

There is a beautiful strength in the way our church and school families interlace during life's most difficult moments. We see it in the quiet prayers, the shared meals, and the way we show up for one another without being asked.

As the Robinson family navigates the heartbreaking loss of their son, our community has become a circle of literal and spiritual support around them. This same spirit of care has extended to our staff, acknowledging the sorrow we all share as a school family.

Watching this community surround the Robinsons with such unwavering love serves as a profound reminder of what it means to truly belong to one another.

Blessings,

Jenae Sieberth, Director  
Peace With Christ Early Learning Center

## WAYS TO GIVE

### Give Online:

- **Simply Giving:** Set up recurring electronic giving by scanning the QR code.
- **Venmo:** Give your offerings and tithes through the Venmo app. Search for @PWC-Lutheran and add "general fund" to the note.



### Give In-Person:

- **Cash or Check:** Place your offering in the collection plate.
- **Mail:** Mail your check to Peace With Christ, 3290 S. Tower Rd., Aurora, CO 80013

## PRAYER

- **Prayer Wall:** Write your prayer on a card and place it in the wall located in the church lobby. You can also scan the QR code to submit electronically.
- **Prayer Chain:** Email your prayer request to Sandy Peterson at pray4pwc@pwclc.org.
- **Private Requests:** For confidential prayer requests for Pastor Josh only, email him directly at joshkrepel@pwclc.org.

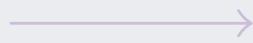


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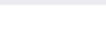
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## PEACE WITH CHRIST

### LUTHERAN CHURCH

Pastor Josh Krepel

January 18, 2026

### LOVE YOUR ENEMIES

Jesus says what no one expects: love your enemies, pray for those who hurt you, and bless those who curse you. This is the radical, upside-down love of God.

### Readings:

Romans 12:14-21  
Luke 6:27-36

### Traditional Hymns:

#869 With the Lord Begin Your Task  
#664 Fight the Good Fight  
#547 The Lamb  
#922 Go, My Children, With My Blessing

### Divine Service I (p151)

### Modern Songs:

Raise a Hallelujah  
Hallelujah Here Below  
Same God  
Death Was Arrested  
Breathe

SUNDAY WORSHIP IN PERSON & ONLINE ON FACEBOOK & YOUTUBE

8 AM/TRADITIONAL LITURGY, HYMNS & ORGAN  
9:15 AM/SUNDAY MORNING CONNECT EDUCATION HOUR  
10:15 AM/MODERN SERVICE, MODERN MUSIC/BAND



# WELCOME!

We hope you find Peace With Christ to be a blessing. We invite you and your family to return and worship with us again soon!

Join our community! Scan the QR code to sign up and receive a welcome message from Pastor Josh.



Kids are welcome! Join us for a family-friendly worship experience. We offer "busy bags" and children's Bibles to keep little ones entertained.



We invite you to join us for fellowship before and after each service. Enjoy complimentary coffee, tea, baked goods, and fruit.



Join us at 9:15 am for our Bible study classes ("Sunday Classes" section). All are welcome! You can also join any of our ongoing small groups/studies ("Ongoing Small Groups/Studies" section) throughout the week.

## NEW TO PEACE?

### DISCOVER PEACE AND BECOME A PART OF OUR FAITH FAMILY

**DISCOVER:** If you're new to Peace With Christ, this relaxed dinner is a simple way to meet our team, hear our story, and take a first step into our faith family. **Next date: April 12, 2026 at 12 noon.**

**FOUNDATIONS:** Foundations is a two-week experience that introduces what we believe and why it matters. If you're exploring faith or returning to church, this is a great starting point. **Next class begins January 18, 2026 at 9:15 am.**

**CONNECT CLASS:** If you're ready to find your place here, Pastor Josh invites you to this four-week experience where he will help you understand our mission, values and where your gifts fit in the life of Peace With Christ. **Next class begins February 1, 2026 at 9:15 am.**



Simply scan the QR code for further class information and to register for any/all of the experiences listed above.



**LEADERSHIP SUMMIT:** Leadership Summit 2 is a space to reconnect with the heart of leadership at Peace With Christ. We'll reflect on our shared mission, values, and calling—and encourage one another as we lead with humility, clarity, and purpose. **Next date: January 22, 2026 at 6 pm. Registration is now open!**



### SUBSPASH GIVING UPDATE

We are moving our giving platform from Vanco to Subsplash to continue our goal of communicating better with you. This transition will make it easier to give and easier to keep track of your giving. **Toni McPeek, our church accountant, will be available after service on Sunday, Jan 25, to help you close your old account and set up your new one.** Thank you for your patience and generosity during this transition!

## SUNDAY CLASSES

ALL CLASSES START AT 9:15 AM UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

- **ADULT EDUCATION BIBLE STUDY (Gospel of Luke)** / Room 22
- **ADULT EDUCATION BIBLE STUDY (Truth Rising)** / Room 23 @8:30am
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL (pre-K through 5<sup>th</sup> grade)** / Chapel
- **MS CONFIRMATION** / Room 10
- **HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP @4 pm**

### ONGOING SMALL GROUPS / STUDIES

- **Men's Breakfast & Bible Study:** 1st & 3rd Saturdays @ 7 am (Lobby)
- **Women's Bible Study:** Every Friday @ 9 am (Youth Room)
- **Grandmas' Prayer Group:** 1st Sunday of the Month @ 8:15 am (Room 20)
- **The MOMCo (Moms of Preschoolers):** 1st & 3rd Wednesdays, 6-8 pm (Chapel). *All moms from pregnancy to high school graduation are welcome!*
- **Peace in Prayer Meeting:** Every Tuesday @ 6 pm (Youth Room)
- **The Table: Young Professionals Ministry:** Every Thursday @ 6:30 pm. Contact Thomas 303-501-0504 or Courtney 720-724-6710 for more info.
- **Refuge Nights (Middle School Youth Group):** Every other Friday @ 6-7:30pm

## IN THE NEWS

### LEADERSHIP STARTS AT HOME: A NEW 4-PART SERIES

Leadership is shaped in everyday moments—around the table and in the choices parents make each day. Join us for a monthly series featuring local leaders sharing honest insights on parenting without adding "to-dos" to your list. It's a space for grace, hard conversations, and community. **Join us Jan 26, Feb 23, March 30, and April 27 from 6-8 pm.** Dinner and childcare are provided! **Scan QR code to register.**



### COMMUNITY PRAYER FOCUS

Join us in praying weekly for our community. This week, our prayers are specifically for Vassar Elementary School, Dairy Queen, Sonic Drive In, Colorado Community Church, and the residents of E. Eldorado Circle, S. Quintero Way, and S. Bahama Street.

### YOU SPOKE, WE LISTENED: SURVEY SNAPSHOT #6

Each week, we'll highlight one key theme from your survey feedback and share how it's helping us build a stronger, more connected PWC. **This week's snapshot:** We heard excitement about generations serving and worshiping together. We're creating more shared spaces for all ages—partner with us by reaching across generations and building relationships that strengthen our faith family.

### BE PART OF THE CONVERSATION: PEACE TOWN HALL MEETING

We would love for you to join us for our upcoming Town Hall gatherings! These meetings are held just twice a year and serve as a special time for our church family to come together, share important ministry updates, and engage in open Q&A. Most importantly, it's an opportunity to pause and celebrate how God is moving at Peace. Whether you've been here for decades or are brand new, your voice and presence are a vital part of our community. We can't wait to see you there! **The next meeting will take place on February 22, 2026, at 11:45 am.**

### THIS WEEK ON JESUS-CENTRIC LIFE PODCAST:

**Episode 93** In this episode, we welcome special guest Emma Turnbull to help us explore "the benches" in our lives – those moments of joy, pain, waiting, or growth that shape who we are. It's about learning to sit with others in their hard places instead of trying to fix or rush them. From a child's fear to a friend's disappointment, love often looks like presence, not solutions. Discover how Jesus models this compassionate presence and how we can trust God's work on every bench we find ourselves on. **Listen on your favorite podcast platform.**

