

The Lord's Day
Second Sunday of Advent, December 10, 2023
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Today's Prayer

Lord, I ask for you to give me peace of mind today. When life seems to unravel and fall apart all around me, help me to remember the power of your promises. You promise that your covenant of peace will never be removed from me. Thank you that I can hold fast to this promise in the midst of the storms of life.

Fill me with your compassion, and fill me with your perfect peace.

In Jesus Name, Amen

The Morning Message

Pastor Terry Nichols

Let's Head Into 2024 With Peace—John 16:29-33

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR

Betty Lou and Ron Pickett

John Shatraw • Dustin Blodgett • Beverly Snyder
Daniel Shirley • Dorice Stewart • Stanley Perzan • Emma
Burt Goodnough • Nancy Casler • Julie Pierce • Brian Groff
Carl & Danielle • Mrs. Mavery • Mary Hesford • Ron Latella
Helen Potter • Laura Paddock • Jared Eldridge • Dan Race
Bonnie VanDyke • Mark Freeden • George Steven • Randy
Norm Kepner • Lynn & Stan • Shaun Hull • Patricia Myers
Doris Bates • Donna Thurston • Stanley Kepner • Karen Ross

MISSIONARIES: Mozambique: Rev. Jim Pickett

ALL MILITARY SERVICE PERSONNEL

NEXT WEEK: SUNDAY, December 17, 2023

Greeters: Steve Berkman / Brooke Snyder

Security: Fred Poole / Jerry Weed / Wayne Davis

Monday, December 11, 6:00 PM: Ladies Bible Study

Tuesday, December 12, 9:00 AM: Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, December 13, 6:00 PM: Men's Bible Study

Wednesday, December 13, 7:00 PM: Prayer Study- Talking with God thru Prayer.

Saturday, December 16, 12:00—6:00 PM: Christmas Party at Richland Historical Society Co., (Richland School). High Adventure will play music from 1:00—3:00.

Sunday, Dec. 17, 3:00 PM: Christmas Caroling weather permitting

Sunday, Dec. 17: Food for Senior Care Boxes is due back

Monday, December 18, 9:00 AM: Wrapping gifts at Methodist Church

Monday, December 18, 6:00 PM: Packing Senior Care Boxes

Sunday, December 24, 6:00 PM: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Monday, December 25, 10:00 AM: Christmas Day Service

Are you interested in walking in the gym during the winter months, please sign up at the Welcome Desk.

Peace

The reason Jesus brings peace with God, peace with self, peace with others and peace on earth all goes back to the cross. Without Jesus shedding his blood on the cross, there would be no peace. And without Jesus being born as a baby at Christmas, there would be no cross.

Do you have peace with God this morning? Jesus died on the cross to pay the penalty for your sins so that you could be forgiven and restored to a right relationship with God. If your faith is in Christ, then you have peace with God.

Do you have peace with yourself this morning? If your faith is in Christ then Jesus has not abandoned you but has come to live in you by his Holy Spirit. And he offers you his peace, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. (John 14:27).

Do you have peace with others this morning? If your faith is in Christ, then he has given you all the resources you need to do your part in living in peaceful relationships with those around you.

Do we have peace on earth this morning? Oh, how I wish we did! We do not have peace on earth yet, but we have the promise of peace on earth to come, and God has never yet broken a promise.

Peace

HIS NAME SHALL BE CALLED...

PRINCE OF PEACE.

ISAIAH 9:6

