

# SUNDAY WORSHIP

## APRIL 26, 2015

*Congratulations ...*

## CONFIRMATION CLASS OF 2015

Anna Beer

Lily Callis

Alexander Eddy

Maren Holcomb

Trinity Kelly

Christian Lundy

Claire Lundy

Lochlyn Reed

Hannah Rick

Celia Spink

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Sue Fox

Reese Kewin

with McKenna, Bronwynn,  
Rhiannon and Finnegan



## THE PEOPLES CHURCH

200 W. Grand River Ave. | East Lansing, MI 48823  
517.332.5073 | [ThePeoplesChurch.com](http://ThePeoplesChurch.com)

## SUNDAY MORNING

**8:30 a.m.**

Worship Service, Chapel

**9:30 a.m.**

Adult Sunday School  
Children's Chapel  
Confirmation Class  
PCYG Open Hang Out  
Peoples Forum

**9:45 a.m.**

Carol Choir Rehearsal

**10:30 a.m.**

Worship Service, Sanctuary  
Children's Sunday School

**11:30 a.m.**

Coppertone Rehearsal  
Campus Ministry

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## WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE!

**5:30 p.m.**

Community Meal

**6:00 p.m.**

Dance 149  
Youth Choir Rehearsal

**6:30 p.m.**

Adult Formation  
Faith Builders | Children's Education  
Peoples Church Youth Group  
Yoga Class

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## COUNCIL OF ELDERS

Elders meet at 7 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Robertson Room.

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You  
are the Light  
of the World Matthew 5:14

## 2015 SHINING MOMENTS

*Thank you to all you participated in our 2015 Shining Moments nominations process. This year's nominees were honored during a special reception on April 17 in Snider Social Hall. Our 2015 Shining Moments nominees were:*

### CONNECT

Ida Filkins  
Pat Finch  
Jane Ledebuhr  
Robin Matheson  
Andy Mayville  
Rob Nichols  
Diane Shafer

### SHARE

Charles Blackman  
Lois Brennan  
Pat Bunce  
Gary Coopes  
Susan Coopes  
Mary Heiderson  
Ivette Herryman  
Greg Houghtaling  
Judy Kabodian  
Ann Lindley  
Katie Lindauer  
Jan Perron  
Dave Przybylski  
Margie Steinkamp

### GROW

Sandy Bryson  
Jodi Cook  
Carol Dooley  
Mary Hill  
Aram Kabodian  
Samantha Kaufman  
Mary Anne Larzelere  
Bev Mason  
Cheryl Ronk  
Dave Ronk, Jr.

### SERVE

Sedric Audas III  
Marion Bird  
Pat Brogan  
Mimi Burpee  
Barbara Dunlap  
Shirley Fisher  
Loretta Johnston  
Greg Naghtin  
Barbara Scott  
Janet Woolsey  
Joan Wright

Learn more about our 2015 Shining Moments nominees at [ThePeoplesChurch.com](http://ThePeoplesChurch.com)

**ALL ARE WELCOME** | *Whether you are young or old, rich or poor, doubtful or hopeful ... no matter where you are in your faith journey, YOU are welcome here. For those with children, be assured that noises and wiggling are signs of a church that is alive and growing; your entire family is welcome in worship.*

## ORDER OF WORSHIP | APRIL 26, 2015

**Prelude** (8:30 a.m.)                      “Sheep May Safely Graze”                      J.S. Bach

**Prelude** (10:30 a.m.)                      “Procession of Praise”                      A. Sherman  
*Clarion Ringers directed by Elizabeth Reed*

**Welcome to The Peoples Church!**                      Rev. Andrew Pomerville

### Call to Worship

Leader:                      The good shepherd cares for us,  
**People:**                      **providing all that we need in abundance.**

Leader:                      The good shepherd calls us to love one another,  
**People:**                      **in truth and action.**

Leader:                      May our worship reflect our trust in the good shepherd’s care.  
**People:**                      **May our lives reflect our willingness to love one another.**

**Gathering Hymn**                      “Here in This Place”                      **No. 401**  
*(Please stand if able.)*

### Procession of the Light of Christ

#### Prayers of the People

*(During the pastoral prayer there will be a time to offer prayers of joy and concern, voiced aloud or silently for and on behalf of others.)*

**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. Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading**                      Psalm 23  
*(Pew Bible Page 584, Large Print Page 792)*

**Anthem** (10:30 a.m.)

"I Am With You"

Craig Courtney

*Sanctuary Choir directed by Dr. Jonathan Reed*

**Celebration of Holy Communion** (8:30 a.m.)

**Children's Moment** (10:30 a.m.)

**Passing the Peace of Christ** *(Please stand if able.)*

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

**Thanksgiving & Dedication of Gifts**

**Offertory** (10:30 a.m.)

"Are Ye Able"

B. Kinyon

*Clarion Ringers directed by Elizabeth Reed*

**Act of Praise** *(Please stand if able.)*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**

**Praise God, all creatures here below;**

**Praise God above, ye heavenly host;**

**Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Shepherding God, you provide all that your flock needs for faith, hope and love. We return to you a portion of those gifts so that others might here your comforting voice and walk beside your still waters. Bless what we give, what we are and what we hope to become with these treasures, through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.**

**New Testament Reading**

John 10:11-18

(Pew Bible Page 1,075, Large Print Page 1,633)

**Sermon**

"Cast and Crew"

Betsy Aho



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**Hymn**

"Here I am, Lord"

**No. 69**

**Presentation of Confirmands and New Members** (10:30 a.m.)

Anna Beer  
Alexander Eddy  
Trinity Kelly  
Claire Lundy  
Hannah Rick

Lily Callis  
Maren Holcomb  
Christian Lundy  
Lochlyn Reed  
Celia Spink

Sue Fox  
Reese Kewin with McKenna, Bronwynn, Rhiannon and Finnegan

**Profession of Faith**

**We believe the teachings of Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, and with the help of God, we will strive daily to live the life of purity, unselfishness and service which He exemplified to the world.**

**Sending Hymn**      "I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry"      **No. 488**

**Benediction** *(Please stand if able.)*

**Benediction Response**

**Go now in peace. Never be afraid.  
God will go with you each hour of every day.  
Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true.  
Know God will guide you in all you do.  
Go now in love, and show you believe.  
Reach out to others so all the world can see.  
God will be there watching from above.  
Go now in peace, in faith and in love.**

**Postlude**      "All Glory Be To God On High"      J.S. Bach

**THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED IN YESTERDAY'S  
SPRING YARD CLEAN UP HERE AT THE PEOPLES CHURCH.  
YOUR WARM HEARTS WERE MUCH APPRECIATED ON SUCH A COLD DAY.**



## CONNECT

### CASTING CALL: ANNUAL TALENT SHOW

The Peoples Church Annual Talent Show is happening on May 3 following the 10:30 a.m. worship service! Lunch will be served. Performers of all ages can sign up to share their talent by contacting Betsy Aho at eaho@the-peopleschurch.com or 517-332-5073 x6074.



### STRAWBERRY BREAKFAST | MAY 13

The Women of Peoples Church will host their annual Strawberry Breakfast from 9 to 10:30 a.m. on May 13 in Snider Social Hall. This year we will celebrate "Michigan Women of Faith" with our keynote speaker, Emily Fijol, executive director of the Michigan Women's Historical Center and Hall of Fame. Tickets are \$8 and will be sold each Sunday following worship services beginning Apr. 19. WPC Circle members also will have tickets available.



### YOUNG ARTISTS ON DISPLAY

The Fine Arts Committee invites you to see "God's World Through the Eyes of The Children." It's latest exhibit is now on display in the the northwest and southeast hallways, Friendship Hall and the Thompson Case located across from the Fischbach Library. Curated by Jan Reed and Susan Reedy, the new displays feature original works from the children of Peoples Church Preschool program and members of The Peoples Church who attend the *Wednesday Night Live!* Faith Builders program. Children (as well as the young at heart) will also love viewing Mary Culham's Peanuts characters collection on display in the Rotunda Kiosk.



### PASTOR DREW'S PEOPLES PEDAL 2 | MAY 17

Mark your calendars to ride in Pastor Drew's Peoples Pedal 2 following the 10:30 a.m. worship service on May 17. Sack lunches will be provided and several routes will take riders along the river trail. Stay tuned for more details.

### PEOPLES 101 | MAY 3

Peoples 101 is an informal Q&A session hosted each month. Join us next on **MAY 3** in the Robertson Room following the 10:30 a.m. worship service. All are welcome.



## SERVE

### PEOPLES CHURCH GROUP HAIR CUT | MAY 20

After 12 months of growing our hair, dozens of members and friends of our congregation will be cutting and donating their locks on May 20 as part of Pastor Andrew's Challenge to Love. After mourning the death of 5-year-old Charlie Waller, a challenge was made to grow and donate hair to make wigs for children. Prior to the cutting, a free meal will be served to the community at 5:30 p.m. in the Snider Social Hall. Thank you to the many who have donated their hair privately since the challenge was issued last year.



### Pastor Andrew's *Challenge to Love*



## GROW

### HEALTH MATTERS : QUICK TIPS FOR RIDING YOUR BIKE THIS SPRING | APR. 29

Tim Potter, Manager of MSU Bikes Service Center will join us for *Wednesday Night Live!* to share "Quick Tips for Getting Your Bike Ready to Ride." He will also teach about some simple repairs that require very few tools or special skills and proper bike fit. Join him at 6:30 p.m. in the Robertson Room.

### PEOPLES FORUM | MAY 3

Next Sunday, the Peoples Forum will host a panel discussion with members the Council of Elders. Join us at 9:30 a.m. in the Robertson Room. The Peoples Forum will break for Mother's Day, May 10.



### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration is open for our summer Vacation Bible School program, "Everest: Conquering Challenges with God's Mighty Power." Discounts are available and spaces are limited!

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE!

5:30 P.M. COMMUNITY MEAL

### APRIL 29

Grilled Kielbasa, Bratwursts & Hot Dogs, Deluxe Salad Bar, Seasonal Fruit and Cup Cakes.



Register at [ThePeoplesChurch.com](http://ThePeoplesChurch.com) or contact Meaghan Gonzales at 517-332-5073.

### THURSDAY MEN'S GROUPS

Our *MORNING MEN'S GROUP* meets at 7 a.m. in the Robertson Room and the *AFTERNOON MEN'S GROUP* meets at Noon in the Library each week. The morning group is reading C.S. Lewis' "Screwtape Letters."

### MONDAY MORNING BIBLE

Interested in digging deeper into scripture? Be a part of Monday Morning Bible Study at 11 a.m. each week in the Centennial Room. Join us for study and friendship. Questions? Contact Mary Hill at 517-339-2502, Barb Potter at 517-332-4733, or Pastor Drew.



## SHARE

### WHAT'S BREWING?

Please consider taking a turn to help serve up coffee fellowship on a Sunday morning. Training provided! Use the sign-up sheet in Friendship Hall, or contact Jane Ledebuhr at [jledebuhr@yahoo.com](mailto:jledebuhr@yahoo.com). Thanks!

### DONATE YOUR USED BOOKS

The Library Committee is collecting books for its annual Used Book Sale on May 16-17. Donations may be left on the stage in Snider Social Hall. Please, no magazines.

### DONATE ITEMS TO THE JEWELRY SALE

The Annual WPC Jewelry Sale will be May 16-17 Please deliver donations to the church office by May 11. Don't forget to tell your friends about this wonderful annual sale!

**SIGN UP** | *Return forms to Offertory Plate on Sunday or the Church Office during the week.*

**I WOULD LIKE HELP OUT AT THE  
LIBRARY'S USED BOOK SALE**

**FRIDAY, MAY 15**

9 a.m. (Set Up)

**SATURDAY, MAY 16**

9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

12 to 2 p.m.

2 to 5 p.m.

**SUNDAY, MAY 17**

9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

12:30 to 2 p.m.

2 p.m. (Pack Up)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**I WOULD LIKE HELP OUT AT THE  
WPC'S JEWELRY AND MORE SALE**

**FRIDAY, MAY 15**

9 a.m. (Set Up)

**SATURDAY, MAY 16**

9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

12 to 3 p.m.

3 to 6 p.m.

**SUNDAY, MAY 17**

8 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_



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