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Grace Lutheran Church

Grace Lutheran's Purpose Statement

“We share God’s love by welcoming all and making a Christ-like difference in our community and world.”

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

WELCOME

PRELUDE

(the assembly stands as they are comfortable)

(All may make the sign of the cross, the sign marked at baptism, as the presiding minister begins.)

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: **Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!**

P: In the name of + the One who was, who is, and who is to come.

C: **Amen.**

P: Baptized into Christ's death and resurrection, and called to live the baptized life, let us give thanks for the gifts of baptism.

P: Holy God, we give you thanks for the waters of baptism, waters that make a people your own, that restore to wholeness, and empower us to be witnesses in your name. Baptized into you, O Living One,

C: **make us one as you are one.**

P: We give you thanks for the waters of baptism, waters that strengthen believers and give new life to beloved servants of your church; waters that extend your boundless love and cross barriers of our own making. Baptized into you, O Living One,

C: **make us one as you are one.**

P: We give you thanks for the waters of baptism, waters that open the hearts of believers and give a voice in the night to those in captivity; waters that set your people on a new path, rejoicing in the Spirit's power. Baptized into you, O Living One,

C: **make us one as you are one.**

P: Grant us grace, love, and life, O Living One, that our every day is shaped by these waters that give us our very lives in you. We ask this in the name of Jesus, the Crucified and Risen One.

C: **Amen.**

GATHERING HYMN “Gracious Spirit, Heed Our Pleading” (vs. 1-4) R401



Njo - o kwe - tu, Ro - ho mwe - ma, M - fa - ri - ji we - tu.

- 1 Gra - cious Spir - it, heed our plead - ing, fash - ion us all a - new.
- 2 Come to teach us, come to nour - ish those who be - lieve in Christ.
- 3 Guide our think - ing and our speak - ing done in your ho - ly name.



Tu - fu - ndi - she ya mbi - ngu - ni, tu - we wa - tu wa - pya.
 It's your lead - ing that we're need - ing, help us to fol - low you.
 Bless the faith - ful, may they flour - ish, strength - ened by grace un - priced.
 Mo - ti - vate all in their seek - ing, free - ing from guilt and shame.

Refrain



Njo - o, njo - o, njo - o, Ro - ho mwe - ma.
 Come, come, come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.



Njo - o, njo - o, njo - o, Ro - ho mwe - ma.
 Come, come, come, Ho - ly Spir - it, come.

- 4 Not mere knowledge, but discernment,
 nor rootless liberty;
 turn disquiet to contentment,
 doubt into certainty. *Refrain*
- 5 Keep us fervent in our witness,
 unswayed by earth's allure.
 Ever grant us zealous fitness,
 which you alone assure. *Refrain*

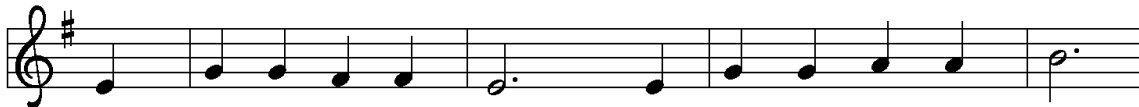
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GREETING

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

KYRIE



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

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HYMN OF PRAISE



- 1 Glo - ry be to God in heav - en; peace, good-will to all the earth.
- 2 Glo - ry be to Christ for - ev - er, Lamb of God and Lord of love.
- 3 Ho - ly One we now ac - claim you; Lord a - lone, to you we call;



Might - y God of all cre - a - tion, Fa - ther of sur - pass - ing worth:
Son of God and gra - cious Sav - ior, you have come from heav'n a - bove;
Ho - ly One in faith we name you, God most high, yet near to all:



we ex - alt you, we a - dore you, we lift high our thanks and praise.
on the cross you died to save us; now you reign at God's right hand.
Je - sus Christ, with God the Spir - it, in the Fa - ther's splen - dor bright.



Saints and an - gels bow be - fore you; here on earth our songs we raise.
Hear our prayer; re - store, for - give us; in your prom - ise firm we stand.
For the peace that we in - her - it, glo - ry be to God on high!

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P: The Lord be with you. **C:** And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God our creator, the resurrection of your Son offers life to all the peoples of earth. By your Holy Spirit, kindle in us the fire of your love, empowering our lives for service and our tongues for praise, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture, preaching and song.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Acts 2:1-21

Before Jesus ascended into heaven, he told his disciples they would be filled with the Holy Spirit. Now, amid signs of fire, wind, and a variety of languages, the people were amazed and astonished at Jesus' promise coming true.

¹ When the day of Pentecost had come, [the apostles] were all together in one place. ² And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³ Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴ All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵ Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶ And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷ Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸ And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹ Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰ Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹ Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹² All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³ But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." ¹⁴ But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and

addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵ Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o’clock in the morning. ¹⁶ No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷ ‘In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. ¹⁸ Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹ And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰ The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord’s great and glorious day. ²¹ Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.’ ”

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Send forth your Spirit and renew the face of the earth. (Ps. 104:30)

²⁴ How manifold are your works, O LORD!

In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

²⁵ **Yonder is the sea, great and wide, with its swarms too many to number,
living things both small and great.**

²⁶ There go the ships to and fro,
and Leviathan, which you made for the sport of it.

²⁷ **All of them look to you
to give them their food in due season.**

²⁸ You give it to them; they gather it;
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

²⁹ **When you hide your face, they are terrified;
when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust.**

³⁰ You send forth your Spirit, and they are created;
and so you renew the face of the earth.

³¹ **May the glory of the LORD endure forever;
O LORD, rejoice in all your works.**

³² You look at the earth and it trembles;
you touch the mountains and they smoke.

³³ **I will sing to the LORD as long as I live;
I will praise my God while I have my being.**

³⁴ May these words of mine please God.
I will rejoice in the LORD.

^{35b} **Bless the LORD, O my soul.
Hallelujah!**

Romans 8:14-17

Here Paul speaks about the mystery of baptism: through the Holy Spirit we are claimed, gathered, and welcomed into Christ's body, the church. And we receive a new name in our adoption: child of God.

¹⁴ For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. ¹⁵ For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" ¹⁶ it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, ¹⁷ and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

(The assembly stands as they are comfortable for the Gospel)

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le - lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

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P: The Holy Gospel according to John.

C: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

John 14:8-17 [25-27]

Though the disciples struggle with Jesus' nature and identity, they receive the promise that they too will be identified with God and God's mission. Though he must leave them now, Jesus promises the coming of the Advocate whom God will send to comfort and enlighten them.

[⁸ Philip said to [Jesus,] “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.”⁹ Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’?”¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works.¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves.¹² Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father.¹³ I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son.¹⁴ If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it.¹⁵ “If you love me, you will keep my commandments.¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever.¹⁷ This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. [²⁵ “I have said these things to you while I am still with you.²⁶ But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything, and remind you of all that I have said to you.²⁷ Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.”]

P: The Gospel of Our Lord.
C: Praise to You, O Christ.

HOMILY

(The assembly stands as they are able)

HYMN OF THE DAY “Spirit of Gentleness”

R396

Refrain

Spir - it, Spir - it of gen - tle - ness, blow through the wil - der - ness
 call - ing and free; Spir - it, Spir - it of rest - less - ness,
 stir me from plac - id - ness, wind, wind on the sea.



1 You moved on the wa - ters, you called to the deep,
 2 You swept through the des - ert, you stung with the sand,
 3 You sang in a sta - ble, you cried from a hill,



then you coaxed up the moun - tains from the val - leys of sleep;
 and you goad - ed your peo - ple with a law and a land;
 then you whis - pered in si - lence when the whole world was still;



and o - ver the e - ons you called to each thing:
 and when they were blind - ed with i - dols and lies,
 and down in the cit - y you called once a - gain,



“A - wake from your slum - bers and rise on your wings.”
 then you spoke through your proph - ets to o - pen their eyes.
 when you blew through your peo - ple on the rush of the wind.

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APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only son, our Lord,

**who was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,
 suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.**

He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again;

He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

(Response after each petition)

P: God of grace,

C: receive our prayer.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY *(the assembly stands as they are comfortable and sings as the gifts are brought forward)*



We place up - on your ta - ble, Lord, the food of life, the
Ac - cept them, Lord; they come from you; we take them hum - bly
bread and wine, as sym - bols of our dai - ly
from your hand. These gifts of yours for high - er
work, ac - cord - ing to your grand de - sign.
use, we of - fer up as you com - mand.

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P: Let us pray...Blessed are you, O God,

C: **source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

THANKSGIVING FOR THE WORD

P: O God of justice and love, we give thanks to you through life with the words of your Son. Give us the light we need, awaken us to the needs of others, and at the end bring all the world to your feast; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory forever.

C: **Amen.**

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.

**Save us from the time of trial and
deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

SENDING

BLESSING

P: The triune God, who was, who is, and who is to come, Sovereign, + Savior, and Spirit, light your way with resurrection dawn, now and always.

C: Amen.

SENDING HYMN

“God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind”

R400



1 God of tem - pest, God of whirl - wind, as on Pen - te -
2 God of blaz - ing, God of burn - ing, all that blocks your
3 God of earth - quake, God of thun - der, shake us loose from
4 God of pas - sion, God un - sleep - ing, stir in us love's



cost de - scend! Drive us out from shel - tered com - fort;
pur - pose, purge! Through your church, Christ's liv - ing Bod - y,
leth - ar - gy! Break the chains of sin a - sun - der,
rest - less - ness! Where the peo - ple cry in an - guish,



past these walls your peo - ple send! Sweep us in - to cost - ly ser - vice,
let your flam - ing Spir - it surge! Where de - ceit con - ceals in - jus - tice,
for earth's heal - ing set us free! Crum - ble walls that still di - vide us;
may we share your heart's dis - tress. Rouse us from con - tent with e - vil;



there with Christ to bear the cross, there with Christ to bear the cross!
kin - dle us to speak your truth, kin - dle us to speak your truth!
make us one in Christ our Lord, make us one in Christ our Lord!
claim us for your king - dom's work, claim us for your king - dom's work!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

P: Go in peace. In Christ you are made new. Alleluia! Alleluia!

C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!



POSTLUDE



WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT GRACE LUTHERAN

A congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

We are glad to have you here worshiping with us. For visitors, we would be glad to tell you more about Grace Lutheran and how we share God's love. Please leave the best way to contact you on the visitor sheets in the Sanctuary Narthex or the Office Lobby or use the bulletin and give it to an usher.

COFFEE HOUR AFTER SUNDAY WORSHIP

Join us for a time of fellowship with coffee/tea/juice and treats in the Fellowship Hall off the Office Lobby after our Sunday worship.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the Rev. Dr. Dan Maxwell for leading worship and preaching this weekend. Rev. Maxwell is a deacon in the Episcopal church ordained to Word and Service, thus communion will not be celebrated while Pastor Tom is gone.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Hope Kamyszek, Bill Whitscell, Adam Kamyszek, Kelly Pankey, Joanne Kindt, Eleanor Coddington, Sandy Malaski, Janet Chroninger, Bonnie Cross, Elfie Jahnke, Budd & Marlene Jobson, Meredith Smith, Robert Larsen, Vicki Piontkowski, Elaine Hatch, Scott Lancaster, Dorothy Hansen, Emma Nelson, Michele Amelotte, Jim Malaski -- Will Stafford (Rich & Sherie McTaggart's grandson), Becky & Dante, Lyle

Beck, Candy & Tom Laughlin, Alfonse & Margaret Kamyszek, Michelle, Sandra Christopherson, Joan Vanover, Clayton Peters, Bonnie Urlaub, Paige Lancewicz, Randy Thiem, Mychele Allmacher, Deborah Al-Duwaisan, Julie Stafford, Daphne Flack, Dixie Crevier, Brenda Donajkowski, Linda, Kaye Harry, Sandra Beck, Kevin Carlson, Laura Fettes (Don Cross' granddaughter), Donna Kendziorski, Jeff Kendziorski, Geraldine Rhoads, Herb Schiller, Jimmy Lappan, Donna Hatch, Jordyn, Maggie, and Joseph Hansen. We also remember the families of Dale Schultz and Pam Kirchoff, who passed away on May 31st.

Our prayer list is redone each month. If you, or a family member, would like to continue on the prayer list, please call the office (354-2640).

PRAYER PARTNERS

From the LARCC (Lutheran, Anglican, Roman Catholic and Congregational UCC) parishes of Alpena, this weekend we pray for the Ruth Circle at Grace Lutheran Church. Our Synod Prayer Partners for this week: Immanuel Lutheran Church/Grand Ledge, Rev. Charles Foerster; and Bishop Craig Satterlee and Synod Staff.

PRAYER LETTERS

Please sign the prayer letter(s) each week that we send out telling other churches and ministries they have been included in our prayers. Fill the page with our names. The letter(s) are on the podium by the table in the Office Lobby.

SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday June 29th following Worship

Purpose: Adoption of the new Grace Lutheran Constitution
Congregation Council has called a Special Congregation Meeting for the purpose of adopting a new Congregation Constitution. The meeting shall be at 11 AM on Sunday, June 29th at Grace Lutheran. Anyone wishing to view the Constitution may do so at the church office, or pick up a printed copy or have it emailed to them.

TACOS & TRIVIA NIGHT

The "Tacos & Trivia Night", held on May 16th, from 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm, was a complete success! Attendees included 4 teams of Grace Lutheran Church members and 4 teams of people from our community, with a total of 40 people in attendance. Each team came up with a fun team name such as "The Brainy Bunch" or "Senior Moments." Everyone enjoyed a delicious taco bar, desserts and fellowship before the trivia portion of the night began. Tracie Werblow Granata did a fantastic job as moderator and door prizes were drawn between each trivia category. The 2nd place team (the "Trivia Masters") received large candy bars, and the winning team (the "Yahoos") each received a \$25.00 gift card from Pompeyos Mexican Grill!!! Thanks for coming everyone!

THE STORY PROPERTY - HOW SHOULD WE USE IT ?

Our empty lot across the street, the former home of Homer Story, is a resource for the church. Council is seeking ideas of how it can be used to support the ministry and mission of the church and be of benefit to the community. Let's brainstorm and see what use we can put it to. Send your ideas to the Church Office. Thanks.

MEMORIAL & GIFT LIST

Several years ago, Grace established the Memorial and Gift List. The List is comprised of items that have come from suggestions of the Work Groups or individuals through the Work Groups to support the ministry and mission of Grace Lutheran. Council then selects the ones to be placed on the Memorial and Gift List in a range of costs so that as memorials or gifts come in the donor may designate the gift toward a specific item until sufficient funds accumulate to purchase it.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Grace has sent \$400 Community Outreach Dollars to the Alpena Senior Center to support their Meals on Wheels program.

QUILTERS RUMMAGE SALE

The Quilters Rummage Sale is coming soon...Friday & Saturday, August 22 & 23. Donations of items will be greatly appreciated. Please no pieces of furniture or other large items. Also, please keep your items until close to the dates, so moving them from the basement to the Fellowship Hall is eliminated. Thank you in advance!

THANK YOU to Bishop Craig A Satterlee for his twelve years (2 terms) of service to the Synod. And God's Speed to his next endeavors.

NEW BISHOP

Congratulations to Rev. Julie Schneider-Thomas on her election as the next Bishop of the North/West Lower Michigan Synod - ELCA. She comes from churches around the Grand Rapids area.

N/W LOWER MICHIGAN SYNOD ASSEMBLY - NEW BISHOP ELECTED

On May 18-20, Jan Charter attended the North/West Lower Michigan Synod Assembly in Mt. Pleasant. The theme of the Assembly was “Live a Life Worthy of Our Calling.” Every six years, a Bishop is elected at the Assembly, and this was the year for that. One of our guest speakers, the Rev. Tim Graham, Bishop of the Indiana-Kentucky Synod, described our time together as having a “ferocious pace.” I had reviewed the agenda and Assembly materials beforehand and, although I saw a very full schedule, I thought we would have some unscheduled free time because the agenda provided for five ballots to elect the Bishop. Surely, I thought, we won’t need five ballots. But I was wrong. And that should tell you something. If you guessed that we now have a new Bishop, you would be right. Her name is Julie Schneider-Thomas; she pastors Zion Lutheran in Comstock Park and Hope Lutheran in Rockford, and will begin her new position on September 1. Based on her ordination year of 1996, I’m guessing she’s in her mid-50s. Her husband is also a pastor.

Apart from the incredibly complicated election process, the Assembly was a very moving experience for me. Just hearing over 250 people singing together (which we did a lot) was a real thrill. You could just feel the Holy Spirit around us in that room. We did a lot of praying, especially when readying ourselves to cast our ballots, and everyone took this time of discerning very seriously. It was a joy to see people so interested and thoughtful during our entire time together. Although I was the only person attending from Grace, I made a new friend, and I would like to attend the next Assembly if I’m able. Please join me next year!

150TH BALLOONS - ARE THEY EVER GOING TO FALL??????

It's been a year since our 150th Anniversary Celebration and Dinner. Three balloons are still floating. And *ONLY TWO* people's guesses are still possible. You can still enter your guess when the last one will fall down. The PRIZE is getting bigger all the time.

SUNDAY WORSHIP LIVESTREAMED AND RECORDED

Our Sunday worship service is livestreamed, shown on the internet, as it is happening and recorded for viewing online later. People in the sanctuary attending the Sunday service may be seen as part of the livestream and recording.



Congratulations Graduates!

High School

Nicole Bradford

Nicole is the granddaughter of Donna & Mike Morgan.
She lives in Liberty, Missouri and is interested
in pursuing flight school after graduation.

Alpena Community College

Patrick McCourt

Computer Information Systems Degree
Patrick plans to pursue a career in the IT field.

United States Air Force Academy

Amelia Berles

Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies
and
A Commission as a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force
Amelia will be attending Pilot School in the near future.



*We are blessed as a congregation to honor our youth as
they graduate and begin this new phase in their lives.*



June



Anniversaries of Baptism

June 2
Matthew Gillard

June 3
Nancy Amelotte

June 6
June Daly

June 7
Kendra McInerney

June 8
Dawn Anderson
Emma Barber
Laurie Hansen

June 12
Jan Charter
Peggy Tomaszewski

June 13
Amelia Berles

June 14
Pamela Nowak

June 15
Connor Freel
Craig Weise

June 16
Brianna Himes

June 20
Pamela Agius
Kayla Bertrand
Everett Haske

June 21
Tiffany Oliver
Bryan Stafford

June 22
Matthew Kibbe

June 24
Betty Bedford

June 25
Nicholas Fraley

June 26
Alecia Lewis
Tyler McKenzie

June 27
Tracie Granata
Roger Pankey

June 29
Chad Lewis
Erin Nowak
Karen Suszek

June 30
Lorah Lappan

Birthdays



June 1
Raymond Reynolds

June 4
Hope Kamyszek

June 5
Shelly Olsen
Nicklas Schultz
Valerie Slaght

June 11
William Matzke

June 13
Nicholas Fraley
Izzy Szymanski

June 16
Beckett Granata
William Whitscell

June 18
Jessica Gillard
Erin Nowak

June 20
Rhonda Anderson
Sara Lappan

June 21
Amelia Kamyszek

June 22
Ava Lappan

June 25
Kelly Pankey

June 26
Savannah Kamyszek

June 27
Jo Ann Reinholz

June 28
Tim Schultz

June 29
Nathan Engstrom
Anne Gentry
Isaac Matzke
Gerri Moors

June 30
Trey Garant
Andrew Lappan
Mary Lappan
Lucas Palmer
Marco Wade
Owen Wade



Wedding Anniversaries

8th Peter & Pamela Nowak
14th Mark & Rhonda Himes
23rd Mark & Tawny Freel

30th Wayne & Chris Christopherson
30th Rodney & Emily Szymanski

HAPPENING THIS WEEK!

Sunday - 8th

8:50 am Choir Practice
9:30 am **Worship**

Monday - 9th

8am-noon Church Office Open
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved

Tuesday - 10th

8am-noon Church Office Open
9:00 am Sewing/Quilting
11:00 am Pastors Text Study -
Lounge

Wednesday - 11th

8am-noon Church Office Open
6:00 pm Bell Choir

Thursday - 12th

8am-noon Church Office Open
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved

Friday - 6th

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
8am-2pm Kitchen Reserved

Saturday - 7th

5:00 pm **Worship**

SERVING JUNE 7/8

Ministers God's People
Pastor..... Rev. Dr. Dan Maxwell
Music Director..... Claire Witt
Recorded AccompanimentKat Tomaszewski
Comm. Asst...... Sherie McTaggart, JoAnn Smith
Lector Ruby Haske
Ushers..Wayne & Chris Christopherson, June Daly
GreetersMary Rowader, Cindy Domrase
Altar Guild..... Kathy Piontkowski, Kelli Liske
Livestream Team.....Dawn Anderson, Jan Charter,
Don LaBarre, Alex Struble
Counters..... Cheryl Lang, Sherie McTaggart,
Cindy Suszek
Coffee HourDarlene Freel, Nancy Platt,
Mary Rowader

SERVING JUNE 14/15

Ministers God's People
Pastor.....Rev. Tom Orth
Music Director..... Claire Witt
Recorded AccompanimentKat Tomaszewski
Comm. Asst...... Sherie McTaggart, JoAnn Smith
LectorCorinne Fraley
Ushers..Wayne & Chris Christopherson, June Daly
Greeters Rich & Sherie McTaggart
Altar Guild..... Kathy Piontkowski, Kelli Liske
Livestream Team.....Dawn Anderson, Jan Charter,
Don LaBarre, Alex Struble
Counters..... Cheryl Lang, Sherie McTaggart,
Cindy Suszek
Coffee HourJeff & Sandy Welch

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