THE BIBLICAL WORD AS REFLECTED BY PRINCE OF PEACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Mission

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Our Values



Our Moment in Time

"Now that you know all these things, you will be blessed if you do them."

Our Mission

The mission of Prince of Peace is to inspire followers of Jesus Christ through service, spiritual growth, and hospitality.

As he [Jesus] walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew, his brother, casting a net into the lake – for they were fishermen. And he said to them, "Follow me, and I will make you fish for people." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.

Matthew 4:18-22



Our Vision

Our vision is to be an engaged congregation growing in Christian mission.

[The man] asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.' Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?"" He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him. "Go and do likewise."

Luke 10:29-37



Our Values Reflect the GRACE of God

For by grace you have been saved through faith and this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God. Ephesians 2:8

GIVING OF OURSELVES WHILE. . .

I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.

Matthew 25:35-36

Respecting Others

In everything do to others as you would have them do to you, for this is the law and the prophets.

Matthew 7:12

APPRECIATING OTHERS

I give you a new commandment, that you should love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.

John 13:34-35

CELEBRATING OTHERS

We always give thanks to God for all of you and mention you in our prayers, constantly.

I Thessalonians 1:2

ENERGIZING OTHERS

You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hidden. No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket, but on the lampstand and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

Matthew 5:14-16

Six Elements of Our Vision

SERVICE TO OTHERS – ESPECIALLY THE HUNGRY AND THE POOR

Then Jesus called his disciples to him and said, "I have compassion for the crowd, because they have been with me now for three days and have nothing to eat; and I do not want to send them away hungry, for they might faint on the way."

Matthew 15:32

Then Jesus looked up at his disciples and said, "Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God. Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled."

Luke 6:20-21

A LASTING LEGACY THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received.

1 Peter 4:10

MEANINGFUL WORSHIP

Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Tell of God's salvation from day to day. Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all peoples. Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him. Worship the Lord in holy splendor, tremble before him all the earth.

1 Chronicles 16:23-24, 29-30a

... AND EDUCATION

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may discern what is the will of God – what is good and acceptable and perfect.

Romans 12:2

THRIVING AND VIBRANT WITH A FOCUS ON YOUTH

This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Psalm 118:24

INVITING AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT

I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord."

Psalm 122:1

OPERATIONAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL EXCELLENCE

Now as you excel in everything – in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you – so we want you to excel also in this generous undertaking.

II Corinthians 8:7







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