

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

Pastor Eric Obermann 563-321-0032

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE - January 12th - January 19th

THOSE IN SERVICE - SUNDAY, JANUARY 12TH

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Ray Ackerman
 Acolyte: Benson Hill
 A/V: Vicki Becker

10:30 a.m. Service

Music: Praise Band
 Elder: Allan Ruggeberg
 Ushers: Danny Burzlaff, Alivia Burzlaff, Elyce Burzlaff, Grace Burzlaff and Monica Ruggeberg
 Acolyte: Lilyan Gruntorad
 A/V: Vicki Becker

The Baptism of Our Lord

Setting: Divine Service, Setting 4, pg. 203

Hymns: 405 v1-4 597 594

Glory Bound Choir directed by Julie Matzen
 "He Shall Reign Forevermore"

Scripture: *Isaiah 60:1-6*
Ephesians 3:1-12
Matthew 2:1-12

Sermon: "Jesus Baptized for You" *Matthew 3:13-17*



Altar flowers were given by Ray, Sarah, Raymond, Kyle Ackerman to the Glory of God.

THOSE IN SERVICE NEXT WEEK - SUNDAY, JANUARY 19TH

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Ray Ackerman
 Acolyte: Mallory McMahon
 A/V: Vicki Becker

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Allan Ruggeberg
 Ushers: Danny Burzlaff, Alivia Burzlaff, Elyce Burzlaff, Grace Burzlaff and Monica Ruggeberg
 Acolyte: Emma Pillers
 A/V: Vicki Becker

Calendar

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| 1/12/2020 | 8:00 AM | Traditional Worship/Installation of Officers |
| | 9:15 AM | Board of Discipleship Meeting |
| | 9:15 AM | Sunday School |
| | 9:30 AM | Adult Bible Study |
| | 10:30 AM | Praise Worship/Installation of Officers |
| | 6:00 PM | Youth Night @ GYM Building |
| 1/13/2020 | 6:30 PM | Elders Meeting |
| 1/14/2020 | 9:00 AM | Pastor's Winkel @ Immanuel, Grand Mound |
| 1/15/2020 | | Newsletter Deadline |
| | 9:00 AM | Sewing Ladies |
| | 5:30 PM | Confirmation |
| | 6:00 PM | Bell Choir |
| | 7:00 PM | Glory Bound Choir |
| 1/16/2020 | 9:00 AM | Tops Meeting |
| | 5:00 PM | Weight Watchers Meeting |
| | 6:30 PM | Ladies of Grace Bible Study |
| 1/17/2020 | | Preschool - No School |
| 1/19/2020 | 8:00 AM | Traditional Worship/Comm |
| | 9:15 AM | Sunday School |
| | 9:30 AM | Adult Bible Study |
| | 10:30 AM | Traditional Worship/Comm |

Our Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 1/5/2020

	Amount
Tithes and Offering	\$ 5,215.00
Capital Improvement	35.00
Envelope Fund	205.00
Glory Bound Choir	10.00
MITES	45.18
Sunday School Offering	64.27
Preschool	<u>85.00</u>
Total	\$ 5,659.45

Grace Camp \$10.00

Attendance for week of 1/5/2020

In Worship		In Study	
Sunday Service		High School	8
8:00 a.m.	120	Sunday School	43
10:30 a.m.	<u>70</u>	Bible Study	34
Total	180	Staff	<u>13</u>
		Total	98

We offer our prayers and condolences to the family of Jerry Gisel whom the Lord called to Himself this past week.

THE ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE for Grace Lutheran Church will be accepting grant applications starting January 1 through March 15, 2020. Applications for projects which provide support to missions, education, youth, worship, and music and/or capital projects will be considered. Forms are located on the Welcome Center.

SKI TRIP

Our annual Youth Ski Trip to Chestnut Mountain Resort is January 26th. The cost is **\$45** per person for rental, lesson and lift ticket. If you have your own equipment, the cost is **\$35** for a lift ticket. Please get a permission slip from the folder on the bulletin board outside of Mr. Sperry's office. Completed forms and money are due **January 19th**. We will need several more adults to help drive, so if you're willing and available, please contact Mark Sperry.

YOUTH NIGHT - Our first Youth Night of the year will be today, January 12th from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm at the G*Y*M Building at Grace Camp. This will be for all youth in 6th through 12th grades.

Greeters are needed on Sunday mornings to extend a warm welcome to our members and visitors. If you are available to help with this service, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

2020 Board/Committee Members

Board of Elders

Scott Steffens
Clint Albrecht
Jon Betz
Scott Havener
David Wold
Paul Kirby
Leon Doescher
Allan Anderson
Alan Rugeberg
Ray Ackerman

Board of Trustees

Randy Lange
Mike Hall
Al Roseland
Gary Smith

GYM Trustees

Dick Block
Craig Paarmann

Board of Youth

Laura Norcross
Troy Diercks
Cindy Sperry
Jennifer Thiede
Alex Butler
Emily Reed
Christy Stearns

Preschool Board

Kim Burzlaff
Netty Schneider
Emily Williams
Val Betz
Kerry Good

Board of Discipleship

Traci Butler
Wanda Brandt
Julie Krukow
Kay Hall
Carol Schunter
Deb Swanson
Monica Rugeberg
Jill Johnson

Board of Christian Ed.

Mike Good
Barb Dies
Jill Gisel
Shanna Tucker
Shannon Soenksen
Rachael Vopatek

Board of Finance

Barb Reed
Casey Walker
Angie Hill
Duane Meyer
Mike Vopatek

Endowment Committee

Jon Billhorn
Jim Owen
Scott Steffens
Barb Reed
Kim Haring

Council Officers

President
Steve Butler

President Elect
Rich Matzen

Secretary
Patty Anderson

Camp Board

Craig Paarmann
Dan Burzlaff
Mary Garlough
Carol Schunter

Wendy Proctor
David Schneider
Jake Williams
Jesse Spain
Allison LaFevers

Alan Rugeberg
Jason Hill
Duane Hansen
Raymond Ackerman



The new year is always a great time to update your information in your church record. You can help the office out by taking a moment to review the address and phone number that the church has on file.

There is a binder located on the Welcome Center. Please double check your address, phone number, birth dates and your family members information for accuracy. You may make corrections in the book. If all information is correct, please put "OK" by your name so that we know you have reviewed the information. If you have any questions, please contact Kerry at the church office (659-9153)

GRACE LUTHERAN MISSION STATEMENT — :To make known the love of Christ by word and deed within our church, communities and world.