

Visitors and Guests

We hope that you experience the living presence of **Jesus** during our time of Worship.

You may log on to worship at wpcob.zoom.us at 10AM. Make sure you've downloaded the zoom application! Or without a computer, use your **phone to call** one of the following numbers, **(720) 707-2699** or **(346) 248-7799** and enter the meeting number: **872 6975 9270** (same Log in for online)

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Week of April 6, 2025

THIS WEEK:

Today: 9:00 AM Sunday School

10:00AM Worship

Join us downstairs for Fellowship for Potluck in Fellowship Hall. All are welcome.

Mon. April 7: Church Board Reports Due to Office!

Fri. April 11: 9:00AM. Brunch Bunch @ Denny's. **275 W Hampden Ave.**

Sat. April 12: 4:30PM Messy Church in church basement. Volunteers come at 4:00PM. Gail's Day Off this week is **Tuesday**

Upcoming

April 13: 11:00 Choir Practice after Worship

April 17: 6:30PM Love Feast – Bring a can of vegetables to share for each person attending. (Deacons/Caregivers set up at 4:30 PM.)

April 20: 10AM Easter Worship. 11:15 Easter Egg Hunt.

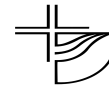
WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS:

- Ministers All of us
- Speaker Pat Gong
- Worship Leader Peter Samland
- Greeter Barb Leitch
- Storyteller Amanda Samland
- Special Music Izel Rosas
- Keyboard Scott Hackler
- Audio Visual Aidan Trujillo & Henry Gong
- PowerPoint Jeff Neuman-Lee & Henry Gong
- Deacons & Caregivers – Ellen Anderson, Howard and Jan Duncan, Pat Gong, Barb Leitch, Bitsy Shepherd, Lyall & Vivian Shered, & Dave Valeta
- Deacon/Caregivers of the Week **Barb (303) 668-3255**
- Office Manager Barb Leitch
- Office Volunteers Howard & Jan Duncan, Sheila Nolan
- Church Internet Volunteer. Neal Lundquist
- Pastor Gail Erisman Valeta

Attendance March 30: 34 Offering March 30: \$5,550.00

Additional Financial Information:

Our 2025 budget shows average inflows/giving of ~\$2,100 weekly, or \$9,000 monthly, which results in a shortfall to cover all budgeted expenses. Our goal of becoming self-sustaining requires an additional \$2,125 monthly (~ \$500 weekly) in average inflows/giving.



Prince of Peace Church of the Brethren

April 6, 2025 at 10:00 AM

Zoom Number #872 6975 9270

**MISSION STATEMENT: Worship God,
Be Disciples, Serve Others**

Continuing the Work of Jesus; Peacefully, Simply, Together

**WE ARE OPEN AND AFFIRMING,
and ALL ARE WELCOME HERE!**

**OUR CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER SURPASSES OUR
DIFFERENCES.**

Opening Music

Welcome & Announcements

Songs

*Longing for Light

Insert

*Take O Take Me As I Am

Supplement #1084

Story for Living

Prayer Hymn

Will You Come & Follow Me vs. 5

Insert

We Pray Together

Lord's Prayer: *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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.*

Special Music

Scripture

Joel 2:12-13 (OT p. 987)

Matthew 3:8-10 (NT p. 8)

Message

Love More

Offertory & Giving Contributions to the Work of the Lord

You can also give online through **Tithe.ly** at www.princeofpeacecob.org and then click on Giving.

***Hymn**

Fresh as the Morning

Insert

***Benediction**

* Please stand with us in body or spirit



UPDATED PRAYER CONCERNS

Prayers for those impacted by the fires in the Carolinas.	Prayers for Jan Duncan who has had a rough few days.
Prayers for Ron Ragon's brother-in-law, Dick Goins, who is struggling with the loss of his wife.	Prayers for justice in the face of Elon Musk's attacks on our government.
Prayers for Pat Gong's cousin, Tina Paglia, who has colon cancer.	Prayers for the people of Thailand and Myanmar impacted by the earthquake there.
Western Plains District Prayer Concerns: Haxton (CO) COB. Ken Frantz, Pastor	

ONGOING PRAYER CONCERNS:

Cheryl Biefel; Algetha Brown; Algetha's sister, **Therlander Harris; Asylum Seekers;** Death Row Prisoner, **Kenneth Dessaure; Our Democracy; Ethmer Erisman; Prayers for peace in the Middle East; Family of Hilary Sauer** (Rohrer Family Friend); **Leslie Frye; Maxine Gibbons; Jane Hackler; Immigrants & refugees throughout the world; Connie Isaac; Laraba John** and kidnapped Nigerian girls; Barb's nephew, **Austin Leach; Loved ones missing throughout the world; Don McPadden;** Barb's friend Kenny Dessave's mother, **Bobbie Mansfield; Jim Mauser; Carl & Joan Metsker;** Mary Helen's mother, **Helen Munoz; Ruth Neuman; Dave Valeta; Victims of gun violence; War-torn countries; Pastor Alex Zazhytko, his family, the Ukrainian Brethren and all suffering from the war in Ukraine.**



Prayers of Discernment for the One in our life who needs to be invited to Prince of Peace.

Suicide Prevention Hotline: 9-8-8



Songs:

The Summons

5. Lord, your summons echoes true when you but call my name.
Let me turn and follow you and never be the same.
In your company I'll go
where your love and footsteps show.
Thus I'll move and live and grow in you and you in me.

Longing For Light

1. Longing for light, we wait in darkness.
Longing for truth, we turn to you.
Make us your own, your holy people,
light for the world to see. **(To Chorus)**

Chorus:

**Christ be our light! Shine in our hearts.
Shine through the darkness.
Christ be our light!
Shine in your church gathered today.**

2. Longing for peace, our world is troubled.
Longing for hope, many despair.
Your word alone has pow'r to save us.
Make us your living voice. **(To Chorus)**

3. Longing for food, many are hungry.
Longing for water, many still thirst.
Make us your bread, broken for others,
Shared until all are fed. **(To Chorus)**

5. Many the gifts, many the people,
many the hearts that yearn to belong.
Let us be servants to one another,
making your kingdom come. **(To Chorus)**



Songs Continued

Fresh as the Morning

1. God of the Bible, God in the Gospel,
hope seen in Jesus, hope yet to come,
you are our center, daylight or darkness,
freedom or prison, you are our home.

Refrain

Fresh as the morning, sure as the sunrise,
God always faithful, you do not change.

2. God in our struggles, God in our hunger,
suffering with us, taking our part,
still you empower us, mothering Spirit,
feeding, sustaining, from your own heart. (to refrain)

3. Those without status, those who are nothing,
you have made royal, gifted with rights,
chosen as partners, midwives of justice,
birthing new systems, lighting new lights. (to refrain)

4. Not by your finger, not by your anger,
will our world order change in a day,
but by your people, fearless and faithful,
small paper lanterns, lighting the way. (to refrain)

5. Hope we must carry, shining and certain,
through all our turmoil, terror and loss,
bonding us gladly, one to the other,
till our world changes, facing the Cross. (to refrain)



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