

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church Vision Statement

God is working in Prince of Peace and in each of us for a more faithful future. Every gathering in grace and every ministry has more capacity to reach beyond itself than we know and more capacity for change than we have imagined.

We envision **worship** that honors God for all that God does and that

- changes us – we believe and become the words we hear, pray, and sing
- enlivens our faith and equips us for service
- is diverse in style
- values and encourages children's and youth participation

We envision grace-centered **ministries** that

- love and serve all of God's creation
- nourish through worship, study, service, and fellowship
- lovingly support members of our congregation and community
- provide active service locally and globally
- foster dynamic faith in our children and youth

We envision a joyful and inclusive **atmosphere** that

- celebrates the fullness of life in Jesus Christ
- is nonjudgmental, welcoming, and caring
- encourages spiritual and interpersonal connections

We envision **growth** that invites change

- in community – our interactions with each other
- in space – to accommodate our ministries, study, and worship
- spiritually – to expand our minds and deepen our faith
- that honors our congregation's history