## ALL ARE WELCOME

2026 STEWARDSHIP APPEAL



Welcome one another, therefore, just as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God. - Romans 15:7



## A COMMITMENT TO TEACHING AND LEARNING

At Prince of Peace, "All Are Welcome" isn't just a hymn or slogan—it's a calling. It's a commitment to be a place where people of all ages grow in faith, deepen their understanding of the world, and live out the teachings of Jesus.

As we enter our annual stewardship campaign, we invite you to support the mission and ministry of our church. Your gifts help us live fully into our identity as a teaching congregation—one that nurtures an intern's ministry journey, equips children and adults with life-giving faith education, and offers a space for all to wrestle with both biblical and social issues through the lens of Christ's love.

Stewardship is more than giving; it's an act of faith, a response to God's abundant grace, and a way we live out our shared values. Every gift—no matter the size—helps us open our doors wider, reach more hearts, and deepen our impact.

We invite you to reflect, pray, and give generously. Together, let's continue to be a church where all are not only welcomed, but empowered, equipped, and embraced.

My time serving at Prince of Peace as Deacon Intern helped me to continue to discern God's call for my life! Being placed at Prince of Peace was one of my greatest blessings: I learned about different types of congregations and ministry communities, I began to develop my prophetic voice through preaching, and got to experience the love of God in and through a community that supported and encouraged me into my call as an Ordained Minister in the ELCA. Emma J

VBS was very exciting! It was very fun in its own silly ways. My favorite part was the old person relay (Abraham day). They obviously worked very hard to make VBS happen, with all the dessert snacks and chalk obstacle courses. **Nicholas E** 

Through my experience teaching the little kids, I've seen how our church creates a supportive environment that encourages curiosity and growth. I've also seen through my own kids' involvement in Sunday school and youth group how their spiritual growth is supported and they have a positive space where they can learn, connect, and thrive. Kristie Z



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Our goal this year is to increase our offerings by \$93,800 or \$1,806 per week.