

**Do all the good you can. By all the means you can. In all the ways you can. In all the places you can. At all the times you can. To all the people you can. As long as ever you can. Wesley**

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**Gold Hymnal**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE** *"I Need Thee Every Hour"*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: We come to this sacred place because here we find strength and God's grace to guide us.

**People: We come to give thanks because we know that God has watched and will watch over us.**

Leader: And that God has heard and will hear our every prayer.

**People: God is with us. God will be with us wherever we go.**

Leader: God's path lies open before us. May we find and walk in the way and the will of our God! **AMEN.**

**\*HYMN** *"How Firm a Foundation"* .....no. 32

**\*CALL TO CONFESSION**

**+PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Gracious and merciful God we confess that we have sinned. We have done what we should not have done and we have failed to do those things you have called us to do and have turned away from things we know we should have done.**

**Holy God, be among us and purify us with your cleansing fire. Inspire us to live as your children of light. Help us to love others, knowing that you are the one who first loved us. Help us to live in your light that always surrounds us. We ask in the name of Christ. AMEN.**

**+SILENT PRAYER**

*(please use this time to confess your own personal sin)*

**+KYRIE**

**+ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: Hear the Good News: God has heard your prayers – the confessions of your hearts. Therefore, your sins are forgiven and you are restored to life!

**People: We are humbled by God's grace and goodness. AMEN.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**.....no. 338

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE**

**EPISTLE LESSON** Colossians 1:1-14 pg. 956

**SPECIAL MUSIC** *"Only By Grace"*

**GOSPEL LESSON** Luke 10:25-37 pg. 844

**MESSAGE**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**\*THE CREED**.....**inside front cover of hymnal**

**\*HYMN** *"Tell Me the Old, Old Story"* .....no. 16

**OFFERING/OFFERTORY** *"When You Prayed Beneath the Trees"*

**\*OFFERING RESPONSE/THE DOXOLOGY**.....no. 382

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION AND LORD'S PRAYER**

**\*BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

**\*HYMN** *"God of Grace and God of Glory"* .....no. 528

Let There Be Peace on Earth Gold Hymnal no. 681

**CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION** (Congregation seated)

**POSTLUDE** (those who are able please \*- stand, +-kneel)

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Altar Guild Workers.....Erla Hartranft and Deb Hedrick

Greeters.....Jay and Stacy Burkey

Head Usher.....Dan Hall

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The Altar flowers are given in memory of love ones by Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hoffert.

This morning's Special Music is provided by Dan and Pat Hall. Thank you!

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

*While we pray for those whose needs we know, let us also pray for those whose need remain silent.*

Doris Fultz	Carol Parker	Ron Parker
Sully Madara	George	Jim Youndt

#### COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, July 12<sup>th</sup> – No Bible Study

No Council Meetings

Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup> – Health and Welfare Meeting following worship

Saturday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> – Gold Award Ceremony for Allyson Butz –  
10:00am

Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> – Re-Creation will lead our morning worship

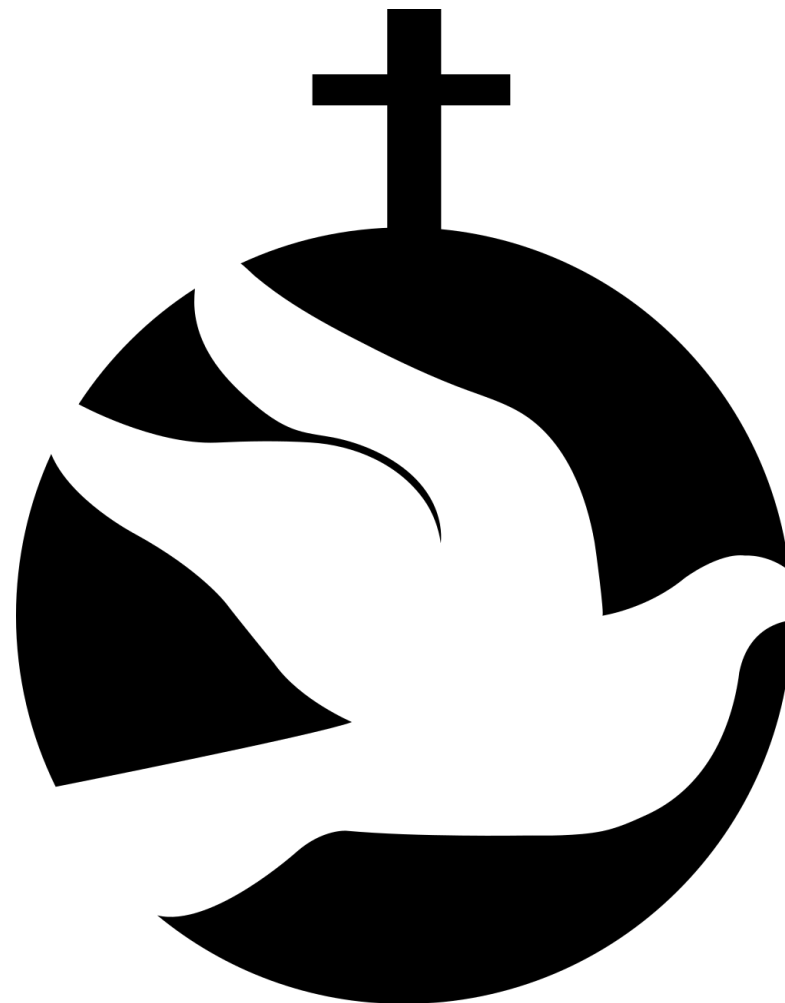
**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL – Begins Tonight at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Adamstown! Dinner will be served beginning at 5:15. VBS will begin at 6:00.**

Members of Peace Church will be serving lunch for the Summer Lunch Program on August 1, 3 and 4<sup>th</sup>. Please see the sign-up sheet on the office window.

I would like to invite everyone to my Gold Award Ceremony, which will be held at the church on Saturday, July 23rd at 10 am. Thanks again for all your continued support and I hope that I see you at the ceremony so that we can celebrate our accomplishment together!

*Allyson Butz*

# Peace United Church of Christ



July 10, 2016  
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time