



# THE MESSENGER

**2014**

**Worship Schedule**  
**Sunday: 8 AM and 10:30 AM**  
**Sunday Church School for all ages:**  
**9:15 AM**

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## Teenager in the House

*Let no one despise your youth, but be an example to the believers in word, in conduct, in love, in spirit, in faith, in purity. I Timothy 4:12*

What is it like to live with a teenager? Well, I am soon to find out.

On August 3, Polo turns thirteen! Now, I know in “dog years” he’s much older than that. But in many ways, he still acts like a kid.

Now that he’ll be a teenager, I can imagine the “woofs” and the looks telling me “I’m bored.” What’s there to eat?” “Is that all you have?”

Yes, I’ve heard living with a teenager can be a challenge. But, it can also be a wonderful blessing.

At Grace Lutheran we are so blessed and enriched having teenagers “in the house.” They have shown themselves to be fine witnesses of God and outstanding representatives of our congregation and community.

This summer several youth traveled on a YouthWorks! Mission Trip to Newport, TN. There they worked from morning to evening on many service projects helping our southern neighbors in need. They provided fun recreational activities for residents at a long-term care facility. They shared the Good News with children at day camp Bible School. They refurbished and repainted buildings at the local fairgrounds. Plus, they had time to grow in their faith and develop caring relationships among themselves and other Christian teens there.

It seems they had no sooner returned and rested when they put themselves to work here at church. On the Saturday after coming home, a group of teens cleaned out the grates around the church buildings; put up fencing for Vacation Bible School activities; and carted in wagonloads of food for our food pantry. Thank you! We appreciate you!

Over the past few years, our teens have stepped up in many capacities to show and share God’s love here and away.

- They did lawn care, mulching and painted the fence at the home of a senior member.
- Our teens put up a Christmas tree and decorated it for another senior member when she was unable to do so.
- Our youth have filled and delivered Christmas Cheer packages to our homebound and nursing home members.
- They fill and hide the Easter Eggs for our annual Easter Egg Hunt.
- And I’m sure our teens do more than I have space for here or even know about.

For all this and more, we say “Thank You”. We’re proud of you. You’re a wonderful blessing and our bright hope for the future.


As for Polo, as long as he doesn’t ask for the car keys, I think we’ll do all right.

**Senior Pastor Donald L. Rice Jr.**

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# Planning Council

**PLANNING  
COUNCIL**  
**Next Meeting**  
**Sept. 9th, 2014**  
**@ 6:45 PM**



## Facts and Figures

<p><b>Attendance June 2014</b> Weekly Average: 141 Difference: +1 (+.5%)</p> <p><b>Offerings June 2014</b> Total: \$17,998.14 Difference + \$1540.69 Weekly Average: \$3766.63 Weekly Difference: +441.14 (+13%)</p>	<p><b>Attendance June 2013</b> Weekly Average: 140</p> <p><b>Offerings June 2013</b> Total: \$16,457.45 Weekly Average: \$3325.49</p>
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Since You Asked...

## Since You Asked...

**Greetings, Pastor. I have a question for you. My three year old granddaughter asked me "Does God ever sleep?" I thought about it and told her that I don't think he sleeps, but he might rest. Like when she takes her nap every day. Do you have any suggestions?**

This is an excellent question. I'm sure many parents, grandparents and others have had this question asked. Maybe we've heard, "I don't need a nap! God doesn't take one!"

You've also hit on a great answer. It's true. God does not sleep, but he certainly rests.

In Psalm 121: 4, we read, "God neither slumbers or sleeps..." God does not sleep, but constantly and unflinching keeps a careful and close watch over us.

Yet, God needs and takes a rest. After six busy days of creation, God rested as recorded in Genesis 2: 2-3. While Jesus, the Son of God lived among us, he certainly needed time to sleep and get some rest, just like us. Jesus would often go to a quiet place to rest, refresh and re-charge. There are nine examples of this in the Gospels, including Mark 1:35 and Mark 6:45-46.

God wants us and expects us to rest, too. That is why God made a Sabbath day as a day of rest. (Exodus 20:8-11)

God bless you and sleep in heavenly peace.

### Summer Worship Highlights

**August 3:** Special Music: Donna Keller, solo handbells

**August 24:** Special Music and accompaniment by the Tuba Fours, 10:30 a.m. Service.

### Thursday Bible Study

The Thursday noon Bible study will resume on August 14.

Study Guides for that date will be mailed to all current participants ahead of time. If you wish to join the classes, contact the church office and we will send you a copy, too.



*Don't Forget The 2nd*

*Loved Beyond Measure*

**Women's Bible Study**

**Wednesday, August 20th 7:00pm - 8:00pm**

You are invited to attend the second in our series "Loved Beyond Measure" Women's Bible Study.

It will again be held in the Outreach Center.

Join us and learn how to

**"Discover Your Own Personal Identity".**

Feel free to invite a guest!

*If you missed the 1st meeting you can still attend!*

**REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR BIBLE AND YOUR "LOVED BEYOND MEASURE" CUP**



*To plan for seating, we ask that you please R.S.V.P. by calling Linda McFadden at 330-343-3911*

## Announcements & Thank Yous



**MEN'S CORN ROAST**  
**Wednesday, August 13th**  
**at 6:00 pm**  
**DEIS HILL SHELTER #3**



We sincerely apologize for omitting Karol Lindow's name from the July listing of Gallery Choir members. We appreciate her adding her voice and talent to the choir's worship music.

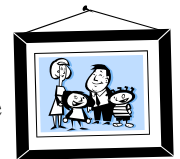
Thank You.



Has it been that long? It's been four years since our last church picture directory. Since then several new families have joined the congregation and many others have celebrated births, marriages and more.

Pictures for the new Church Directory will be taken by Lifetouch in Luther Hall November 4-8, 2014. Sign-up sheets will be located in the church narthex beginning late September. Please select a date and time that is most convenient for you. We are praying for a great turn-out.

Look for more detailed information in the September messenger.



Here's to seeing your smiling face(s) in the new directory!



### CELEBRATION 2014

Our 2014 **Rally Day**  
**and Church Picnic**  
 will be celebrated  
 Sunday, September 14.

**Rally Day** will be celebrated during the 9:15 Sunday School hour in Fellowship Hall. Continental breakfast foods and beverages will be available. Children and youth will be promoted, introduced to their teachers and the 2014 curriculum. Christian Faith and Life Ministries is coordinating this event.

Our **Annual Church Picnic** will be held outdoors in the parking area behind the Grace Outreach Center. The event will include a 70-foot obstacle course for the kids and other activities. The centerpiece of the picnic will be our homemade covered dishes. Each family is asked to bring a family favorite covered dish and/or dessert to share. Beverages and tableware will be provided. Hospitality Ministries is planning a delicious and fun-filled time for all. Mark your calendars now and plan to join the day's festivities.



Dear Church and Phillip Jr. and Marceil Hammerstrom scholarship committee,

Thank you so much for the generous scholarship awarded to me. My family and I are so very grateful for this award. It will be a tremendous help towards my tuition at Ohio Northern as I pursue my pharmacy degree. I'm truly blessed to be a part of this church.

Also I would like to thank Pastor Rice for my graduation gift. It will be a great reminder of my church family as it sits on my desk.

Josh Fisher

Thank You



To the Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

I was very ecstatic to learn that I was a recipient of the Phillip Jr. and Marceil Hammerstrom Scholarship for a fourth year in a row. I am writing to thank you for your generous, financial support towards my higher education.

I am a public health major who plans to pursue a career in health administration. I am currently a senior and plan to graduate in the spring of 2015. After graduation, I will seek employment or attend graduate school.

By awarding me with this scholarship, I'm able to concentrate on what's important to me, education. Your financial generosity has allowed me to be one step closer to my goal.

Sincerely,  
Alexis Stein



Dear Committee Members:

May I express my sincere thanks once again to the scholarship committee for your continued support by awarding me the Phillip Jr. & Marceil Hammerstrom Scholarship in the most generous amount of \$4000! This money will go towards tuition during my final year at The University of Akron and is greatly appreciated. I am blessed to be part of this wonderful church family here at Grace, and am excited to complete my education and begin my future as a mechanical engineer.

Sincerely,  
Kyle Nelson



Grace Lutheran & The Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for the generous scholarship. I am looking forward to advance my career as a nurse practitioner and the scholarship will definitely help me achieve my goals.

I am very much appreciative of this gift!

Thank you and God bless,  
Jana Keller



Dear Pastor Rice and The Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

Thank you so much for choosing me for such an honorable award! It means so much to me to have such a great church family supporting our college youth. This scholarship will help me pay for the majority of my schooling this year!

Thank you again!  
Ashley Jerles

## Hammerstrom Scholarship

### Grace Lutheran Awards \$52,000 to Local Students

Thirteen local college students received awards of \$4,000 each from the Hammerstrom Scholarship Fund. The fund is administered by Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church in Dover.

“We are so very blessed to have \$52,000 this year to help our young adults pursue their educational goals,” said Grace Senior Pastor Donald Rice, Jr. “Each has demonstrated a deep love for God and neighbor as they pursue career opportunities that will greatly benefit our community.”

The Hammerstrom Scholarship Fund was established to assist college students pursuing degrees in the medical field or engineering. Trade school educational assistance is also acceptable for consideration. First preference is given to active members of Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church.

The 2014 Hammerstrom Scholarship recipients are:

Evan Cameron, son of Dr. Jeff Cameron, Dover and Toni Ferritto, New Philadelphia, begins studies this fall at Boonshoft School of Medicine, Wright State University in Dayton.

Joshuah Fisher, son of Rhonda Fisher of Strasburg and Paul Fisher of Canton, will be a freshman at Ohio Northern University studying pharmacology.

Erika (Peter) Homrighausen of Dover is a nursing student at the Tuscarawas Branch of Kent State University specializing in geriatric care.

Ashely Jerles, daughter of Scott and Cynthia Jerles of Dover, is pursuing a career as a pediatric dental hygienist at Stark State University.

Jana Keller, daughter of Jeffrey and Pamela Keller of Dover, attends Otterbein University studying to become a nurse practitioner.

Kristin Miceli, daughter of James and Audra Miceli of Dover, studies nursing at the main campus of Kent State University.

Natalie Miller, daughter of Brett and Peggy Miller of Dover, continues towards her goal of becoming a nurse practitioner and nursing educator at Ursuline College in Pepper Pike.

Kyle Nelson, son of John and Lizabeth Nelson of Dover, is a mechanical engineering student at Akron University.

Shelby Seifert, daughter of Jeffrey and Susan Seifert of Strasburg, is pursuing a degree in engineering technology at Kent State-Tuscarawas.

Aaronn Sergent, son of Mike and Christine Sergent of Dover, studies biomedical engineering and surgical robotics at The Ohio State University.

Jaclyn Sergent, daughter of Mike and Christine Sergent of Dover, is earning a degree in nursing at Cleveland State University.

Alexis Stein, daughter of Paul and Susan Stein of New Philadelphia, is studying Public Health Care Administration at Kent State-Tuscarawas.

John (Sarah) Wolfe of Dover is working towards a degree in nursing with an emphasis in critical care at the local branch of Kent State University.

## Hammerstrom Scholarship Essays

### Josh Fisher's Hammerstrom Scholarship Essay -

In being a Pharmacist I hope to reflect my following in God. I hope to do this by using the medication to show how God can help us. God helps us to feel better much like modern day medicine. We accept God into us so that he can start his good will. With my strong will and a Godly conviction I hope to help those who are sick and in pain to ease their human suffering. I look forward to helping patients by improving their quality of life and making a difference.

During the summers of my college years I hope in joining Youth Works as a counselor because I believe in what they do and what they stand for. I like how they travel to communities in need and aid them in their pursuit of a better country. After completing my doctor of pharmacy education, I plan on coming back to the Dover area and plan on participating in the church as a youth leader. By doing this I can help out not only our community, but I can continue to work out through our church with youth works. I think that bringing my medical knowledge onto a mission trip will be a wonderful way to contribute to society.

### Ashley Jerles's Hammerstrom Scholarship Essay -

In the fall of 2014, I will be attending Stark State College pursuing a career as a dental hygienist. My educational career goal of being a dental hygienist serves god and benefits my community by improving the public's oral health and educating young children how to properly brush and floss their teeth. I feel that my service will be beneficial to the people who can not afford an expensive dental bill because Stark State College has a clinic where anyone can come in and get their teeth cleaned, whitened, and get X rays done for a very low price. Through my many years of mission work, I have seen first hand, the power of God's love through the multiple volunteers, nurses, and teachers and I want to be apart of that community. Serving people with medical needs is very important to me and it is a strong passion of mine. I have always been a caring, loving, and empathetic person and this is why being in the medical/ dental field is a perfect path for me. Also, with this scholarship, my education will be completely paid for and being debt free after school will make my future even better by paying for a my first home and other big purchases to get my life started and I will not have to worry about paying off loans. I would like to take this time to thank the committee for their consideration and time. This scholarship means a lot to me and my family and I am so grateful to be apart of this church.

# Announcements

Our youth have returned from Newport, Tennessee where they were part of Youth Works Missions. They were joined with another church from the Cincinnati area. While they were there they assisted with the Kids Club as part of their service. They also helped with preparations for a barn painting. Some of the youth went to the local Goodwill and assisted with organization of clothing. They also visited a nursing home and played games with the residents. They were treated with special entertainment Tuesday night - a true blue grass band. They also went hiking in the Smokey Mountains. Those who participated in the trip were Josh Fisher, Anthony Miceli, Cody Herman, Samantha Herman, Madeline Bauer and Lindsey Jerles. Adult Leaders were Molly Bauer and Cody Jerles. If you didn't get a chance to hear them talk about their trip ask them about it.



Thank you to all the church members who donated food items used for Vacation Bible School. We could not serve all the kids if we didn't have this food for good, healthy meals.

Thank you to all the people who helped in the kitchen preparing the meals and cleaning up afterwards.

A special thank you goes to: Helen Sherman, Chris Sergent, Karen Slovak, Carol Betche, Bonnie Richardson, Brody Morris, Luke Morris and the "Top Chef" Butch Morris.

Sincerely and with many blessings,  
Betsy Morris



**Congratulations**  
to Jennifer and David Schrock  
on the birth of their son,  
**Benjamin Thayer Schrock.**

Benjamin was born on June 29th, 2014 weighing 7 lbs. 2 oz. and was 19 1/2 in. long.

Benjamin's grandmother is Kingsland Pretorius and Great Grandmother is Miriam Cohen.



## **THANK YOU!**

Thanks to our team #33!

Walkers: Bobbie Myers, Joe Palmer, James, Michelle, Noah, Naomi & Niall Hallman. Also, the church congregation for their donations. We gave \$1625 towards cancer research.

Celebrating 21 years cancer free!  
Dorothy Morrison

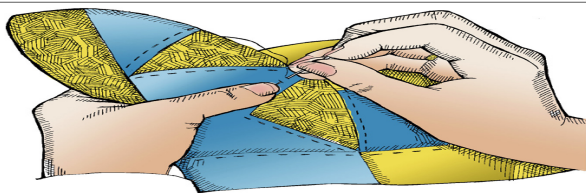




**Lutheran World Relief  
Projects for 2014**



Quilts: 31                      Personal Care Kits: 23  
 Soap: 86                        Baby Care Kits: 12  
 School Kits: 0  
 Check out the poster in Luther Hall to see where all our hard work is going!



**KNOTTERS**

**Tuesday,  
August 12th, 2014  
9:00 AM**



**Next Meeting:  
August 19th, 2014  
6:30 pm**

**Hostesses: Irene Nelson  
Jill Hootman  
Topic: Sharman Hartson**

**Cost of stocking the food pantry for one month.**

This is the amount needed to stock the food pantry for 1 month. We thank the congregation for donating food items and cash contributions to keep the pantry stocked.

Product	Price / piece	Days in a month	Total
Peanut Butter	\$ 2.29	X 30	\$ 68.70
Fruit	\$ 0.89	X 30	\$ 26.70
Cereal	\$ 1.59	X 30	\$ 47.70
Meat	\$ 1.30	X 30	\$ 39.00
Chicken Soup	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Tomato Soup	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Potatoes	\$ 0.65	X 30	\$ 19.50
Corn	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Green Beans	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Pork/Beans	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Peas	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Mac-N-Cheese	\$ 0.45	X 30	\$ 13.50
Spaghetti	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
Spaghetti Sauce	\$ 1.00	X 30	\$ 30.00
			<b>\$ 455.10</b>

<u>ALDI</u>	<u>Buehlers</u>	<u>Wal Mart</u>	<u>Big Lots</u>
Peanut Butter	Vegetables-	Spaghetti Sauce	Soup-
Mac-N-Cheese	Corn		Chicken
Potatoes	Green Beans	<u>Dollar General</u>	Tomato
Fruit Cocktail	Peas	Spaghetti	
Cereal	Pork/Beans	Luncheon Meat	

## Outreach

### GROCERY BAG MINISTRY

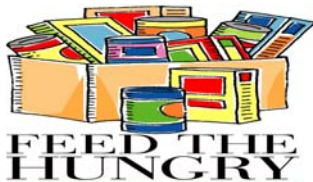
Thanks to all who have volunteered to be packers for the Grocery Bag Ministry this year.

Donations to the Food Pantry have increased in response to a greater need for our food bags. In June, we distributed 125 bags, and have already distributed 89 in July. We are seeing a greater demand for this outreach program. Monetary and food donations are very much appreciated.

What goes into a bag to feed the hungry? The basic food items are: peanut butter, canned meat, vegetables, fruit, cereal, soup, macaroni & cheese, canned white potatoes, spaghetti sauce and spaghetti noodles. We also pack a roll of toilet paper and a bar of soap when available.

We welcome all packaged/canned donations. We will pack any kind of soup, fruit, vegetable, soap or toilet paper that is donated, as well as extra items not on the list. Grocery size paper bags are also needed.

Thank you to all who bring food in for the grocery bags that are filled each month. Look in the Sunday bulletins to see which items are most urgently needed.



## *Please be Praying for...*

**All those serving in the armed forces, especially Christopher Smith, Seth Erickson, Tim Case & Richard Martineau.**

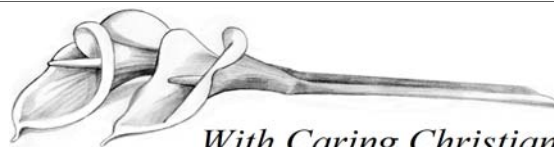
**Ella DeVore  
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Brinley Brown  
Mary Ann Gray  
Dan Urfer  
Genny Peterson  
Robert Brokaw  
Rosann Patterson  
Marie Lorson  
Sherri Weidman  
Donald Roseblossom  
Adrian Mathias  
Penny Luthy  
Dewey Grafe  
Charlie Gwyer**

**Carol Davidson  
Kym Guthrie  
Ricky Page  
Vic Gessner  
Dennis Weaver  
Tom Hardin  
Mildred Schauer  
Geraldine Kiehl  
Grace Beller  
Ashley Smith  
Wendy Harrison  
Patty Stull  
Greg Demattio  
Richard Bleininger**

#### IN OUR PRAYERS...

Please take a moment to review the names on our church prayer list. If you know the current recovery status, condition, or needs of any person listed, please advise Pastor Rice or the church office. We rejoice in God's healing and grace when someone is well enough to come off the list and we promise our prayers to all who are added.

Thank You.



### *With Caring Christian Condolences*

Our thoughts, prayers and sympathies are with the family and friends of Betty Luthy.

We offer our sympathetic love and support to the family and friends of Richard Smallwood, father of Becky Lands.

Our care and concern is extended to family and friends of Tyler Summer, nephew of Sandy and Jim Gibb.

May God's comfort and peace surround them during their days of grief as they find solace in God's promises of love and life.

## Outreach

**OUTREACH NEWS... HERE'S YOUR  
CHANCE TO BE A BLESSING TO OTHERS**

We at Grace have volunteered to provide one meal per month — **the 4th Sunday of each month** —

and need volunteers to provide the meal and to deliver it to the *Friends of the Homeless of Tuscarawas County* which is a group of concerned citizens from various churches and social service agencies in the county who have recognized the need to assist persons experiencing homelessness. The residents eat dinner at 6:00 each evening. All tableware is provided by the shelter, and they ask that if we are just dropping the food off to bring it in disposable pans.



If you are unable to deliver your portion of the meal, please contact someone else who has signed up to deliver food.

Let's continue to work together as the body of Christ and serve our brothers and sisters in need.

New sign up sheets are posted for the September meal to the homeless shelter. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex.

**PERSONAL CARE KITS**

**The power of a small package**

Personal Care Kits especially help cleanliness and prevent disease outbreaks that can so frequently happen in foreign countries or right here in the United States after natural disasters. LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF is asking congregation participation to help restock their supply of personal care kits. Consider making a kit or dropping off one or more of the items listed below to the church office. Thanks for helping!

Personal care items that go into each kit are:

**Personal Care Kits**

- 1 light weight bath towel (dark color)
- 2 bath size bars of soap
- 1 wide tooth comb
- 1 adult size toothbrush
- 1 nail clipper with file

Thank you to the volunteers who will prepare and deliver food for the **Homeless Shelter on July 27th.**

August's dinner at the Homeless Shelter is on Sunday, August 24th. at 6:00 pm. The sign-up sheet is posted in the Narthex. We have cut down on the expense of the items needed (less meat, more casseroles) or have divided the donations into smaller units to make it financially easier for you to donate. Please check to see how you can help.

## Worship

### OPEN ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to provide altar flowers in memory or in honor of loved ones, please either sign up on the list in the Narthex or call the church office at 330-343-6915.

The cost for one vase is \$18. You will be billed by Blossom's Florist.

Altar Flowers are available for the following dates.



Aug. 31st - 2 vases

Sept. 14th - 1 vase

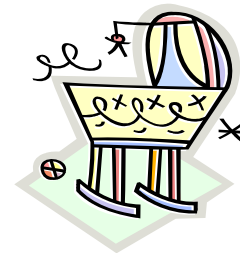
Sept. 21st - 2 vases

Sept. 28th - 2 vases

Oct. 5th - 1 vase

### **Nursery Care Available**

Nursery will resume on September 7th.



### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Children's Church will resume on September 7th.

## Worship Readings

### Altar Guild

Tuesday,  
August 26th  
9:00 am

### Sunday, Aug. 3rd

Isaiah 55:1-5  
Psalm 145:8-9, 15-22  
Romans 9:1-5  
Matthew 14:13-21

### Sunday, Aug. 10th

1 Kings 19:9-18  
Psalm 85  
Romans 10:5-15  
Matthew 14:22-33

### Sunday, Aug. 17th

Isaiah 56:1, 6-8  
Psalm 67  
Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32  
Matthew 15:29-31

### Sunday, Aug. 24th

Isaiah 51:1-6  
Psalm 138  
Romans 12:1-8  
Matthew 16:13-20

### **Replenishing the Children's Worship Bags**

Our worship bag continues to be a blessing to children and parents in our worship each week! Most of the 10 bags are used every Sunday. The bags serve as a way for parents to have their young children in worship with them while they get a chance to worship. We will be purchasing new books, toys and crayons for the bags soon. If you would be interested in providing money for the purchase of these items you may make a donation by placing it in a special offering envelope with worship bags written on it. If paying by check please remember to write Children's Worship Bags in the memo line. Thank you for continuing to support this ministry.



## Worship Assistants

### SUNDAY 8:00 AM WORSHIP

ACOLYTES	LAY READERS	DEACON/COMM. ASST.	
8/3 Lexi Gray	8/3 Gale Limron	8/3	<b>USHERS</b> Tim Keplinger Richard Elliott Steve Zimmerman Jim Heller Scott Ebert Edward Harper David Elliott
8/10	8/10 Terry Miller	8/10	
8/17	8/17 Still Needed	8/17	
8/24	8/24 Lynn Foust	8/24	
8/31	8/31 NA	8/31 Holly Vesco	

### SUNDAY 10:30 AM WORSHIP

USHERS
<b>Aug. 3</b> John Lorenz, Larry Wallick, Tom Margo, Art Siber <b>Aug. 10</b> Jim Gibb, Mike Sergent, Jimm Morris, Butch Morris, Maguire Morris <b>Aug. 17</b> John Stahl, Robert McCulloch, Keith Lands, Howard Stein <b>Aug. 24</b> Art Keener, William Page, Jeff Keller, Jeff Hootman, Joe Vanfossen <b>Aug. 31</b> WELCA

ACOLYTES	LAY READERS	DEACON/COMM. ASST.
8/3	8/3 Rick Homrighausen	8/3
8/10	8/10 Betsy Morris	8/10 Deborah Horn
8/17	8/17 Jim Gibb	8/17
8/24	8/24 John Stahl	8/24
8/31	8/31 N/A	8/31 Deborah Horn

### ALTAR GUILD

**August:** Barbara Thompson, Glenda Sclater, Wendy Mady, Debbie Smith, Betsy Morris  
**September:** Louise Keplinger, Joan Davis, Linda Bertle, Janice Weber, Marcie Castricone



### Get the Messenger By Email

If you'd like to receive the Messenger by email please send an email to [GraceHappens@GraceDover.org](mailto:GraceHappens@GraceDover.org) with the words "Email Messenger" in the subject heading.

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## Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p><b>Children's Summer Music Camp</b>                      (Children entering grades 1-6 this fall.) August 4-8, 2014 - 9am—Noon                      Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 202 East High Ave., New Philadelphia                      Registration forms are on the table in the Narthex.</p>					1	2
<p><b>3</b></p> <p>8 am Worship Communion</p> <p>9:15 am SCS</p> <p>10:30 am Worship Communion</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p>2:30 pm Communion Park Village - South</p> <p>6:30 pm Girl Scouts-LH</p> <p>6:45 pm Property Board</p> <p>7 pm Valley Voices</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p>12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC</p> <p>4 pm TOPS - ORC</p> <p>6 pm Girl Scouts - LH</p> <p>6:30 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p>7 pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p>12 pm Sr. Fun Day</p>	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b></p>
<p><b>10</b></p> <p>8 am Worship Communion</p> <p>9:15 am SCS</p> <p>10:30 am Worship Communion</p>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p>10:30 am Communion Park Village - North</p> <p>6:30 pm Girl Scouts-LH</p> <p>7 pm Valley Voices</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p>9 am Knotters</p> <p>10 am Rejoice Women</p> <p>4 pm TOPS - ORC</p> <p>6:30 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p>6 pm Men's Corn Roast</p> <p>7 pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p>12 pm Bible Study</p> <p>12 pm Sr. Fun Day</p>	<p><b>15</b></p>	<p><b>16</b></p>
<p><b>17</b></p> <p>8 am Worship Communion</p> <p>9:15 am SCS</p> <p>10:30 am Worship Communion</p>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p>6:30 pm Girl Scouts-LH</p> <p>7 pm Valley Voices</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p>12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC</p> <p>4 pm TOPS - ORC</p> <p>6 pm Girl Scouts - LH</p> <p>6:30 pm Cub Scouts</p> <p>6:30 pm Ladies of Grace</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p>7 pm Boy Scouts</p> <p>7 pm Women's Bible Study - ORC</p>	<p><b>21</b></p> <p>12 pm Bible Study</p> <p>12 pm Sr. Fun Day</p>	<p><b>22</b></p> 	<p><b>23</b></p>
<p><b>24</b></p> <p>8 am Worship Communion</p> <p>9:15 am SCS</p> <p>10:30 am Worship Communion</p> <p>6 pm Meal to the Homeless Shelter</p>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p>6:30 pm Girl Scouts-LH</p> <p>7 pm Valley Voices</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p>9 am Altar Guild</p> <p>12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC</p> <p>4 pm TOPS - ORC</p> <p>6:30 pm Cub Scouts</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p>7 pm Boy Scouts</p>	<p><b>28</b></p> <p>12 pm Bible Study</p> <p>12 pm Sr. Fun Day</p>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p>Wedding Rehearsal</p> 	<p><b>30</b></p> <p>Baker-Gunnoe Wedding</p>
<p><b>31</b></p> <p>8 am Worship Communion</p> <p>9:15 am SCS</p> <p>10:30 am Worship Communion</p>	 <p><b>SAVE THE DATE</b></p> <p>Sept. 14th - Rally Day - Church Picnic</p> <p>Sept. 17th - Women's Bible Study</p> 					