxes that will go out early December.

Dartball season begins tomorrow Nov. 3 at 7:30 PM. All games are played on **Mondays @ 7:30 pm**, at the various churches. **This week** St John in Dundee will **play at PoP**. New players are always welcome. Call or text Paul Ness at 734-770-6389 for more info.

If you attend Prince of Peace or **have been worshipping** on line with us, and would like some information of how to **officially join** Prince of Peace; or **get involved** in serving; or **grow** in your relationship **with God** and God's people; or what it means to be a Lutheran Christian; or have more **questions**, consider attending the **New Member Meeting** on Sun., **Nov. 09** at 11:15 AM. Our discussion of our faith and life together will be led by Pastor Aaron. Please RSVP by emailing or calling the church office (kim@princeofpeaceida.org or 734-269-2420).

It's that time of year again when the nominating committee is starting the process of looking for **candidates** that would be willing to run for a position on the **church council**. It's an exciting time at Prince of Peace, and we are looking for members that **share** that **excitement** and **want to help** our church continue to carry this forward. If you are interested in **learning more** about any of the available positions or would like to **volunteer** for one of them, please **contact** a member of the **Nominating Committee**, Tim Smith, Barb DeLand, Lynne Zabawa, Dave Lorenzo, Deena Salenbien, John Gerweck or Andy McCain.

St. John's in Dundee is counting on Prince of Peace to serve the **God Works!** meal on **Wed., Nov. 12.** Three salads and three desserts are needed. Please contact Joy Fox 734.269.2982 if you can help serve or provide a dish.

Paper bags, decorated by our SS kids are available in the narthex to take home to **bring** your **canned fruit** donation back to church. Donations are being collected **through Nov. 16** for distribution to area folks in need by Dundee Caring & Sharing.

This month we also have a **personal care collection** for **Ida Give a Kid a Christmas.** **Take a tag** or two from the tree and **return** the **items** by **Dec 04.**

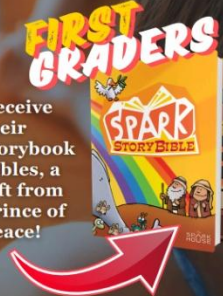
The poster features a background image of a family (a man, a woman, and two children) sitting around a table, holding hands in a circle, suggesting a prayer or worship service. The text is overlaid on this image.

M I L E S T O N E S
Faith + Family 

Grades K - 2nd
Lord's Prayer Milestone
SUN NOV 16 @ 10:15AM

Parents, Grandparents,
Godparents and anyone wanting
to cultivate faith come along and
attend with their young people.

FIRST GRADERS
Receive their storybook Bibles, a gift from Prince of Peace!



Dec. 2nd at 6:30 pm



PRINCE OF PEACE WELCOMES YOU TO

ADVENT BY *Candlelight*

Join us this Christmas as we celebrate the reason
for the season. Come share appetizers and desserts, fellowship,
meditative Worship, and communion.
Grandmothers, Mothers, Aunts, Daughters 13+



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Poinsettias are traditionally placed around our altar on Christmas Eve
in memory or in honor of loved ones.

POINSETTIA ORDER FORM

☐ in Memory of or ☐ in Honor of:

By:

8.5" Triple \$33.00 ☐ Red ☐ Pink ☐ White ☐ Marble

6.5" Single \$11.75 ☐ Red ☐ Pink ☐ White ☐ Marble

Total Amount Enclosed \$

Deadline to place orders is November 23



Thirteenth Annual Paper Bag Challenge!!

In Support of Paula's House

Sponsored by Paula's Angels

Saturday, November 8, 2025

10:00 am to 12:00 noon

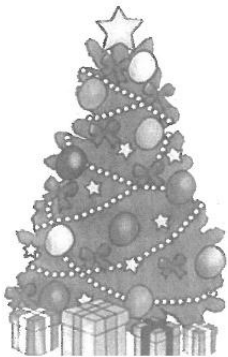
St. Paul's United Methodist Church Parking Lot

201 South Monroe Street

Monroe, Michigan 48161

This is a drive up to the parking lot side door and drop off event.
Paula's Angels group will be there to assist you. Thank you so much!

We, a group of volunteers called Paula's Angels, are collecting Christmas donations for the women and children living in Paula's House. Paula's House is a transitional home for women in recovery and with their children. We could really use your help! You can make the Christmas Season for these women and children brighter by donating from the following wish list. Thank you so much!



Toilet Paper and Cottonelle Wipes
Paper Towels and Dish Soap
Laundry Pods and Dryer Sheets
Household Cleaning Supplies
Shampoo and Conditioner
Deodorant and Lotion
Hand Soap and Bath Soap
Slipper Socks
Feminine Supplies
Journals and Pens
Bath Towels and Wash Cloths
Standard Pillows
Twin Comforters
Twin Sheets
Coffee, sugar and creamer
Gift Cards (Grocery, Fast Food, Bus, etc.)
Cash Donations

Dundee Senior Center
284 W. Monroe St. Dundee, MI

Craft Show
November 8th
10am - 3pm

Kitchen will be open 11am- 2pm

Bake sale in the conference room

Prince of Peace
Lutheran Church

PICKLEBALL OPEN PLAY

Every Thursday starting
September 4th in the gym
Closed for Thanksgiving,
Christmas, and New Year's Day

6:00-8:00 PM
Check website for Saturday
beginner lessons/practice

\$3 per person/\$10 family
ages 10-15 must attend
with a supervising adult

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For More Information
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