

# PRINTS *of* PEACE

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## UPCOMING events

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### TEA FOR THREE

Emmy Award-Winning Actress, Elaine Bromka, in her Critically Acclaimed Show  
Sunday, September 30, 2018. 2:00pm - 4:00pm  
Tickets \$35 - includes coffee/tea/dessert after the show  
Tickets at the door \$40 All tickets are non-refundable

### THE BLACK TIES

Rock to the sounds of The Oldies but Goodies  
Sunday, October 28, 2018 3:00pm  
Tickets in advance \$12 Tickets at the door \$15  
Food available for purchase after

**28**  
OCT

**16**  
NOV

### SIP & PAINT

Paint your own canvas while enjoying the company of others  
Friday, November 16, 2018 7:00pm  
\$40/person Register with Topsy Painting Party at [www.crodillustration.com/tickets](http://www.crodillustration.com/tickets)  
Bring your own drink and snack

### THE NOCTURNES BIG BAND

Performing many original scores from the 40's through the present  
Sunday, December 16, 2018 3:00pm  
Light refreshments included with admission  
Benefit Concert: \$10 suggested donation

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PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH  
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**REAL.  
PRESENT.  
GOD.**

**October 21, 2018  
Youth Ministry Sunday  
Real. Present. God.**

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In concert  
October 28th, 2018 @3:00pm  
Advance Tickets \$12 Door \$15



**Clergy  
Appreciation  
Day**

**Sunday, Oct. 14, 2018**

**MARTY'S PARTY  
IS OCTOBER 21st**

Join us in the Parish Hall on  
Sunday October 21st  
for Marty's Party.

We will have only ONE service  
this day at 10:15 a.m.

Immediately following the service, we  
will gather in fellowship  
for this annual event.

Main dishes will be provided  
by the Elders.

If you have a favorite side dish,  
appetizer, salad, beverage or  
dessert to share, that would be  
greatly appreciated.

***ALL ARE INVITED!***

**2ND ANNUAL**

**FALL  
Festival**

**A FUNDRAISING EVENT**

ADMISSION ADULTS \$10 | CHILDREN UNDER 10 EAT FREE

COME ENJOY THE  
MAZE, FACE PAINTING, COTTON CANDY, GAMES,  
MUSIC AND MORE

26th OCT 2018  
5PM - 8PM  
THE BUFFET WILL OPEN AT 5:10.

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## FROM YOUR PASTOR'S DESK – October 2018



Dear members of Prince of Peace

Our congregation is on the smaller side but that does not mean that we are just sitting around doing nothing. We have had a men's fellowship breakfast with a speaker telling us about a Lutheran Pastor who was convicted of being a Nazi Spy, and we hosted a play about three presidential wives. We would have had a speaker from Chosen People Ministries but that has been postponed until a later day (probably November). We have two concerts planned. We also will be having our Marty's Party on the twenty-first of the month.

I want to encourage each of you to participate in as many of these activities as possible. We need to spend time with one another in order to build community.

While all of these events are good in and of themselves, in part because they build community the heart of our parish is not to be found in them. It is to be found in the building up of the faith in each of our lives. The primary location of that faith is the foundation that we lay in the Word and Sacraments.

The Word is proclaimed in our worship services as well as Bible Studies. It is also found in our private reading of scriptures as well as our conversations about what we find there and how we can apply it to our lives. Our understanding of the Word is also to be found in the texts of the hymns that we sing on Sunday. These hymns have been tested by the Church to contain practical teachings about the faith.

The Sacraments are administered in the worship services on Wednesday evenings as well as Sunday mornings. We baptize children whose parents pledge to raise them in the faith or we baptize adults who come to the faith at a later stage of their faith/life journey. We also share in Holy Communion at all of our worship services. We have several children who will be receiving the sacrament for the first time this month and hopefully weekly thereafter. In the sacraments we believe that God is actively imparting his grace to those who receive it.

If you have been away from church I encourage you to return. We need your presence in order for us to face the trials of this world. I believe that we also have something to give you namely a place to come and build your faith. There are few, if any saints strong enough to fight off the attacks of the evil one without the support of a community.

You may have noticed that we are working to fix the building we own. It is necessary for good order in the Church to maintain the property. But we should never forget that the property is not the Church. The Church is made up of the people of God who have been called and who gather together to offer God their worship.

If you are reading this you are one of these people and I hope that our fellowship is beneficial to you as you face the trials and temptations of this world.

May God bless each and every one of you.  
Pastor Kenneth Fosse



**Midi Operators** needed. We are looking for a few individuals who would be willing to operate the midi (our organ computer) on a substitute basis, when the organist or regular midi operator is not available. **All necessary training will be provided.** If you can help out, please see Ken French or call the church office (732-363-0732) and leave your name and number. This is a great way to help your church without making a big time commitment. Thanks in advance!

**CONCORDIA**  
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TAKE A FALL DAY TRIP!

CHECK OUT THESE UPCOMING EVENTS FOR OCTOBER

Concordia College-New York

171 White Plains Road

Bronxville, NY 10708

October 4th

Fall Choir Concert

Concordia's student choir will perform a short program of American music.

7:30 pm/ Sommer Center

October 15th

Books & Coffee/ The Radium Girls

New York Times and USA Today bestselling author Kate Moore will discuss her rich historical narrative of the young women at the center of one America's biggest scandals, and a groundbreaking battle for workers' rights.

7:30 pm/ Sommer Center

October 25

Osilas Gallery Talk/ There Is Something That Doesn't Like a Wall

In this the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary year of the adoption of the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights, President Nunes will interview expert Rev. Dr. Phil Krey on justice, human rights, and Concordia's 2018-19 college theme, Borders and Boundaries.

7:30pm/ Tickets Required/ Osilas Gallery

October 30

Osilas Gallery Talk / The art and Culture of Ancient Armenia

Dr. Helen C. Evans, Curator of Byzantine Art at the Met, will discuss Armenia's Ancient and significant cultural heritage, illustrated with the images from the Met's exhibition, Armenia!, which she organized.

7:30pm/ Tickets Required/ Osilas Gallery

October 27

Hoch Chamber Music Series / A Night of Borders and Boundaries

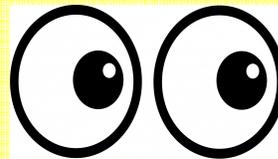
Lawrence Dutton, guest artist and Concordia Conservatory faculty will explore the boundaries of chamber music in the 20<sup>th</sup> century through Schoenberg's Verklärte Nacht, Op.4, and Richard Strauss' String Quintet from Capriccio Op.85

7 pm / Tickets Required / Sommer Center

## WORSHIP NOTE

Sunday, October 21st  
Only **one** service at 10:15 am  
Join us in the Parish Hall for  
Marty's Party at 11:30 a.m.

Sunday, October 28th  
8:00 am Spoken Service  
10:15 am Traditional Service  
Rev. Dr. Anthony Steinbronn  
will be our guest preacher



*Look for these  
exciting events  
coming up  
in the near future!*

- Marty's Party Sunday Oct. 21st at 11:30 a.m.  
Please note only one service on this day at 10:15 a.m.
- The Black Ties Concert Sunday Oct, 28th at 3:00 p.m.
- Sip & Paint Friday Nov. 16th at 7:00 p.m.
- Chosen People Ministries - November date will be announced soon
- Life Line Screening Friday, Nov. 30th in the Parish Hall
- Winter Concert featuring "The Nocturnes" Big Band Sunday, Dec. 16th at 3:00 p.m.

## Stewardship Newsletter Article for October 2018

*(Reprinted from the LCMS website)*

Why do we give? Is it simply because God commands us to? Or is there more to it? To be sure, the instruction and Word of God in the Bible says we should give, and this is sufficient to encourage us to give (Luke 6:38; Acts 20:35; 1 Cor. 16:2; 2 Cor. 8:7; Gal 6:6).

But there's more to it than just obligation. We're not just trying to fulfill a work of the Law. We are bearing fruits of the Spirit given to us by our Father in heaven through His Son our Lord Jesus Christ. In other words, we're not just doing what our Father said, we're also doing what He did.

Children emulate their parents. When they grow up they often carry many of the same mannerisms and characteristics as their parents, but there is more to it than that. Children copy their parents even on a more mundane level. They watch how their parents cross their legs, how they fold their hands, how they stand and sit and walk, how they do and say most everything.

And children try to copy it, which can be quite humorous when parents wish they wouldn't. It can be uncomfortable and embarrassing if a child copies or repeats something less than polite that they learned from a parent. Sitcoms thrive on these situations. It only happens because children emulate their parents because they want to be like them.

We are the children of God, by grace, through faith. In Holy Baptism, God the Father declares of us what He declared of Jesus at His Baptism in the Jordan: "You are my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." God the Father claims us as His own. He takes away all our sins, and in exchange He gives us His righteousness, His purity, His holiness, and His Spirit, by which we cry out, "Abba, Father."

We are born again, born from above, born of water and the Spirit, to a new life in Christ as His children. We are sons of God in Christ, through Baptism. And since we are sons, we are heirs – heirs who share in the glory of the Son of God. The inheritance is ours because of the Father's grace and mercy, His generosity in sending His Son in time to save us for all eternity.

And this is why we give generously of our income to the work of the church. We want to be like our heavenly Father. We want to emulate His generosity by being generous ourselves. We give to the work of the Church because we have witnessed the generous giving of our Father in heaven.

More than that, we are recipients of it. It is because we have received God our Father's gifts that we desire to give ourselves. And His gifts are not just spiritual. They are temporal and earthly as well. As the Small Catechism teaches in the Fourth Petition of the Lord's Prayer:

"Give us this day our daily bread." What does this mean? God certainly gives daily bread to everyone without our prayers, even to all evil people, but we pray in this petition that God would lead us to realize this and to receive our daily bread with thanksgiving. What is meant by daily bread? Daily bread includes everything that has to do with the support and needs of the body, such as food, drink, clothing, shoes, house, home, land, animals, money, goods, a devout husband or wife, devout children, devout workers, devout and faithful rulers, good government, good weather, peace, health, self-control, good reputation, good friends, faithful neighbors, and the like."

In other words, God gives us everything we need for the care of both body and soul. His generosity knows no bounds. Therefore, we sit down at the beginning of the year, the beginning of the month, or the beginning of the week to set aside a generous portion of God's daily bread for His work in the Church.

We don't do this simply because He has commanded us so to do; it is because we, as His children by grace, want to emulate His generosity in our own lives. He is our Father; we are His children. And children want to be like their parents.

## Christmas Card Collection

Judy Ricca will once again be partnering with local nursing homes and hospitals this Christmas to spread a little Christmas cheer by delivering Christmas cards to shut-ins. Please help by donating blank Christmas and holiday cards with envelopes (please, no mass cards or donation type cards) - all cards can be dropped off in her mailbox or in the church office. We will notify everyone when we select a date for our card-writing party. Thank you for your generosity!

## Volunteers Needed

I have been a member of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church for only a little over a year and have recently taken on the role of Fundraiser Coordinator. I have learned quickly that even with a small congregation, our church runs numerous fundraising events. I am very appreciative of all the dedicated volunteers that selflessly give their time to work hard and make these events successful.

I ask that each member of the congregation take into consideration 1 Peter 4:10 which states, "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in various forms." Do you have a special talent you can share? Volunteers are needed in many ways. Whether handing out flyers, helping to setup tables, or cleaning up after an event, your help would be greatly appreciated. By giving even just an hour of your time, you can make such a big difference.

Our next fundraising event is a concert featuring The Black Ties on October 28th at 3:00pm. This band performed at our Annual Car Show and consists of members from our own congregation. Volunteers are needed to make this another successful event. Help is needed with setup, selling and taking tickets, grilling food, selling and serving food, and cleanup. Please contact me if you are able to volunteer in any way.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or ideas. I am always open to suggestions and look forward to building many new friendships.

Cindy Bopp  
Fundraiser Coordinator  
4cynthiabopp@gmail.com or (732) 675-2263

## Sip and Paint Party

Join us for a fun evening with friends, wine and painting! Enjoy a night out on Friday November 16, 2018 beginning at 7:00 p.m. You don't even have to travel far - the fun will take place in the Parish Hall of the church. The painting class is BYOB and will last 2-3 hours. \$40 per person includes all the supplies needed to complete a painting. Please register online with Topsy Painting Party at [www.crodillustration.com/tickets](http://www.crodillustration.com/tickets).

## Winter Concert

The Nocturnes Big Band is coming back! They will hold a concert at Prince of Peace on Sunday, Dec. 16, 2018 at 3:00 p.m. They will perform seasonal music, original scores and many favorites from the 40's through the present. All proceeds to benefit church ministries. Suggested donation is \$10.

## Interfaith Neighbors Congregational Monthly Announcement

Interfaith Neighbors helped a great grandmother who had to take custody of her seven year old great grandson. The child's father was killed in an automobile accident. She was living in a senior citizen complex that does not allow children. She was forced to relocate and Interfaith Neighbors helped her with the necessary funds to move into an apartment.

If you would like to help people just like this, you can visit Interfaith Neighbors online at [www.interfaithneighbors.org](http://www.interfaithneighbors.org), or you may send a contribution to 810 Fourth Ave., Asbury Park, NJ 07712. On behalf of the families we serve, thank you for your support!

## From Our Financial Secretary, Cindy Palladino



Hello my wonderful church family! God has truly blessed me with all of you and I have been honored to serve POP for many years in the accounting office. My main "job" is accounts receivables or depositing income. This includes weekly offerings, donations and any payments/reimbursements. Recently, I have been asked about our envelopes and the donation designation that they stand for. Here is a brief description about the envelopes.

- **Current**: To cover the many general expenses that keep our Church running.
- **Missions**: This is where our family reaches out beyond our doors and immediate community to help spread the LOVE and GOOD NEWS of Jesus Christ around the world!
- **Building Fund**: Helps to cover the myriad of repairs and maintenance for our three buildings.
- **Special Envelopes** are also included for our donations during seasonal Holy Days and special occasions throughout the year.

Thanks to all for your many generous contributions to our church family both financially and in all the countless ways you share your time and talents. I love my Prince of Peace family!

As a side interest, I also enjoy hanging the outdoor banners throughout the different seasons. I am always interested in verse ideas to catch the attention of our community and appreciate any ideas from all of you!

Yours In Christ's everlasting love,  
Cindy Palladino

*"In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive'" Act 20:35*

### OCTOBER DEADLINE

If you have an article that you would like placed in the November 2018 newsletter, please email it or drop it off in the church office.

The church email address is  
popchurch@optonline.net.

***The deadline is  
Monday Oct. 22, 2018.***

**The mission of Prince of Peace Lutheran Church is to know Christ and inspire people to be caring instruments of God in spreading Christ's love, with joyous enthusiasm, by word and deed.**

## PROPERS PREVIEWS

*A look at the readings to help you prepare for worship*

### **October 7, 2018**

#### **The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost**

Genesis 2:18-25 Genesis 2 stresses that people are not meant to live in isolation but in a relationship.

Hebrews 2:1-13 Hebrews, an early Christian sermon, emphasizes that Jesus became so fully human that he shared our experience of death.

Mark 10:2-16 Jesus announced and enacted in history the new reality of God's surprising activity.

### **October 14, 2018**

#### **The Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost**

Amos 5:6-7, 10-15 The prophet Amos warns his listeners that fulfilling God's demand for justice brings blessing, while corruption and evil bring curse.

Hebrews 3:12-19 Encourage one another daily.

Mark 10:17-22 Jesus has been teaching his disciples about what is most valued in God's eyes.

### **October 21, 2018**

#### **The Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost**

Ecclesiastes 5:10-20 Whoever loves money never has enough.

Hebrews 4:1-13 The letter to the Hebrews teaches that God knows all our failings and understands our struggles.

Mark 10:23-31 Jesus has been teaching his disciples about what is most valued in God's eyes.

### **October 28, 2018**

#### **Reformation Sunday**

Revelation 14:6-7 The gospel is going out to the four corners of the earth.

Romans 3:19-28 The goodness God demands, He gives, by grace through faith.

John 8:31-36 Jesus has come to give freedom to those enslaved by sin.

## THOSE WHO SERVE

### ASSISTING MINISTERS

10/7 TBD  
10/14 TBD  
10/21 TBD  
10/28 TBD

Brandon Chornobroff will be the Elder at the 8:00 a.m. services

Lynne Berghoff will be the Lector on the first Sunday of each month.

Denise Abdul-Malak, Head Elder, 732-406-1531, schedules Assisting Ministers

### ALTAR GUILD

Lisa Tess, Elba Hillis and Anne McDonnell

Lisa Tess, 732-905-0687, is Directress of the Altar Guild. Members serve for one month on a rotating basis.

### OCTOBER USHERS

Lynne Berghoff, Brian Tess, Luke Marsicano

### ALTAR FLOWERS

Please place \$25 per bouquet in a Flower Fund Envelope (which can be found in the Flower Book) and place it in the offering plate. There is a maximum of three bouquets on the altar each week.

### ACOLYTES

Acolytes for the month of October have not been scheduled as of yet.

