
P.O.P. NEWS

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LENT/EASTER 2024 SERVICE THEMES:

Maundy Thursday, March 28 – @ 6:00pm in Old Sanctuary: “Accordingly” – Exodus 24:3-11

Good Friday, March 29 @ 6:00pm: “Rejected” – Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Easter Sunrise, March 31 @ 6:31am (parking lot): “Majestic” – Exodus 15:1-11

Easter Celebration, March 31 @ 9:30am: “Spices” – Mark 16:1-8

EASTER SUNDAY – SMOOTHIE BOWLS, served from 8:30-9:15am. Add your own toppings, including: berries, other fruits, granola, seeds, nuts, honey, cinnamon, and more!

IN MEMORY OF EASTER PLANTS :

- Tulips & Hyacinth plants in memory of Darwin Ott, Darla Wessel’s Dad and Ron & Ardell Wessel, Dennis Wessel’s parents
- Hyacinth Plants given in Celebration of Dawn Forest & Rick Vanevenhoven’s 10th Wedding Anniversary (Jim & Darlene Kellow’s daughter)
- Lilies & Tulip given by James & Michelle Gomez in memory of grandparents Jack & Barbara Carroll, Raul & Maria Dora Gomez, Richard & Karolyn Hanson, and Richard & Marie Vossen.

Plants may be picked up on Sunday after the Easter celebration service. Any plants left over will be brought to Bay View Senior Care on Tuesday, April 2, when Pastor Gomez and Tom Strong go for chapel.

“THEY GAVE [JESUS] A PIECE OF BROILED FISH..”
– LUKE 24:42

Having been gifted some freshly-frozen fish (trout) from avid fisherman Charles Kangas, we would like to make them available for you to share with your neighbor. Make some sides, and share a meal with them, or give it away, that’s up to you. ***The fish is available now, upon request!***

COMMUNITY DINNER: April 4, 2024 @ 5:30pm

This week's meal, prepared & served by Team B:

- Main: Red Beans & Rice with Andouille Sausage
- Sides: Greens & Corn Bread
- Dessert: Pecan Pie Squares

There are 3 ways to make your reservation:

Click <https://bit.ly/ComDin>

Call church office at 920.743.7750 or

Text 920.226.2868 (Your name & # attending)

COMMUNITY DINNER TEAM SCHEDULE 2024:

April 18, 2024 – Team C

May 2, 2024 – Team D (Capretto Sweet Potato Bake)

UPCOMING CHAPEL SERVICES:

- Sturgeon Bay Health Services – March 28 @ 10:00am
- Bay View Senior Care – April 2 @ 9:00am



FIDDLER’S FARM BAND CONCERT – SATURDAY, APRIL 27

A freewill offering Concert will be held at Prince of Peace Church at 6:00pm

The Band will also play the worship music on Sunday, April 28 at 9:30am



LIFE TOGETHER:

A JOYFUL JUBILEE
1974—2024 AD

"I HAVE COME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT ABUNDANTLY." - JOHN 10:10

PRINCE OF PEACE 50TH ANNIVERSARY UPDATES

Worship Services:

- March 28 – Maundy Thursday Service @ 6:00pm in Old Sanctuary (Oasis)
- April 27 – Fiddler’s Farm Concert @ 6 pm at POP and playing worship music on April 28
- June 23 – Anniversary Sunday @ 9:30am with President Dwayne Lueck preaching

Other Activities:

- June 23 – Anniversary Celebration Brunch at the Sturgeon Bay Yacht Club
 - Invitations will go out in April
 - 11:00am – 2:00pm
 - Needed: set-up crew for Saturday, June 22
 - Needed: tear-down crew for Sunday, June 23

AFTER-WORSHIP Fellowship / Q & A with Pastor Gomez continues on Sundays after worship, USUALLY from just after the service until 11:00am (you may leave at ANY time during the Q & A).

- March 31: No Q & A
- April 7: Q & A

YOUTH GROUP (7th-12th): Meets the 1st/3rd Wednesdays of each month, 6:30-8:00pm.

- April 3 – Youth Group
- April 17 – Youth Group

YOUTH EVENTS:

- **YOUTH SUNDAY:** Rescheduled for April 7
- **SWING INTO SPRING:** Friday, April 19. Join us for this 3rd Annual Youth Fundraiser, as the students look forward to attending the next Youth Gathering in New Orleans – Summer, 2025.

2024 RECORD OF OFFERINGS

The Weekly Financial Status shows “Total Budgeted Money” received each week. The weekly Designated Funds are recorded and made available in the monthly Financial Secretary’s Report.

	<u>GIVING</u>	
WEEKLY		YEAR TO DATE: (March 24, 2024)
\$3,060.62		\$47,773.29
	<u>BUDGET</u>	
\$4,642.06		\$55,632.72

NOT THE WORST PASTORS PODCAST *Episode 74: The VERY Best week.*

The guys talk about tradition, hymns, plans, and much more in this episode which focuses on the VERY best week! Thanks for listening! Follow us on Facebook and Instagram @nottheworstpastors. You can also find us on Spotify, Apple, Google, Amazon and more! <https://nottheworstpastors.org>

LWML ZONE 19 SPRING RALLY is scheduled for Saturday, April 13 at Pilgrim Lutheran church in Green Bay. Registration starts at 8:30, with the opening devotion at 9:00. The Christian Life Topic is “Forgiving When You Are Hurt”, followed by guest speaker Ruth Mackie, “Exercises in Humility” . . . Where is the joy in being wrong? The rally will wrap up at noon with lunch. The local mission (Gifts of the Heart) selected for donations is the House of Hope. Cost to attend is \$5, which includes lunch. This is a fun morning and an opportunity to meet ladies from other local Lutheran churches in the area. We hope you will join us! RSVP to Peggy Westin by March 31 at 920-495-3785.

NORTH WISCONSIN LWML DISTRICT 40TH BIENNIAL CONVENTION Thursday, June 13 to Saturday, June 15 at Appleton Paper Valley Center. The convention theme is “Let Your Light Shine.” For more information about the convention go to nwdlwml.org or contact Peggy Westin.

NEW MEMBER CLASS: April 6 (9:30-11:30am) or April 9 (6:00-8:00pm): If you are interested in becoming a member of Prince of Peace or would like a Refresher on Christian/Lutheran Beliefs and Doctrine, please contact Pastor James Gomez or Church office at 920.743.7750.

NEW MEMBER WELCOME & FELLOWSHIP is scheduled for Sunday, April 14. This is for our congregation to welcome all members who joined through affirmation of faith and/or the classes offered on April 6 or April 9.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

- **Monday:** Closed, except by appointment
- **Tuesday thru Thursday:** Open 9am – 3pm; Darlene Kellow, Secretary and Pastor James
- **Friday:** Open 9am – Noon; Darlene, Secretary

WINTER/SPRING ADULT BIBLE STUDY – “REVELATION” meets on Tuesdays @ 10:00am, or Thursdays @ 6:30pm. This course gives us a good look at the Apocalyptic literature of Revelation.

NOTE: March 26 & 28 – No classes during Holy Week. Classes resume on April 2 & 4.

DECORATING CHURCH FOR EASTER: Nancy Helland is recruiting volunteers to help put up Banners, arrange Flowers on Altar and decorate the Coffee House Window display. Please check out the signup sheet on Coffee House Information Table or give Nancy a call at 920.746.1123 with inquiries.

TAP BROTHERS on Monday, April 8 will be at Gregg Schuchhardt’s firepit, 5307 South Lake Road. He will also provide a main dish, but the rest of us can bring sides. Topic: Ron Kodras will lead a discussion on mortality rates and metabolic syndromes.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP: If you are a parent or grandparent who has lost a son or daughter, you are invited to a gathering in the Prince of Peace Coffee House on Sunday, April 7 @ 4:00pm. This meeting is offered as a safe, compassionate space for parents and grandparents who have lost to death children or grandchildren – to provide an opportunity to reflect and connect with others who have suffered this kind of painful and unique loss. For more information, contact Devon at 920.495.4021

GARAGE CLEANING: We are looking for volunteers on Friday, May 3 and Saturday, May 4 to clean out and organize all the stuff that has accumulated in the garage. If garages aren’t your thing – We will most likely be planning “Spring Cleaning” inside the church at some point.

DOG POLICY: The committee commissioned to develop a policy regarding pets on our church campus has completed their work. On Monday, March 11, the committee presented their proposed policy to the Board, which approved the policy as presented. **Simply, we are welcoming service animals, but not emotional support animals or pets.** The full policy can be found on our [website](#).

Swing into Spring

AT
Prince of Peace Church

*Dinner, Music & Dancing

Friday—April 19, 2024

Listen/Dance to the music of the
Swingin' Door Big Band

Dinner by

 **Chef Mauricio**

Fundraiser for Youth Activities,
Service Projects and Mission Trips

Supported by: THRIVENT ACTION TEAM



Meal Tickets: \$35/each

- Chicken or Salmon
- Vegetarian

Earth Day Themes & Prizes

- 5:45—Doors Open
- 6:00—Hors d'oeuvres
- 6:30—Dinner & Music

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on our YouTube Channel: BaypopLC