

# PEACE PIPELINE

*Our Motto: "This is the place where love reigns supreme,  
God's love to us and our love to one another."*

NOVEMBER 2010

## From the Desk of the Pastor November 2010 50th Church Anniversary: 1960-2010 The Year of Jubilee and Kingdom Building

Happy Jubilee Anniversary Peace! On Sunday, November 21, 2010, at 10:30am we will gather with family and friends to celebrate and give thanks to God Almighty for 50 years of His amazing grace in this place among us for five decades as His people. To God be the glory!

Although the official beginning of Peace as we know it today started in 1960, God planted the vision for a mission and ministry in Northeast Washington, DC many years prior in Rev. William Schiebel, pastor of Mt. Olivet Lutheran Church, Washington, DC. Rev. Schiebel saw the people of God in Ward Seven and beyond needing the good news of the gospel to enrich and empower their lives for eternal salvation and daily living. God brought this vision to reality through the efforts of then mission developer Rev. Herbert Schwandt and lay leaders who united their hearts, minds, and spirits as good stewards to accomplish God's will for His people.

In Leviticus 25, God directed his servant Moses to direct the people of Israel to consecrate, to dedicate, and to set-apart the fiftieth year as a time of jubilee to proclaim liberty to all the people of the land. To "proclaim liberty" is to spread "good news" that is liberating and empowering for God's people. Throughout the month of November leading up to the anniversary worship service, we are setting-apart and dedicating specific dates and times for us to gather as the people of God to share and receive the liberating word, the good news of God's word, the gospel. I ask all members and friends of Peace to take your November calendar and make plans to be present for the culminating events that are listed below:

### **50th Anniversary Revival Worship Services**

Wednesdays – November 3, 10, and 17

Dinner: 6:30pm to 7:15pm

Revival worship: 7:30pm

Location: Hughes Memorial UMC

25 53rd Street, NE

Washington, DC

### **50th Anniversary Fellowship Fish Fry**

Friday, November 19, 6:30pm

Place: to be announced

### **50th Anniversary Reunion Choir Concert**

Saturday, November 13, 4:00pm

Location: St. Paul Church

6611 Walker Mill Road

Capitol Heights, MD

*"Consecrate the fiftieth year and proclaim liberty throughout the land to all its inhabitants. It shall be a jubilee for you; each one of you is to return to his family property and each to his own clan."*

Leviticus 25:10 NIV

### **50th Anniversary Jubilee Banquet**

Banquet speaker: Rev. Dr. Timothy Boddie, Pastor  
Friendship Baptist Church, Atlanta, GA

Saturday, November 20, 2:00pm

Location: Camelot (at Evangel Cathedral)

13901 Central Avenue

Upper Marlboro, MD 20774

### **50th Anniversary Worship Service of Thanksgiving and Praise**

Guest preacher: Rev. Dr. Victor Belton, Pastor

Peace Lutheran Church, Decatur, GA

Sunday, November 21

Sunday School: 9:00am to 10:00am

Anniversary Worship: 10:30am

Location: Arts and Technology Academy

5300 Blaine Street, NE

Washington, DC

You are invited to all of the above events. We are expecting God to bless us at each event in two ways. Number one, we will be able to "look back" and thank Him for everything that He has done for us over the past 50 years. We will actively reflect in various ways the grace and goodness of God that has been present with us each step of the way. And secondly, we will "look forward" believing that just as God gave Rev. Schiebel a vision for mission and ministry in the early part of the last century, that God will through the above 50th anniversary events and worship experiences speak to our hearts once again, inspiring us to move forth with the boldness and conviction that just as He was with us the past 50 years He is now ready to go forth with us into the next 50 years as we continue to share and "proclaim liberty" that is needed now just as it was in the 1960s.

To God be the glory!

*Pastor Wiggins*

## Pastoral Call

Our Pastor has received a "Call" to become the Pastor of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Jacksonville, FL. Please pray for our congregation, St. Paul, Jacksonville, FL and Pastor Wiggins as he discerns God's will regarding the decision to accept the Call to Jacksonville, FL or to continue as the undershepherd of Peace Lutheran Church, Washington, DC. If you have any questions or thoughts to share with Pastor Wiggins, please call him at 202-398-5503. In all things may God's will be done.

## Renovation and Remodeling Begins at Peace Lutheran Church

On Tuesday, October 12, 2010, the remodeling and renovation began at our church facility. Some of the work involves the removal of all asbestos material from the ceiling throughout the facility, and the replacement of the flat roof and the floor in the Fellowship Hall. The facility will be wired for the use of modern technology that will be used on Sunday and throughout the week. **During the month of November we will be hosting our Sunday worship services at the Arts and Technology Academy, 5300 Blaine Street, NE, Washington, DC 20019. Sunday School at 9:00am and worship at 10:30am.** We thank the members of our Procurement Team led by Shirley Shorter, for their ministry efforts to facilitate all that is being done. We hope to be back at 15 49th Place, NE by the end of November.

*Pastor Wiggins*

## Nominating Committee Now Accepting Nominations for PLC Officers and Positions

The Nominating Committee is seeking communicant members for the following positions: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Assistant Treasurer, Secretary, Assistant Secretary, Financial Secretary, Assistant Financial Secretary, Board of Discipleship Ministry Members (four elected members), and Elders. Criteria and qualifications for self-consideration are available upon request. The committee will be accepting nominations until November 30, 2010. The election will take place at the December Congregation Meeting. Please contact Lynda Bowles, Joann Mobley, or Romaine Peters for further information.

*Submitted by Lynda S. Bowles, Vice President and Chair of the Nominating Committee*

## Girl Scouts Kick-Off

The Girl Scouts are back! Girls from Kindergarten to 3rd grade are welcome to join, experience new skills, earn awards, community service, learn cooking skills, and learn what scouting is all about. Come and join Troop 2311 Association 44-3. Contact **Miss Renee Powell on 202 399-1747**. REMEMBER, WE DON'T JUST SELL COOKIES!!!! OUR MOTTO IS "ALWAYS BE PREPARED".

*Submitted by Renee Powell, Troop Leader*

## Words of Appreciation From the PLC 13th Annual Community Day & Health Fair Coordinator

I would like to thank Thrivent Financial for their generous donations toward the purchase of back packs and school supplies.

I would also like to express my sincere gratitude and appreciation to everyone who assisted, supported, and/or contributed in anyway (big or small) with our 2010 Community Day and Health Fair on Saturday, September 25, 2010, i.e. planning, coordinating, donating (money, food, back packs, school supplies, clothes and/or household items, gifts, etc.), answering phone calls, assembling back packs and school supplies, cooking, setting-up, singing, musicians, processing payments, cleaning-up, games, arts & crafts, face painting, health fair, sponsorship, time, running errands, meeting, greeting and fellowshiping with the community, etc.

Thank You & God Bless,

*Wanda Freeman*

*2010 PLC Community Day and Health Fair  
Coordinator*

## Senior News

Salvation Army and Safeway Annual A Feast of Sharing  
Thanksgiving Luncheon

Wednesday, November 24, 2010

Washington Convention Center

Hall D- 801 Mt. Vernon Place NW

9:30 am – 2:30 pm

All are invited, no invitation necessary

D.C. Senior Citizens Holiday Celebration

Wednesday, December 8, 2010

DC Armory

2001 East Capitol Street SE

Washington, D.C. 20003

10 am – 2 pm

D.C. Senior Citizens (persons 60 yrs+) only

Call 202-724-5626 after October 16 for tickets

## SICK AND SHUT INS

Please remember our members below in prayer and send them a card:



**Ferneshia Crawford**  
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**Olivia Dixon**  
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**Elijah Dozier**  
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Forestville, MD 20747

**Willie Mae Fennell**  
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**Kay Jackson**  
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Odenton, MD 21113

**John Smith**  
5864 Southern Avenue, SE  
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### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO . . .

Yvonne Brown	1	Kristin Goins	12	Ralph Waters	22
Karen Cary	1	Virginia Horne	13	Fernesia Crawford	23
Nigel Coley	1	Robert Newton, Sr.	13	Cecil Mobley	25
Jonathan Wiggins	1	Regina Alexander	13	Herbert Files	26
Jonee Newell	1	Dupree Graham	14	Rodney Brown	27
Nico Hines	2	Asia Bernard	14	Jonathan Bolder	28
Carl McKinney	3	Corinthian Bernard	15	Janet Hall	29
Denitra Hawkins	3	Ava Illiana Blue	15	Loretta Woodruff	30
Gabriel Durphy	5	Marcus Doakes	15	Michael Ross	30
Da'Shanta' Valentine	5	Marcus Ross	16	Diane Adams	30
Alex Brown	5	Sherry Edmonds	18		
Gail Jackson	6	Robert Manuel	20		
Cheryl Boulder	7	Syretha Johnson	20		
DeJuan Valentine	7	Natasha Hawkins	20		
Frank Durphy, Jr.	8	Michael Williams	21		
David Young	9	Joseph Lockhart	21		
Lewis Shorter	11	Jeffrey Edge	22		
Dollie Leacraft	12	Shardell Nelson	22		
James Wiggins III	12	Erin Smith	22		



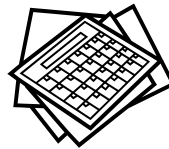
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**Rev. James Wiggins, Jr., Pastor**  
**Cora Boone, Church Administrator**  
**Georgetta Watts, Assistant to the Pastor**  
Sunday School: 9:30 am  
Adult Bible Class: 9:45 am  
Worship Services: 8:00 am and 11:15 am  
Fifth Sunday Unity Service: 11:15 am  
Church Office: (202) 398-5503  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS



**November 2: Election Day**  
**November 7: Daylight Savings Time Ends**  
**November 11: Veterans Day**  
**November 25: Thanksgiving**  
**November 28: First Day of Advent**

**Pipeline Publication Schedule:** Articles for the **December 2010** issue of the Pipeline newsletter are due on **November 14**. Articles may be submitted via e-mail to Jo-Anne Dooley at [jo\\_dooley@yahoo.com](mailto:jo_dooley@yahoo.com).