

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

News & Notes

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Office Hours M-Th 8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m., Friday 8:00 a.m.- Noon

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE - June 2nd - June 9th

Seventh Sunday of Easter Sunday

Setting: Divine Service, Setting 4, page 203

Hymns: 525 560 617 650 566 473 739

Scripture: Acts 1:12-26
 Revelation 22:1-6, 12-20
 John 17:20-26

Sermon: "Make Us One"

THOSE IN SERVICE - SUNDAY, JUNE 2ND

Rev. Robert Bartel

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Leon Doescher
 Acolyte: Hannah Grantz
 A/V: Need Volunteer

10:00 a.m. Service

Music: Praise Band
 Elder: Jon Betz

CALENDAR

Our Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 5/26/2019

	Amount
Tithes and Offering	\$ 4,725.00
Endowment	25.00
Missions	25.00
Preschool	40.00
Total	\$ 4,815.00

Attendance for week of 5/26/2019

In Worship
 Sunday
 9:00 a.m. 170

6/2/2019	8:00 AM	"Mites" Sunday
	10:00 AM	Traditional Worship/Comm
		Praise Worship/Comm @
		Grace Camp
6/3/2019	6:00 PM	Council Meeting
6/6/2019	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
	5:00 PM	Weight Watchers Meeting
6/9/2019		Hall Rental - Family Reunion
	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	10:00 AM	Praise Worship @ Grace Camp
	6:00 PM	Youth Movie Night

COMMUNION POLICY — If you are a member of a Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod Congregation, you are welcome to partake of Communion when offered. If time permits, please identify yourself to the Pastor prior to worship. Those who are members of other denominations are encouraged to use this time of Communion as an opportunity for personal prayer and praise. If you have any questions or concerns about this practice, please ask the Pastor for additional information that will explain the Scriptural foundation for this policy.



Baptized on May 26, 2019 — Aspen Elise Williams, daughter of Jeremiah & Emily Williams. Her sponsors are Elliott & Kristine Pennock. Welcome to God's Family.



Grace Camp is participating in "Birdies for Charity" again this year. The pledge cards are available at the Welcome Center.

As the call committee continues the process to fill the pastor vacancy, anyone who would like to nominate a candidate would be asked to fill out a nomination form found at the welcome center. Thank you.

Please contact a Grace Camp board member with any questions or to pick up a pledge card. Thank you for your continued support of the "Birdies for Charity" program and Grace Camp.

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This year's Vacation Bible School will be June 24, 25 & 26 (evenings) at Grace Lutheran Church. Our VBS theme is Inside Out & Upside Down on Main Street-Where Jesus Makes a Difference Every Day!"

VBS is open to all children who are at least age three (by the first day of VBS) through those who will be entering 5th grade in the fall. Register today by logging onto www.gracedewitt.org.

We are in need of volunteers to help with VBS, please see the sign up sheets located on the bulletin board in the foyer. Thank you.

DAY CAMP SUPPLY REQUEST

- Red Pre-Sweetened Kool-Aide drink mix
- Cookies [No Peanuts or Peanut Butter]

Day Camp Registrations is open. To register simply log onto www.gracedewitt.org select 2019 Day Camp Registration and follow the directions. If you have any questions call the church office, 659-9153.

June is Referral Center Month.



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GRACE LUTHERAN SUMMER CAMP 2019 – "Strong & Courageous" - The

dates for this year's summer camp are July 29th – 31st. Online registration is now open. Please note the early bird registration date of July 1st. **Any registrations received after that time will pay the higher registration fee and will NOT receive a T-Shirt.**

SUMMER CAMP T-Shirts

Summer Camp 2019 will be held on **July 29th-31st**. If you plan to volunteer during camp or just stop out and would like an official Summer Camp 2019 T-Shirt, please contact Kerry Good or Mark Sperry. The cost is **\$10** and must be submitted by July 1st.

Desserts Needed — On June 28th a "Celebration of Life" will be held in Lincoln Park in DeWitt. The committee is inviting Grace to participate by donating 20 desserts for the free Cancer Survivor dinner. Anyone willing to make a dessert Please sign up at the Welcome Center. Thank you

Donations Needed

Today, Sunday, June 2nd we will have the "Little White Church" set out in the narthex to collect donations for Vacation Bible School 2019.

Many people are not aware that this summer outreach program is funded strictly through donations. The donations collected will go to purchase supplies, food and decorations for the three-day event.

If you would like to donate, place your offering inside the "white Church" You can also leave a donation in the offering plate, please mark it for VBS or drop it off at the church office.

The Vacation Bible School Chairs, Staff and Students thank you for your generosity.