

# Peace Ev. Lutheran Church

Central Avenue at 171st Place

Oak Forest, Illinois 60452

Rev. David T. Mensing, Pastor

## Laetare

March 31, 2019

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*Hymn 340: "Awake, My Soul, to Joyful Lays"*

*Opening Liturgy – Order of Service, Hymnal, p. 5ff.*

*The Epistle Lesson: Galatians 4:21-31*

*The Gospel Lesson: John 6:1-15*

*The Apostles' Creed (Hymnal, p. 12)*

*Hymn 425: "All Depends on Our Possessing"*

*The Sermon: Standard Gospel Text: John 6:1-15*

*Theme: Do You Want Jesus to be YOUR King?*

*I. Then don't limit your confidence to what your experience might expect;*

*II. But rely solely upon His boundless mercy for all your needs; and*

*III. See in Him the gracious Provider specially for your spiritual welfare.*

*The Offering "to probe the sincerity of your love." (II Cor. 8:8)*

*The General Prayer, an Intercession, and the Lord's Prayer*

*Hymn 361: "O Jesus, King Most Wonderful!"*

*Collect for the Church*

*Congregation: "Amen."*

*The Benediction of the Lord*

*Congregation: "Amen, Amen, Amen!"*

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## Announcements for the Week

*For spiritual care during the week, particularly in case of serious illness or urgency, please call Pastor Mensing, either at his **study** here at church, (708) 532-4288, at **home** at the parsonage, (708) 532-9035, or on his **cell phone**, (708) 601-3943.*

***VISITORS** are always welcome to attend our services. Please register in our Guest Book, and leave also your address and telephone number if you would like our Pastor to contact you further. And please come again!*

**TODAY, March 31st** —Immediately following the service, **Announcement for Holy Communion** by our "remote" members.

### Our Pastor's Schedule this week:

**9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.**, the Pastor's general "**Office Hours.**" Unless he is running an errand, attending a meeting elsewhere, making a pastoral call at a hospital or nursing home, or is at lunch, he will normally be "on site." However, if you need to see him in person, it always pays to call first.

### In addition...

**Monday, April 1st**  
4:00 p.m., **Confirmation Class** (Jonah & Aaron)  
6:00 p.m., **Confirmation Class** (Nathan)  
7:00 p.m., **Confirmation Class** (Samuel)

**Tuesday, April 2nd** NO Scheduled Classes or Meetings

**Wednesday, April 3rd** **7:00 p.m.**, our **Midweek Lenten Service** on the overall theme: "**Behold the Lamb of God!**"

**Thursday, April 4th**  
11:00 a.m., **Confirmation Class** (Nathan)  
12:00 p.m., **Confirmation Class** (Samuel)  
4:00 p.m., **Confirmation Class** (Jonah & Aaron)

**Friday, April 5th** 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., **Communion Announcement**

**Saturday, April 6th** **Pastor's Preparation Time** for Sunday; also for special meetings and such consultations as are of an urgent nature. Please call ahead if possible.

**Next Sunday, April 7th**

## Judica

— 8:30 a.m., **Sunday School** and **Adult Bible Class** for all.

—10:00 a.m., **The Divine Worship Service** also for all, with **Holy Communion** for our members who announced.