

**Opportunities at Prince of Peace
March 10, 2019**

Sunday: *First Sunday of Lent*

8:45 Traditional Service
10:00 Coffee Fellowship
10:00 Bible Study
10:00 Sunday School
11:15 Contemporary Service
2:30 VBS Meeting

Monday:

Tuesday:

6:00 Band
7:00 Proud Image

Wednesday:

5:15 Confirmation
5:30 Lenten Meal—Beef and Barley Soup and Cornbread
6:30 POP's Disciples
7:00 Lenten Service

Thursday:

8:00 Property
9:30 Men's Bible Study

Saturday:

9:30 Women of Life Bible Study
10:00 Girl Scouts

Sunday: *Second Sunday of Lent*

8:45 Traditional Service with Holy Communion
10:00 Coffee Fellowship
10:00 Bible Study
10:00 Sunday School
11:15 Contemporary Service with Holy Communion
2:00 Youth— Bean Bag Tournament

We Welcome All Visitors We're glad you joined us today at Prince of Peace. As we gather together to receive God's gifts to us in Word and Sacrament, we pray that the Holy Spirit refreshed you anew. We invite you to complete a VISITOR card, detach it, and place it in the offering plate. Please keep the other half of the card for easy reference to our church contact information. Lastly, a friendly reminder to please turn off or silence your cell phones during worship. God's blessings on your worship today and welcome from the Prince of Peace Lutheran Church family.

Special Prayers for Today: Dee Daniels, Kristie Rysdam, Dorothy Shelton, Brad Forbes, Rick Day, Barb Roberts, Ellen Conner, Ellen Morris, Mark Brown, Gene Edler, Marion Odom, Marsha Allen, Jace Hicok, Barb Schroeder, Please remember all of those on the prayer list in your prayers and with cards or visits this week. Prayer List copies for you to take home.

Lent Activities On Wednesday's, during lent, we will serve meals from 5:30 to 6:30. Lenten Service begins at 7:00. There will be confirmation at 5:15 and POP's Disciples will start at 6:30.

Thank You to Pastor and his helpers who put on the Parson's Table meal. It was delicious and a really nice thing to do.

Baby Bottle Fundraiser During the Lenten season we are asking you to take a baby bottle home to fill with coins, dollars, or checks and returned to church on April 14th. Please return rather it is filled or not. The bottles will be returned to Alternatives pregnancy center.

NAMI Black Hawk County Basics is a free six-week class for parents or family caregivers of children or youth who have mental health conditions or are experiencing symptoms with no diagnosis. The class provides research about mental illness and treatments. It covers problem-solving skills, how to handle challenging behaviors, effective record keeping systems, and crisis management. The class will run every Thursday from 6:00 to 8:30 pm starting Thu. April 18 through Thu. May 23. It will be at the First Congregational Church, 608 West 4th Street, in Waterloo. Deadline for registration is Friday, March 29. Call NAMI at 319-235-5263 with questions or if you would like to register for the class.

Survey The worship committee would like to thank everyone who responded to the survey regarding service times for Lenten and Advent services. Based on the results, it was determined there was not enough interest in any other single time frame to warrant adding an additional service. The survey results and analysis are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway by the kitchen for your review. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy, Kristie Rysdam or Gene Edler.

Readers The worship committee is working on the Good Friday Tenebrae service with Pastor Klawonn. This year we need more readers to play the part of several characters in the Holy Week story. For example, a reader is needed for the part of Jesus, Peter, a little girl, an officer, a servant, Pilot, several priests etc. If you are willing to be a reader for one of these parts, please contact Nancy as soon as possible. The participants will practice the service order several times before Good Friday. Thank you in advance for your participation.

Relay for Life Watch for your chance to be part of the Prince of Peace Team. Relay for Life is June 14th, at Hawkeye Community College.

Valley Lutheran Exciting news! Valley is doing the "Sound of Music" on April 5th, 12th and 13th at 7 p.m. Tickets will go on sale March 1st. More information will come at a later date.

Valley has started enrolling for the 2019-2020 school year! If you would like a tour or to get more information about Valley, please contact Jamie Panning at 319-266-4565 or email her at jamie.panning@vlscrusaders.org.

Valley Plant Sale Attention families, friends, and supporters of Valley! The teachers need your help to raise money for their conference. Spring is right around the corner, which means that now is the perfect time to purchase your plants, in preparation for Summer. Thirty percent (30%) of almost every sale will go directly to the teachers for their conference. When to Order: Plants can be ordered from March 11th-April 5th-Plants can be picked up May 3rd at Valley. How to Order: Students will have order forms to order your plants. Extra order forms can be picked up in the Valley Office. There is also an online option that can be found on the Facebook page, or by clicking on the link or on "Plant Sale Fundraiser" in the attached pdf. The online option can also be reached at www.janetsjungle.com. Click "Find Your Organization" and search for "Valley Lutheran School." Select the Cedar Falls location and order away!