



THE MESSENGER

2018

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

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Minute Stakes

...Hasten to me, O God! You are my help and deliverer; O Lord, do not delay!
 Psalm 70:5

Remember last year?

"Give me a minute," said Tom Brady (a.k.a. The G.O.A.T.). And in a minute he brought his team from behind to tie their fine, feathered foes. Then, in overtime, in what seemed like just another minute, the Patriots proved victorious while the Falcons made their way off the field and molted.

Then, it happened again. On December 17, 2017, it happened again.

"Just give me a minute," said "Captain America." Well, he got his minute and moment later the Steelers were in the can. Merry Christmas, Pittsburgh!

(I hear tell about a dish called "Steeler Lasagna." Is that the one you drop on the ground before you eat it?)

Can you believe it happened yet again? It did!

Just a few weeks ago, with his team behind, Tom Terrific asked for a minute. And we know what happened. In a minute, with very little time on the clock, the Jaguars were declawed and sent whimpering back to Florida.

It's amazing what that man can do in a minute. In a minute, a game can be won or lost and relegated to sports history.

It's just not sports, of course.

Our lives can change in a minute. In a moment, our best laid plans can be disrupted. What we have can be gone in an instant. Sometimes life moves quickly, too quickly.

Our one, true and unailing constant is God. All time under His control. All the minutes, hours, days, weeks, years and centuries are all under His watchful eye and in His loving hands. Certainly, God has been our help in ages past; our hope for years to come.

God is the "Master of Time" whose timing is always perfect. Sometimes God acts quickly, immediately meeting our need or making haste to deliver us from trouble. Other times, God lingers and tarries as he comforts us and enfolds us in His peace. Give God a minute and God can do wonders. Give God a lifetime and God fills the days with blessings too numerous to count.

I'm not sure what's going to happen in Minneapolis. Will Mr. Brady need another miracle minute? Perhaps. But, when the game is over and last second ticks away, God's clock is still keeping time and keeping us in his marvelous grace. Amen.


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Senior Pastor Donald L. Rice Jr.

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Planning Council

**PLANNING
COUNCIL**
Next Meeting
March 13th, 2018
@ 6:30 PM



Facts and Figures

<p>Attendance December 2017 Weekly Average: 149 Difference: =/-0 (0%) <i>Christmas Eve: 335</i></p> <p>Offerings December 2017 Total Offerings: \$18,588.00 Difference: +\$776.48 Weekly Average: \$\$4,647.00 Difference: + \$194.12 (+4%)</p>	<p>Attendance December 2016 Weekly Average 149 <i>Christmas Eve: 367</i></p> <p>Offerings December 2016 Total Offerings: \$17,811.52 Weekly Average: \$4452.88</p>
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Choir:
Secretary: Lisa Morris
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Since You Asked

Since You Asked...

There are Forty Days in Lent which correspond to the Forty Days of Jesus' Temptation in the wilderness. The number 40 appears often in Scripture. Could you explain its significance?

You are correct. The number 40 appears quite frequently in Scripture. It is mentioned 146 times. The number 40 is most often associated with times of testing, trial and temptation.

In addition to the Temptation of Christ, some of the most notable 40's in the Bible include:

- The 40 days and nights of rain while Noah and his family were in the ark;
 - The 40 years of Israel's Exodus wanderings in the wilderness;
 - Moses spent 40 days and nights atop Mt. Sinai before receiving the 10 Commandments;
 - Goliath taunted Israel for 40 days before David appeared to slay him;
 - The first three kings of Israel, Saul David and Solomon, each reigned 40 years;
 - Elijah had his own 40 day sojourn in the wilderness before arriving at Mt. Horeb;
 - Jonah preached to Nineveh for 40 days before their conversion; and
 - Jesus appeared to his disciples and others for 40 days after his Resurrection.
- (Also: It is surmised Jesus taught for 40 months between his baptism and his crucifixion;

Hosanna! Hosanna! Here Comes Jesus!

Hosanna! Hosanna! Here Comes Jesus! is this year's Vacation Bible School theme. Bible Stories, crafts, music, recreational activities and fellowship suppers will be designed to help our children develop their relationship with Jesus and one another.

VBS 2018 will be held June 18-23. A summer supper for children, parents and teachers will be offered at 5:30 p.m. Learning activities begin at 6:05 and continue until 8:15.

This year's Bible Stories and learning activities focus on Holy Week events, from Palm Sunday through Easter. Each day the children will learn a Hebrew word which captures the day's special meaning for our faith and life together.

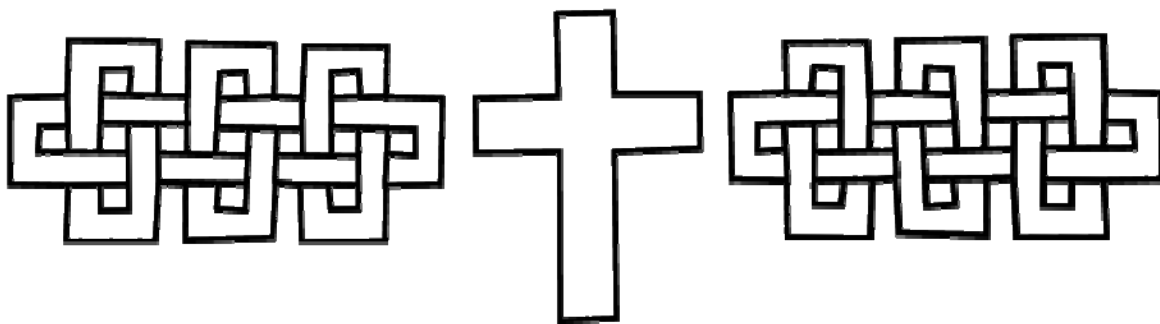
A volunteer sign-up sheet seeking teachers, teaching assistants, activity directors and helpers will be posted on the narthex bulletin board by the end of the month. Registration sheets for participating children will be printed in the May and June newsletters.

Hosanna! Hosanna! Here Comes Jesus!

Monday: Hosanna!	Jesus Comes to Save Us! Palm Sunday: Mark 11:1-11
Tuesday: Shammash!	Jesus Comes to Serve Us! Maundy Thursday: John 13:1-17
Wednesday: Ahabah!	Jesus Comes to Love Us! Good Friday: Luke 23:33-47; I John 4:7-11
Thursday: L'Chaim!	Jesus Comes to Give Us Life! Easter Sunday: Luke 24:1-12
Friday: Shalom!	Jesus Comes to Bring Peace!



Announcements



The Cross of Christ: The Tree of Life

In the beginning, there was a tree. It was the **Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil**, placed by God right in the center of the Garden of Eden. The disobedient misuse of that tree brought sin into the world.

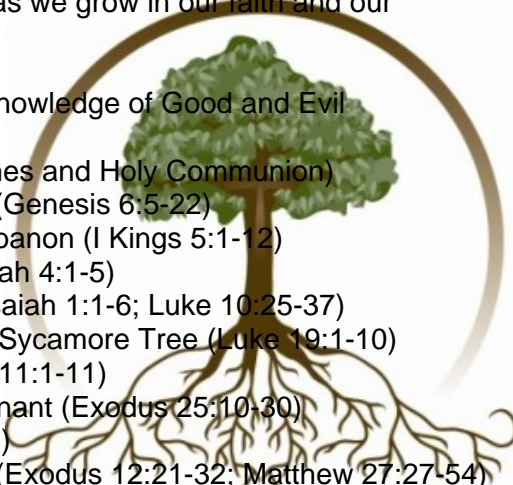
In the end and forever after, there is a tree. It is **Tree of Life** which grows in the center of Heaven. It flourishes where there is no more sin, no more death and where all live forever in God's love, peace and joy.

In between the two trees, at the center of human history, is a tree. It is the **Cross of Christ**, planted atop a hill called Calvary. It reaches from the dirt of earth to the glory heaven. It is tree of our salvation.

This Lenten and Easter season, we will contemplate the many wonderful trees of the Bible and hear their stories. Will begin with the **Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil** on Ash Wednesday and conclude with the **Tree of Life** on Easter Sunday. Other trees will be featured on Wednesday evenings in Lent and during Holy Week. All Wednesday evening and Holy Week services are held at 6:45 p.m. in the church sanctuary. Sunday services are offered at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. and include Holy Communion.

Please consider joining us for these season services as we grow in our faith and our relationships with God and one another.

Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14:	The Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil (Genesis 3:1-13) (Imposition of Ashes and Holy Communion)
Wednesday, Feb. 21:	The Cypress Ark (Genesis 6:5-22)
Wednesday, Feb. 28:	The Cedars of Lebanon (I Kings 5:1-12)
Wednesday, March 7:	The Fig Tree (Micah 4:1-5)
Wednesday, March 14:	The Olive Tree (Isaiah 1:1-6; Luke 10:25-37)
Wednesday, March 21:	Zacchaeus in the Sycamore Tree (Luke 19:1-10)
Palm Sunday: March 25:	The Palms (Mark 11:1-11)
Maundy Thursday, March 29:	The Acacia Covenant (Exodus 25:10-30) (Holy Communion)
Good Friday: March 30:	"Blood on Wood" (Exodus 12:21-32; Matthew 27:27-54)
Easter Sunday: April 1:	The Tree of Life (Mark 16:1-8; Revelation 22:1-7)



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EVERYONE - Come to the FAMILY POOL PARTY at Ramada Inn, Strasburg on Sunday, February 18th, 2018! The fun begins at 2:00 pm. Please bring a 2 liter bottle of pop and a dessert (or bag of chips.) Pizza will be provided at 4 pm by the Christian Faith and Life Committee.

Adults, if you have the "winter blues," come join the fun. Bring a game or cards; Watch the kids swim and enjoy an afternoon with



BRUNCH

Back by Popular Demand!

Breakfast for Lunch is one of our most popular fellowship events. It will be held this year on February 11 following the 10:30 a.m. worship service in Fellowship Hall.

The brunch will include a variety of breakfast casseroles, sausage, bacon, pastries, beverages and more. Gluten-free breakfast items will also be available.

The meal is sponsored by our Grace Hospitality Ministries board. Deb Foust serves as directing chef and is ably assisted by culinary artists Bobbie Cox, Melissa Engstrom, Cindy Jerles, Traci Smith and Sarah Wolfe.

A free-will offering will be taken to support our Grace Grocery Bag

Announcements

EASTER LILIES FOR EASTER SUNDAY

The flowers this year will be at a **cost of \$10.00 each**. Your order form and payment may be either placed in the offering plate, or given to the church office.

Orders and payment are **due by Monday, March 5th, 2018**

Your flowers may be taken home following the 10:30 a.m. Easter worship service on April 1st, 2018



THE EASTER FLOWERS ARE DEDICATED IN HONOR OR IN MEMORY OF PERSONS NOTED BELOW.

PLEASE CIRCLE:	INDICATE MESSAGE BELOW:
IN HONOR OF:	
IN MEMORY OF:	
FLOWERS GIVEN BY:	

Please make all checks payable to Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church, and write Easter Flowers in the memo line.

ORGAN PROJECT: PHASE II

Peebles-Herzog, Inc. of Columbus will be here to repair and refurbish our majestic Kuhn Pipe Organ beginning Monday, February 5. This is Phase II of our organ renovation project and includes cleaning out all the pipes, replacing and repairing various components and completing necessary adjustments.



This is a major overhaul and will take 5-6 weeks. Peebles-Herzog has promised the project will be completed in time for our **Palm Sunday** celebrations. Planning Council has approved the project and its funding from our Lewis Memorial Fund.

We need 4 volunteers to meet here at the church at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday morning, February 6, to carefully carry organ pipes to the down to the sanctuary nave (seating area). It would involve 3-4 hours of work.


If you can assist with this project, please place your name on the volunteer sign-up sheet posted in the narthex. We sure



A women's retreat is being planned for the weekend after Mother's Day, May 18-20 at Camp McPherson (21880 Shadley Valley Rd, Danville, Ohio). We begin on Friday evening at 7:00 pm and conclude on Sunday at 1:00 pm. Our theme this year is Fearless Faith, based on over 300 verses in scripture where God urges us not to be afraid. 2 Timothy 1:7 says, "For God did not give us a spirit of fear but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline". If you would like a brochure mailed, please contact Pastor Deborah Michaels

Announcements

A Note of Thanks!




A sincere "Thank You" to the members of the Stewardship Board who planned my November 5, 2017 reception following the 10:30am service and those who served that day - Jill, Jeff & Katie Hootman, Elaine & Tom Margo, Michelle Hallman and Ron Stahl. It was heartwarming to talk with those in attendance and listen as you shared your memories. I am grateful to each of you who took the time to attend and write notes. Over the years I appreciated the hard work, dedication and commitment of my choirs (Martin Luther, Gallery and Handbell) and hope there was some scripture, hymn or anthem that touched your heart and will continue to lead you through the "mountains and valleys" of life. Thank You for your cards, gifts and many years of caring and support. Each of you will always have a special place in my heart!

Blessings and Peace - Bobbie Myers


Bread & Wine

We are now offer gluten-free wafers during Holy Communion. We understand some people may be on a restricted gluten-free diet and wish to accommodate them during presentation of the Sacrament. If you prefer a gluten-free wafer, please let Pastor Rice know and he will be pleased to offer you one.


We continue to offer grape juice for those who prefer it instead of wine. Please indicate your preference to the day's communion assistant.



The Grace Lutheran Youth Group is having a Pizza and Pasta fund raiser Saturday, February 24 in the Fellowship Hall. The famous "Chops" will be doing all the cooking. There are a variety of choices. The best bargain is the Meal Deal for \$20 and it includes pizza, spaghetti and a salad. Pizzas are \$10, spaghetti \$8 and salads \$5. You can dine-in or carry-out. They are raising money to attend the National ELCA Youth Gathering in Houston, Texas. We will be sending thirteen participants to the event on June 27 - July 1. Not only will they be communing other Lutherans from around the country, they will also be helping the Houston community recover from the devastating damage that hurricane Harvey left



PIZZA



Atwood Youth Retreat

February 23rd - 25th

Any youth in grades 7 - 12 interested in going to Atwood for the Youth Retreat please let Larry Wallick or Rhonda Fisher know by February 9th. The cost is \$15.00 per student.

Announcements

Men's Fellowship

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE DINNER TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13th

The Men's Fellowship will again be hosting the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner in Fellowship Hall, 4:30-6:30 pm.

EVERYONE IS INVITED!
Come and enjoy fellowship and some very fine pancakes!
Pancakes, sausage and beverage.
Bring a hearty appetite!



Legacy Gift

Grace Lutheran Church is pleased and so very thankful to announce the receipt of a \$5000.00 gift from the estate of George V. Ripple, Jr. He donates this gift in honor of his mother Katherine Mosshart Rippel. Katherine and her children attended Grace Lutheran church while they were growing up.

George was born in Dover in 1926 and died in December 2013. He often spoke of his mother with loving admiration and wanted the gift to be given to the church in his mother's name to support the ministries of the congregation. George's daughter, Sharon Freilich notes she is honored to fulfill her father's wish.

Thank you for your thoughtful remembrance of Katherine through your kind and generous gift to our

Looking Ahead

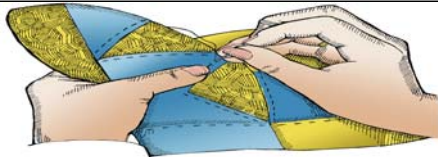
- Feb. 21-Mar. 21: Wednesday Evening Lenten Services at 6:45 p.m.
- March 25: Palm Sunday Worship Services, Palm Sunday Breakfast and Easter Egg Hunt
- March 29: Maundy Thursday Service at 6:45 p.m.
- March 30: Good Friday Service at 6:45 p.m.
- April 1: Easter Sunday with Worship Services at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.
- April 8: Pastor Rice on vacation with Pastor Robert Akins presiding
Youth Chicken BBQ Fundraiser
- May 20: Confirmation Sunday
- May 27: Canal Days Weekend with "Service on the Square" at 10:30 a.m.
- June 6: 2018 Graduate Recognition Sunday
- June 18-23: Vacation Bible School 5:30-8:15 p.m.
- June 24-29: ELCA Youth Gathering and Service Project, Houston, TX



Lutheran World Relief
Final Project Numbers
for 2017



Quilts: 32
Personal Care Kits: 8
Soap: 21
School Kits: 3



KNOTTERS

**Tuesday, February 13th
9:00 am**

DAILY GRACE

While I've tried to live my life as normally as possible, 50 or so broken bones have sometimes gotten in the way. With each of these breaks, there's a story. I have osteogenesis imperfecta (OI), a condition that causes a decrease in bone density, leading to multiple bone fractures during the course of a lifetime.

We can look at all of the illness, broken bones or death that we encounter with the eyes of Jesus. Looking at brokenness is not the same as saying it is good or that we should be Pollyannas and be glad for it. But it is saying that every part of our lives—even the worst, most tragic parts—can be opportunities to glorify God.

As the psalmist says: "Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have crushed rejoice" (Psalm 51:8).

This message is an excerpt from "Dry bones" by Marty McCambridge in the September 2017 issue of [Gather](#)

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
			\$ 455.10

<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 December, we distributed 128 bags, and have already distributed 138 in January. 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, Gerald Case, Richard Martineau.

Ella DeVore	Carol Davidson
William Page	Glenn Siber
Mildred Schauer	Dale Kreisher
Joe Palmer	Francis Moser
JoAnn Hammond	Tom Cox
Jim Gipson	Jerrold Martin
John Page	Mary Marino
Rachelle Coulter Sensel	Jim Horn
Norma Grywalski	Wayne Page
Cathy Nardecchia	Dorothy Hanna
Richard Panzoff	Holly Young
Phyllis Espenschied	Karen Page
Rebecca Cahill-Smith	Art Keener
Molly Bauer	Tom Hardin
Robert Ryan	Tom Grezlik
Helen Rosenberry	Jim Rosenberry

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 Deepest Sympathy

Our deep and heartfelt sympathies are with the family and friends of Robert Viereck (father of Bob Viereck).

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

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 March 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
- 20" X 40" to 52" X 27" (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 prepared and delivered food to the **Homeless Shelter on January 28th, 2018.**

February's dinner at the Homeless Shelter is on Sunday, Feb. 25th, 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.



Altar Flowers

Feb. 11th - 1 vase

Feb. 25th - 2 vases

Mar. 4th - 1 vase

Mar. 18th - 1 vase

Mar. 25th - 2 vases



Feb. 4th - Deb Foust & Jennifer Vaughan

Feb. 11th - Ashley Eick & Melissa Engstrom

Feb 18th - Marcie & Grace Castricone

Feb. 25th - Deb & Jacob Flood

Worship Readings

Altar Guild

Tuesday,
February 27th, 2018
9:00 am

Sunday, Feb. 4th

Isaiah 40:21-31
Psalm 147:1-11, 20c
1 Corinthians 9:16-23
Mark 1:29-39

Sunday, Feb. 11th

2 Kings 2:1-12
Psalm 50:1-6
2 Corinthians 4:3-6
Mark 9:2-9

Sunday, Feb. 18th

Genesis 9:8-17
Psalm 25:1-10
1 Peter 3:18-22
Mark 1:9-15

Sunday, Feb. 25th

Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16
Psalm 22:23-31
Romans 4:13-25
Mark 8:31-38

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
2/4
2/11
2/18
2/25

LAY READERS
2/4 Kim Gray
2/11 Liz Miller
2/18 Gale Limron
2/25 Nancy Wilson

DEACON/COMM. ASST.
2/4
2/11 Terry Miller
2/18
2/25

USHERS
Tim Keplinger
Richard Elliott
Steve Zimmerman
Jim Heller
Scott Ebert
Edward Harper
David Elliott

SUNDAY 10:30 AM WORSHIP

USHERS
Feb. 4 John Lorenz, Larry Wallick, Tom Margo, Ron Stahl
Feb. 11 Jim Gibb, Mike Sergent, Jimm Morris, Brody Morris
Feb. 18 John Stahl, Robert McCulloch, Keith Lands, Paul McFadden
Feb. 25 Jeff Keller, Jeff Hootman, John Wolfe

ACOLYTES
2/4
2/11
2/18
2/25

LAY READERS
2/4 Jan Ochsenbine
2/11 John Stahl
2/18 Jimm Morris
2/25 Sandy Gibb

DEACON/COMM. ASST.
2/4
2/11
2/18
2/25 Deborah Horn

ALTAR GUILD

February: Judy Martin, Bonnie Richardson, Pam Keller, Elaine Margo

March: Donna Fox, Katherine Stahl, Jill Hootman, Shirley Grafe, Jan Ochsenbine



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February 2018

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				<i>1</i> 12-1 pm Bible Study 6 pm Handbell Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Gallery Choir	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>
<i>4</i> 8 am Worship Communion - Scout Sunday 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship Communion	<i>5</i> 2:30 pm Communion Park Village - S 6:30 pm Girl Scouts - YH 6:30 pm Girl Scouts - LH 7 pm Valley Voices	<i>6</i> 6:30 pm Cub Scouts	<i>7</i> 7 pm Boy Scouts	<i>8</i> 12-1 pm Bible Study 6 pm Handbell Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Gallery Choir	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i> 8 am Men's Breakfast
<i>11</i> 8 am Worship Communion 9:15 am SCS 10:30 am Worship Communion <u>Breakfast For Lunch - FH</u>	<i>12</i> 10:30 am Communion Park Village - N 6:30 pm Girl Scouts - YH 7 pm Valley Voices	<i>13</i> 9 am Knotters 4:30 pm Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner 6:30 pm Cub Scouts 	<i>14</i> 6:45 pm Ash Wednesday Service 7 pm Boy Scouts 	<i>15</i> 12-1 pm Bible Study 6 pm Handbell Choir 6:30 pm Girl Scouts 7 pm Gallery Choir	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>
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