

Grace Lutheran
Worship Folder

August 22 & 23, 2026



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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: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, whose compassion endures forever.

C: Amen.

P: Let us confess our sin to God.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Compassionate God,

C: we confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves. In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light. Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ’s name we pray, Amen.

P: Jesus says, “Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest.” In the name of God, Father, + Son, and Holy Spirit, our sins are forgiven. Rest in God’s love.

C: Amen.

GATHERING HYMN “Give Me Jesus”

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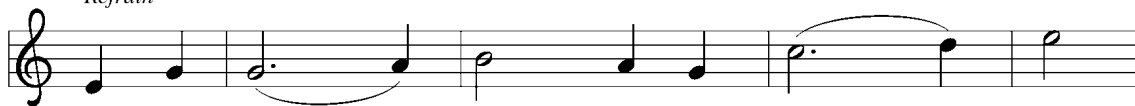


1 In the morn-ing when I rise, in the morn-ing when I rise,
 2 Dark . . . mid-night was my cry, dark . . . mid-night was my cry,
 3 Just a - bout the break of day, just a - bout the break of day,
 4 Oh, . . . when I come to die, oh, . . . when I come to die,
 5 And . . . when I want to sing, and . . . when I want to sing,



in the morn-ing when I rise, give me Je - sus.
 dark . . . mid - night was my cry, give me Je - sus.
 just a - bout the break of day, give me Je - sus.
 oh, when I come to die, give me Je - sus.
 and when I want to sing, give me Je - sus.

Refrain



Give me Je - sus, give me Je - sus.



You may have all the rest, give me Je - sus.

Text: African American spiritual

Music: GIVE ME JESUS, African American spiritual This selection is in the public domain.

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 (Sing twice)



Take, oh, take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall be;



set your seal up - on my heart and live in me.

Text: John L. Bell, b. 1949

Music: TAKE ME AS I AM, John L. Bell

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HYMN OF PRAISE



Lord, I lift your name on high; Lord, I love to sing your prais - es.



I'm so glad you're in my life, I'm so glad you came to save us.



You came from heav - en to earth to show the way, from the earth



to the cross, my debt to pay, from the cross to the grave,



from the grave to the sky; Lord, I lift your name on high.

Text: Rick Founds, b. 1954

Music: Rick Founds

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LORD, I LIFT YOUR NAME

PM

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, with all your faithful followers of every age, we praise you, the rock of our life. Be our strong foundation and form us into the body of your Son, that we may gladly minister to all the world, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture, preaching and song.

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Isaiah 51:1-6

Just as God had called Abraham and Sarah and given them many descendants, so now God offers comfort to Zion. God's deliverance will come soon and will never end.

¹ Listen to me, you who pursue righteousness, you who seek the LORD. Look to the rock from which you were hewn and to the quarry from which you were dug. ² Look to Abraham your father and to Sarah, who bore you, for he was but one when I called him, but I blessed him and made him many. ³ For the LORD will comfort Zion; he will comfort all her waste places and will make her wilderness like Eden, her desert like the garden of the LORD; joy and gladness will be found in her, thanksgiving and the voice of song. ⁴ Listen to me, my people, and give heed to me, my nation, for a teaching will go out from me and my justice for a light to the peoples. ⁵ I will bring near my deliverance swiftly; my salvation has gone out, and my arms will rule the peoples; the coastlands wait for me, and for my arm they hope. ⁶ Lift up your eyes to the heavens and look at the earth beneath, for the heavens will vanish like smoke, the earth will wear out like a garment, and those who live on it will die like gnats, but my salvation will be forever, and my deliverance will never be ended.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 138

O LORD, your steadfast love endures forever. (Ps. 138:8)

¹ I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart;
before the gods I will sing your praise.

² **I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your name, because of
your steadfast love and faithfulness;
for you have glorified your name and your word above all things.**

³ When I called, you answered me;
you increased my strength within me.

⁴ **All the rulers of the earth will praise you, O LORD,
when they have heard the words of your mouth.**

⁵ They will sing of the ways of the LORD,
that great is the glory of the LORD.

⁶ **The LORD is high, yet cares for the lowly,
perceiving the haughty from afar.**

⁷ Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe;
you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand
shall save me.

⁸ **You will make good your purpose for me;
O LORD, your steadfast love endures forever; do not abandon the works of
your hands.**

Romans 12:1-8

In response to God's merciful activity, we are to worship by living holistic, God-pleasing lives. Our values and viewpoints are not molded by the time in which we live but are transformed by the Spirit's renewing work. God's grace empowers different forms of service among Christians, but all forms of ministry function to build up the body of Christ.

¹ I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, on the basis of God's mercy, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your reasonable act of worship. ² Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect. ³ For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of yourself more highly than you ought to think but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. ⁴ For as in one body we have many members and not all the members have the same function, ⁵ so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually we are members one of another. ⁶ We have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us: prophecy, in proportion to faith; ⁷ ministry, in ministering; the teacher, in

teaching; ⁸ the encourager, in encouragement; the giver, in sincerity; the leader, in diligence; the compassionate, in cheerfulness.

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



Hal-le, hal - le, hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal -
- le - lu - jah. Hal - le, hal - le, hal - le -
lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah. Hal - le - lu - jah.

P: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew.

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

Matthew 16:13-20

At a climactic point in Jesus' ministry, God reveals to Peter that Jesus is "the Messiah, the Son of the living God," and Jesus responds with the promise of a church that will overcome the very gates of Hades.

¹³ Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say that the Son of Man is?" ¹⁴ And they said, "Some say John the Baptist but others Elijah and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets." ¹⁵ He said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" ¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." ¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, "Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you but my Father in heaven. ¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven." ²⁰ Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

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

HOMILY

(The assembly stands as they are comfortable)

HYMN OF THE DAY “Here on Jesus Christ I Will Stand”

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Refrain



Kwa - ke Ye - su na - si - ma - ma, ndi - ye
Here on Je - sus Christ I will stand. He's the

mwam - ba ni sa - la - ma. Ndi - ye mwam - ba ni sa - la -
sol - id rock of my life. He's the sol - id rock of my

ma, ndi - ye mwam - ba ni sa - la - ma.
life. He's the sol - id rock of my life.

1 There's no oth - er place I can hide till the
2 It is not the work of my hands that has
3 When my days on this earth are done, and I

storm that rag - es sub - sides. My voice cries to God from the
washed a - way all my sins. I'm re - deemed, and all of my
stand at God's ho - ly throne, my heart will not have an - y

Text: Kenyan hymn; adapt. Greg Scheer, b. 1966

Music: KWAKE YESU NASIMAMA, Kenyan melody; adapt. Greg Scheer

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Refrain



flood, and I'm saved be - cause of his blood.
 days, Je - sus Christ will be my heart's praise.
 fear; in Christ's righ - teous - ness I am here.

AFFIRMATION OF BAPTISM

(Please turn to page 234 in the red ELW hymnal)

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS

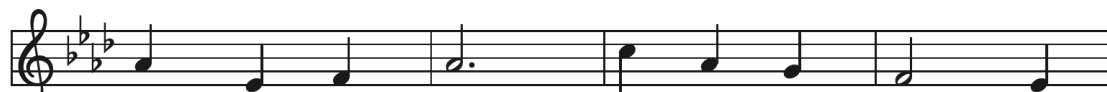
(Response after each petition)

P: God of grace,

C: hear our prayer.

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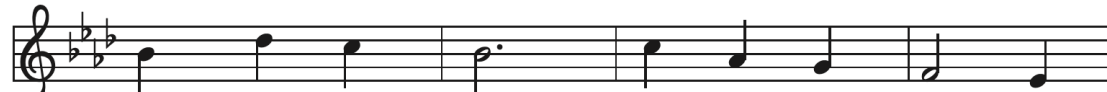
OFFERTORY *(the assembly stands as they are comfortable and sings as the gifts are brought forward)*



1 God's work, our hands: work - ing to - geth - er,



build - ing a fu - ture, re - pair - ing the world,



rais - ing up homes, plant - ing new gar - dens,



feed - ing the hun - gry and shelt - 'ring the cold.



Bless, God, our hands as we work in your name,



shar - ing the good news of your gos - pel.

Text: Wayne L. Wold, b. 1954

Music: EARTH AND ALL STARS, David N. Johnson, 1922-1987

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P: Let us pray...Loving God,

C: we offer at your table the gifts of our hearts. Help us take heart in you and share freely of your love, so that all creation can taste your abundance. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit abiding with us now and forever. Amen.

GREAT THANKSGIVING

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise...(concluding)...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more



than we ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand.



Bless - ed are you com - ing near. Bless - ed are you com - ing here



to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead.



You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,

you are pres - ent. Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord!

Sing ho - san - na in the high - est!

Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

Text: Per Harling, b. 1945

Music: DU ÅR HELIG, Per Harling

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EUCHARISTIC PRAYER/WORDS OF INSTITUTION

P: God of our weary years, God of our silent tears, you have brought us this far along the way. . .

P: . . . we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

P: Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection, . . .

P: Come, Lord Jesus! And let the church say, Amen.

C: Amen.

P: Send your Holy Spirit, our advocate, . . .

P: Come, Spirit of freedom! And let the church say, Amen.

C: Amen.

P: Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all glory and honor is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

C: Amen.

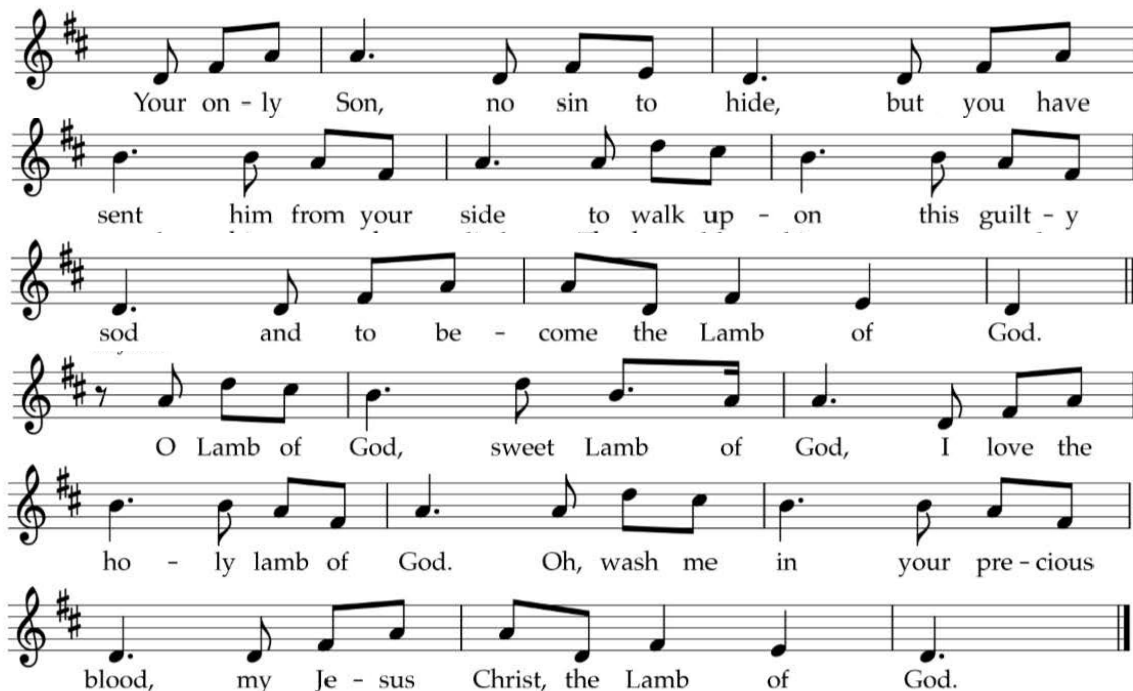
LORD'S PRAYER

**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 and ever. Amen.**

HOLY COMMUNION

(All who desire to receive Christ's presence in bread and wine are welcome to participate in the Eucharist)

P: Heaven has come near. Come, share in the feast!



Your on - ly Son, no sin to hide, but you have
 sent him from your side to walk up - on this guilt - y
 sod and to be - come the Lamb of God.
 O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the
 ho - ly lamb of God. Oh, wash me in your pre - cious
 blood, my Je - sus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Text: Twila Paris, b. 1958

Music: Twila Paris

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COMMUNION HYMN

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

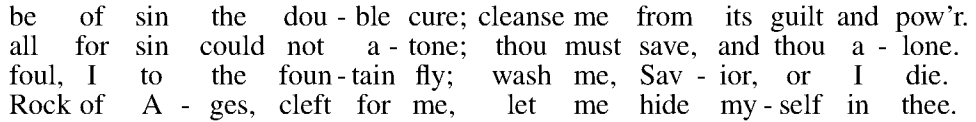
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- 1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee;
- 2 Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fill thy law's de - mands;
- 3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; sim - ply to thy cross I cling.
- 4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when mine eye - lids close in death,



let the wa - ter and the blood, from thy riv - en side which flowed,
 could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,
 Na - ked, come to thee for dress; help - less, look to thee for grace;
 when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,



Music: TOPLADY, Thomas Hastings, 1784–1872 This selection is in the public domain.

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: through the gifts of bread and wine our hearts are filled with the abundance of your love. Strengthen us that we, through this holy meal, may share your love freely, as you have shared with us. We ask this in the name of Jesus, through the Spirit nourishing us now and forever. Amen.

BLESSING

P: Creator, Redeemer, Sustainer, + one God, bless, heal, and hold you today and always.

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1 We all are one in mis - sion; we all are one in call,
 2 We all are called for ser - vice, to wit - ness in God's name.
 3 Now let us be u - nit - ed, and let our song be heard.



our var - ied gifts u - nit - ed by Christ, the Lord of all.
 Our min - is - tries are dif - f'rent; our pur - pose is the same:
 Now let us be a ves - sel for God's re - deem - ing Word.



A sin - gle great com - mis - sion com - pels us from a - bove
 to touch the lives of oth - ers with God's sur - pris - ing grace,
 We all are one in mis - sion; we all are one in call,



to plan and work to - geth - er that all may know Christ's love.
 so ev - 'ry folk and na - tion may feel God's warm em - brace.
 our var - ied gifts u - nit - ed by Christ, the Lord of all.

Text: Rusty Edwards, b. 1955

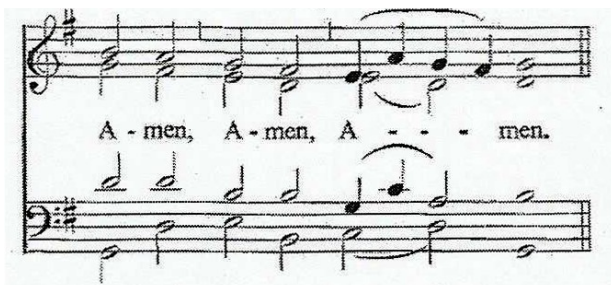
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

P: Go in peace. Seek equality and justice for all.

C: Thanks be to God.



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.

ALTAR FLOWERS

In Memory of My Mom, Jeannine Clayton
Given by Janet Bettega

PRAYER PARTNERS

From the LARCC (Lutheran, Anglican, Roman Catholic and Congregational UCC) parishes of Alpena, this weekend we pray for World Peace through First Congregational UCC. Our Synod Prayer Partner for this week: Lebanon Lutheran/Whitehall, Rev. Doug Ogden; and Bishop Julie Schneider-Thomas 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.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Meredith Smith, Jon Crow, Larry Garant, Patti Tucker, Bonnie Cross, Darlene Freel, Hope Kamyszek, Sandy Malaski, Janet Chroninger, Elfie Jahnke, Robert Larsen, Elaine Hatch, Scott Lancaster, Emma Nelson, Michele Amelotte, Jim Malaski -- Kelly Hirzel, Nicole Zbytowski, Dana Cruse-Malcomson, Cheryl Gauthier, Tamyra Rychlinski, Ho-Ok Nam Lin (Pastor Seok Nam Lin's mother), Maria Shelton, Lysie, Becky & Dante, Tyson, Georgia, Lyle Beck, Candy & Tom Laughlin, Joan Vanover, Mychele Allmacher, Sandra Beck, Laura Fettes (Don Cross' granddaughter), Donna Kendziorski, Jeff Kendziorski, Jordyn, Maggie, and Joseph Hansen. We also remember the family of Eldon Cripps, who passed away on April 8th. Military: Will Stafford (Rich & Sherie McTaggart's grandson), Amelia Berles, US Air Force Pilot Training, and Michael Herrmann, US Air Force.

CONFIRMATION

God bless Brody Rush Engstrom, Ella Sophie Engstrom, Myles Thomas Granata, Piper Elise Slominski and Harper Grace Suszek who are being Confirmed during our Sunday morning worship on August 23rd. A reception in their honor will follow the 9:30 a.m. service in the fellowship hall.

ADULT CHRISTIAN ED - AUGUST 23

What Kind of Life

What kind of life honors God, Jesus and the Spirit? The Wired Word talks of nonagenarians who did quite incredible things in their later years, including Guinness World Records. Remarkable achievements. But how do we honor God with our living, *ALL* our life long? Join us at 11 in the Lounge as we talk about living faithfully.

QUILTERS RUMMAGE SALE

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28 ~ 8AM-5PM & SATURDAY, AUGUST 29 ~ 8AM-NOON

Donations of items will be greatly appreciated. Please no pieces of furniture or other large items. Items may be brought in for the sale through August 27. Please put them on the tables in the quilting area so moving them from the basement to the Fellowship Hall is eliminated. **HELP NEEDED:** We will be setting up for the rummage sale on Tuesday, August 25 starting at 9 a.m. Any help will be appreciated!

The quilters will not meet on August 25th. We will resume the following week.

PASTOR TOM'S RETIREMENT LUNCHEON - AUGUST 30 AT 11:30 AM

Pastor Tom's retirement luncheon will be held on August 30 at 11:30 a.m. at Grace Lutheran. We invite you to attend and are asking that you sign up on the sheet in the Office Lobby so we have a head count or let the office know. We also ask that you sign up for a dish to pass.

MUSIC AT GRACE

Choir and Bell Choir are starting up in September! If you are interested in either, please sign up in the lobby or contact Claire by email: sclaire489@gmail.com. There will be a music potluck on Wednesday, September 16th at 6:00pm to go over further information and details. If you would like to bring a dish, you can sign up in the lobby as well.

LITTLE FOOD PANTRY NEEDS

Fresh zucchini, tomatoes and cucumbers have recently been donated to the pantry. If you have an abundance, please donate. It goes fast.

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.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF (LWR) PERSONAL CARE KITS

Once again we will be collecting items for LWR Personal Care Kits. Please contribute what you are able to. Items needed for each kit (new items please):

- ◆ One light-weight cotton or cotton blend bath-size towel (20" to 27" x 40" to 52"), dark color recommended
- ◆ 2-3 bath-size bars of soap totaling 8-9 oz, in original packaging (no mini or hotel size bars, please)
- ◆ One adult-size toothbrush in its original packaging (toothbrush multi-packs may be used by sealing an individual toothbrush in a business-size envelope; no plastic bags or wrap)
- ◆ One sturdy comb (no picks or fine toothed combs)
- ◆ One metal nail clippers (attached file optional)

If you would like to make a monetary donation, please mark the envelope "Personal Care Kits." If writing a check, please make it out to "Grace Lutheran Church."

Collection will take place throughout July and August 2026. Items may be placed in tall basket just outside the Fellowship Hall.

CARDS FOR JON CROW

Jon Crow is currently hospitalized in Chelsea, Michigan, and is expected to remain there for an extended period. If you would like to brighten his day with a note of encouragement or a get-well card, please consider sending one to:

Jon Crow
Chelsea Hospital Room 2107
775 S Main St
Chelsea, MI 48118

PASTOR TOM'S RETIREMENT

The date for Pastor Tom's finishing of pastoral ministry at Grace Lutheran has been set for August 31 of this year. At May's Council meeting Bishop Julie Schneider-Thomas of our North/West Lower Michigan Synod ELCA joined in via Zoom to inform the Council of the Call Process and the actions to begin taking now. She shared the support the Synod gives in the process and where they are involved. Council is beginning active work on the next steps and would welcome any questions from church members. On Sunday, July 26, Council met with Rev. Scott Torkko, Assistant to the Bishop, talking about next steps in the call process and any needs/concerns/questions from Council right now. Rev. Torkko will be leading worship and presiding on September 12 and 13 here at Grace to continue the Synod support and work with Grace on next steps in the process.

Anniversaries of Baptism



August



August 1

Vicki Denstaedt
Kiowa Kirchoff

August 4

Jeremy Jacobs
Margaret O'Connor

August 5

Grace Hoeft
Ryan Reynolds
Anthony Thompson

August 6

Margaret Clemens
Myra Cross
Anna Lewis

August 10

Shelly Olsen

August 12

Jordyn Cieslik

August 13

Trey Garant
James Malaski

August 14

Brett Werblow



August 17

Jakob Bauer

August 19

Alan Brilinski
Nathan Engstrom
Corinne Fraley

August 20

Isaac Matzke

August 21

William Matzke

August 22

Pam Gohlke

August 23

Riley Gohlke
Raymond Reynolds

August 28

Debra Nitchman

August 29

Anne Gentry

August 4

Alan Brilinski
Dawn Gentry

August 5

Norman Schillerstrom

August 6

Amelia Berles
Corinne Fraley
Aaron Nowak

August 7

Shirley Diamond

August 8

Mark Freel
Monroe Garant

August 9

Joel Gillard
Michael Urlaub

August 10

Sandra Malaski
Deb Wcisel-Ellsworth

August 11

Joann Smith

August 12

Carey Schiller
Madison Szymanski

August 13

Jamie Gentry
Grace Hoeft

August 18

Ed Czarnecki

August 19

Charity Corwin

August 20

Drew Gentry
Wayne Lewis

August 21

Donna Morgan
Brody Nowak

August 22

Rachel Engstrom
Jeffrey Welch

August 23

Ruby Haske
Travis Konarzewski

August 28

Debra Nitchman

Wedding Anniversaries

3rd Jim & Sandy Malaski
4th Sean & Taylor Hayward
5th Allen & Judy Douglas
Gary & Kay Grove
7th Cody & Jessie Suszek
14th Larry & Connie Suszek
16th Tyler & Stephanie Suszek

19th Phil & Pam Agius
21st Rick & Sharon Engstrom
22nd Jerry & Jan Charter
24th Randy & Kenda Yochum
26th Ed & Donna Czarnecki
27th Pat & June Daly
Jason & Jessica Slominski
28th Don LaBarre & Anne Gentry

HAPPENING THIS WEEK!

Sunday – 23rd

9:30 am **Worship**
11:00 am Adult CE - Lounge

Monday - 24th

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

Tuesday - 25th

8am-noon Church Office Open
NO Quilting Today
9:00 am Rummage Sale Set Up
11:00 am Pastors Text Study -
Lounge

Wednesday - 26th

8am-noon Church Office Open

Thursday - 27th

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

Friday - 28th

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
8am-5pm Rummage Sale

Saturday - 29th

8am-noon Rummage Sale
5:00 pm **Worship**

SERVING AUGUST 22/23

Ministers God's People
Pastor Rev. Tom Orth
Music Director Claire Witt
Organist Kat Tomaszewski
Comm. Asst. Joe Gentry, Stephanie Suszek,
Cindy Domrase

Lector Corinne Fraley
Ushers Mike & Tracey Urlaub, Bruno Hirzel,
Christine Herman, Susan Howard (Sat.)

Greeters Joel & Cindy Suszek
Altar Guild Karen Suszek, Jo Ann Smith

Livestream Team ... Dawn Anderson, Jan Charter,
Don LaBarre, Alex Struble

Counters Wayne & Chris Christopherson,
Darlene Freel

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