



Peace Lutheran Church

The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod

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DIVINE SERVICES

Saturday: 3:30 p.m.; Sunday: 8:00, 9:20, and 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Jon C. Furgeson, Senior Pastor, 601-1039

Rev. Robert M. Brown, Associate Pastor, 425-9568

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Burnell L. Hackman, Director of Music Ministry

Christina Stackle, Director of Christian Education

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 4, 2021

CHRIST'S BODY AND BLOOD, for the forgiveness of sins, are truly present in, with, and under the bread and wine in the Sacrament of the Altar. Due to theological differences among Christians regarding beliefs about this Supper, only confirmed members of an LCMS church are invited to the Lord's table. Ask a pastor if you have questions or concerns! Please register your taking of communion on your attendance card.

TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15-10:15a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Sanctuary Hall): led by Pastor Furgeson and Rob Uthoff

Women's Bible Class (Commons Conference Room): led by Janice McCreary

Sunday School: Meet in the Gymnasium

Youth Bible Class (Youth Room): led by Christina Stackle, DCE

THE NEW LADIES CLUB will have their first meeting Tuesday, July 20, at 7:00p.m. in the gym. Ladies Club is a new social organization open to all female members of Peace, 18 and older. Our mission is to encourage and promote church fellowship. Please RSVP by Tuesday, July 13.

ORDINATION SERVICE FOR NATHANIEL JENSEN will be held on Sunday, July 25, at 3:00p.m. in the Peace sanctuary. A reception will follow immediately afterwards in the gymnasium, serving light refreshments including finger foods, drinks, and dessert. Please RSVP for the reception on the Peace website by July 17.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL is July 19-23. Snack donation sign up is at the Commons counter.

NO WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE CLASS THIS WEEK, Wednesday, July 7. Class will resume on Wednesday, July 14.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETERS NEEDED to greet families and help them find classrooms. Greeters would be needed from the end of the 8:00 service until 9:15 when Sunday School begins. Please contact Alexia Arensmeier.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

P = Pastor

* = Stand

C = Congregation

Opening Voluntary

*Hymn of Invocation

God Bless America

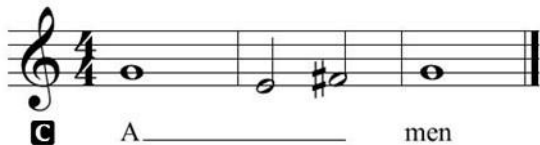
*(Choir: Sunday) While the storm clouds gather far across the sea,
Let us swear allegiance to a land that's free.
Let us all be grateful for a land so fair,
As we raise our voices in a solemn prayer.*

**God bless America, land that I love,
Stand beside her, and guide her
Through the night with a light from above,
From the mountains to the prairies,
To the oceans white with foam,
God bless America, my home sweet home,
God bless America, my home sweet home.**

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

*Invocation

P In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.



*Opening Sentences

I Corinthians 10:12–13; Hebrews 4:15–16

- P** Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall. No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man.
- C** **God is faithful, and He will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.**

- P** For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin.
- C** **Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.**

*Confession of Sins

- P** If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?
C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

Silence for self-examination.

- P** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.
C **I confess to God Almighty, before the whole company of heaven and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned in thought, word, and deed by my fault, by my own fault, by my own most grievous fault; wherefore I pray God Almighty to have mercy on me, forgive me all my sins, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.**

*Absolution



C A _____ men.

*Gloria Patri



C Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Ghost;



as it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

*Kyrie



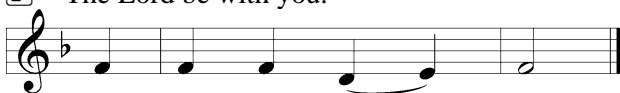
C Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up -



on us. Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

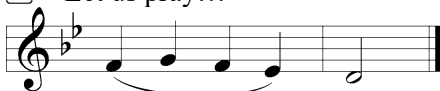
*Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

P Let us pray...



C A - men.

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 2:1–5

¹He said to me, “Son of man, stand on your feet, and I will speak with you.” ²And as he spoke to me, the Spirit entered into me and set me on my feet, and I heard him speaking to me. ³And he said to me, “Son of man, I send you to the people of Israel, to nations of rebels, who have rebelled against me. They and their fathers have transgressed against me to this very day. ⁴The descendants also are impudent and stubborn: I send you to them, and you shall say to them, ‘Thus says the Lord GOD.’ ⁵And whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house) they will know that a prophet has been among them.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Epistle

II Corinthians 12:1–10

¹I must go on boasting. Though there is nothing to be gained by it, I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. ²I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. ³And I know that this man was caught up into paradise—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows— ⁴and he heard things that cannot be told, which man may not utter. ⁵On behalf of this man I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶Though if I should wish to boast, I would not be a fool, for I would be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think more of me than he sees in me or hears from me. ⁷So to keep me from being too elated by the surpassing greatness of the revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to harass me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. ⁹But he said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. ¹⁰For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

***Alleluia**



C Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia.

***Holy Gospel**

Mark 6:1-13

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark, the sixth chapter.



C Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

¹[Jesus] went away from there and came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. ²And on the Sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astonished, saying, “Where did this man get these things? What is the wisdom given to him? How are such mighty works done by his hands? ³Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not his sisters here with us?” And they took offense at him. ⁴And Jesus said to them, “A prophet is not without honor, except in his hometown and among his relatives and in his own household.” ⁵And he could do no mighty work there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and healed them. ⁶And he marveled because of their unbelief.

And he went about among the villages teaching.

⁷And he called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸He charged them to take nothing for their journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in their belts— ⁹but to wear sandals and not put on two tunics. ¹⁰And he said to them, “Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you depart from there. ¹¹And if any place will not receive you and they will not listen to you, when you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.” ¹²So they went out and proclaimed that people should repent. ¹³And they cast out many demons and anointed with oil many who were sick and healed them.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



C Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

***Nicene Creed**

C I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life \dagger of the world to come. Amen.

Hymn of the Day

LSB 966 Before You, Lord, We Bow



1 Be - fore You, Lord, we bow, Our God who reigns a - bove
2 The na - tion You have blest May well Your love de - clare,
4 Earth, hear your Mak - er's voice; Your great Re - deem - er own;



And rules the world be - low, Bound-less in pow'r and love. Our thanks
From foes and fears at rest, Pro - tect - ed by Your care. For this
Be - lieve, o - bey, re - joice, And wor-ship Him a - lone. Cast down



we bring In joy and praise, Our hearts we raise To You, our King!
bright day, For this fair land—Gifts of Your hand—Our thanks we pay.
your pride, Your sin de - plore, And bow be - fore The Cru - ci - fied.

Sermon Notes:

Anthem

If My People Will Pray

Arranged: Keith Christopher

*If My people, which are called by My Name,
Shall humble themselves, shall humble themselves and pray;*

*If My people, which are called by My Name, shall seek
My face and turn from their wicked ways.
Then will I hear from heaven, then will I hear from Heaven,
then will I hear and will forgive, forgive their sin.*

*If My people, which are called by My Name,
Shall humble themselves, shall humble themselves and pray;
I will forgive their sin, I will forgive their sin,
I will forgive their sin and heal their land.*

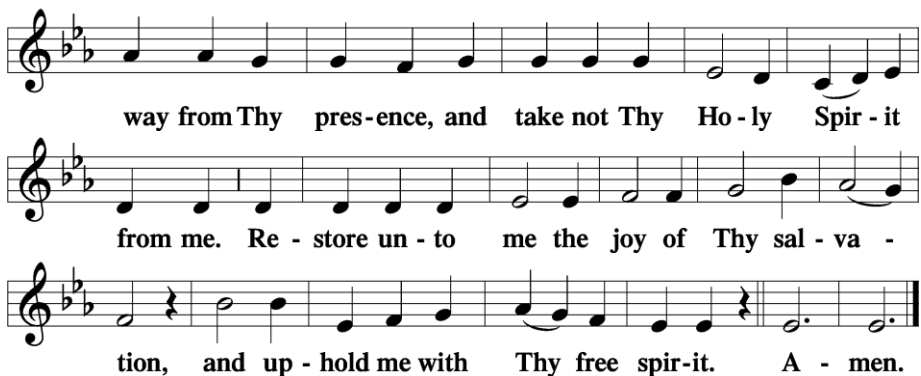
*Hear our prayer, O Lord, Hear our prayer, O Lord;
Incline Thine ear to us, And grant us Thy peace.*

*If my people, which are called by My Name,
Shall humble themselves, shall humble themselves,
shall humble themselves and pray.*

*Offertory

C Cre-ate in me a clean heart, O God, and re -

new a right spir - it with - in me. Cast me not a -



way from Thy pres-ence, and take not Thy Ho-ly Spir-it
 from me. Re-store un-to me the joy of Thy sal-va-
 tion, and up-hold me with Thy free spir-it. A-men.

***Prayer of the Church**

***Lord's Prayer**

C Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Service of the Sacrament

***Preface**

P The Lord be with you.



C And with thy spir - it.

P Lift up your hearts.



C We lift them up un - to the Lord.

P Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.



C It is meet and right so to do.

*Proper Preface

P We should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who, out of love for His fallen creation, humbled Himself by taking on the form of a servant, becoming obedient unto death, even death upon a cross. Risen from the dead, He has freed us from eternal death and given us life everlasting. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and singing:

*Sanctus



G Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord God of Sab - a - oth;
heav'n and earth are full of Thy glo - ry. Ho - san - na,
ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is He,
bless - ed is He, bless - ed is He that com - eth in the name of the Lord.
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

*The Words of Our Lord

*Pax Domini

P The peace of the Lord be with you always.

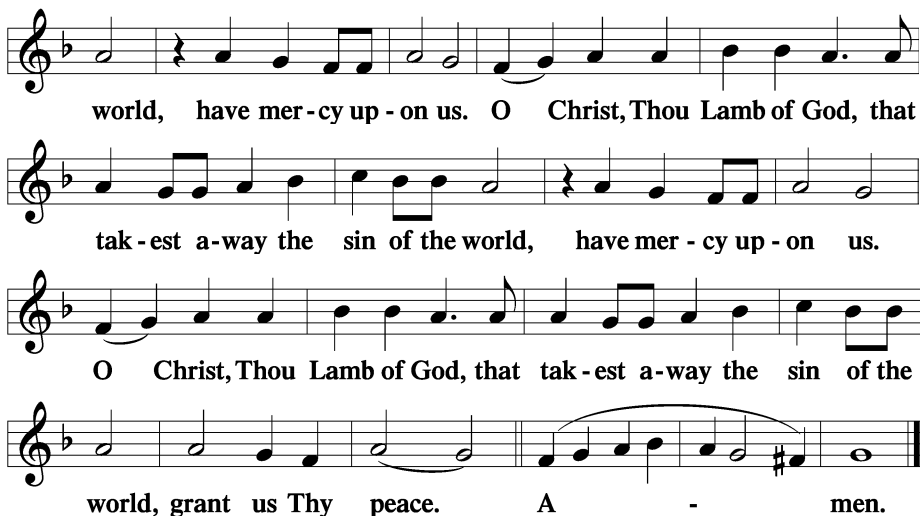


G A - men.

*Agnus Dei



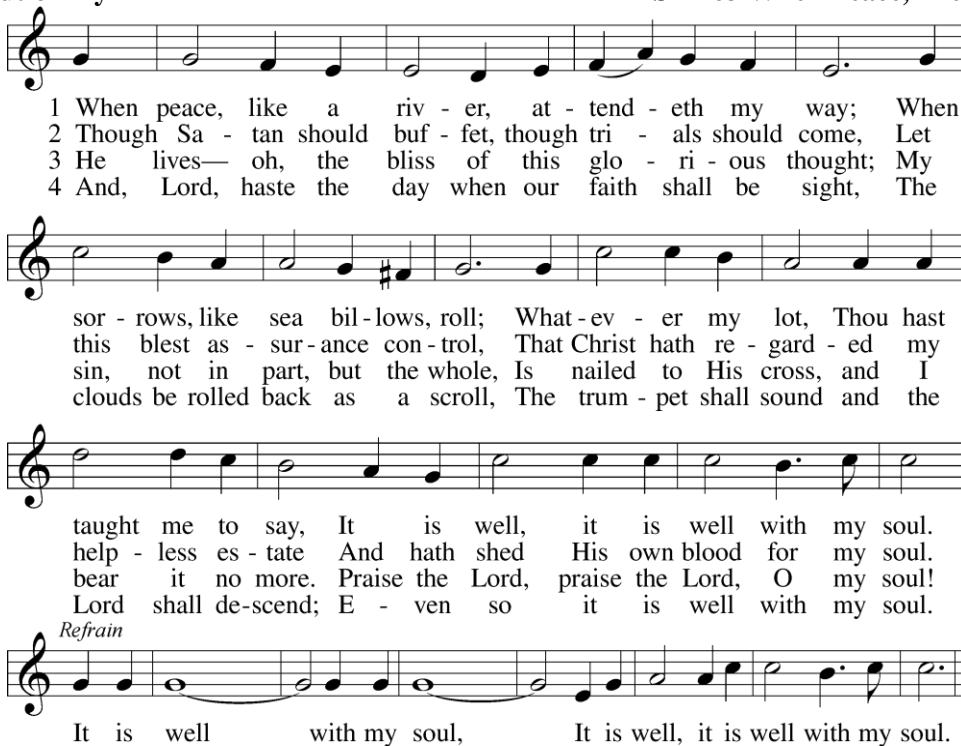
O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak - est a - way the sin of the



world, have mer-cy up-on us. O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that
 tak-est a-way the sin of the world, have mer-cy up-on us.
 O Christ, Thou Lamb of God, that tak-est a-way the sin of the
 world, grant us Thy peace. A - men.

Distribution Hymn

LSB 763 When Peace, like a River



1 When peace, like a riv-er, at-tend-eth my way; When
 2 Though Sa-tan should buf-fet, though tri-als should come, Let
 3 He lives—oh, the bliss of this glo-ri-ous thought; My
 4 And, Lord, haste the day when our faith shall be sight, The
 sor-rows, like sea bil-lows, roll; What-ev-er my lot, Thou hast
 this blest as-sur-ance con-trol, That Christ hath re-gard-ed my
 sin, not in part, but the whole, Is nailed to His cross, and I
 clouds be rolled back as a scroll, The trum-pet shall sound and the
 taught me to say, It is well, it is well with my soul.
 help-less es-tate And hath shed His own blood for my soul.
 bear it no more. Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul!
 Lord shall de-scend; E-ven so it is well with my soul.
Refrain
 It is well with my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.

Distribution Anthem

Eternal Father Strong to Save

Arranged: Jeff Cranfill

Distribution Hymn

LSB 801 How Great Thou Art



1 O Lord my God, when I in awe-some won - der Con - sid - er
2 When through the woods and for - est glades I wan - der, I hear the
3 But when I think that God, His Son not spar - ing, Sent Him to
4 When Christ shall come with shout of ac - cla - ma - tion And take me



all the works Thy hand hath made, I see the stars, I hear the might - y
birds sing sweet - ly in the trees; When I look down from loft - y moun - tain
die, I scarce can take it in— That on the cross my bur - den glad - ly
home, what joy shall fill my heart! Then I shall bow in hum - ble ad - o -



thun - der, Thy pow'r through - out the u - ni - verse dis - played;
gran - deur And hear the brook and feel the gen - tle breeze;
bear - ing He bled and died to take a - way my sin;
ra - tion And there pro - claim: "My God, how great Thou art!"



Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to Thee, How great Thou



art! How great Thou art! Then sings my soul, my Sav - ior God, to



Thee, How great Thou art! How great Thou art!

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*Nunc Dimittis

C Lord, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy word, for mine eyes have seen Thy salvation, which Thou hast prepared before the face of all people, a light to lighten the Gentiles and the glory of Thy people Israel. Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

*The Dismissal

*Thanksgiving

P O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,
C and His mercy endureth forever.

P Let us pray. . .

C A - men.

P The Lord be with you.

C And with thy spir - it.

***Benedicamus**

P Bless we the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

***Benediction**

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
 The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and † give you peace.

C A-men, a-men, a - men.

***Hymn to Depart**

LSB 965 God Bless Our Native Land

1 God bless our na - tive land; Firm may she ev - er stand
 2 So shall our prayers a - rise To God a - bove the skies;

Through storm and night. When the wild tem - pests rave, Rul - er of
 On Him we wait. Thou who art ev - er nigh, Guard - ing with

wind and wave, Do Thou our coun - try save By Thy great might.
 watch - ful eye, To Thee a - loud we cry: God save the state!

***Silent Prayer**

Closing Voluntary

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SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson
Liturgist: Pastor Robert M. Brown
Organist: Burnell Hackman, DMM
Piano: Kendra Ruesler
Choir: Chancel Singers
Choir Director: Burnell Hackman
KFUO 850 AM Broadcaster/Engineer: Jeanette Mattingly/Alan Hopfer

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 4, 2021

Monday, July 5: OFFICE CLOSED – INDEPENDENCE DAY OBSERVED
Tuesday, July 6: 9:00 – Quilters
9:00 – Plastic Mat Making
Wednesday, July 7: 7:00 – Chancel Voices Rehearsal
8:00 – Chancel Singers Rehearsal
Thursday, July 8: 9:00 – Surviving Spouses Breakfast
6:00 – St. Trinity Cemetery Board
7:00 – Second Nature Horns Concert
Saturday, July 10: 5:00 – Worship Service
Sunday, July 11: 8:00/9:20/10:30 – Worship Services
9:15 – Sunday School and Bible Class



EVERY ONE HIS WITNESS WORKSHOP will be held each Sunday in August, after late church, from 11:45a.m.-12:45p.m. in Sanctuary Hall. Snacks are provided. Sign up sheet is on the Commons counter. Please see Marilyn Wiesehan or Cindy Neff if you have any questions.

SURVIVING SPOUSES BREAKFAST is this Thursday, July 8, at 9:00a.m. at the Denny's on Lindbergh. These get-togethers will continue the 2nd Thursday of each month if all goes well.

MOVIE NIGHT



MARRIED COUPLES' CLUB MOVIE NIGHT is Saturday, July 17, 6:00p.m. in Sanctuary Hall. Movie starts at 7:00p.m. Please bring your own food and drink. Movie to be decided that evening. There will be several to choose from. Children are welcome! RSVP to Tammy Goodman by July 16.

A NEW BIBLE CLASS, led by Pastor Robert Gadeken, will begin the first Sunday of August at 7:00p.m. and meet weekly in Sanctuary Hall. The first topic is The Small Catechism for Adults. The six teachings of the Bible that every Christian should know, first printed as six wall charts, and today only taking up about a dozen pages, is one of the most profound works of theology in the last 500 years. Bring a Bible and whatever version of the Catechism you have (or use the one in our hymnals).

GREEN PARK HAS TWO PART-TIME OPENINGS The first is for a part-time Childcare worker. Hours would be 2-3 afternoons a week, 3-6p.m. Weekly schedules subject to change. Also, a part-time Cafeteria position is open. Hours are M-F (8:30-12:30). Candidates would be required to have a Hep A vaccine. No prior food experience is necessary. If interested in either opening, contact April Baese.



CONCERTS AT PEACE and the Musicians Performance Trust Fund continue their Family Friendly Concerts on Thursdays in July with a concert this Thursday, July 8, at 7:00p.m. The Second Nature Horns with local legend Charles Glenn on vocals will perform favorite jazz tunes and tell about the composers and jazz genre.

Upcoming concerts include: Thursday July 15: The Perfect Fifth Woodwind Quintet - Peter and the Wolf; Thursday July 22: The Story Book Quartet - The Bremen Town Musicians; Thursday, July 29: The Abbey Road Warriors - A Beatles tribute band. Bring the entire family!