

**All Saints  
Sunday  
November 5, 2017**



**Weekly  
Messenger**

## **POP Community News!**

### **Healing Prayers Around the Altar- November 5<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>.**

You are invited to the holy experience of healing prayer. Join us at the altar after worship and we will pray with you about anything on your mind. This is an especially good time to bring the concerns of your family and friends to be prayed for.

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Help Prince of Peace win (*cash prize for POP*) the PTO Brew Battle with our "Toasted POP Tart", at O.H.S.O-Arcadia. See insert for more details.

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12:00 p.m. Boy Scouts, Merit Badge  
12:15 p.m. Confirmation 7-8<sup>th</sup> G

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6:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Meeting  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts T6

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9:00 a.m. Preschool Chapel  
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9:00 a.m. Preschool JAM  
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7:00 p.m. Scouts

### **Thursday, November 9**

9:00 a.m. Firm Believers exercise, R 12  
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### **Friday, November 10-Veterans Day**

Pre-School Closed, care available  
8:30 a.m. Sew and Tie, R 14

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6:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting, Choir R

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***A long time member of Prince of Peace, Connie Westby, took up residence in heaven on November 4, 2017. Our sympathy and condolences are expressed to the entire Westby family and friends.***

A memorial service for Connie was held at Prince of Peace Church on Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup>.

***I want to thank everyone who reached out to me with prayers and cards when my son Michael suddenly passed away. It meant a lot to me. Jean Harney***

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*Sunday, December 3rd, Troop 6 Boy Scout Troop will be selling fresh Christmas Wreaths after the service in front of Gangsei Hall- \$20.00 per wreath.*

### **Conference Gathering - All POP Members invited!**

**From Grand Canyon Synod Bishop Lowell Almen:**

Only one more of the nine conference gatherings is yet to take place - and that one will occur on December 2 at New Covenant Lutheran Church in Scottsdale from 9 -11 a.m. In each gathering, we began with a prayer service, a contemplative time to reflect on and pray about our discernment in calling the sixth Bishop of the Grand Canyon Synod. Then information has been offered on the substantial changes that have occurred throughout the past dozen years for this synod, our whole church, and indeed all churches. Finally, participants gathered in groups to discuss some key questions. Each group reported the results of their conversation. Those results are being compiled and will provide key information for the Synod Site Profile to be prepared early next year. Paul Gryniewicz, as synodical vice president, and Mary Beth Baron, as chair of the Bishop's Election Committee, have coordinated that step in our deliberations. We conclude our time together with prayer. I thank all who have contributed to these gatherings thus far and are planning to do so on December 2. Your presence and deep engagement have been significant for our journey together into the coming year.

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2. Wednesday Morning – Meets November 29 @ 9:30am in the choir room

### **FMSC Christmas Ornaments For Sale Starts Today!**

Prince of Peace Church and Prince of Peace Preschool are partnering to support FMSC this Christmas! Each ornament you buy provides 45 life-saving Feed My Starving Children meals and helps to build sustainable communities in Uganda, Africa! If you buy 8 ornaments, you will provide enough funds to feed a child for an entire year! Each ornament is \$20. They make excellent gifts!

Purchase yours after church or in the church office starting today. Cash or Check only.

### **Compassion Central Ministry Meeting-November 27th.**

***Next Meeting is Monday, November 27th at 5:45p.m. (Church Office Conference Room)***

If you would like to join the team or would like to be visited, please contact Pastor Rick.

### **Conference Gathering - All POP Members invited!**

**From Grand Canyon Synod Bishop Lowell Almen:**

Only one more of the nine conference gatherings is yet to take place - and that one will occur on December 2 at New Covenant Lutheran Church in Scottsdale from 9 -11 a.m. In each gathering, we began with a prayer service, a contemplative time to reflect on and pray about our discernment in calling the sixth Bishop of the Grand Canyon Synod. Then information has been offered on the substantial changes that have occurred throughout the past dozen years for this synod, our whole church, and indeed all churches. Finally, participants gathered in groups to discuss some key questions. Each group reported the results of their conversation. Those results are being compiled and will provide key information for the Synod Site Profile to be prepared early next year. Paul Gryniewicz, as synodical vice president, and Mary Beth Baron, as chair of the Bishop's Election Committee, have coordinated that step in our deliberations. We conclude our time together with prayer. I thank all who have contributed to these gatherings thus far and are planning to do so on December 2. Your presence and deep engagement have been significant for our journey together into the coming year.

### **Coming up in December!**

#### **Lefse Fundraiser-December 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

Lutheran Campus Ministry at Arizona State University will be selling home-made pieces of lefse for \$10/bag. (Each bag contains 6). Proceeds go towards Lutheran Campus Ministries.

**Youth Fellowship Pancake Breakfast- Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup> after worship.**

**AMA Music Recital – December 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>.**

**Children's Christmas Program – December 17<sup>th</sup> during worship.**

#### **Christmas Eve Services- December 24, 2017:**

4:00 pm- Family Christmas Eve Service

7:00 pm- Candlelight Christmas Eve Service

9:00 pm – Candlelight Communion Christmas Eve Service

***This week at Prince of Peace***

**Sunday, November 26**

9:00 a.m. C.h.i.L.L. Youth Group, R 18  
9:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
10:45 a.m. Fellowship, Gangsei Hall  
11:30 a.m. Bells Rehearsals, Choir R  
2:00 p.m. Bells Rehearsals, Choir R

**Monday, November 27**

5:45 p.m. Compassion Central, Conference R  
6:00 p.m. Bible Study, Choir R  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts Meeting

**Tuesday, November 28**

9:00 a.m. Preschool Chapel  
9:00 a.m. Firm Believers exercise, R 12  
10:00 a.m. Library Meeting  
1:00 p.m. Knitting Group, Conference R

**Wednesday, November 29**

9:00 a.m. Preschool JAM  
9:30 a.m. Bible Study

**Thursday, November 30**

9:00 a.m. Preschool JAM  
9:00 a.m. Firm Believers exercise, R 12

**Friday, December 1**

8:30 a.m. Sew and Tie, R 14

**Saturday, December 2**

8:00 a.m. Boy Scouts T6  
9:00 a.m. Quilters, R 14

**Sunday, December 3**

9:00 a.m. C.h.i.L.L. Youth Group, R 18  
9:30 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School, Sanctuary  
10:45 a.m. Fellowship, Gangsei Hall  
10:45 a.m. Connect 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth  
11:30 a.m. Bells Rehearsals, Choir R  
12:15 p.m. Confirmation 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> G  
2:00 p.m. Bells Rehearsals, Choir R

**Assisting in Worship**

<b>Altar Guild</b>	Anita Thorne	Ruth Stone
<b>Lector</b>	Josh Hoffner	
<b>Ushers</b>	Martha Weld Anita Thorne	Jean Harney Bill Dobson
<b>Greeters</b>	Claire Green	Larry Green
<b>Communion Servers</b>	Carrie Goodman Sue Shaffer	Jan Beebe
<b>Youth Worship Leader</b>	Kaylin and Madison Sherrill	

*Sign up for your special dates at the church office or online!  
Lots of dates available in November/December!*

*The 2017 Flower chart is **online** under the 'Contact POP' page on POP's website ([www.poppheoenix.org](http://www.poppheoenix.org)).*

**Partnering in Prayer**

Wes Edgar	Jacob Staudenmaier	Kay McCartney
Michael Darland	Carol Jensen	Shirley Wilgus
Steve Edgar	Kathy Kaiser	Daniel Wallace
Kathy Good	Heather Shea	Carol Kauffman
Patricia Shea	Eric Phillips	Jerry Koeppen
Marian Ricklick		

*You may see some keyless door locks popping up around campus as we upgrade and prepare for rekeying. Please contact Maria at the church office if you need access to one of the areas. She will provide you a code to enter.*

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*AMA is hiring! If you teach (or know someone who teaches) piano, guitar or voice, please apply at [ama@poppheoenix.org](mailto:ama@poppheoenix.org), attention: Maria or Keri.*

**WELCOME TO PRINCE OF PEACE**

**WORSHIP at Prince of Peace**, an ELCA Lutheran congregation, is a time for each of us, gathered in community, to meet our living Lord Jesus. We extend an invitation to all who believe in Jesus Christ to commune when we celebrate Holy Communion. If you are **searching for a church home**, please know you are welcome at Prince of Peace. Return and let's worship together often.

- ❖ **SUNDAY SCHOOL** for children age 4- 6<sup>th</sup> grades is available every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. during the school year.
- ❖ **6-12TH GRADE YOUTH AND FAMILIES** -- Grow in faith and in community through fun, fellowship, service, and more! For a full schedule, visit our website or see Audrey Cox.
- ❖ **CHILDREN are always welcome in worship.** Activity bags are available for young worshippers at the center entrance to the sanctuary. If you are in need of assistance for children through the age of three, a staffed nursery is available from 9:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in Room 16 in the Education Building.
- ❖ **COMMUNION NEEDS:** Gluten-free bread and grape juice are available. If you desire to receive communion in the pew, please notify an usher.
- ❖ **PRAYER REQUESTS:** Please write down your concern and place it in the offering plate or prayer box and indicate if the name can be published in this newsletter or just shared with our prayer warriors through the Prayer Chain.
- ❖ **HOSPITAL CALLS:** Please call Pastor Rick directly at 408.472.0529 or contact the church office to let us know if you or a family member is hospitalized or for a pastoral visit during rehab in a care center or at home.
- ❖ **PASTORAL CARE:** If you are seeking help with baptisms, weddings, memorial services or seek pastoral counseling, please contact Pastor Rick Sherrill at 408.472.0529 or the church office directly.
- ❖ **PASTOR OFFICE HOURS: By appointment.** Pastor Rick, cell: 408.472.0529, email: [pastorrick@poppheoenix.org](mailto:pastorrick@poppheoenix.org).
- ❖ **MONTHLY NEWSLETTER:** To receive your monthly newsletter by e-mail, go online to [www.poppheoenix.org](http://www.poppheoenix.org) and sign up by going to the Current Happenings tab, then the Monthly Newsletters tab, or call the church office for help.
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