



THE MESSENGER

2022

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

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Dear Friends in Christ,

It is August and time to think about starting new things and routines, while winding down the summer fun or having that last summer hurrah. It's great to have time in the summer to do fun and life giving things that normally don't fit into our routines, such as Vacation Bible School, Summer Camp, Mission Trip, various lessons, vacations, etc. I know here at Grace that we love our summertime activities. I hope you are all recharging and getting ready for new beginnings.

I'm hoping that your summertime activities will energize you to start your new school year if you are a student. I also hope that you are energized to begin our new church year! Maybe you made some new friends at VBS, camp, mission trip, etc. who might be interested in coming to Grace! I would love it if everyone who met a new friend this summer would invite them to Grace. I hope you all are energized to make a new beginning at Grace after the pandemic and fully return to worship. We've missed and need each other a lot!

Each of us, and all of us are the Church! We need each other to reach out to others and bring them in to church as well as come to church ourselves. Everyone is welcome!

Blessings,
 Pastor Bonnie

Pastor
Rev. Bonnie L. Grimaldi

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Planning Council

PLANNING COUNCIL
Next Meeting
Tuesday,
September 20th, 2022
@ 6:30 PM



2020-2021 BOARD MEMBERS AND OFFICERS

Richard Elliott - President Julie Brothers - Vice President
 Becky Lands - Secretary John Wolfe - Treasurer

Congregational Life

Julie Brothers - Director
 Susie Erickson
 Elaine Margo
 Liz Miller
 Melody Rader
 Jim Heller

Property

Jim Gibb- Director
 Audra Miceli
 Nathan Vaughan
 Larry Wallick
 Brad Wharmby

Christian Faith and Life

Ashley Eick - Director
 Karla Burrier
 Debbie Flood
 Tiffany Shepherd
 Deb Foust
 (Cody Jerles, Coordinator YFM)

Hospitality

Still Needed - Director
 Marcie Castricone
 Melissa Engstrom
 Cindy Jerles
 Traci Smith
 Bobbie Cox
 Julie Vanfossen

Stewardship Development

Ron Stahl - Director
 Charles Castricone
 Keith Lands
 Sarah Kneuss

Outreach

Paul McFadden– Director
 Joe Erickson
 Tanna Loveday
 Judy Martin
 Joe Penrod
 Randy Smith
 Scott Ebert (church sign)
 David Elliott (church website)

Coordinator of Youth & Family Ministries: Cody Jerles
Director of Music/Organist: Linda Hanna
Secretary: Lisa Morris
Treasurer: John Wolfe
Custodian: Ed Robinson

To Know Christ, To Live Christ, To Share Christ, and To Be One in Christ

Announcements

Men's Corn Roast

Wednesday,
August 17th,
6:00 pm
Deis Hill
Shelter #3



Join us in congratulating Nathan and Kristy Miller on the birth of their daughter, Ava Grace Miller.

Ava was born in Oklahoma on June 23rd, 2022 weighing 8 lbs. 2 oz. and was 21 inches long.

Ava's grandparents are Brett & Peggy Miller of Dover.



Dear Grace Scholarship Committee,

Thank you for the scholarship. I'm grateful to be a part of Grace Lutheran Church and its guidance and support over the years. This scholarship will help me continue my education at Otterbein University.

Nick Castricone



August 7th is Mission Sunday! At both 8 am and 10:30 am services, our youth will present testimonies and images of their mission trip to Denver, Colorado in June. A meeting about the next youth mission trip will be held between these services at 9:15 am in the high school room.



Thank you so much for the generous scholarship. This gift will help me pursue my dream of becoming a speech-language pathologist.

Olivia Wellman



Dear Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

I want to begin by saying thank you so much! I am extremely lucky to have such an amazing support system towards my education and future. Although I am still contemplating what part of the medical field I want to specialize in I know that no matter what I decide, the church will always be one of my top supporters.

Thanks again,
Brody Morris



Dear Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

Thank you so much for the scholarship that will help me to continue my education. I am appreciative to have grown up in such a wonderful church. This scholarship has helped me to have invaluable experiences such as working with the Ohio State football team and interning for the Indianapolis Colts.

Thank you again,
Grace Castricone

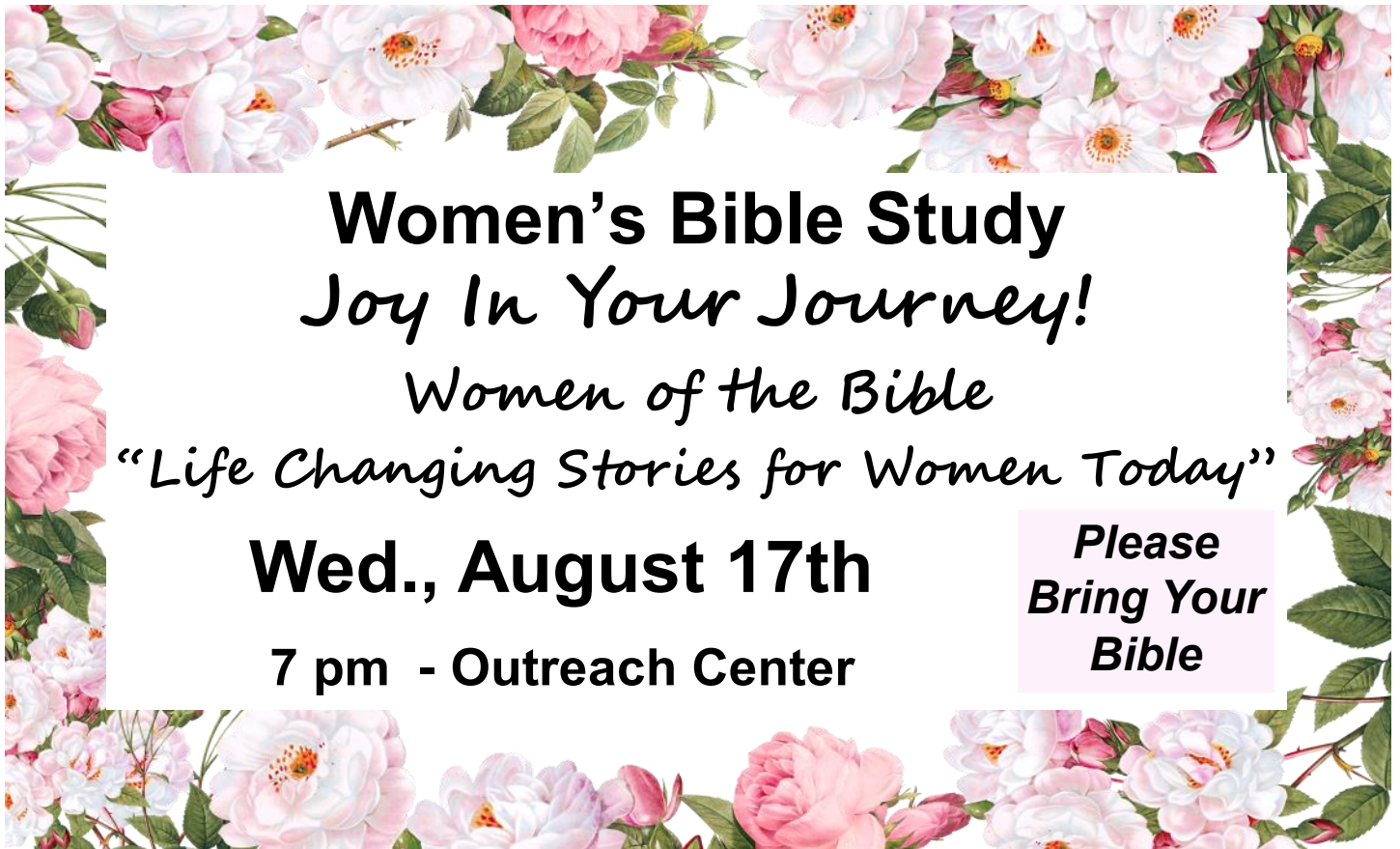


Dear Phillip Jr. & Marceil Hammerstrom Scholarship Committee,

Thank you so much for awarding me with this scholarship. It will help tremendously in my studies at Bowling Green State University. I am so appreciative of the support I have received from this congregation.

Thanks again,
Reagan Brothers

Announcements



Women's Bible Study
Joy In Your Journey!
Women of the Bible
 "Life Changing Stories for Women Today"
Wed., August 17th
7 pm - Outreach Center

**Please
Bring Your
Bible**



Sunny skies and warmer weather are finally here and school is out for the summer. That means vacation season will be in full swing as well. Remember the work of the church continues year round even if you cannot attend worship. Please consider a regular weekly or monthly contribution to the church year round so the important work at Grace continues!

John Wolfe
Treasurer



We would like to thank everyone at Grace Lutheran Church for your love and support during the passing of Pastor Bill Haggis. Your sympathy cards, calls, texts, Facebook messages, prayers, and attendance at the calling hours and funeral service were supportive and helpful during a difficult time for us. We are also thankful for all those who worked so hard as the hands and feet of Jesus to ensure the funeral service and meal afterwards were a meaningful time to glorify our God and Savior Jesus, share in fellowship with one another, and stroll down memory lane. And a special thank you to Pastor Bonnie who went above and beyond with her leadership, time, and pastoral care for us. May God's peace and favor be with each of you. We are most grateful. The Haggis Family

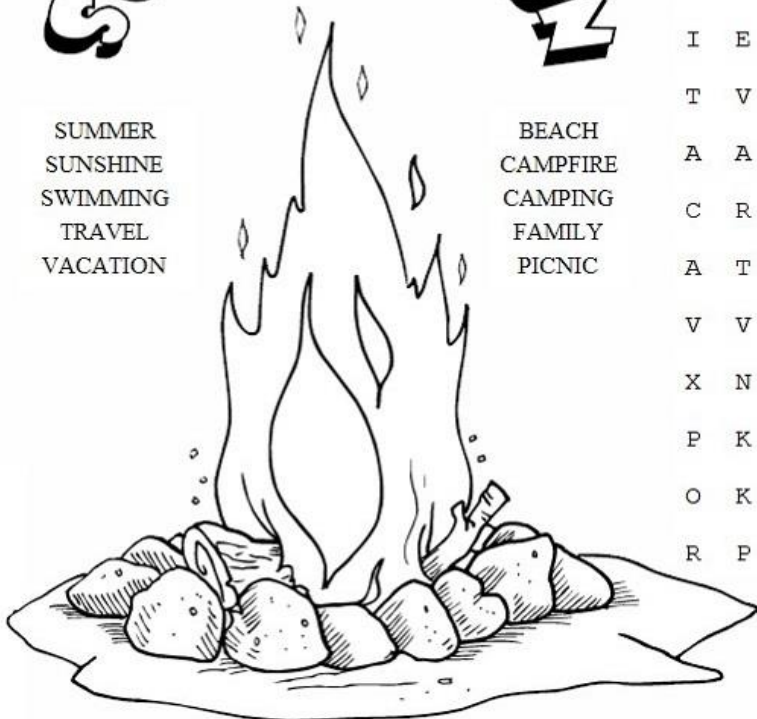
Children's Corner



SUMMER FUN

SUMMER
SUNSHINE
SWIMMING
TRAVEL
VACATION

BEACH
CAMPFIRE
CAMPING
FAMILY
PICNIC



WORD SEARCH

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Outreach



Our support of the Tuscarawas County Friends of the Homeless continues. We still offer meals one Sunday a month. Unfortunately during COVID-19 we are forced to help in a different manner. We are taking monetary donations to support the ministry rather than provide homecooked meals. Your financial support is always appreciated.

GROCERY BAG MINISTRY

Grace Outreach Board continues their Drive-Thru Grocery Bag Ministry every Friday from 10AM to 2PM. The Outreach Board is looking for both monetary gifts and gifts of kind to support this vital ministry.

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.

Grocery size paper bags are also needed.



Please be Praying for...

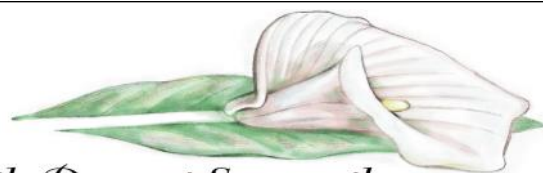
All those serving in the armed forces, especially Christopher Smith, Seth Erickson, Gary Dean Morrison and Jeffrey Huff.

Ella DeVore
 Fred Grosse
 Glenn Siber
 Jason Phillips
 Norma Grywalski
 Jeff Stucky
 Mary Smallwood
 Dorothy Marlowe Huff

Judy Wells
 Larry Wilson
 Alison Linkenhoker
 Dottie Shott
 Patti Stull
 Rachelle Coulter Sensel
 Lutheran Camps

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 Bonnie 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 Deepest Sympathy

Our deep and heartfelt sympathies are with the family and friends of Patricia Reifenschneider (sister-in-law of Sherril Peters)

May the Lord embrace this family with His love and bless them with peace.

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 \$19. You will be billed by Blossom's Florist

Altar Flowers are available for the following dates.



- August 7th - 1 vase
- August 14th - 1 vase
- August 21st - 1 vase
- August 28th - 2 vases
- Sept. 4th - 1 vase
- Sept. 11th - 1 vase



- Aug. 7th - Karla & Evan Burrier
- Aug. 14th - Sarah Wolfe
- Aug. 21st - Julie Vanfossen
- Aug. 28th - Faith & Natalie Bambeck

Worship Readings

Sunday, Aug. 7th

Genesis 15:1-6
 Psalm 33:12-22
 Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16
 Luke 12:32-40

Sunday, Aug. 14th

Jeremiah 23:23-29
 Psalm 82
 Hebrews 11:29—12:2
 Luke 12:49-56

Sunday, Aug. 21st

Isaiah 58:9b-14
 Psalm 103:1-8
 Hebrews 12:18-29
 Luke 13:10-17

Sunday, Aug. 28th

Proverbs 25:6-7
 Psalm 112
 Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16
 Luke 14:1, 7-14

Altar Guild

Tues., August 30th
 9 am



Yes, on-line services are here to stay!

Once the pandemic is over we will continue to record our 10:30 service each week. You still will be able to attend worship at your leisure. Weekly on-line services will become part of our on-going ministry here at Grace. The service will be available at 10:30 am on Sundays.

Worship Assistants

SUNDAY 8:00 AM WORSHIP

ACOLYTES	LAY READERS	DEACON/COMM. ASST.	USHERS
8/7	8/7 Kim Gray	8/7	Richard Elliott Jim Heller Scott Ebert Edward Harper David Elliott
8/14	8/14 Gale Limron	8/14	
8/21	8/21 Lynn Foust	8/21	
8/28	8/28 Terry & Liz Miller	8/28	

SUNDAY 10:30 AM WORSHIP

Aug. 7 John Lorenz, Larry Wallick, Tom Margo, Ron Stahl
Aug. 14 Jim Gibb, Mike Sargent
Aug. 21 John Stahl, Robert McCulloch, Keith Lands, Paul McFadden
Aug. 28 Jeff Keller, Jeff Hootman, John Wolfe, Joe Vanfossen

ACOLYTES	LAY READERS	DEACON/COMM. ASST.
8/7	8/7 Jan Ochsenbine	8/7
8/14	8/14 John Stahl	8/14
8/21	8/21 Sandy Gibb	8/21 Jim Gibb
8/28	8/28 Jim Gibb	8/28

ALTAR GUILD

August: Glenda Selater, Marcie Castricone, Liz Miller, Paula Wolfe
September: Judy Martin, Pam Keller, Elaine Margo, Jan Ochsenbine



Get the Messenger By Email

If you'd like to receive the Messenger by email please send an email to Gracehappens@gracedover.org with the words "Email Messenger" in the subject heading.

Remember you can also view the current and archived Messengers online at www.GraceDover.org



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Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1 7 pm Valley Voices	2 12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	3 7 pm Boy Scouts	4 12 pm Bible Study - LH	5 10 am Grocery Bag Drive Thru	6
7 8 am Worship Communion 9:30 am SCS 10:30 am Worship Communion <u>Youth Mission Trip Presentation</u>	8 7 pm Valley Voices	9 10 am Rejoice Women - ORC 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	10 7 pm Boy Scouts	11 12 pm Bible Study - LH	12	13
14 8 am Worship Communion 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship Communion	15 7 pm Valley Voices	16 12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	17 6 pm Men's Corn Roast - Deis Hill - Shelter #3 7 pm Boy Scouts 7 pm Women's Bible Study - ORC	18	19 10 am Grocery Bag Drive Thru <u>Messenger Deadline</u>	20
Pastor Vacation						
21 9:30 am Worship Communion Bishop's visit with light reception following in Fellowship Hall.	22 7 pm Valley Voices	23 12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	24 7 pm Boy Scouts	25 12 pm Bible Study - LH	26 10 am Grocery Bag Drive Thru <u>Messenger Assembly</u>	27
Pastor Vacation						
28 8 am Worship Communion 9:30 am Rally Day 10:30 am Worship Communion 6 pm Meal to the Homeless Shelter Blessing of the Backpacks! 	29 7 pm Valley Voices	30 9 am Altar Guild 12 pm Senior Crafters - ORC 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	31 7 pm Boy Scouts	 SUNDAY AUGUST 28th DETAILS COMING SOON		