

Pastor Ross Lindsay Worch Interim Pastor

Pastor Ross joined Prince of Peace as Interim Pastor in February 2024. He graduated from Ohio State University with a zoology degree (Pre-Med). He married his enduring partner Cheryl Kay Decker on March 20, 1971. Pastor joined the Army as a 2nd Lieutenant and for their initial 23 years of marriage, he and Cheryl traveled the world with assignments in Germany, England, Turkey, and stateside in California and Indiana. In 1981, he obtained a Masters degree in Human Resources Management from Pepperdine University.

With a desire to proclaim God's word, share the gospel and to care for our planet and its people, Pastor Ross entered Trinity Lutheran Seminary in 1994. He was ordained in June 1998 with a Masters Degree in Divinity. He has served churches in Branson, MO; Belleville, TX; Gallipolis, OH; Camdenton, MO; and Hot Springs Village, Hot Springs, AR, and Orange Park, FL since that time.

The Worch's are passionately committed advocates for the marginalized of society - *Matthew 25*, "... as you did it to the least of these, you did it unto me." As stewards of our universe, they are deeply committed to reducing, reusing, and recycling. Pastor Ross and Cheryl reside in Fleming Island, FL.