



June 14th, 2024

# PEACE CONNECTION

Friday June 14th  
Pastor Charlie's Day Off

Saturday June 15th  
2:00 pm Organ Practice

Sunday June 16th  
Happy Father's Day!  
10:00 am Worship in the Woods

Monday June 17th  
10:0 am Staff Meeting  
2:00 pm Organ Practice  
7:00 pm SOAP Bible Study  
7:00 pm Women's Discipleship Group

Tuesday June 18th  
6:15 pm CrossFire Rehearsal

Wednesday June 19th  
1:30 pm Watercolor Painting Class  
7:00 pm Engagement Committee

Thursday June 20th  
Sexton's Day off  
3:00 pm Organ Practice  
7:30 pm Choir Practice

Friday June 21st  
Pastor Charlie's Day Off

Saturday June 22nd  
2:00 pm Organ Practice  
6:00 pm Travel Quest- Patriots Band,  
Free Concert

Sunday June 23rd  
9 am & 11 am In Person Worship  
10:00 am Christian education

Monday June 24th  
10:00 am Staff Meeting  
2:00 pm Organ Practice  
7:00 pm SOAP Bible Study

Tuesday June 25th  
6:15 pm CrossFire Rehearsal

*Grow in Faith \* Serve In Love \*  
Live In Peace*

## Save the Date!

Mark your calendar for our next OMNI Bluz Event! We will be holding it on October 13th!

Be a part of OMNI's biggest annual fundraiser!



## POP Travel Quest's Patriot's Summer Outdoor Concert

Saturday, June 22, 7 pm  
Paper Moon Winery  
2008 State Road  
Vermilion, OH 44089



Come and support POP members, Walter (on tuba) and Diane (on clarinet) Diekroger, along with 60+ other Patriot Symphonic Band members at this free concert!

Americana, marches, and upbeat music will be performed. Food and drink are available for purchase or pack your own snacks and beverages. Do bring lawn chairs and/or blankets! If you are in need of transportation, please contact Fran Wilhelm at 440-231-4004.

# Worship in the Woods

As we watch the building of the Peace Pavilion with anticipation and hope, we will plan three services outside this summer.

- Coffee and Donuts and refreshments will be served out of the trailer in the parking lot.
- Bring your own chairs
- Invite your friends and family we will move inside in case of rain!

June 16 – Traditional Worship Team will lead our worship  
Happy Father's Day!



## Young at Heart

Please join us on Friday, June 28th at 12:30 pm.  
We will be enjoying good food and fellowship at Hop Brothers Brewing, located at 32650 Lorain Rd. in North Ridgeville.

Please add your name to the sign-up sheet in the lower lobby. Questions, contact Kathy Kettler at (440)734-6511.



## Sister's in Spirit

Wednesday July 10, 6 pm  
Huntington Beach

Bring your dinner & beverage. In the event of rain, we will go to the covered pavilion. There will be live music from 5 - 8pm (Bobby St. Vincent, acoustic favorites). Be aware that there may be more people due to this and parking might be limited, so you might want to consider carpooling. No RSVP is needed. If you have questions, reach out to Laurel Covell ([thecovells@gmail.com](mailto:thecovells@gmail.com), 440 725-4237).



## LMM IMMERSIVE EXPERIENCE

VISIT THE SITES THAT MAKE US GAME CHANGERS

Lead by President & CEO, Maria Foschia

**Wednesday, June 26 or Wednesday, October 16**  
**8:30 - 11:30 am**

Join us on the LMM shuttle and see the sites where our good work comes to life! We'll update you on the latest about each program, and what's on deck!

*Continental breakfast included.*

**Please register on Eventbrite and select your date.**

[www.lutheranmetro.org](http://www.lutheranmetro.org)

June 26th

October 16th

Join us for an LMM Immersive Experience on June 26, 2024 or October 16, 2024!

Led by LMM President & CEO Maria A. Foschia, these immersive experiences showcase each of the agency's program areas, offer the opportunity to meet staff and provide insight into what is to come for LMM. This event will leave you inspired and energized around LMM's mission and give you an exclusive look into the impactful work we are doing in our 55th year.

Continental breakfast included. Interested parties are encouraged to sign up for one of the two available dates. Click either one of the buttons above to register for the date that works best for you!

Join us at  
Camp Do Good.  
Give Blood.



American  
Red Cross

WELCOME



**Blood Drive**  
Prince of Peace  
Lutheran Church  
Fellowship Hall  
28455 Center Ridge Road  
Westlake, OH 44145  
Sunday, July 21, 2024  
8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

To schedule an appointment, call 1-800-RED-CROSS or go  
to [RedCrossBlood.org](https://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter Sponsor Code: POP2024



Scan to be directed to  
RapidPass®



Scan to schedule  
an appointment.

**Be part of something big. Make an appointment.**

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# Prince of Peace - Peace Pavilion Projects

Some tasks are not included in the pavilion installation work and are to be provided by our congregation. This provides an opportunity to support this project by working together where individual skills and interest apply. Task descriptions are shown below. **If you want to be included in one or more of the task groups, please notify Phil Sprague at ([psprague@breezelineohio.net](mailto:psprague@breezelineohio.net)), text at 440-665-6284, or sign up on the sheet in the Lower Narthex.**



**Audio/Visual:** The Peace Pavilion will have the same audio/visual capability as we have in the sanctuary. There will be a sound system and a large outdoor TV. This group will work with the pavilion contractor to implement installation of the required communications cables for the sound system and TV operation. Work will also include design and installation of “performance wiring” as required for the Contemporary Service and the Coffee House & Open Mic for example. Speaker mounting and installation is also required as part of this work.



**Pavilion Cross Building:** As shown on the pavilion renderings, a large wooden cross will be located on the upper roof of the pavilion. The design might be similar to the cross in front of the church. This group will design and construct the cross. Mounting will be done by the pavilion contractor. The cross will have LED lighting .



**Bench Building:** Our Peace Pavilion will have seating for 175 people on benches. Forty-Four benches are required and two have already been assembled as samples. Two benches can be easily converted into one picnic table. This group will assemble the remaining 42 benches and coordinate material purchases. Materials would be stored in the garage and construction done most likely outside.



**Landscaping:** Landscaping will add to the beauty of our pavilion. This group will develop a “landscape plan” and conduct the required fund raising to support this task. The goal is to add beauty while minimizing required maintenance. Some landscaping is included in the pavilion contractor’s scope of work so congregational cooperation will be required. Plant donations from the congregation will be considered.

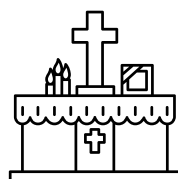


**Peace Pavilion Marketing:** The pavilion will enhance our worship opportunities as well as other church functions but it also must be marketed to the surrounding communities. This can be a major outreach tool and bring others to know us if we advertise it effectively. Pastor Charlie will lead this group.

Activa

## Peace Pavilion Altar Project

- **Project:** Construction of an Altar table, lectern and baptismal bowl stand for the Peace Pavilion
- Altar Guild has a basic idea and has a budget for materials...we need assistance with design details and construction of these pieces.
- **Contact:** Dineen Terstage (Altar Guild Chair) 440-263-6759 if you can help us with this project.

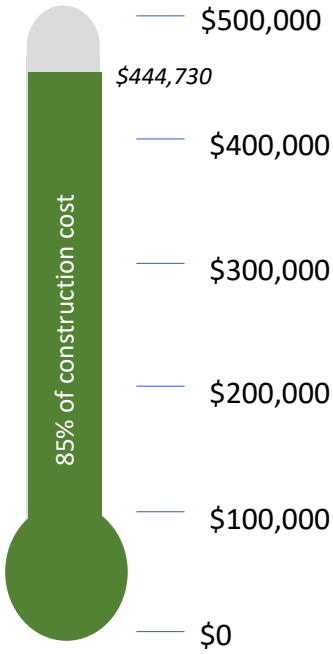


# Peace Pavilion Capital Campaign

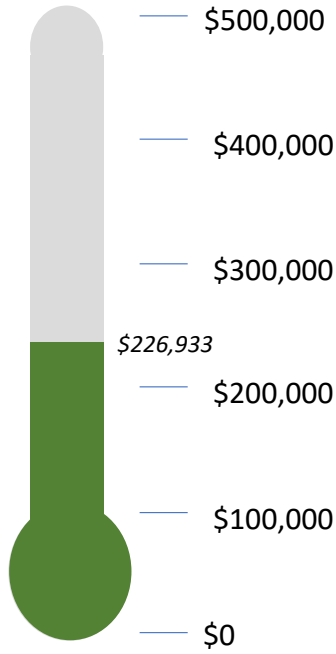
## Status as of June 4th, 2024

Construction Cost = \$521,793

### Commitment Status



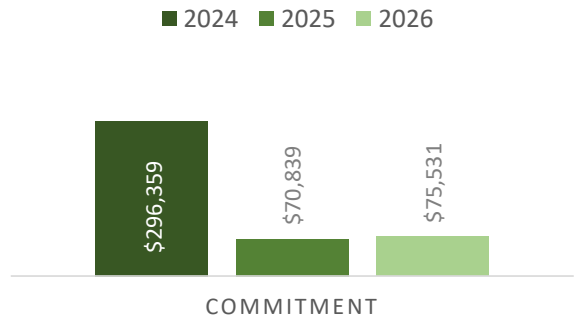
### Received Donation Status



Note: Commitment Status includes "silent" commitments

Donor Level	3 Year Commitment	Number of Pledged Donors
Buckeye	\$50,000+	2
Oak	\$25,000 - \$50,000	4
Maple	\$10,000 - \$25,000	7
Rose	\$5,000 - \$10,000	10
Tulip	\$3,000 - \$5,000	8
Daisy	\$1,000 - \$3,000	14

### COMMITMENT BY YEAR



Travel Quest Presents:

All aboard the Prince of Peace Chartered bus. Even if you already have tickets, you can ride on the bus for \$15. Group rate for Pavilion & Lawn Seating.

Depart Prince of Peace Parking Lot 5:00pm Return approx.11:30pm Prince of Peace members and Guests welcome.

Checks payable to Prince of Peace, please use the memo: TQ Blossom and are due by June 2nd.  
Please contact [msfiddlesticks@hotmail.com](mailto:msfiddlesticks@hotmail.com) to register!

★ SLAUTE TO FREEDOM ★

# Concert

**July 3rd, 2024**

**8:00 PM**

## **BLOSSOM MUSIC CENTER**

1145 W STEELS CORNERS RD, CUYAHOGA FALLS,  
OH 44223

**FOOD**

**FUN**

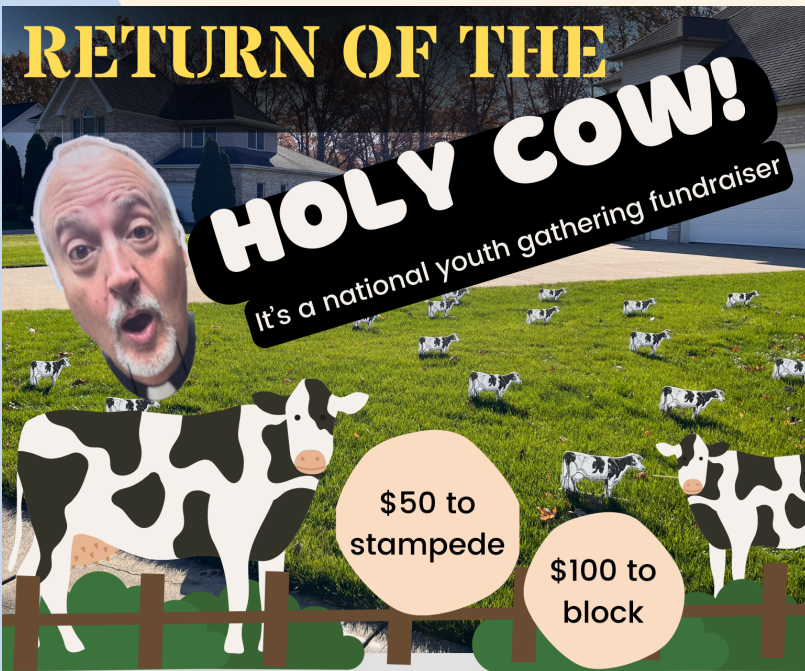
**MUSIC**

LAWN SEATS \$20, BUS \$15, BOXED LUNCH TBD,  
PAVILION SEATING \$23-\$31

Prince of Peace

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# YOUTH EVENTS



**RETURN OF THE HOLY COW!**  
It's a national youth gathering fundraiser

\$50 to stampede

\$100 to block

The poster features a man's face in the top left, a large cow in the foreground, and a field of smaller cows in the background. Two callout boxes provide pricing information.

## **HOW TO STAMPEDE YOUR FRIENDS:**

To have the cows show up in someone's yard, please submit your name along the name and address of the person you want to stampede to Hilary via email [poplutheranyouth@gmail.com](mailto:poplutheranyouth@gmail.com).  
First received, first stampeded

The steaks are high! To BLOCK a stampede you can get your name on the block list and when someone tries to stampede you it will be blocked!  
\*Blocks can only be used once\*

Stampeding June 2nd - July 14th



## Food Scrap Composting

Located at Westlake Porter Public Library

Compost for a clean kitchen and to benefit the environment!

- Reduce your carbon footprint!
- Help make nutrient rich compost!
- Get discounts on soil!

Sign up for drop-off with "WLPOP"  
and get your first month free.



learn more  
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# PASTOR CHARLIE'S BLOG



Luke 6:12-19

## Jesus Chooses the Twelve Apostles

12 Now during those days he went out to the mountain to pray; and he spent the night in prayer to God. 13 And when day came, he called his disciples and chose twelve of them, whom he also named apostles: 14 Simon, whom he named Peter, and his brother Andrew, and James, and John, and Philip, and Bartholomew, 15 and Matthew, and Thomas, and James son of Alphaeus, and Simon, who was called the Zealot, 16 and Judas son of James, and Judas Iscariot, who became a traitor.

## Jesus Teaches and Heals

17 He came down with them and stood on a level place, with a great crowd of his disciples and a great multitude of people from all Judea, Jerusalem, and the coast of Tyre and Sidon. 18 They had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases; and those who were troubled with unclean spirits were cured. 19 And all in the crowd were trying to touch him, for power came out from him and healed all of them.

A Sunday School teacher asked her class if anyone in the class knew the difference between angels and saints. One of the boys raised his hand and said, "That's easy! The Angels are a baseball team and the Saints are a football team!"

Oh how I love sports... but I digress.

In today's lesson we hear of Jesus choosing the twelve disciples, whom he also named apostles. So what's the difference?

A disciple is a student. In Jesus day, a disciple would learn the teaching of the rabbi. The disciple would learn the interpretations of the scripture, the life teachings and more. There was a blessing in Jesus day – "May you be covered in the dust of your Rabbi." May you follow so closely behind and in the steps of your teacher that the very dust that is being kicked up by his sandals cover you.

An apostle is one who is sent. The word "postal" as in postal service comes from the same word. The apostle is one who is sent out to share the message of the teacher or leader.

The two seem to go hand in hand, don't they? As a teacher, you would hope that your student not only hears the message, but is able to share it as well. We do that as parents, don't we? We teach our children and hope they learn and carry that message forward. Sometimes that works. Sometimes it doesn't!

When our daughter was about 2, my wife had her up on the bed as she folded laundry. When the task was about done, my wife accidentally knocked a stack onto the floor. "Shoot!" she said. A couple minutes later, our daughter was throwing the folded laundry items, one at a time, onto the floor, saying "Shoot!" with each toss. My wife was thankful she said "Shoot!" and not somethings else!

As a pastor, one of my greatest joys is when I hear a member of the congregation repeat a statement of faith that they had picked up from me. And while it is not all about me, it still warms my heart to know that these disciples have become apostles too.

In that list of names, add your name too. For I believe God has called you to follow and to learn. And I also believe that God sends you to spread the message.

Legend has it that St. Francis of Assisi put it this way, "Preach the Gospel at all times. When necessary, use words."

Let us pray: You have called us to follow. You call us to share. With all your saints and angels, open our ears to hear what you command, and move our feet do to your will. We pray this in Jesus name. Amen



# Tom & Sandra Herren

## THIS WEEK'S PROFILE

Tom was born at St. Lukes Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio. He grew up in Bay Village and Lakewood with a brother, George, who is currently the owner of Academy Appraisal Associates in Canandaigua, N.Y. Tom's education began at Forest View Elementary, Bay Village, then Emerson Jr. High and H.S. in Lakewood. Ohio University in Athens, Ohio was where he majored in Industrial Design, College of Fine Arts, BFA. He was also an ROTC-Commissioned U.S. Army Officer. We want to offer our sincere Thanks to Tom for his service and dedication!

Sandra was born at St. John's Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio. She grew up in Staten Island, N.Y. and Lakewood, Ohio. Her education included Staten Island (3 grades), Cleveland (1 grade) and Lakewood (8 grades). She took Ballet and tap lessons after H.S. Sandra majored in Art then clerked for an Insurance company for 2 years. Then she became a stay-at-home mom where she raised her six children from her first marriage. Sandra and Tom met at Lakewood High School and recall the same exact beginning. He said "Hi I'm Tom, want to go steady?" and she said "Hi, I'm Sandy...Sure"! Tom worked as a Seven-State Regional Director, California Wine Advisory Board, Mid-Eastern Regional Director, Almaden Vineyards. They experienced a 53% increase in sales each year for 3 years under his leadership! He also excelled as a Residential Real Estate Broker/Sales in California and Ohio. His track record includes being in the top 7% of agents in Ohio for sales from 2003-2006.

Their blended family includes 6 children from Sandra's first marriage. Oldest child Jim (63), Manages the Gift Store at Cleveland Metro Hospital. His partner Joe is a Retired Police Officer. Son Alan (61), Is IT Manager at Cbiz Co., while his wife Sheila owns a Pet-grooming business. Grandchild Malerie teaches school in Cincinnati, and grandson Wyatt is a Tattoo Artist in Denver, CO. Son Robert (59) Is a Supervisor for Burgess & Niple Co., Akron, OH, and his wife Kelly is Sales Manager at Optics Lab in Akron. Three grandchildren include Coner, an Insurance Agent for Nationwide, Columbus while twin grandchildren Clare works at the Veterans Administration in Kansas City and Molly is a TSA Administrator for the U.S. government in Kansas City.

Sandra's son William (58), is a retired Aero-Space Engineer and land-owner farmer while his wife Allyson is a Gardner and Landscaper. Two grandchildren include Melissa who works as an Agricultural Specialist for the State of CO and Matthew works in the Auto Industry in Denver. Daughter Amy (52), has numerous Community-Assist jobs and "Family-Nanny" for a neighbor while husband Andy is an Auto-sales Dealership owner in Akron. 4 grandchildren include Grace as a Management Trainee at Heinen's Market in Westlake and Lilliana working as a Family Counselor for Catholic Charities in Cleveland. Grandchild Harmon is a junior attending Westlake H.S. while Josie is attending 3rd grade at Westlake Elementary. Youngest son David (49), is an IT specialist and an exclusive assistant of his scientist-wife Carolyn. They work together in her Hospital-located Private Lab there in Basel, Switzerland. The 4 grandchildren include twins Nels and Leni, both high school students. Poula, is a Jr. H.S. student while Lewis is also attending Jr. High.

Tom has twin children from a first marriage including son Kris working as a Zone mgr. For Grumman Aviation, MD while wife Karen is a retired Attorney working in community outreach. Two grandchildren include son Noah, a junior attending Boston College while son Joshua is a junior at Ellicott City, MD High School. Kris's twin sister Kara is an Attorney/Partner with CLRGO Law Firm, in Santa Rosa CA and her husband Chris is a Buyer with Industrial Supplies Co. in Napa, CA. 2 grandchildren are son Jake, a sophomore at San Diego State University and daughter Madison a senior at Santa Rosa H.S.

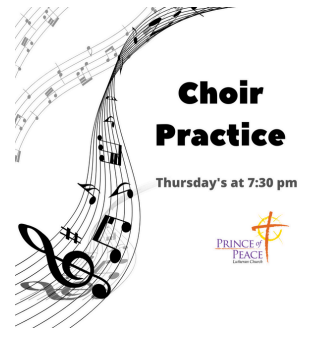
Sandra and Tom felt at home at POP when they joined! They consider some of their Mentors and Friends over the years to be: Bob & Betsy Englebert, Doug and Sharon Olsen, Whitey Westfall, Bob Skufca and John and Judy Cuciak. They currently are church service participants via the weekly Livestream. Sandra's hobbies are music, art, sewing & knitting, and home remodeling. Tom enjoys fixing, repairing, remodeling and renovating as needed for their home. He is a Model Car collector (18 ga) (43 current). The bucket list they share includes trips to N.Y. (brother), Calif. (daughter), CO. (son), MD. (son) Switz.(son), and N.C. (extended family). Tom would like to someday own a Replica Shelby Cobra! He will have to consult with Phil Sprague on that one as he is a true hot rod expert! Both had been involved with the Welcome/Visitor Bag ministry that attracted many new members. Sandra and Tom know the blessings they have received from God. I'm glad we have been able to learn more about them!

By Tom Robinholt : Profile Reporter

# Choir

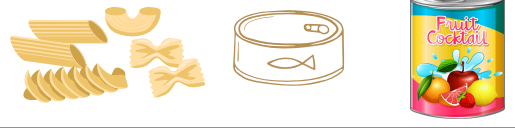
Interested in joining the choir?  
Please join us for practices on Thursday's at 7:30 pm!

Questions? Contact Ian Faleer, Contemporary Music Director & Chancel Choir Director  
[ifaleer@gmail.com](mailto:ifaleer@gmail.com)



# Second Harvest

For April through June the requested items are pasta, canned fish & packaged fruits



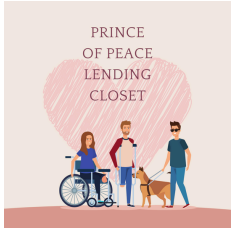
# Giving Data

Operating Giving Report	YTD	AVG/Week
Total Giving as of May 31st, 2024:	\$205,672	\$9,793.91
% of Annual 2024 Budget Received to Date:	42%	
Remaining Giving to Meet 2024 Budget:	\$280,328	\$9,042.84
Total Expenses incurred through 2/29/24	\$203,710	\$9,700.48



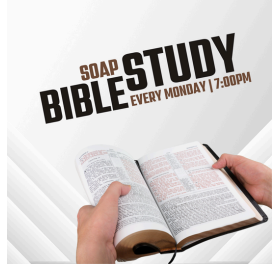
# Lending Closet

Are you in need of some crutches? A shower chair? Walker? Cane?  
Please click on the logo on the right hand side of the page or check the website for our updated lending closet list!



# SOAP Bible Study

Schedule:  
June 17 - Luke 6  
June 24 - Luke 7  
July 1 - Luke 8



# Coffee with the Pastor

Coffee with the Pastor will be held the second Sunday of every month at 10 am.

We will meet in the Education Wing Second Cup of Coffee Room.  
Come for conversation, questions and fellowship. Bring your coffee and donut and join us.



# Prayer LIST

**Sunday, June 16, 2024**

**Prayer Request - Long Term**

**(All prayer requests made after Thursday at Noon will be posted the following week)**

Ren	Granddaughter of Linda Baumbach
Don Chismar	
Patty Doran	Sister-in-law of Chuck Sieving
Dawn Higgins	Neighbor of Fran Molnar
Jayne Kramic	Friend of Kathy McCollum
Angela Missig	Daughter of Gloria Starr
Jenn Pitts	Daughter of Judy Kazak
Lois Reichert	
Pam Rotella	
Bill Sweeny	Friend of Kathy McCollum
Robert Sieving	Brother of Chuck Sieving
Al Tielke	
Mike Hosler	
Ron Filkill	
Chris Sikora	
Claudette Plavan	
Hilary Mason	
Kathy and Tim Needham	

## **Recent prayer requests received within the past 3 weeks:**

June 2

June 9

Kathy Kettler

June 16

Bauknecht Family  
Mike Pietraroia  
Holly Kerschbaum (Wilhelm's friend)  
Vicky (cousin of Deb Gibbon's husband)  
Lori (Deb Gibbon's friend)  
Viviana Casbean and her family

# Happy Birthday

Date	Online	In Person	Total
06/09/2024	54	157	211
06/02/2024	25	153	178
05/26/2024	54	110	164
05/19/2024	28	162	190

- 06/04 Patricia Pietraroia
- 06/04 Tom Colcord
- 06/05 Joey Weaver
- 06/07 Elise Covell
- 06/08 Erika Marquardt
- 06/09 Claire Perry
- 06/09 Elizabeth Grider
- 06/09 Mary Sue Claus
- 06/09 Scott Goggin
- 06/10 Bob Thompson
- 06/10 Lynnette Stevens
- 06/12 Bob Thomas
- 06/12 Logan Beard
- 06/13 Kellie Duktig
- 06/13 Lindsay Weaver
- 06/13 Tom Robinholt
- 06/14 Mitchell Gros
- 06/14 Susan Franz
- 06/14 Tyler Rowe
- 06/16 Chris Burdette
- 06/16 Terry MacKenzie
- 06/17 Joyce Hayward
- 06/18 Dan Arthur
- 06/20 Debbie Thomas
- 06/21 Ron Kear
- 06/22 Brent Beard
- 06/23 Judy Splawski
- 06/23 Susan Worsencroft
- 06/23 Walter Diekroger
- 06/24 Jeff Frey
- 06/25 Joseph Olah
- 06/26 Cindy Strieter
- 06/27 Diane Fortuna
- 06/27 Diego Cesare
- 06/27 Samantha Bailey
- 06/28 Jim McDonough
- 06/29 Adrienne Patenaude
- 06/29 Eva Vitko
- 06/30 Claire Wenham
- 06/30 David Zinram

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

- 06/06 Dan & Tami Arthur
- 06/08 Mike & Sue Hosler
- 06/09 Melody & Roger Hauser
- 06/15 Phil & Pat Sprague
- 06/17 Jon & Riki Wilhelm
- 06/19 Gerry & Fran Wilhelm
- 06/20 Ken & Peggy Krueger
- 06/26 Mark & Ellen Oster
- 06/29 Dolph & Judy Rolik
- 06/29 Joan & Tom Drobnak
- 06/30 Tom & Lora Robinholt



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poplutheranyouth@gmail.com

Ruth Williams, Organist  
mrsruthwilliams@yahoo.com

Dave Covell, Church Council President  
thecovells@gmail.com

### Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9-3  
28455 Center Ridge Rd., Westlake, Ohio 44145  
440/871-5565 • www.princeofpeacewestlake.org

### Sunday Worship Services

9:00 am & 11:00 am in person.

### Livestream

Christian Education - Sundays 10-10:50 am

Adult supervised child care for children 5 and under is offered for both services and during

the Christian Education hour between services.