

ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM GRACE

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5th Sunday After
the Epiphany
February 5, 2023

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TODAY'S EVENTS

8:30 AM WORSHIP

Ryan Edinger, Organist; Mike & Rita Beachler, Lower Greeters; Jim Schroeder, Usher 1; Ryan Nippert, Usher 2; Korey Nippert, Elevator Operator; Jacob Nippert, Acolyte; Ron Klaus, Elder.

11:00 AM WORSHIP

Ryan Edinger, Organist; Shawn & Teresa Kroll, Lower Greeters; Marvin Schultis, Usher 1; Cashe Kroll, Usher 2; Ava Kroll, Elevator Operator; Dakota Zimmerman, Acolyte; Kevin Ebke, Elder.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Chris Novotny
ALTAR GUILD FOR FEBRUARY
Carol Blobaum, Jan Klaus & Cindy Melcher

Today's radio broadcast is sponsored in memory of Richard Dux.



Prayer List
Those with Health Concerns: Linda Ebke, Todd Stewart, Connie Bleich, Isaac Robertson, Peggy Sweetser, Leon Oliver, Sean Fees, (Phil & Carol Fees' son), Coleen Beason, (Phil & Carol Fees' niece), Charles & Teddy Luper, (Deb Grummert's parents), Nancy Bettin, Rita Beachler, Ryann Emery (Pastor & Vickie's granddaughter), Jan Meredith, Vickie Emery, Sharon Kettelhut, Barb Criner, Linda Bales & Jim Rempel.

COMING UP

Ryan Edinger is our guest organist this morning. He is studying church music at Concordia-Seward.

The 7th & 8th Grade Confirmation class will meet this afternoon, 2 - 5:30 PM.

Mary Circle will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 PM. Hostesses will be Arlene Luebbe and Sherril Wegele. **PLEASE BRING YOUR LWML QUARTERLIES TO THE MEETING.**

The next Parents Night Out will be Saturday, February 11, 5 PM to 9 PM.

Pastor Emery has services next Sunday, February 12 at Cedarwood at 2 PM and at Gardenside at 3 PM.

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This morning at 11 AM, Collins Raye Austin will be baptized. She is the daughter of Shea and Johnna Austin and was born November 6. Her witnesses will be Cole and Mari Jo Morehead.

ATTENTION

MANDATORY HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH & PARENTS MEETING TODAY AT 10:45 AM.

The "Bible Break" group will be starting a new Bible study this week entitled "God's Relentless Love - A Study of Hosea". We would love to have you join us on Tuesdays at 12 Noon.



Sunday School and Adult Bible Class will begin at 9:45 AM this morning. We will continue with the study on "Letter to the Hebrews - Don't Forsake Jesus" in Adult Bible Class.

Welcome gift bags for visitors are located on the card table in the upper entry to the church. If you bring a guest to church you are welcome to give them one.

Nancy Bettin will need help with loading the Orphan Grain Train truck. If you are available, please contact Nancy at 402-587-0095.

Addresses for the shut-ins are posted on the bulletin board in the upper Narthex if you would like to send them a card sometime.

If you missed Sunday services, you can go to the church's website and can watch the service. It will be available Monday afternoons.



The 7-8 Confirmation students are learning about The Lord's Prayer. We are using "The Prayer Course" on Right Now Media as a resource. You can see what it's all about at <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/en/content/details/438946>

Join Matthew West this spring as he shares songs and stories for God's glory on the "My Story, Your Glory Tour!". "My Story" embodies the count-

less stories fans have shared with Matthew over the years and the importance of keeping God at the forefront in our everyday lives. "Your Glory" is the first full set of vertical, worship songs that Matthew has written for one of his records.

He will be at Christ Community Church in Beatrice on Friday, February 24. Scan the QR code for tickets.

Mercy Meal Committee: We are forming a committee from our congregation to provide meals to people in need. We will concentrate our efforts on members to start. The committee will form and decide how to proceed. Perhaps members can get together at church and make a large batch of food that can be frozen for use at any time. Or, maybe the committee will choose to be "on call" for the next need and then prepare and take a meal to the family in need. Deb Grummert has volunteered to get the committee started and organized. If you are interested, please contact her at (402)300-0276. We'd like to start as soon as possible.

This Week at Grace

Today	Early Worship with Holy Communion	8:30 AM
	Radio Broadcast over KGMT	8:30 AM
	Sunday School, Youth Bible Class & Adult Bible Class	9:45 AM
	High School Youth & Parents Meeting	10:45 AM
	Late Worship with Holy Communion	11:00 AM
	7th & 8th Grade Confirmation Class	2:00 PM - 5:30 PM
Tuesday	Men's Bible Breakfast	7:00 AM
	"Bible Break"	12:00 NOON
	Mary Circle	1:30 PM
Wednesday	3-6 Grade Midweek Class	4:00 PM - 5:15 PM
	Adult Choir	7:00 PM
Saturday	Parents Night Out	5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Next Sunday	Early Worship with Holy Communion	8:30 AM
	Radio Broadcast over KGMT	8:30 AM
	Sunday School, Youth Bible Class & Adult Bible Class	9:45 AM
	Late Worship with Holy Communion	11:00 AM
	Cedarwood Service	2:00 PM
	Gardenside Service	3:00 PM
	All Skate Event - Super Bowl Party	5:00 PM



Lent will begin on Ash Wednesday, February 22 with Holy Communion. Worship services will be at 4 PM and 6:30 PM each week with food and fellowship beginning at 5 PM. The meals will be sponsored as follows:

- Ash Wednesday - Lutheran Laymen's League
- March 1 - Anniversary Committee
- March 8 - Tri-Church Youth Group
- March 15 - Grace Lutheran Youth
- March 22 -
- March 29 -

If you are interested in sponsoring a meal, please call the church office as soon as possible.

Pastor will be at the church on Ash Wednesday to impose ashes if you would like to do that. He will be available at these times:

- 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM
- 12 NOON - 1:00 PM
- 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM
- 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM



The Lenten Series

O Love, How Deep, How Broad, How High

Each week we'll explore the enormous dimensions of love that God has for sinners in Christ. Our goal is to help us more fully comprehend and rejoice in "the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge." We also hope to connect the great love and mercy of God to the suffering and death of Christ in order to enrich our Lenten meditation. And in the end, we pray that the messages would move us all to love and mercy toward others. The titles for the midweek sermons are:

- Ash Wednesday** - "High Love, Down in the Dust"
- Lent 1** - "Love So Rich in Provision"
- Lent 2** - "Love That Spares No Cost"
- Lent 3** - "Love That Comes in Many Ways"
- Lent 4** - "Love That Deals Thoroughly With Sin"
- Lent 5** - "Love So Broad"
- Maudy Thursday** - "Deepest, Truest Love at Our Lord's Table"
- Good Friday** - "Jesus' Love and the Meaning of Life"
- Easter** - "Love That Ends Our Fears"

7-8 CONFIRMATION FAMILIES

Pastor Emery has set up a new Remind class for you. Please accept the invitation so that you can keep up on important information! You may enroll at: www.remind.com/join/8adk94

Weekly Statistics

ATTENDANCE

January 29

8:30 AM - 74

11:00 AM - 49

Sunday School - 23; \$30.00

Adult Bible Class - 23

Men's Bible Breakfast - 10

"Bible Break" - 5

Ladies Aid (1-19-23) - 9

LWML (1-3-23) - 12

Men's Network (1-22-23) - 5

Contributions Received

January 29 & February 1

General Budget - \$5,942.65

Missions Received - \$760

NEED \$577/WEEK TO

REACH 2023 GOAL OF \$30,000

Missions Received to Date - \$2,330

Mission Goal 1-29-23 - \$2,885

Our Zone Lutheran Women's Missionary League Workshop will be on Saturday, March 11, 2023 at St. Peter's Lutheran School in Deshler. Registration starts at 8:30 AM and the workshop begins at 9 AM. The theme is "Walk Me Home" based on Hebrews 12:2. Pastor Emery will lead the Bible Study. The workshop will be to help Orphan Grain Train in three ways:

1. We will collect clean, wearable shoes in good condition. Walking shoes are needed.

2. We will gather funds to help ship items to their destinations.

3. We will be sewing walking shorts for boys made out of T-shirts. These T-shirts need to be ADULT sizes S, M and L, dark colors, solid colors with NO print on them. They must be new or like new.

We are inviting congregation participation in this service event for Orphan Grain Train. **Please bring your contributions to church by Friday, March 10.** If you bring monetary contributions, please give them to Lynne in the church office. Other donations may be placed in the boxes marked LWML. Thank you for helping us to help others.

GRACE YOUTH PARENTS

The Grace Youth Group remind class is now:

@gsete to 81010

This information has changed, be sure to update your information.

Important information will be sent to you so please join our group to be sure you get the information you need.