



# Tidings

*Love God - Follow Jesus - Invite All*

## March Celebration of PoP 65th Anniversary



The event sponsored by the Board of Evangelism on February 5 was so inspiring and it felt great giving back to each other and the community with words of hope and encouragement!

Coming up on **March 11** is the next event to celebrate PoP's 65th Anniversary. The Board of Youth will sponsor the event. We will have fun with games for all ages and a Cornerstones of our Faith Family Scavenger Hunt that will test your knowledge. To keep inspiration in your daily lives, you will get an inspiration mini note pad perfect for all ages. If you need an idea how to make meaningful use of this note pad, try writing words of gratitude daily for one month. This could be a nice activity to add to your Lenten routine this month. Everyone is invited, all ages.

The event on Saturday, March 11 will be an open house from 1:00p to 4:00p in the Fellowship Hall. We hope to see you there! Don't forget to sign in and receive your giveaway item.

Click this link to find out about the [monthly celebratory events](#), including our big April Celebration next month, or visit [www.princeofpeace.net](http://www.princeofpeace.net).

## Lenten Events

Beginning Wednesday, March 1<sup>st</sup> and continuing for the next four Wednesdays, Lenten Events will be held beginning at 6 p.m. We will begin each evening with a meal at 6:00 p.m. along with the popular dessert competitions. You may sign up to bring one of the suggested food items for each night. At 6:45 p.m. there will be a variety of activities, crafts and other studies for all ages. Donations at mealtime will help cover the cost of additional meal costs and craft supplies. Profits from the dessert competitions will benefit various charities. Each evening will end with a worship service beginning at 7:40 p.m. in the worship center using the Holden Evening Prayer Service. The evening will end at 8:00 p.m.

As we continue Prince of Peace's association with **Exodus World Service**, the adult Bible study will focus on *Dialogues on the Refugee Crisis*. Books are available for \$11. Please contact Karen Wagner, [wagner@princeofpeace.net](mailto:wagner@princeofpeace.net), if you are interested in purchasing a copy.

All are invited to attend and bring children to participate in projects that are designed to help families of all ages grow in their faith. These activities need the cooperation and participation of both adults and children.

The detailed schedule is included in the printed Tidings. Click [here](#) for the Lenten Schedule.

**DIALOGUES**  
— ON —  
**THE REFUGEE CRISIS**

# Pastor's Perspective

*by Pastor Erin Clausen (she/her)*



February 22 is Ash Wednesday this year, a day marked by awareness of our mortality and hope in God's grace as we mark our foreheads with ashes in the sign of the cross. This ritual begins the season of Lent, the season of the church year that invites us into a repentance that leads to new life, mirroring the journey toward the cross and Easter. The ashes remind us of mortality and death. They remind us of how little we have control over, and that everything we know will have an ending. At the same time, the symbol of the cross on our forehead reminds us of baptism, as we were marked with the cross of Christ and sealed with the Holy Spirit. In baptism, we die to our old self and then are raised to new life in Christ. For Christians, death is always tied to new life, and new life is always tied to death. The promise of the resurrection is sure. Yet resurrection always requires death first.

As living beings, we experience death as threat. When the world shifts around us, our anxiety spikes. We react, often strongly. Sometimes we lash out as in anger; sometimes we try to pacify everything in an attempt to return to the status quo. Sometimes we try to hide from the world; sometimes we attempt to control everything around us. The invitation to Lent spoken on Ash Wednesday reminds us that "we are created for communion with God, to love one another, and to live in harmony with creation." This invitation reminds us that Lent is intended not for self-flagellation, but for grace. The season intends to remind us of our place in God's world – small and also beloved; relatively powerless and also coworkers with God; hurt and causing hurt and also healed to share healing with the world.

One word people of faith use to describe death or endings is "apocalypse." Popular culture has modified this word to suggest that it means only "the end of the world." Actually, apocalypse means an unveiling or revealing of how things actually are. We experience death as an apocalypse because it reminds us – often suddenly – of our own mortality and ability to feel pain. We experience the loss of a job as an apocalypse because it unveils our powerlessness and reliance on our community for basic survival. As Christians, we experience the cross as an apocalypse because it reveals God's true nature of overcoming hatred and death with steadfast love and justice.

As we enter into this season together, we invite God into the apocalypses in our own lives. In the Wednesday Lenten events, the truth of what it means to be a refugee will be unveiled. In weekly worship, God's intentions for human community will be revealed. In our daily living, we will continue to face our own brokenness and hurt, the fear of death and challenges of community. In each of these moments, this season invites us to practice encountering apocalypse as people of faith. When the world becomes unsteady and anxiety spikes, when an ending comes or death becomes too close, Lent suggests we practice returning to the promise of our baptism. The promise that God's hope is sure. The promise that we are, indeed, marked with the cross of Christ and sealed with the Holy Spirit. In that promise, we find our hope, our peace, and our courage to keep sharing the love and justice of God with all the world.

## Congratulations to Mark Burkhardt!

Recently, our Mark Burkhardt received the Manlove-Howells Leadership Award at the annual conference of Lutheran Outdoor Ministries in Boise, Idaho. This lifetime achievement award recognizes individuals who demonstrated outstanding leadership over an extended time period.

Mark worked for the ELCA (Evangelical Lutheran Church of America) Church Wide Organization for 42 years and retired two years ago from the ELCA's Faith Formation Team. His passion was serving as the former Director of Outdoor Ministries. He traveled extensively to various camp sites and retreat properties across the country, ensuring they remain healthy, well regulated, focused, and always accountable to the church synods and bishops. His role enveloped teaching and team work.

Mark loves the out of doors, nature, young people, always an advocate of those who work with the youth.

During his acceptance speech, Mark acknowledged his partners in ministry, his mentors, their worship experiences together, and gratitude to God for the joy and blessing to serve. First and foremost, he thanked his wife Louise of almost 40 years for keeping the home fires burning that included their two children, Sarah and Brian. Mark would call home every night during his travels. (Grace note: Mark and Louise met at a Lutheran summer camp; he as the director, she as the camp nurse.)

So, kudos to Mark for this esteemed, well-deserved honor! Now it is time to rest and pursue other interests and callings!



## Chicago Fire's Chris Mueller To Visit Prince of Peace Lutheran Church

Schaumburg native and current member of Major League Soccer's (MLS) Chicago Fire, Chris Mueller, will be speaking at church on **Thursday, February 23 at 7:00 pm**. A former childhood member of PoP, Chris will be sharing highlights about his dream and journey toward playing professional soccer. A riveting story of a kid who made the choice to tune out the noise and bet on himself. To go against the grain and ignore the odds. A story of resilience, perseverance, and determination.

Mueller had a successful four-year soccer career at the University of Wisconsin. He was an All-Big Ten First Team selection in 2016 and 2017 and was named 2017 Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year after leading the nation with 20 assists and posting 9 goals in 21 appearances. The Badgers defeated Indiana to capture the Big Ten title in 2017.

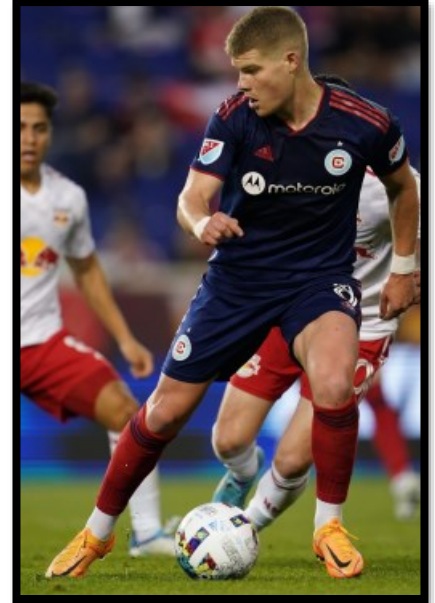
He was a Second Team All-American in 2017 and Third Team All-American in 2016 becoming the first two-time All-American in University of Wisconsin history.

Mueller was then selected by Orlando City SC as the 6<sup>th</sup> overall pick in the 2018 MLS SuperDraft. After a successful inaugural season, he was Runner-Up for the 2018 MLS Rookie of the Year Award. Mueller played four seasons with Orlando City SC before briefly transferring his talents to the Scottish Premier League's Hibernian FC in early 2022. Within this period, he was also called up to play a couple of games for the U.S. Men's National Team in 2020-21.

Mueller was then acquired by the Chicago Fire in May 2022, where he made an immediate positive impact, and is thrilled to be back home extending his professional soccer career while under contract through 2025.

He has also written a book entitled, **Bet On Yourself – How To Build Unshakable Confidence, Tune Out The Noise, and Rise To The Occasion**. All proceeds from the sale of the book go towards helping people around the world learn how to read.

Please call the Prince of Peace Lutheran Church office at 847-885-7010 as **reservations are required** to attend this special event, as space is limited.



### Board of Evangelism

*by Terri Lamberti*

#### Thanks (*again*) for the LOVE!

Thanks to everyone who completed Valentine's cards for the residents of Alden Poplar Creek. The 223 cards, artworks and Valentine's messages were awesome! Your kind and caring words will brighten the day for the residents and staff.

The Board of Evangelism (BOE) appreciates everything you have done to help with this project. We hope to do more projects like this in the future; please let us know if there are any special causes you would like the BOE to include in a Day of Service.





## Music Notes...

by Scott Uddenberg

*"Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love." - Psalm 51:1*

Lent is a time of contradictions. It's a time of the church year reserved for reflection. A time to remember our baptism. A time to recall Jesus' sacrifice. A time to realize human limitation; the truth that sin and death are our destiny. Dark thoughts that can have us pray in anguish, "have mercy!" The words we recall on Ash Wednesday are, "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return." These are thoughts of finality.

Yet, Lent is also the time of beginning and renewal. The season when days begin to lengthen. The earth transforms and begins regrowth. We reflect on the promise of our baptism and how through water we are born anew and cleansed by the Holy Spirit. We are reminded that God who is present in our lives is a God who loves us and is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love. These are promises of life and hope.

Our annual Lenten journey begins anew with Ash Wednesday worship on February 22nd at 7:30pm. Throughout our 40-day journey we have two times a week we can gather in community and worship our God together: Sundays at 9:45am with Holy Communion and Wednesday evenings with dinner and study beginning at 6:00pm and worship at 7:40pm with Holden evening prayer. We gather at these times not because we must, or that God demands this of us, or that we owe it to someone, but because WE need it. It helps us to answer the questions, fills the holes in our souls, feeds the hunger within, and makes us aware we are not alone in our journey. Come share in community with us.

Musical gifts are still needed. If you can raise your voice or instrument in a song of praise, let me know. There are plenty of opportunities to share those gifts on Wednesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, or Sundays. Come be a part of raising awareness of the Spirit.

## An Answer for Everything

There are several ways that I have spent the period of Lent through growing up in the church, and my short stint in the Episcopal Church in Cleveland: giving up pizza every year seemed insufferable, especially at birthday parties. The Episcopal church gave up certain attitudes instead of coffee, chocolate or wine. For example, worry is something that Jesus says is not necessary, since God always provides. But every single human worries about something every day; there is just no getting around that. Allowing yourself to let go and let God do it was a bigger struggle than avoiding pizza for forty days.

I would like to think that Jesus did a lot of self exploration during his time of temptation. In shunning the devil, Jesus ultimately reinforced to his human side his identity as being the Messiah. If Jesus had fallen to the devil's temptations, who knows where the story would have led.

If only it took forty days to figure out exactly who you are. Imagine how much easier navigating life would be if the question of identity was already answered! There would be fewer mistakes, do overs, break ups, doubts, lack of self-confidence; this list could go on and on and on.

I hope to explore these possibilities with the youth during Lent. It is usually easier to analyze someone other than yourself to find answers. Jesus always had, and still has, an answer for everything.

Blessings, Emily Uddenberg



# Stephen Ministry Big Announcement

by Janet Ichida



*"Learn to revere the Lord his God."* **Deuteronomy 14:23b**

I am thrilled to be the first to announce that I am pregnant. (*That is totally not true, but I wanted to get your attention! Hold on! I have to go pick Bob off the floor!*) We are finally having a class for new Stephen Ministers. Our numbers are dwindling with folks moving away and some health concerns, so we want you to join us in this vital ministry which serves our congregation. What a perfect addition to our 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, for Stephen Ministry has long been a pinnacle of serving others.

While you are mulling that question around, like me check to see if you have any of these requirements in your current life scheme.

- ◇ Your age is somewhere between 18 and 97.
- ◇ You wonder what the letters A, B and C have to do with Stephen Ministry.
- ◇ You are curious if I talk about my grandkids as much in person as I do in these articles.
- ◇ (*You did know I was a grandma, didn't you?*)
- ◇ You wonder what it would be like to be paid in monthly snacks.
- ◇ The Tuesday belly dancing class is full and you want to try something new.
- ◇ You claim you are bored more often than middle schoolers.
- ◇ You would love to get one of those cool blue pins that the Stephen Ministers wear.
- ◇ You want to know if active listening is when you eavesdrop while running down Higgins.
- ◇ You want to be in the first class taught in tandem with Tom Pfeiffer.

Let me give you a little more information which will hopefully have you doing cartwheels through your family room in your newfound excitement.

- ◆ The class will begin this September.
- ◆ It will be held on Tuesday evenings.
- ◆ There will be two retreats – no overnights though.
- ◆ You will meet for a grand total of 50 hours that will go by very quickly.
- ◆ You will be part of a special group with whom your heart will bind before you know it.
- ◆ Classes will meet in person and taught by the leaders listed below. (*And maybe Pastor Erin too!*)
- ◆ You will truly be walking side-by-side with Jesus.
- ◆ We need YOU!

Please pray about it. Call up one of the Stephen Leaders or any of the Stephen Ministers listed on our board in the Fellowship Hall. This class will DEFINITELY occur even if we just have one person sign up. This is a GO!

Linda Heisel	Janet Ichida	Pam Johnson	Tom Pfeiffer	Mary Simonis
(312) 209-2869	(630) 307-8336	(847) 382-7521	(847) 882-0770	(847) 571-2541

In the past, some people have been worried about asking for a Stephen Minister while we train. Our team still has multiple trained lay persons who are waiting to be assigned today just for you. Please call up a leader if we can be of any service to you!



## Early Childhood Programs at Prince of Peace

*By Michelle Heberling*

Thank you for your support with our McTeacher Night at McDonalds! What a fun night!

Save the Date for our Spring basket fundraiser - "POP into Spring" - April 29. We are in the works of putting together some wonderful baskets. We are inviting the community to join us for a fun fair type of event with fun and games.

Registration for the 2023-2024 school year is underway. If you know anyone looking for a wonderful program for their preschooler, please send them our way. Email [pre-school@princeofpeace.net](mailto:pre-school@princeofpeace.net) or call 847-885-7036 to schedule a tour.



### Mark your calendars!

Prince of Peace's **2023 Vacation Bible School** will take place **June 26th to 30th, 9am-12pm**. This year's theme is Stellar, Shine Jesus' Light. Launch kids on a cosmic quest where they'll have a blast shining Jesus' light to the world. Stellar rockets kids on an out-of-this-world adventure that's light years of faith-building fun. VBS is a fun, faith-filled program for children in preschool through 4th grade. Older youth and adult volunteers are also needed to help make the program a success. More information will be out soon. Feel free to contact Julia Schuetze at [vbs@PrinceOfPeace.net](mailto:vbs@PrinceOfPeace.net). We hope to see you there!

## Children and Family Ministry News

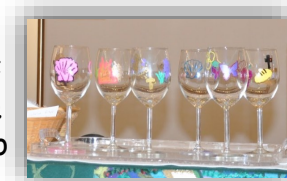
*by Karen Wagner*

### Lenten Activities for Families

Lenten Events will once again feature activities for families. These activities will be held from 6:45 to 7:30 pm on Wednesdays, March 1 - 29 in classrooms 208 and 210. Parents are asked to attend with their children. A detailed schedule is included in this Tidings. Contact Karen Wagner at [wagner@princeofpeace.net](mailto:wagner@princeofpeace.net) with questions

### First Instructed Communion Retreat for 3<sup>rd</sup> Graders

Third graders and their parents are invited to attend classes at Prince of Peace on Saturday, March 18 from 9:00 until 11:30 am. We will learn more about the Sacrament of Holy Communion and prepare a personal chalice to use when receiving communion. The children will then receive communion during the regular worship service on Sunday, March 19 at the 9:45 am service. Registration will take place in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, February 26<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am. More information has been mailed to families. If you have questions or have an older elementary student who would like to attend this retreat, please contact Karen Wagner, [wagner@princeofpeace.net](mailto:wagner@princeofpeace.net).



**4th Grade Retreat:** The 4th Grade Retreat will take place at church on Saturday, March 4 from 8:30 am to 2:00 pm. Information has been mailed to families. For more information, contact Karen Wagner, [wagner@princeofpeace.net](mailto:wagner@princeofpeace.net).

## Meet the Youth of Prince of Peace

### Get to know Lucas Bending

Lucas is a freshman at Schaumburg High School. His favorite class is Business Applications. Lucas is a goalie for one of the Chiefs hockey teams from District 211. A few weekends ago, his hockey team won a tournament in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Hockey is a strong interest for Lucas. He has played since he was 5 years old, starting out with the Hoffman Estates Park District, and playing with the Northwest Chargers and the Highland Park Falcons. Often, Lucas and his dedicated mom would Zoom into 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade Wednesday night Confirmation lessons from the car on the ride home from Highland Park! Mom would drive and Lucas was in the darkened back seat, and he would participate in discussions and learn along with the rest of us. In the future, Lucas would love to be a professional hockey player. His plan B is to have a career in Finance.

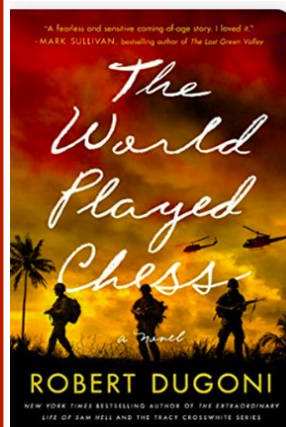
During his free time, Lucas enjoys video games, including Horizon 5. Lucas and his older brother, Connor, like to play frisbee golf, or Frolf, together. Lucas likes to play Monopoly with his family, especially because he always wins! Perhaps that is where his interest in Finance comes from. Lucas is looking forward to spending time at his grandparents' cabin on Prairie Lake in Wisconsin, where he and his brother like to fish. Lucas is even allowed to drive the pontoon boat there.

Lucas fondly recalls the Sunday School opening sessions before classes held in the Great Room. These were fun times from when he was a young child. Lucas is participating in Emerge and preparing for his Affirmation of Baptism this spring. His fellow Confirmation students and leaders enjoy his insights and ideas.



## Prince of Peace Book Club meets March 31, 2023

by Kathy Tweeten



Our next book we'll be discussing is And The World Played Chess by Robert Dugoni. This is "A riveting story of boys becoming men and the risks they take along the way," — The Library Journal. We'll be meeting in the Fellowship Hall at 10 AM, March 31, 2023.

In 1979, Vincent Bianco has just graduated high school. His only desire: collect a little beer money and enjoy his final summer before college. So he lands a job as a laborer on a construction crew. Working alongside two Vietnam vets, one suffering from PTSD, Vincent gets the education of a lifetime. Now forty years later, with his own son leaving for college, the lessons of that summer –

Vincent's last taste of innocence and first taste of real life – dramatically unfold in a novel about breaking away, shaping a life, and seeking one's own destiny.

Any questions please call Kathy Tweeten at 847-971-0192 or email at [kat8@aol.com](mailto:kat8@aol.com).





## PADS Update - March 2023



Prince of Peace will continue to provide healthy meal boxes to homeless guests housed in area hotels through the winter months. Look for sign up dates in the weekly emails sent out to the congregation.

Our church is still partnering with First Presbyterian of Arlington Heights, a Tuesday night PADS site. They will be offering a sign up online for kitchen and serving help, registration volunteers, first, second and third shift help and possible laundry and clean up assistance. There is much flexibility in how often or how long a volunteer would want to serve and seasoned volunteers will be on hand to help any new people learn about this vital ministry to the homeless.

All Saints Lutheran Church in Palatine has also reached out to us for volunteers. They are a Saturday night site which might make it easier for people to volunteer there instead of a weeknight.

Journeys has moved staff into their new building and hope to start providing services and over-night shelter soon after the ribbon cutting ceremony in May.

The community has really stepped up in providing donations so far this year. Lou Malnati's donated 30 pizzas and Guzman y Gomez donated 50 burritos! Local organizations have also provided winter coats and bicycles, so the new year is starting out very hopeful for homeless clients to access help from Journeys. Anyone interested in more information can get in touch with Bonnie Wagner at 630-220-1034 or [bbonsai@icloud.com](mailto:bbonsai@icloud.com).

### "But Lent"

*Shared by Pastor Erin.*

I would love to become  
the kind of person  
who makes sure the dishes  
are done  
every night  
so she can wake up  
in the morning  
to the peaceful welcome  
of a clean kitchen.

I would love to become  
the kind of person  
who replies to every email  
the same day it arrives  
and keeps a neat,  
nearly empty  
inbox.

I would love to become  
the kind of person  
who never picks  
at her cuticles  
or bites  
at her lips  
or chews  
at the insides  
of her cheeks

until the dentist  
gives her a lecture about it.

But Lent  
is not for trying  
to become someone  
I am not.  
It is for honoring  
the person  
I already am.  
My wholeness.  
My integrity.  
My belovedness.

And so,  
in this holy season,  
I will not strive  
for self-improvement.  
I will not seek  
to create new habits  
or to break  
the old ones.  
I will not squeeze myself  
into impossible expectations  
guaranteed to leave me angry  
and disappointed  
when I fail.

Instead,  
I will do nothing  
but breathe,  
receiving the quiet gift  
of every inhale  
and every exhale,  
receiving it even  
when I am too busy  
or distracted  
to notice.

Somehow,  
God is present  
in the breath,  
in the breathing.

And from time to time,  
if I simply  
stop  
trying,  
I may be given  
the grace  
of knowing it.

*Copyright Rev. Diana Carroll  
February 20, 2021*

## Schaumburg Township Food Pantry Items Needed February - March 2023

There are not as many items on the list this time, but the need is actually greater. The pantry served 922 households in December – a 28% increase from last year with a 25% drop in donations. Please try to donate as you can. A little or a lot can make a big difference for our community. Thank you to all who continue to support this very important mission.



### Non-food Needs

Personal hygiene products  
Laundry soap  
Adult diapers  
Household cleaners  
Baby products

### Shelf Stable Needs

Canned chili  
Canned beans – any kind  
Beef stew  
Baked beans  
Canned chicken  
Spam  
Non-dairy milk

Cooking oil  
Condiments  
Tomato products – sauce + paste  
Flour  
Sugar  
Pancake mix and syrup

### DEAF MINISTRY FUNDRAISER EVENT:

## Prince of Peace Night Out at the Hockey Game!



## Rockford IceHogs

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## Chicago Wolves



**Saturday April 1, 2023 at 7PM at All State Arena in Rosemont**  
*Bring your family, friends, or neighbors to a fun-filled heated rivalry hockey game!*

A  
\$6 portion of the  
ticket cost will go  
towards PoP's Deaf  
Ministry Funding!

## \$23.50 PER TICKET



*Tickets can be  
ordered online up  
to the day before the  
game by ordering  
through QR code link or  
enter the web address  
shown below!*

**<https://fevo.me/princeofpeacefundraiser>**

For any questions, please e-mail Nathan Zastoupil: [zastman@hotmail.com](mailto:zastman@hotmail.com)



## Second Saturday Date Night

March 11, 2023 @ Pollyanna



Thank you Madelyn and Rick for hosting the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Valentine's BUNCO! It was well attended and so much fun! March date night shenanigans will take place at the Roselle Pollyanna location. We will gather there for local brews (or wine!). Pollyanna has a great atmosphere and interesting beers. We can order in food from nearby restaurants. Please RSVP to Jim and Jill Wilkins via text 847-754-7657 or email [jwilkinsx2@gmail.com](mailto:jwilkinsx2@gmail.com).

## Fleeing for your Life

What would you do if you had only a day to collect everything you needed for your family and leave your home, probably to never see it again? It's really hard to comprehend what this would be like. What do you take? Do you take food, water, clothing? How much can you carry?

On May 6, **Exodus World Services** will bring an evacuation simulation to Prince of Peace so we can better understand what refugees go through to get to safety.

This simulation will last for 1.5 – 3 hours and will be guided by facilitators from Exodus World Services. In this simulated exercise you will be engaged physically and emotionally. It is designed to build dialogue and empathy for those refugees we will soon be welcoming to our neighborhood. Beginning in April there will be an opportunity to sign up both online and in person to participate. Light refreshments will be served.

# EXODUS

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### Adult Learning Opportunities

(Meeting locations may change)

**Passages** After Lent, meetings will resume on the 1st & 3rd Thursday evenings of the month at 6:30 p.m. Contact Karen Wagner at [wagner@princeofpeace.net](mailto:wagner@princeofpeace.net) for questions.

**Touchstone** will continue to meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month in person, rm 213 at 7pm. We are studying Max Lucado-Ten Women of the Bible. Cherie Bachman- [cbutterflye40@hotmail.com](mailto:cbutterflye40@hotmail.com), text or call- 623-776-5969.

**Men's Bible Study Group** meets on Mondays at 7:00 p.m. in Room 213 and virtually via Zoom. For the Zoom link contact Tom Pfeifer at [jets820@comcast.net](mailto:jets820@comcast.net).

**Rebekah Circle** - meets through Zoom, the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 1:30PM. Please contact [Elaine Scholtes](#) or [Pam Johnson](#) for meeting information.

Please contact the church office at 847/885-7010 for more information.



### Prince of Peace Mission Statement

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### Upcoming Events

March 4 - 4th Grade Retreat  
March 11 - Bd of Youth Game Day (*all invited*)  
March 18 - 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Communion Retreat  
April 1 - Deaf Ministry Wolves Game  
April 23, 2023 - 65th Anniversary Event  
June 26 - 30 - Vacation Bible School



### Worship Schedule:

Sundays, 9:45am  
Sunday School, 9:00 am (in person only)  
Also available via Livestream on Facebook  
Prince of Peace Lutheran Church of Schaumburg  
Services posted on our YouTube channel after Livestream:  
Prince of Peace Lutheran Church Schaumburg

### Prince of Peace Staff – Here to Serve!

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**Editorial Note: The April 2023 Tidings deadline is  
Monday, March 13, 2022 at Noon.**

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