

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

News & Notes

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THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE - February 28th - March 7th

The Second Sunday in Lent

Setting: Divine Service Setting 4, pg 203

Hymns: 430 708 422 420

Scripture: Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 Romans 5:1-11 Mark 8:27-38

Sermon: "Don't Say That"

Praying for:

Steve Jipp, Ron Jurgensen,
Ronnie Peters, Esther
Schroeder, Lucy Broadfoot,
and Carol Schunter.

Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 2/21/2021

*To fully fund our church budget
we need \$6,238.00 per week.*

	<i>Amount</i>
Tithes & Offering	\$ 9,947.28

Attendance for the week of 2/21/2021

	<i>Attendance</i>
Sunday Service	
8:00 a.m.	60
10:30 a.m.	51
Wednesday Service	
11:00 a.m.	33
7:00 p.m.	<u>41</u>
Total	185

THOSE IN SERVICE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28th

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
Elder: Alan Ruggeberg
Acolyte: Kinley Birt

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
Elder: Scott Havener
Acolyte: Mallory McMahon

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3rd

11:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke

7:00 p.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
Elder: Scott Steffens
Acolyte: Hudson Krukow

SUNDAY, MARCH 7th

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
Acolyte: Wyatt Jensen

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
Acolyte: Ashlie Oronzio

THE ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE for Grace Lutheran Church will be accepting grant applications through March 15, 2021. Applications for projects which provide support to missions, education, youth, worship, and music and/or capital projects will be considered.

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 ■ If you have missed receiving communion, you are invited to call the church office, 563-659-9153, to schedule a time for Pastor Eric to bring communion to you.
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**March Newsletters are located on
the table in the narthex.**



PLEASE REMEMBER TO CONTINUE
GIVING TO YOUR CHURCH
DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME

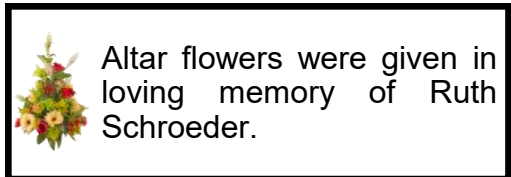
Remember the ways to give:

- 1.) Bill pay from your bank.
- 2.) Download the Give+ mobile app on your phone to make giving easy.
- 3.) Mail checks directly to Grace Church, PO Box 156, DeWitt, IA.
- 4.) Use the link on our website, www.gracedewitt.org, for online giving.

Scripture Reflections:

Mark 8:32 – “And he said this plainly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him.”

Anytime we sin we are acting like Peter: thinking we know better than the Lord. But as Jesus says, such acts stem from Satan. So let us repent: let us trust our Lord Jesus and follow Him. For certainly He has earned our trust with His gracious sacrifice for us.



Altar flowers were given in loving memory of Ruth Schroeder.

Pastor's Office Hours beginning March 1st will be M-Th from 8-Noon.

Calendar

2/28/2021	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship
3/1/2021	6:30 PM	Elders Meeting
3/3/2021	8:00 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Lenten Worship
	5:30 PM	Confirmation
	7:00 PM	Lenten Worship
3/4/2021	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
	7:00 PM	Women of Grace - Bible Study
3/5/2021	8:00 AM	Trustees Board Meeting
		Women of Grace - "Abide" Women's
3/6/2021	8:30 AM	Retreat
3/7/2021		"Mites" Sunday
	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship/Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Study
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship/Communion
3/8/2021	6:00 PM	Board of Discipleship Meeting
	6:00 PM	Council Meeting
3/10/2021	7:00 AM	Finance Board Meeting
	11:00 AM	Lenten Worship
	5:30 PM	Confirmation
	7:00 PM	Lenten Worship

GRACE LUTHERAN YOUTH'S FAMOUS LASAGNA TAKE & BAKE

For those that placed an order for the Grace Youth Famous Take & Bake Lasagna, pick-up will be Sunday, March 7th here at Church! Thank you for your support of the youth ministry programs here at Grace.



EASTER EGG HUNT

The Board of Youth & Board of Christian Education will be hosting an Easter Egg Hunt on Sunday, March 28th for children ages 3 years old through 5th grade. We need you to help by donating plastic eggs and pre-packaged candy. Please leave your donations in the box located outside the church office. We want 1 dozen eggs per child, so we will need approximately 1000 eggs and the candy to fill them.

Abide

A Women's Retreat

Abide: Prayers Practices for Anxious Times.

It will be a day of abiding with God and one another as we hear, see, and experience prayer practices that can be done in your personal devotional life, with your family, or in the larger context of a Christian community. Women of Grace is sponsoring this event via Visual Faith Ministries.

WHEN: Saturday March 6 from 8:30am-3:00pm

WHERE: Grace Fellowship Hall (415 10th St. DeWitt IA)

WHO: All women of Grace (& friends!) who wish to share in fellowship, faith, food & fun


DETAILS: Continental breakfast & light lunch will be served. Cost is free. Please bring a Bible and dress comfortably. If you don't feel comfortable attending in person, please visit <https://www.visualfaithmin.org>, where you can sign up to be a part of the Abide virtual retreat.

Women of Grace



Coffee & Connections

REGISTER by 2/28 by contacting Kerry at 563-659-9153 or kgood@gracedewitt.org.



Prayer Chain

Are you interested in being part of the prayer life here at Grace. Let the church office know, so that we can get a prayer chain started. As Pastor learns of needs, he will initiate the prayer and pass it on.