

**Be not angry that you cannot make others as you wish them to be,
since you cannot make yourself as you wish to be.**

Gold Hymnal

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Welcome to this house of worship. Why have you come?

People: We are here to worship God; to dream dreams with the foresight of youth, to see visions with the wisdom of age; to move mountains with the power of faith!

Leader: This is a bold and courageous hope. What gives you this hope?

People: The assurance that God is with us. The faith that we are not alone and the promise of God.

Leader: Our world needs such faith. May we live the vision and the will of our God today and always! **AMEN.**

***HYMN "To God Be the Glory"no. 363**

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, we remember how long ago Jesus stood on the hills overlooking Jerusalem and wept, for the people did not understand the things that make for peace. We confess, O God that we still do not understand.

Forgive our pride, arrogance, greed, selfishness, our lack of compassion and all makes you weep. Forgive us and give us vision to be your people of peace, faith and love. AMEN.

+SILENT PRAYER

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

+KYRIE

+ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: With a loving touch God created us. With that same love touch God forgives and heals us.

People: With a loving touch we are made whole. AMEN.

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

YOUNG PEOPLE'S MESSAGE

EPISTLE LESSON Colossians 1:15-28 pg. 956

GOSPEL LESSON Luke 10:38-42 pg. 845

MESSAGE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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

***HYMN "Blessed Assurance"no. 67**

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

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

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

***BENEDICTION AND THREEFOLD AMEN**

***HYMN "Be Thou My Vision"no. 468**

Let There Be Peace on Earth Gold Hymnal no. 681

CHIMES, QUIET MEDITATION (Congregation seated)

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

Church website.....www.peaceunitedchurch.org

Pastor (pastor@peaceunitedchurch.org).....William Hoch

Organist.....Virginia Tobias

Secretary(secretary@peaceunitedchurch.org).....Beverly Madara

Treasurer.....Michael Madara

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

Greeters.....Ann Englert

Head Usher.....Dan Hall

The Altar flowers are given in memory of loved ones by Mr. and Mrs John Haldeman.

Evan Hinkley will be playing the organ this morning in Virginia's absence. 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
Bob Martin	Audrey Long	Virginia Tobias

COMING EVENTS

Tuesday, July 19th – No Bible Study

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

Sunday, July 31st – Re-Creation will lead our morning worship

Sunday, August 7th – Communion will be served.

Members of Peace Church will be serving lunch for the Summer Lunch Program on August 1, 3 and 4th. Please see the sign-up sheet on the office window. **We will have a brief meeting at 7 pm on Monday, July 25 to prepare for our time of service.**

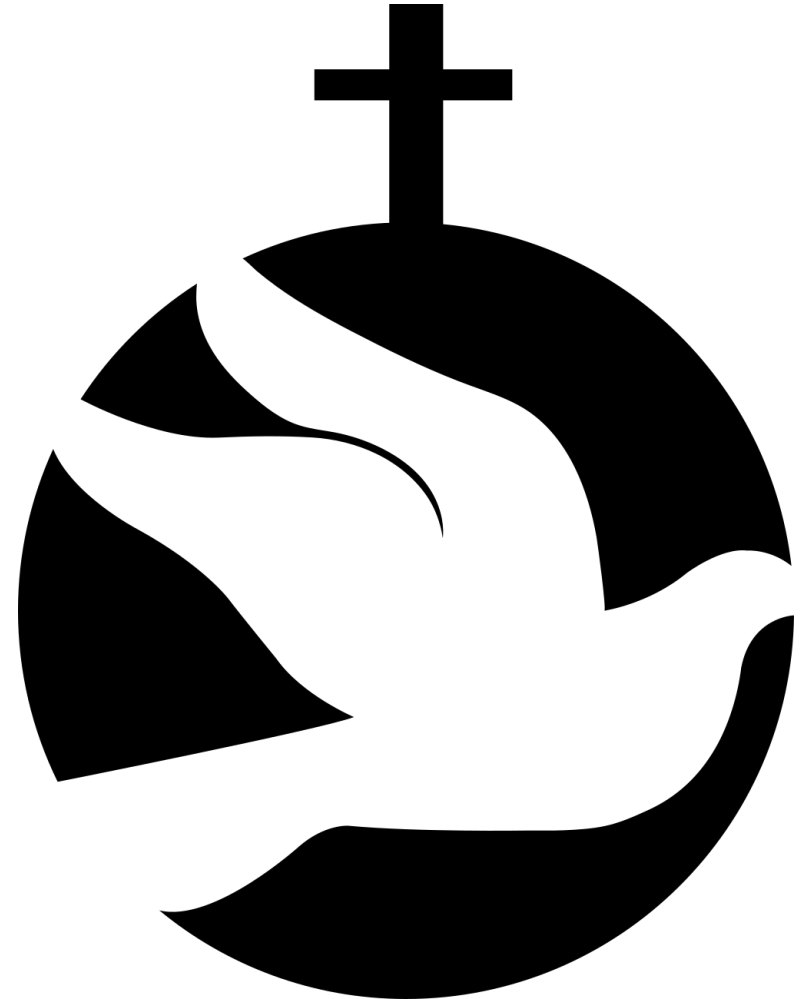
A FAITH AND FELLOWSHIP NIGHT will be held on Sunday, August 21st at 6:30 pm. Taiwan, a friend of Courtney Hall from Africa will be speaking about her life and faith journey.

Peace Church will be serving the Community Meal on August 25th at Trinity United Methodist Church in Denver.

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



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