

WEEKLY EVENTS FOR DECEMBER 4TH — DECEMBER 11TH

SUNDAY

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| Divine Service | 8:15am |
| Bible Story Time | 9:25am |
| Sunday School | 9:30am |
| Adult Bible Study | 9:30am |
| Divine Service | 10:30am |

TUESDAY

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| Solid Grounds Bible Study | 9:00am |
| Gospel Outreach | 5:00pm |
| Stewardship Board | 5:30pm |
| Board of Ed | 6:00pm |
| Spiritual Leadership | 7:00pm |

WEDNESDAY

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| Confirmation Class | 4:00pm |
| Advent Meal | 5:00pm |
| Advent Service | 6:00pm |
| Adult Choir Rehearsal | 7:00pm |

THURSDAY

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| M.O.M.s Bible Study | 8:30am |
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FRIDAY

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| Men's Bible Study | 6:30am |
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SUNDAY

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| Divine Service w/ Holy Communion | 8:15am |
| Bible Story Time | 9:25am |
| Sunday School | 9:30am |
| Adult Bible Study | 9:30am |
| Sunday School Christmas Program | 10:30am |

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

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| 12/7 | Advent Midweek Service and Meal |
| 12/14 | Advent Midweek Service and Meal |
| 12/16 | Pre-School Christmas Program |
| 12/24 | Christmas Eve Services at 4 and 6pm |
| 12/25 | Christmas Day Service w/ HC at 9am |
| 12/31 | New Year's Eve Service w/ HC at 6pm |
| 1/1 | New Year's Day Service w/ HC at 9am |

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT NEEDED

We are still in need of a new Administrative Assistant (Church Secretary) here at Peace. If you are interested, would like more information, or have any questions please contact Pastor Moldstad: pastormoldstad@gmail.com or 507-382-0045.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

DEC 11 | 10:30AM

Our Sunday School Christmas Program will be on Sunday, December 11th. That day we will plan to have a normal communion service at 8:15am and the Christmas Program at 10:30am. These two services will be completely different from each other and you are welcome to attend both. We encourage parents to be work with their children on their parts.

CHRISTMAS CAROLING

DEC 11 | 2:30PM

Join us for an afternoon of caroling, to spread holiday joy to our members who are homebound on Sunday, December 11th at 2:30pm. After caroling we will meet back at church for cookies and hot chocolate. If you are interested in caroling, go to peacemankato.com/caroling to sign-up. A location for meeting will be sent to you closer to the event. Please dress warm!

YOUNG INSTRUMENTALISTS WANTED

All children who play an instrument are invited to play pre-service music for the Sunday School Children's Christmas Program on December 11th at 10:30am please contact Aleta Lin at 507-382-2254 or lin.aleta@gmail.com no later than December 4th with the name of the child, instrument, and title of Christmas song they would like to play. Thank you!

CHILDREN'S ORNAMENT CONTEST

Help decorate a homemade ornament tree this Christmas season! We ask that each ornament is originally crafted by your child. Bring your ornament to church between November 27 - December 11. Fill out a tag located next to the tree and attached to your ornament before hanging it on the tree. Prizes will be awarded to the winner of each age group. Groups are ages 1-4, ages 5-8, ages 9-12, and ages 13-16.

ADVENT MEALS - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Group 5 is providing the meal and serving on December 7th, and Group 6 on December 14th. Please watch your emails for sign ups coming from your group leaders. The meals will be served from 5pm to about 5:45pm before the 6pm service each date. If you don't know what group you are in, please email Rachel at rmoldstad@gmail.com.

HOLIDAY SERVICE SCHEDULE

Wednesday, Dec. 7th - Midweek Advent Service - 6PM, Meal - 5PM
Sunday, Dec. 11th - Sunday School Christmas Program - 10:30AM
Wednesday, Dec. 14th - Midweek Advent Service - 6PM, Meal - 5PM
Friday, Dec. 16th - Preschool Christmas Program - 6:30PM
Saturday, Dec. 24th - Christmas Eve Services - 4PM & 6PM
Sunday, Dec. 25th - Christmas Day Service w/ HC - 9AM
Saturday, Dec. 31st - New Year's Eve Service w/ HC - 6PM
Sunday, Jan. 1st - New Year's Day Service - 9AM

(Please note that we will only have one service at 9am on both Sunday, December 25th and Sunday, January 1st).

PEACE NIGHT AT MOUNT KATO

DEC 15 | 4PM

Join us at Mt. Kato on Thursday, December 15th, from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., for downhill skiing or snowboarding. The prices are \$10 for the lift ticket, \$10 for ski/board rentals, \$4 for helmet rental, and \$4 for lessons. We are planning to meet by the ticket booth at Mt. Kato at 4 p.m. Please sign-up at peacemankato.com/skiing no later than December 11th if you are interested in going. Contact Pastor Moldstad if you have any questions: pastormoldstad@gmail.com.

MOMS ON A MISSION THANK YOU

The Moms On a Mission Bible study would like to give a heartfelt thanks to all that purchased pies at our Holiday Pie Sale. Altogether, Peace and Mt. Olive bake sales brought in over \$1200! This amazing amount fully funds our childcare for next semester. Thank you so much for your support of our Bible study. A special thanks to Denice Woller and Sharon Madson for their pie mentoring. To God be the Glory!

CHRISTMAS AT BETHANY - STREAMING

If you are unable to attend in person, Christmas at Bethany can be live-streamed on Sunday, December 4 at 3pm (Central Time) via this link: <https://vimeo.com/event/2661673>

NEW PERIODICALS

December edition of the Peace Messenger (click [here](#))

December edition of the President's Newsletter (click [here](#))

November to February *Mediations* available in the racks in the entryways.

MT. OLIVE SCHOOL HELP NEEDED

School lunch volunteers are needed from 10:30am to 12:45pm each day to help plate food, clean dishes, and lift the occasional 30 lb. container. Friend, Roman, and Countryman: sign up at: <https://signup.com/go/aBwTHGP>.

ELS OTTESEN MUSEUM'S CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

The ELS Ottesen Museum's Christmas Open House is planned for Tuesday, December 6, 2022 from 2:30 to 5:30 pm. This year's theme is "The Seminary Presidents Preach" celebrating the 75th anniversary of Bethany Lutheran Theological Seminary and recognizing its six Deans and Presidents through excerpts of some of their Christmas sermons. We will also be singing appropriate hymn verses with each excerpt. Come tour the Museum to see what's new and enjoy some Christmas fellowship.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JLMLC POSITION OPENINGS

Jesus Loves Me Learning Center in North Mankato, MN, is taking applications for Toddler and Preschool Assistant Teachers. Part-time and full-time positions are available. Teaching experience is encouraged but not required. We look for applicants with friendly dispositions, reliability, and flexibility. For information, contact LaShawn Smith at (507) 508-2041 or directorjlm@stpaulsnorthmankato.com.

MVL JOB OPENING

The MVL kitchen is in need of a part time dishwasher / server position for the remainder of the school year. General hours are 11-1:30 school days. We are flexible with days you may choose any or all days M-F. Fun environment and great food! Send inquiries to foodservice@mvlhs.org or call 507-354-6851.