



## Peace Lutheran Church

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Your child(ren) and their friends and neighbors are invited to participate in Luther Road Bible Day Camp at Peace Lutheran Church. Luther Road 2018 runs from Sunday, July 8<sup>th</sup> through Thursday, July 12<sup>th</sup>. The purpose of Luther Road Day Camp is to help children grow in Christian faith. Going away to a church camp for a whole week can be rather expensive, so Peace Lutheran has endeavored to bring the camp experience to the kids in Connersville—for free. The key to this day camp experience is the leadership of college-aged staff members from Lutheran Outdoor Ministry of Indiana and Kentucky (LOMIK). They bring a contagious enthusiasm for sharing their love of God, plus the kids benefit from their special gifts of music, art, games, outdoor activities, and Bible study. In addition to these young men and women, adult supervision of campers will also be provided by members of the church.

The theme of the 2018 Luther Road Bible study is *This Changes Everything*. Through this experience, day-campers are given the opportunity to experience how the life-changing love of God in Christ—grace—changes everything. Sin and death, which held humanity captive, have been defeated. This love that God has for us and for all creation changes everything about our world, creating a new community of followers of Jesus Christ who reflect that love of God for the world. Through a series of five Bible stories, campers will learn to recognize this change present in their hearts, identity, purpose, community, and perspective. They will show how their lives have been changed by that grace, and practice showing God's life-changing love to others.

The day camp experience begins on Sunday – July 8th, with camp activities for all ages from 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. The evening ends with a free ice cream social for campers and their families at 6:00 p.m.

Day camp for 4 year-olds through those entering kindergarten continues Monday – Thursday, and is a half-day experience from 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Our youngest campers will learn the Bible theme and daily story through age-appropriate activities, songs, crafts, and games. A morning snack is included. There is no charge for participants.

Day camp for students entering grades 1-6 continues Monday – Thursday, and is a full day experience from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Each morning begins with fun songs, Bible study, crafts, and themed activities. The day camp experience includes water day, all-camp games, “camp-fire” songs and stories, and lots of time to build new friendships. The day includes lunch and two snacks, all at no charge to participants.

If you would like your child(ren) to participate in this year’s Luther Road Bible Day Camp experience, **please fill out the enclosed registration/liability release form and return it to Peace Lutheran Church at the address above by Monday – July 2<sup>nd</sup>.** Your friends and neighbors are welcome too, so feel free to make copies of the enclosed form, download/print additional copies from Peace Lutheran Church’s Facebook page or our website, or contact the church for additional copies. Email your questions or leave a voicemail message and we will get back to you quickly.

We hope to see you at camp this year!

Sincerely,

*Pastor Norm*

Rev. Norman E. Dew  
Pastor



## ***THIS CHANGES EVERYTHING***

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)