



2026-2027 Time, Talents, and Interest Survey

Household Last Name(s): _____

First Name(s): _____

Contact phone number(s): _____

Email Address(es): _____

Worship Assistants (please complete sections 1 and 2)

1) Indicate which season(s) are best for you to serve:

_____ Fall (Sept, Oct, Nov)

_____ Winter (Dec, Jan, Feb)

_____ Spring (Mar, Apr, May)

_____ Summer (June, July, Aug)

_____ Note Seasonal Considerations (i.e., "I'm out of town January-March") _____

2) Indicate which position(s) you would like serve:

_____ Communion Assistant(s)

_____ Usher(s)

_____ Funeral Usher(s)

_____ Sunday Fellowship Hosting

_____ Lector—List Lector Name(s) _____

_____ Greeter(s)

_____ Nursery Attendant (High School Students or Adults)

Children's Ministry

_____ Teach Sunday School

_____ Sunday School Substitute

_____ Assist with the Christmas Program

_____ Volunteer for VBS (June, 2027)

Youth Ministry

_____ Confirmation Class Small Group Guide (Wednesdays) _____ Confirmation Mentor

Music/Arts

_____ Sing in the Peace Choir

_____ Vocalist or Cantor

_____ Assist with special choir(s)

_____ Play an Instrument in Worship (Solo, Small Group) What instrument(s): _____

Helping Others

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| _____ Co-lead The Stocking Project | _____ Participate in The Stocking Project
(procuring items; packing gift bags) |
| _____ Help with the LWR Baby Care Kit Initiative | _____ Babysitting during special events |
| _____ Drive someone to/from church or Older Adult Lunch | _____ Help with Older Adult Lunches (cook, serve, help clean up, provide transportation) |
| _____ Providing transportation to/from an appointment | |
| _____ Preparing meals to be delivered | _____ Delivering prepared meals |
| _____ Preparing food for events or funerals | _____ Funeral assistance (prep, serving, clean-up) |
| _____ Quarterly Peace Kitchen Organization | _____ Help valet park cars for older adults (winter only) |

Miscellaneous

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| _____ Building and Property Care (Grounds/Gardening) | _____ Snow Shoveling |
| _____ Photography | _____ Scrapbooking Peace Activities |
| _____ General Carpentry | _____ Help prepare <i>Partners</i> for mailing |
| _____ Quilting (Tying quilts, not sewing or hand stitching quilts) | _____ A/V Technician |

Other Expertise

Do you have other expertise or experience that could help Peace? Or other interests or gifts that you'd like to share? Please list.

Serve on a Committee

Below is a list and description of the current committees. If you are interested in getting a phone call from a current member of any of these committees, please write the name of the person(s) interested on the line in following the committee name.

Service & Mission _____

Leaders: Joanne Vance and Kris Holm

Purpose: Our Ministry serves and supports both small- and large-scale projects of local, national, and international ministries responding to human needs. We are the hands and feet of Christ and “doing” as Christ would have us do.

Meets: Monthly

Racial Justice _____

Leaders: Michelle Stockinger and Holly Long (looking for a third leader)

Purpose: The purpose of this committee is to work along side the larger church is addressing issues of racial justice. *“Scripture calls us, as part of our Christian response, to walk in solidarity with people of color, because standing in silence sanctions continued injustice and violence.” – from the Minneapolis Area Synod Resolution Addressing Racial Injustice (RC2016-01).*

Meets: TBD

Worship and Music _____

Leader: Gayle Haugen

Purpose: To give input to the Senior Pastor and Worship Director regarding all aspects of worship. These aspects include, but are not limited to: service assistants, sanctuary decoration, music, liturgy, worship styles, bulletins, services times. Gather input and feedback from the congregation with regard to worship, music, and the worship experience at Peace.

Meets: As needed

Fellowship _____

Leader: Denise Thoen

Purpose: The committee is responsible to set up fellowship events for adults. Examples include plays, concerts and educational events. Will serve as a support to the Children, Youth and Family Committee, as needed, for their fellowship activities.

Meets: At least quarterly and as needed

Children, Youth and Family _____

Leader: Angela Tschida

Purpose: To support the mission, vision and values of Peace Lutheran Church by providing a vibrant, extensive program that engages, teaches, mentors, and entertains our children and youth in a wholesome Christian environment, from preschool through young adulthood. Youth participate in a network of relational groups that are based on common interests, supported by adult lay leadership, and committed to spiritual support. The common links for all ages are large group activities and common worship experiences. Children’s ministry is characterized by strong parental involvement.

Meets: Monthly

Altar Guild

Leaders: Betty Hansen and Kim Myhre

Purpose: The guild's responsibilities include decorating the sanctuary and church to appropriately reflect the seasons and festivals of the church.

Meets: As needed

Technology

Leaders: Jim Thomson, Lori Thomson

Purpose: To provide guidance, oversight, and advice to the Council and staff with regard to technology at Peace.

Meets: As needed

Finance

Leader: Kris Henderson

Purpose: To provide financial guidance, oversight, and advice to the Peace Church Council, the Pastor and the Administrator.

Meets: At least quarterly and as needed

Facility

Outdoor Leader: Andy Stockinger; Indoor Leader: Lori Thomson

Purpose: To manage building and grounds issues and modifications.

Meets: As needed

Adult Education

Leader: Lori Thomson

Purpose: The committee is responsible to set up content and speakers for the Adult Education Hour after service. And to consider short term educational opportunities (i.e. small study groups) when appropriate.

Meets: As needed

Please also keep in mind and consider serving on the following Committees that are required by our Constitution. Member are recruited for these committees in the fall of the year. If you are open to serving, please write your name on the line next to the committee name.

Council

Members serve three-year terms. The council meets once each month, usually on the third Tuesday evening.

Nominating Committee

The committee meets once each year before the Annual Meeting to review potential candidates for Church Council, the Auditing Committee and the Nominating. The term of service is one year.

Audit Committee

The Auditing Committee meets each year before the Annual Meeting to examine the financial records for the previous year, and to report any issues to the Church Council and congregation. The members serve three-year terms; usually each year one member moves off the committee and a new member joins.