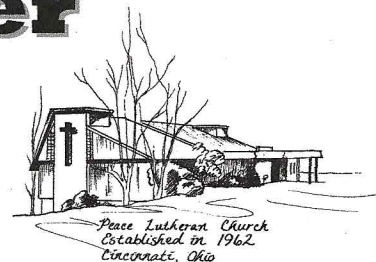


# The Messenger of Peace

2011



From the Pastor:

## God's Changing Power

*"Take, eat, this is My body .... Drink ye all of it, for this is My blood of the new testament."*

*Matthew 26:26-27*

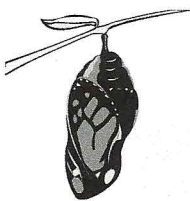
A caterpillar spins a cocoon about itself. At a later time the cocoon opens. A beautiful butterfly comes forth to spend its brief life adding color to God's world: God's changing power! A short, chubby little child is transformed by the passage of time and becomes a tall, talented, beautiful young adult: God's changing power!

A blind man sits at a city, gate. A passing Jesus touches him, and his eyes are opened: God's changing power! A centurion stops Jesus and pleads for the health and life of his servant. The Lord says but a word, and the servant is healed in that same hour: God's changing power!

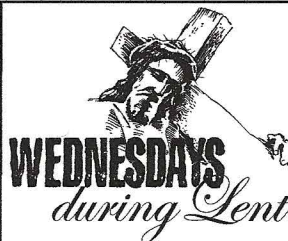
One of the most dramatic illustrations of God's power is the miracle that takes place at the Lord's Table, where Jesus gives us Himself - His true body and true blood - together with simple bread and wine, thus personally assuring us of the forgiveness of sins and giving us strength for faith and life.

We are changed! We leave Christ's table transformed, forgiven, and empowered to love and serve Him: God's changing power!

Lord, look on us with holy love.  
Change us with power from above. Amen



*Pastor Larry*



**CHRIST –  
FULFILLED,  
FORESHADOWED,  
FOREVER**

LENT BEGINS March 9, 2011

Two tablets of stone, a few vessels of oil, simple markings, a small army, a remote field, a solemn oath--these are some of the people, places and things through which God revealed himself to his people in the Old Testament. This Lent we will look at some of the lesser-known Old Testament passion themes and focus on them by means of single words. Come and join us each Wednesday beginning March 9 at 7:00.

"Mine!" -- Exodus 20:17

"Nothing" -- 2 Kings 4:1-7

"Marked" -- Isaiah 44:5

"Enlist" -- Judges 6:16

"Invest" -- Jeremiah 32:25

"Finish" -- 1 Kings 11:3

"Refuge" -- Joshua 20:7-9

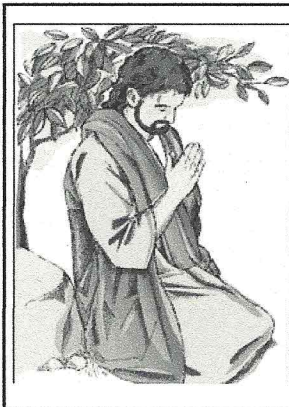
"Nobody" -- Deuteronomy 7:7

"Buried" -- 2 Kings 13:21

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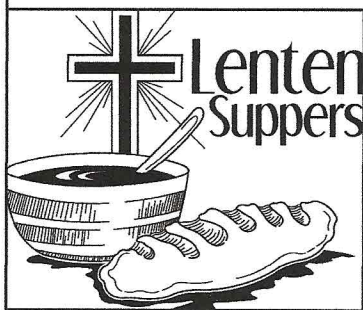
Sunday Morning Schedule  
Christian Education Hour  
9:15 AM  
Worship Service 10:30 AM

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**Sundays during Lent we will look at some of the Prayers of the Passion. Come and join us.**

- March 13 - "Let This Cup Pass"
- March 20 - "Why Have You Forsaken Me"
- March 27 - "Father Forgive Them"
- April 3 - "Jesus, Remember Me"
- April 10 - "Into Your Hands"
- April 17 - "I Have Prayed For You"

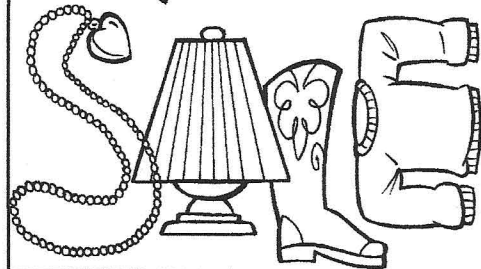


**Come join us for fellowship and good food. Lenten Suppers this year begin with Ash Wednesday on March 9. The schedule is:**

- March 9 - Hosted by Peace Youth - Chili, Soup & Salad Dinner
- March 16 - Stew Night
- March 23 - Soup & Salad
- March 30 - Italian Night
- April 6 - Hamburger & French Fries
- April 13 - Baked Potato Bar & Salad

**Volunteers are needed each week to prepare the entrée and set-up for the dinner. A sign-up sheet will be posted in the Narthex for volunteers to host. Those not hosting are asked to bring either a side dish or dessert. Meals will be served starting at 6 p.m. with the Lenten service starting at 7 p.m.**

# RUMMAGE



# and Bake

**Saturday  
April 2nd  
9am - 1pm**

Donations may be brought to church beginning March 27th. Items will be set up beginning Wednesday and priced on Friday. If you can help to sort and price just show up. A sign up sheet to help on Saturday will be on the bulletin board. Don't forget to bake for the sale also. Monies from this event help to fund the PLW's various projects.

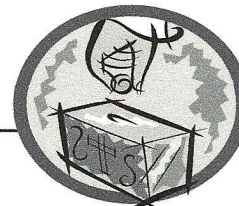


## MARCH BIRTHDAYS

2	Brett Vallandingham
4	Janet Hill
7	Sherrie Bowen
8	Jane Lipez
8	Don Pabst
12	Abby Donselman
18	Dot Keller
18	Landon Miller
18	Jessica Ringshauser
19	Ken Lubeck
22	Inez Ohlmansiek
24	Barb Fuhr
26	Doug Keller
28	Ruth Miller
31	Alex Griffin

## Mite Contributions

Contributions for this year are still being collected. You can either place them in the PLC offering plate payable to Peace Lutheran Church - earmarked "LWML Mites" or give your contribution to Ginny Hill, treasurer PLW. Deadline for this year's contribution is **March 20.**



## MARCH

### USHERS



Brad Hill  
Sean Kaufenberg  
Eric Ringshauser  
Scott Stout

**HEAD ELDER: Bob Wood**

**Next  
Newsletter deadline:  
March 27th**

