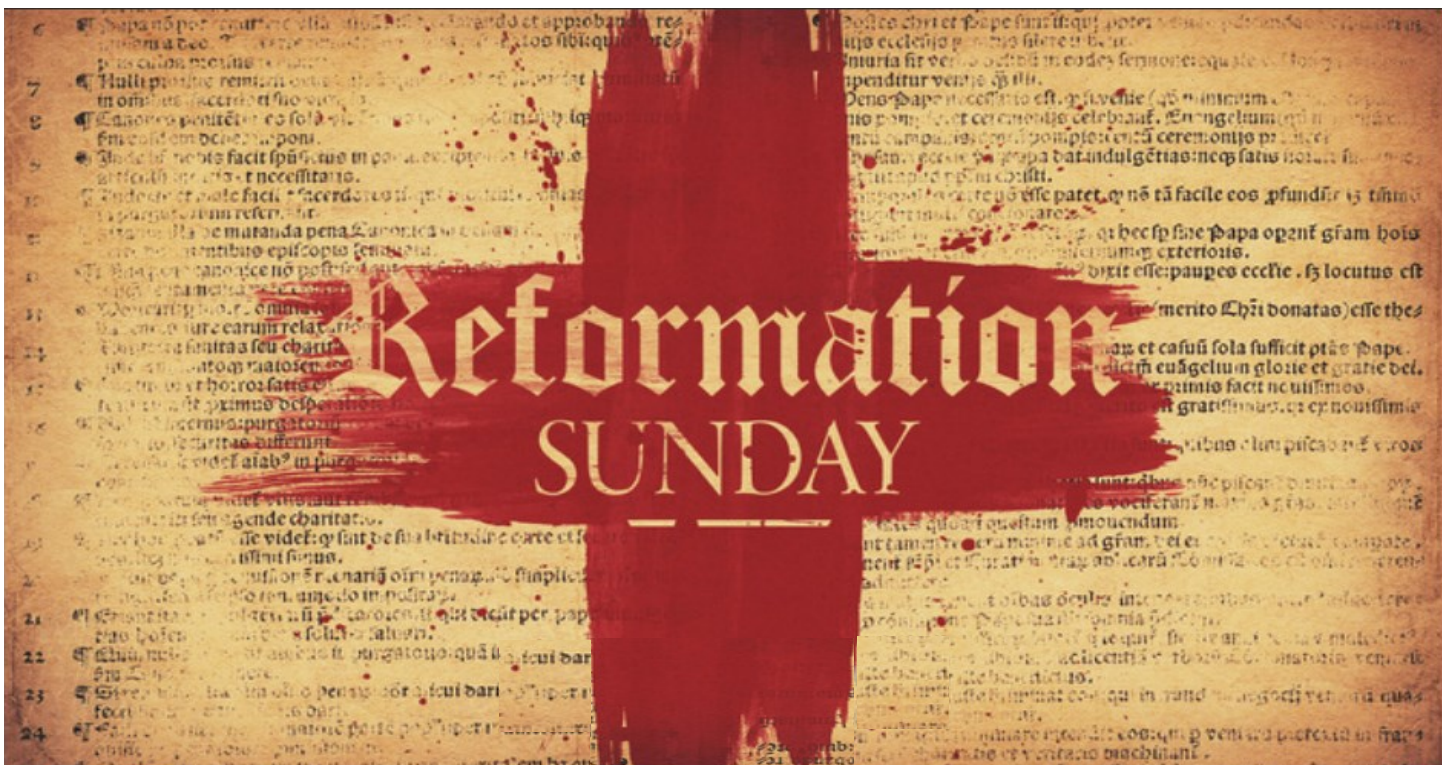


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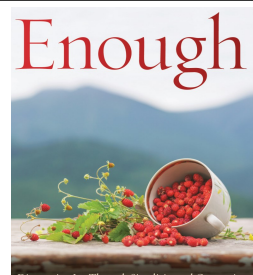

Happy Reformation!



Join us for worship October 27 and wear red to celebrate Reformation and Confirmation!
The Holy Spirit continues to lead and guide the church yesterday, today, and always!



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Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

It is with great joy that I welcome Pastor Cole to the team here at Grace. And with his start date of September 29, we are introducing a pastoral care emergency phone for Grace. Your pastors want to walk with you through all of life's joys and challenges. At the same time, we realize that our deepest need for pastoral care may occur after business hours, or on Fridays and Saturdays when your pastors are off. Therefore, we have set up a pastoral care emergency number which can be called in those instances.



Circumstances would include accidents, deaths, and hospital emergencies. This number is not to be used for being unable to read or serve on a Sunday morning, wanting access to the church building, or any other kind of business which can be addressed during office hours. This number does not receive text messages.

Your pastors will do their best to respond to your call or voicemail as soon as possible. However, your pastors may not answer your call immediately as they could be in the shower, mowing the lawn, at the gym, at an event where their phone needs to be silenced, or any other real people things. Also, if your pastor is out of town, they may speak with you and pray with you over the phone and can then visit in person when they return.

Your pastors want to have clear and real expectations so that no one is misinformed or disappointed. Please put this emergency number in your phone or other place at home as it will not be published. Grace Lutheran receives many calls each week for financial assistance from guests, and we would like guests to use the main office number for their requests. This number will be in the voicemail message of the pastor's office phone in case someone calls with a pastoral care emergency and needs the number.

If you have any questions, please talk with one of the pastors or a council member. The council has agreed to this protocol as your pastors want to make sure to provide pastoral care when it is needed the most. We care about you deeply and want to share God's love and comfort with you in life's most difficult circumstances. Therefore, we hope having this emergency number will bring the availability that you need for pastoral care.

Emergency On-Call Number: 507-432-8467

Your sister in Christ,

Pastor Allison

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sundays: 8:30 Traditional Worship
10:45 Contemporary Worship

Tuesdays: 2:00PM Fairmont Cable TV
Channel 12 (pre-recorded)

Wednesdays: 6:30 WOW - Worship on Wednesday

Fridays: 1:00PM Fairmont Cable TV
Channel 12 (pre-recorded)

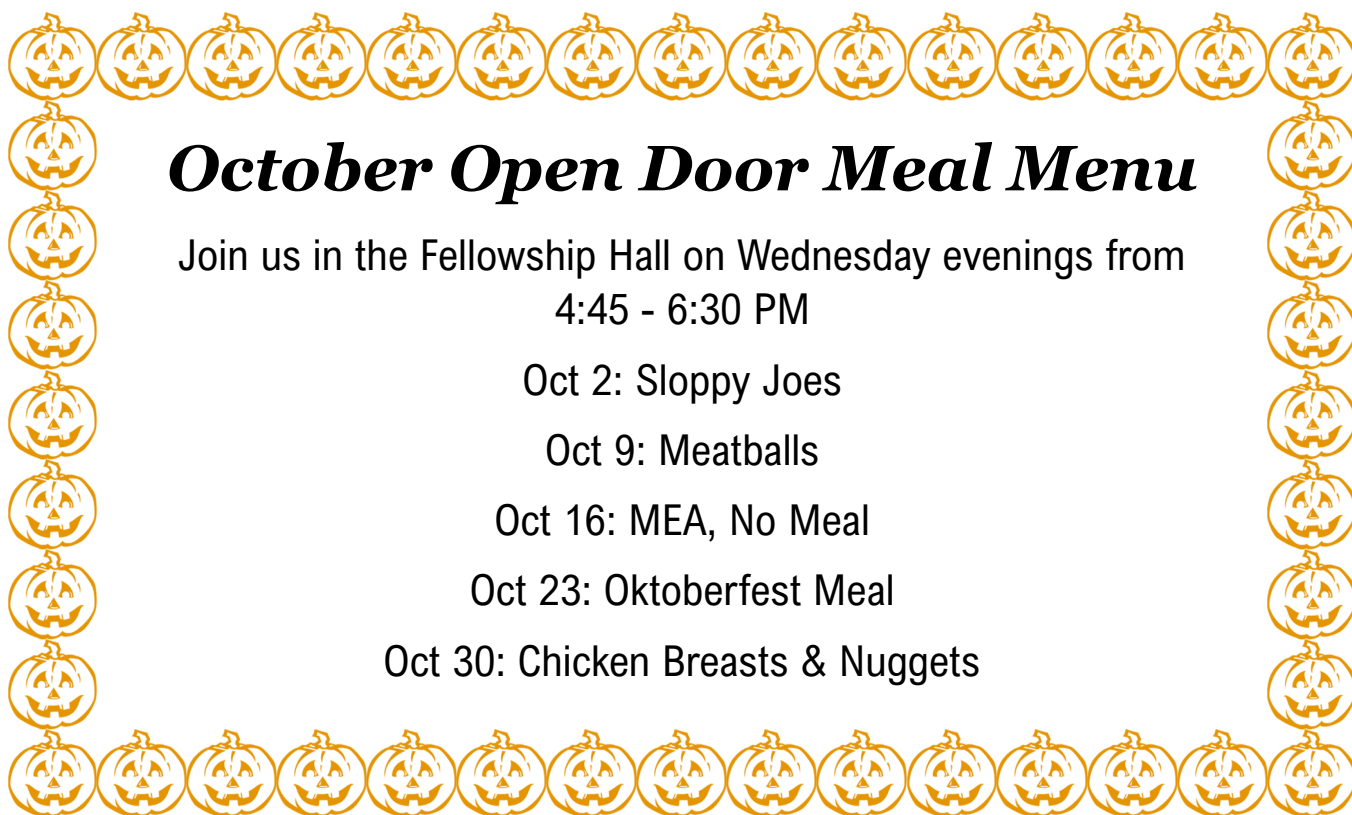


***Sunday services will be streamed on Facebook, YouTube, and our webpage.**



Senior Living Worship Services this month:

October 14 at Lakeview Methodist Home, 10 AM. Then October 9 at Goldfinch, 10 AM in Memory Care, and 10:30 AM in Assisted Living. Please come and worship with our friends and members of Grace!



October Open Door Meal Menu

Join us in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday evenings from
4:45 - 6:30 PM

Oct 2: Sloppy Joes

Oct 9: Meatballs

Oct 16: MEA, No Meal

Oct 23: Oktoberfest Meal

Oct 30: Chicken Breasts & Nuggets

BUSINESS OF GRACE

Grace Lutheran Church Council Meeting
September 15, 2024

CORE VALUES: Faith, Christ-Centered
Community/Connections, Service Our Mission:
To boldly live out our faith in Jesus through
worship, fellowship, and service to God and our
neighbor, here and around the world.

2024 Focus Areas: Constitution,
Stewardship, Community Relationships

Members Present: Carolyn Bird, Kris Boerner,
Mark Morris, Ardel Prescott, Jaime Core, Brandon
DeClercq Jane Reiman, Pastor Cheryl Indehar, and
Pastor Allison Cobb.

Absent: Josh Ensrud, Troy Nemmers, Joice
Forster and Joyce Eisenmenger

Call to Order:

Carolyn Bird called the meeting to order at 12:00pm

Devotional: Pastor Allison led the devotion.

Gathering Prayer: Council members shared
prayer requests, with Pastor Allison concluding
with a prayer to address these requests. Also a
prayer of thanks for Pastor Cheryl's service to
Grace Lutheran Church.

Approval of Meeting Minutes

Approval of meeting minutes for August 18, 2024
were approved August 20, 2024 via email.

Financial Report

Jane Reiman, finance director, gave the council an
update on the finances of the church. Giving was
down last month. However we are even with this
time last year. A motion was made by Brandon to
approve the financial report. Seconded by Mark,
motion carried.

Jane provided us with a proposed 2025 Operating
Budget. Asked us to review with our teams any
sections that apply, make comments as needed and
return them for the October council meeting.

A discussion was had about the billing overview we
will be receiving from Pastor Cole's wife's church
for our portion of medical insurance reimbursement.

Team Reports: these reports were sent out to
Council Members prior to the meeting to review.
There were no questions or comments from the
Council. Great work all Teams!

CYF

Worship:

Outreach

Service and Stewardship Teams: Troy and Mark
from the Stewardship Team will be giving a brief
Temple Talk about the Stewardship campaign on
Sunday, September 22, 2024. The Adult Education
Hour will also cover this. There will be a time to
ask questions.

Old Business

Continued with the update process of Grace's
Constitution. Sections 7 thru 9.31 were discussed.
The Council will continue this process over the
next several months.

New Business

It was decided to give a Welcome basket to Pastor
Cole to help welcome him to Grace

Agreeing and Disagreeing in Love: Pastor
Allison provided the Council with a letter
outlining Healthy Congregations. Pastor Cheryl
gave a synopsis of unhealthy churches where she
pastored and how to resolve this which all relates
to Agreeing and Disagreeing in Love. This had
been introduced to us by Pastor Cheryl and
adopted by our Church Council previously. Pastor
Cheryl gave information how to approach people
with unhealthy attitudes and hold them
accountable. It allows the Holy Spirit to work and
exercise forgiveness amongst all of us.

Security in the Church Building: Security of our
church building, children and staff were brought
up again. Things have been missing from the
church. Also, doors have been found open the next
day even though they had been closed and locked
the previous evening. As a council we have
decided to have entry and exit only from the
parking lot doors and the front entry doors. A No
Entrance or Exit sign will be placed on the south
door. While we acknowledge that this door gets
use, we feel we must keep in mind the safety of
our children, staff and items within the church
itself. Pastor Allison has checked with some of the
other churches in town and this practice is
common.

Pastor Report

Pastor Allison and Pastor Cheryl (for the final time) sent written reports on the work they have accomplished the past month. The council is very pleased with how they go above and beyond to meet the needs of the Grace congregation.

Upcoming Dates

Monday, October 7th at 5:30 p.m. CYF Team Meeting (with Pastor Cole)
Monday, October 7th at 6:30 p.m. Worship Team (Both Pastors)
Tuesday, October 8th at 5:30 p.m. Outreach/Fellowship Team meeting (with Pastor Cole)
Tuesday, October 8th at 5:30 p.m. Service Team Meeting (with Pastor Allison)
Tuesday, October 8th at 6:30 p.m. Stewardship Meeting (with Pastor Allison)
Sunday, October 20th at 12:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting in the Laurel Lounge

Kris will lead devotions.

Adjournment:

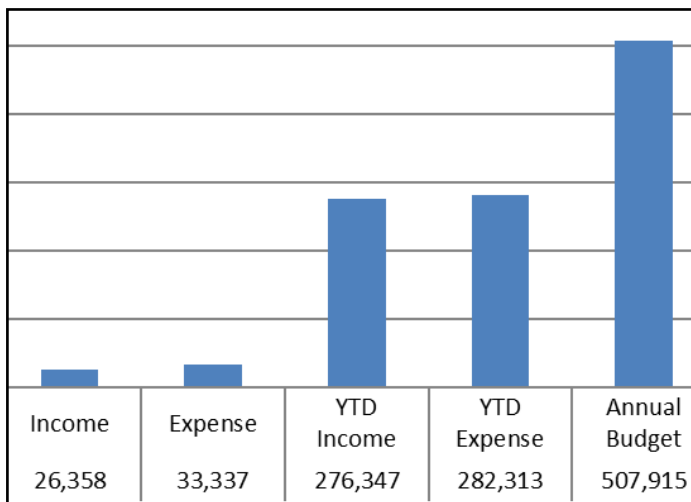
The meeting was adjourned at 1:40 p.m. with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted by Ardel Prescott, Acting Secretary

Approval of Secretary's Report

The September 15,, 2024 minutes were approved on _____, 2024. Motion by Second by Motion carried.

FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT FOR AUGUST



MEMORIALS:

Dan Rolling Memorial

Patricia Jones	Undesignated
Dave & Becky Johnson	People Helping People
Sheryl Rolling	Undesignated

Kay Wrucke Memorial

Ross & Cindy Wohlhuter	Music
Michael & Linda Katzenmeyer	Undesignated
Harry & Chery Brumbaugh	People Helping People
Lynn & Lyn Johnson	Trees

Carole Bursell Memorial

Marian Johnson	People Helping People
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Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die. John 11:25

In profound grief and hope in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, we announce the deaths of Evon Lyle, Lynette "Joy" Johnson, and Rev. Neil Christopherson. Rest eternal grant Evon, Lynette, and Rev. Neil, O Lord; and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Gracious God,

Surround the families of Evon, Lynette, and Rev. Neil, with your love, and grant them you peace, that they may not be overwhelmed by their loss, but have confidence in your goodness, and strength to

meet the days to come. Thanks be to you, O God, for you give us the victorious through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.



WORDS FOR WORSHIP

Sunday, October 6 - Pentecost 20

Today's gospel combines a saying that makes many of us uncomfortable with a story we find comforting. Jesus' saying on divorce is another of his rejections of human legislation in favor of the original intent of God's law. Jesus' rebuke of the disciples who are fending off the children should challenge us as well. What does it mean to receive the kingdom of God as a child does?

First Reading: Genesis 2:18-24

Second Reading: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2:5-12

Gospel: Mark 10:2-16

Sunday, October 13 - Pentecost 21

The rich man who comes to ask Jesus what he should do to inherit eternal life is a good man, sincere in his asking. Mark's gospel is alone in saying that Jesus looked on him and loved him. Out of love, not as judgment, Jesus offers him an open door to life: sell all you own and give it to the poor. Our culture bombards us with the message that we will find life by consuming. Our assemblies counter this message with the invitation to find life by divesting for the sake of the other.

First Reading: Amos 5:6-7, 10-15

Second Reading: Hebrews 4:12-16

Gospel: Mark 10:17-31

Sunday, October 20 - Pentecost 22

Today's gospel starts with disciples obsessing over who will be closest to Jesus, leading to Jesus teaching his followers about God's take on importance and power. Here Jesus makes it explicit that the reversal of values in God's community is a direct challenge to the values of the dominant culture, where wielding power over others is what makes you great. When we pray "your kingdom come" we are praying for an end to tyranny and oppression. We pray this gathered around the cross, a sign of great shame transformed to be the sign of great honor and service.

First Reading: Isaiah 53:4-12

Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

Sunday, October 27 - Pentecost 23

Can we pray the way Bartimaeus prays? People try to hush him up because by addressing Jesus as "Son of David" he is making a politically dangerous claim that Jesus is the rightful king. Could our prayers ever be heard as a threat to unjust powers that be? Bartimaeus won't give up or go away quietly, but repeats his call for help more loudly. Do we ask so boldly? And are our prayers an honest answer to Jesus' question, "What do you want me to do for you?"

First Reading: Jeremiah 31:7-9

Second Reading: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

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Second Reading: Hebrews 7:23-28

Gospel: Mark 10:46-52

Sunday, November 3 - Pentecost 24

Jesus states the core of God's law: love God with all you are and have, and love your neighbor as yourself. The scribe agrees that Jesus has rightly identified the most important commandments, much more important than sacrifices. It's easy for us to say with the writer of the letter to the Hebrews that sacrifices aren't needed anymore, but harder to acknowledge that all our worship, all our community service, all our social action, all our family caregiving is worthless if it is done without love.

First Reading: Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:11-14

Gospel: Mark 12:28-34

CONGREGATIONAL CARE MINISTRY

✚ **Prayer Shawls & Squares:**

Shawls and Squares knitted and prayed over as items of comfort. These are available for you to gift to someone in their time of need.

✚ **Prayer Group:**

Meets every Tuesday to lift up in prayer, friends, families, & loved ones on our Prayer List.

✚ **Care Callers:**

Volunteers who reach out via phone or card monthly to connect with members at home.

✚ **Visitation Team:**

Visit homebound members monthly, who would like communion and some conversation.

✚ **Open Door Meals:**

Volunteers help cook and serve meals every Wednesday evening during the school year.

✚ **Meal Ministry Team:**

Deliver meals to those who are struggling, injured, recovering from surgery or treatment, or added a new family member!

✚ **Funeral Meal Servers:**

Help to provide hospitality while serving meals during Funerals at Grace.

✚ **Care Bags:**

This team assembles bags with essential items provided for visitors in need.

✚ **People Helping People:**

A team who responds to requests submitted from people in need of financial assistance or resources, food assistance, and resources.

MEAL MINISTRY AT GRACE

A Note From: Carol Madsen

Did you know Grace has a meal ministry? When I was scheduled to have surgery last spring, Pastor Allison said, "Can I hook you up with our meal ministry?" I initially said Dennis and I could get by without it. I'm glad I changed my mind. It was so nice to have meals brought in a few times a week. There were always leftovers, so we got spoiled not having to cook much. Not only was the food good, but it was wonderful to see familiar faces from Grace as I was recovering.

If you are having surgery, grieving the loss of a loved one, or having some other life crisis, please let the church office know so they can get you connected. And, if you would like to bring someone a meal, either home cooked or take out, please sign up on the board in the Gathering Space under Meal Ministry.

TIME TOGETHER

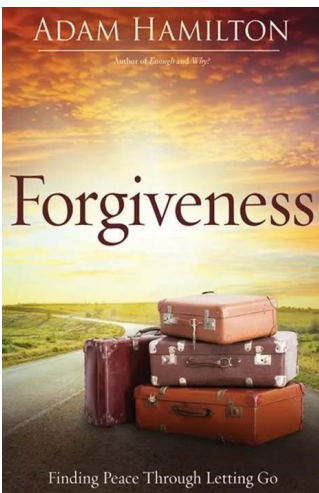
Oktoberfest Dinner on Wednesday October 23!!



Come celebrate our German Lutheran roots with a fun time of food and fellowship from 4:45-6:30pm. Brats, hot dogs, pretzels, potato salad, German chocolate cake, and root beer will be served. This is a great time to meet our confirmation students who will be getting their pictures taken that evening and rehearsing for Sunday's confirmation service. Invite your friends and we hope to see you there!

Pizza with the Pastors on November 3 at Noon!

For all those who are new to Grace, are interested in learning more about Grace, or would like to become members, please plan to attend lunch with the pastors. We offer this twice a year, though you are welcome to join Grace at any time. Over pizza, we will get to know one another, learn about what God is up to in this faith community, and answer any questions you may have. And if you have recently joined and would like to meet others new to Grace, you are invited to come too! Please RSVP by emailing Nicole at office@gracelutheranchurch.org or giving a call (507)238-4418.



Adult Education Returns Next Month!

Grab your coffee and donut holes and head to the Lounge for casual conversation and faith formation. On October 5, we will start a series entitled *Forgiveness: Finding Peace Through Letting Go*, by Rev. Adam Hamilton. This year, we will also explore the miracles of Jesus, Christmas gifts that never break, the call and life of the Apostle Paul, the challenging teachings of Jesus, and a final series on things we think the Bible says but it really doesn't. Each week, we watch a short video and discuss together the topic of the day. There is no homework, and you can jump in at any time. Hope you will come and invite a friend!

Another Way to Serve at Grace: Altar Guild!

Grace Lutheran is looking to bring back the tradition of an Altar Guild. The purpose of this team, led by Del Prescott, is to prepare for worship. Right now, Del coordinates the communion preparers and servers and orders the communion elements. Brad changes the paraments, flags, and baptism/funeral banners. Members of the new Altar Guild would dust the front and back altar, polish the Christ candle and altar candles, and help with the "Hanging of the Greens" to decorate the Sanctuary for Advent and Christmas.



The team would also set out the poinsettias at Christmas, Easter Lilies after Good Friday worship, assist with the stripping of the altar on Maundy Thursday and the Re-dressing of the Altar on Easter morning. Del works closely with the Worship Team to stay in the loop about upcoming services and would keep the Altar Guild informed through emails and two meetings a year, before Advent and Lent. If you love worship and spending time in the beautiful Grace sanctuary, this could be a wonderful place to serve! For more information, please contact Del at del_prescott@netzero.com or see one of the pastors. Thank you!



Lunch at the Lake on Tuesday, October 29!

Come join your pastors for Lunch at the Lake! Let's take advantage of the wonderful warm weather and our beautiful lakes. On the last Tuesday of the month, from April to October, bring your lunch and a lawn chair to the beach at Gomsrud Park. If there is rain, we will meet in the shelter house at the picnic table. We will meet at noon for fellowship with a brief devotion and prayer at 12:15pm. Come on your lunch hour and stay for as little or long as you can. This is a fun, casual, and informal way to stay connected as the body of Christ at Grace! For more information, please see one of the pastors.

Want to Learn to Knit or Crochet?

Have you ever wanted something to keep your hands busy and serve a wonderful purpose at the same time? If so, learning how to knit or crochet might be a fun project for you! Our dedicated Prayer Shawl Team would like to teach a new group of folks their wonderful talent this Fall. The Prayer Shawl Team makes prayer squares, baby baptism prayer shawls, and regular prayer shawls as part of our care ministries of Grace. Women and men, adults, and children are welcome to learn. If you are interested, please email Pastor Allison, pastorallison@gracelutheranchurch.org, and she will add your name to the list. We will look to find a date and time this Fall for this special learning event.



Monthly Men's Breakfast: Men of all ages are invited to a monthly breakfast at The Ranch restaurant on the first Monday of the month. Come for a devotion, fellowship, and good breakfast food.

When: Monday October 7 at 7:00AM

Where: The Ranch Restaurant

Why: Because Jesus says that when a few are gathered in his name, he's there too!





Interested in Serving At Grace?

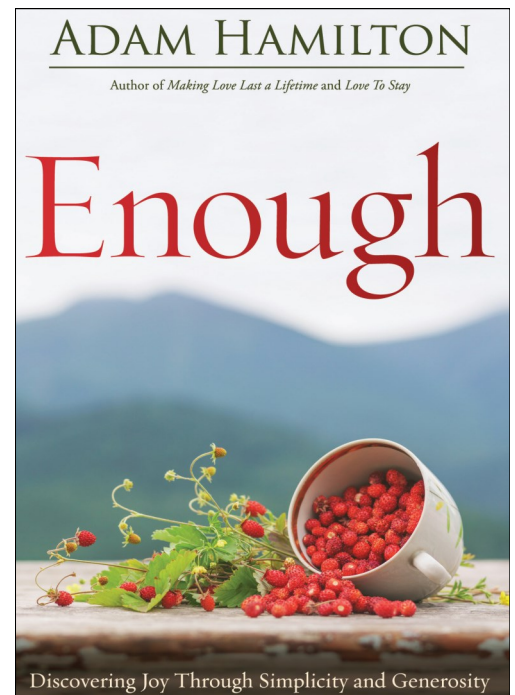
Whether you are new to Grace or have been a part of this worshipping community for years, it can be difficult to join a new ministry and start serving as a volunteer. The pastors and staff at Grace want to make this process simple by encouraging you to sign-up on the bulletin board above the Care Table in the Gathering Space. Nicole will contact you and connect you to the ministry team leader for more information.

Additionally, the yellow Grace Welcome brochures have all each ministry's contact information, and you may email that team member directly. We hope to bring awareness of all the wonderful ways to share our gifts of time and talents for God's ministry here at Grace. If you have any questions, please visit with one of the pastors.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

Enough: Discovering Joy Through Simplicity and Generosity!

You are invited to prayerfully consider your gifts of time, talents, and treasures during this intentional faith formation time on stewardship. You will find a stewardship table in the Gathering Space which provides information on the Biblical principles behind why we give to the church. Also, there is a worksheet to consider budgeting and financial planning as well as a pledge card. On the back side of the pledge card is another tool. It is a giving step chart designed to help you locate what percentage of your income you give today. The hope is that you will prayerfully consider moving up one percentage step if you are able. While the Bible teaches us to give 10% of our income to God's work in the world, we know that can be a huge jump for many. Starting at 1%, or whatever you give today, and moving up little by little is a wonderful way to be a faithful steward of what God has blessed us with. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to visit with Troy Nemmers, Council Co-President, and Mark Morris, Stewardship Team Chair.



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Security at Grace:

Over the past month, we have had a few items go missing including the baptismal pitcher, two buckets of cleaning supplies, and even a gallon of ice cream which was brought in for Pastor Cheryl's reception on Saturday night and gone Sunday morning. We also had a large jug collecting money for our People Helping People ministries in the Gathering Space that was vandalized, and the money removed, last year. We also find doors left unlocked or propped open, even after they have been checked by staff or volunteers. This has prompted several discussions on how to improve the security at Grace.

You may have noticed a friendly chime as you enter Grace during the week. This chime allows your pastors and staff to hear that there is another person in the building. We also will be installing a camera at our front and back entrances, as well as making our fellowship hall and main hallway door as Emergency Exit Only. This helps to ensure that our doors stay closed and locked to enhance safety for our members and guests. We, like many churches in Fairmont, are taking this step to ensure that only our main entrances are used on a regular basis. Thank you for making sure to use our main Grant Street and back parking lot entrances going forward. We thank you for understanding this necessary update. If you have any questions, please see a Council member. Thank you!

Southeastern Minnesota Synod Hunger Grant

Awarded to Grace! Thanks to Mary Kotewa who submitted a grant proposal for our Grace Pantry on behalf of the Fellowship and Outreach Team. We received \$500 to be used for this hunger ministry, and a write-up and pictures will be in an upcoming weekly synod newsletter. We are grateful for our synod's passion of helping churches to do the ministry of Jesus in their communities.

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Thrivent Action Team Grants Needed! Are you a Thrivent member? If so, you likely are eligible for two \$250 action team grants a year. These grants

can be used to fund many ministry projects here at Grace. This Fall, we could use grants for the following ministries: the photo directory, Care Bags, trees for the church lawn, feminine supplies for the Grace pantry, automatic light switches for the bathrooms, lawn supplies, paint for the parking lot entryway and so much more. Please speak to one of the pastors and they can help you in requesting a grant. Thank you!

Needed Food Pantry Items:

As you shop for your groceries, please consider adding the following for the Grace Food Pantry:

Canned Stew, Cereal, Canned Meat, Feminine Products, Deodorant.



BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS

On September 4th we ended our Summer Worship in the Park services by blessing our animals at Sylvania Park.



GOD'S WORK. OUR HANDS!

On September 8th we kicked off the school year with a fun day of worship, fellowship, and projects using our hands for God's work!



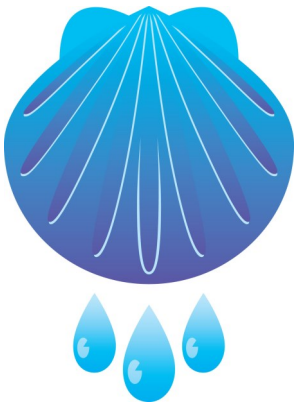
WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

BLAST, PreK - 6th Grade: 5:30PM - 6:30PM - This includes Cherub & Alleluia Choir, learning lessons, and fun!

Wednesday Worship: 6:30PM - 7:00PM

Confirmation, 7th-9th Grade: 6:30PM - 7:45PM

Open Door Meal: 4:45PM - 6:30PM



Confirmation and Baptism: At Grace, we welcome all ages to the font, from infants to adults, to celebrate the sacrament of holy baptism. Confirmation is the re-affirmation of our baptism where our 10th graders make the promises for themselves, that an adult made on their behalf, when they were baptized. If your child is currently in confirmation and has not been baptized, please see one of the pastors so we can celebrate this important milestone in their faith journey before they are confirmed. We welcome baptisms at our Wednesday evening casual chapel service as well as our Sunday morning worship services.

Confirmation Milestone! Confirmation Sunday is on Reformation Day, October 27. At the 10:45AM Contemporary Service, we will celebrate this important faith milestone. In addition, we have two students who will be confirmed at our Wednesday night service on Wednesday, October 23, at 6:30PM. Please plan to attend the Octoberfest dinner that evening and stay for this half an hour praise service too. We welcome our confirmands and their families as they celebrate this special time in the life of their child.



Youth Mission Trip

We are excited to share that prayers have been answered! A Youth Mission trip to the Appalachian region is coming! Students entering 7th grade through 12th are able to attend **July 18 - July 26, 2025**. Planning has just begun - watch for more detailed information to come!

October 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 2nd Grade Bible Ceremony, Blessing of Backpacks - Both Services 8:30am Pastor Cole Installation 8:30am Traditional Worship Service 9:35am - 10:35am 2nd Grade Bible Workshop 10:45am Contemporary Worship Service	30 9:00am - 2:00pm American Red Cross Blood Drive 9:00am - 10:00am Staff Meeting	1 9:00am Common Threads Sewing 9:00am - 11:00am Sewing Circle 1:00pm Weekly Prayer Meeting 1:30pm Women's Bible Study 2:00pm Worship Service Aired	2 9:00am - 12:00pm Women's CBS 4:45pm - 6:30am Open Door Community Meal 5:15pm Chancel Choir Practice 5:30pm BLAST 6:30pm Confirmation 6:30pm WOW - Worship on Wednesday	3	4 1:00pm Worship Service Aired	5
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