

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

News & Notes

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THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE - March 19th—March 26th

The Fourth Sunday in Lent

Setting: Divine Service Setting 3, pg. 184

Hymns: 74 433 431 849 720

Scripture: Isaiah 42:14-21 Ephesians 5:8-14 John 9:1-7, 13-17, 34-39

Sermon:

Praying for: Allen Anderson and Steve Jipp.

Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 3/12/2023

*To fully fund our church budget we need
 \$6,727.00 per week.*

	Amount
Tithes & Offering	\$ 4,655.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,621.00
Lent	\$ 549.00
Total	\$ 6,276.00

Attendance for the week of 3/5/2023

Wednesday Worship	
11:00 a.m.	27
7:00 p.m.	56
Sunday Worship	
8:00 a.m.	77
10:30 a.m.	60
Total	150

Calendar

3/19/2023	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship w/ Communion
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship w/ Communion
3/20/2023	2:00 PM	Blood Drive
	7:00 PM	Movie Night at the DeWitt Operahouse
3/21/2023	6:30 PM	Camp Board Meeting
3/22/2023	7:30 AM	Staff Meeting
	11:00 AM	Lenten Worship
	5:30 PM	Confirmation
	5:30 PM	Lenten Meal - Turkey & Dressing Sandwiches
	6:00 PM	Bell Choir
	6:30 PM	Glory Bound Choir
	7:00 PM	Lenten Worship
3/23/2023	7:45 PM	Cantata Rehearsal
	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
3/24/2023	7:00 PM	Women of Grace Bible Study
		Office Closed Preschool Yoga Friday
3/26/2023	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	9:00 AM	Fellowship Sunday
	9:15 AM	Sunday School & Adult Bible Class
	10:30 AM	Confirmation Sunday
	3:00 PM	CLUB345
6:00 PM	Middle School Youth Night	

SUNDAY, MARCH 19th

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Duane Hansen
 Acolyte: Keaton Birt

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Jon Betz
 Acolyte: Ashdon Converse

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22nd

11:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Scott Steffens

7:00 p.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Clint Albrecht
 Acolyte: Amelia Rickertsen

SUNDAY, MARCH 26th

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Duane Hansen
 Acolyte: Brayden Lawrence

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Jon Betz
 Acolyte: Easton Meyers

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - Join us June 25th – 29th for **KEEPERS of the KINGDOM VBS** where we will learn how we are a part of God's kingdom through salvation in his Son and are equipped with the armor of God to stand strong in today's battle for truth. If you want to get involved, check out the volunteer registration board in the foyer, or contact DCE, Mark Sperry.



Altar flowers were given in honor of Barry & Patty Anderson's 43 Wedding Anniversary.

LENTEN MEAL SCHEDULE

Wednesday's @ 5:30 p.m.

Free Will Donation

March 22nd - Board of Youth - Turkey & Dressing Sandwiches

March 29th - Board of Finance & Trustees -
Taco in a Bag

Confirmation Sunday

Confirmation will be held during the 10:30 a.m. service on March 26th. Nine of our young people will be participating in the Rite of Confirmation. Those who are in the 8th Grade Confirmation class and scheduled to be confirmed are:

Silas DeHaven	Mason Lawrence
Dylan Dies	Briah Reuss
Zack Garrity	Hattie Rickertsen
Kolton Goddard	Carson Tobey
Luke Hill	

If you would like to send Confirmation Blessings the wooden box will be out for you to place your card in beginning, March 5th until after the 8am service on Confirmation Sunday, March 26th.

HARVEST OF SORROWS

A Good Friday Tenebrae Cantata
Performed by the Cantata Chorale

Friday, April 7, 2023
7:00 pm at Grace
(ONE PERFORMANCE)

The tear-washed road to the cross is a necessary journey for all seekers of grace. Come and mourn awhile and reflect on the cost of redemption. Come and walk the winding road to Calvary. Kneel at the cross and nurture your heart with the Savior's grace. See the fruits of mercy and love draped in the arms of a rugged cross. Come and listen....



Palm Sunday, April 2nd
Pancake Breakfast
8:30 to 10:00 am

Grace Board of Ed. invites you to a
SOUP SOCIAL & GAME NIGHT!
Sunday April 2nd
5-7pm
Grace Hall
ALL are welcome!

Bring a crockpot of your favorite soup/chili to share!

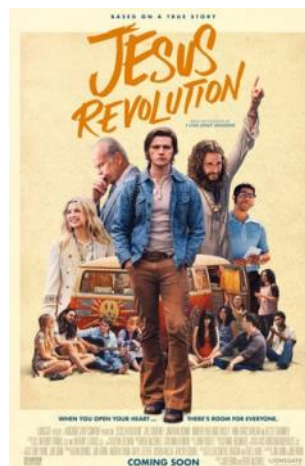
Bring a favorite game to play!

Lemonade & Water Provided.

MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH NIGHT

Our next Youth Night will be Sunday, March 26th from 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm at the G*Y*M Building at Grace Camp. Join us for an evening of fun, food, fellowship & God's Word. Invite your friends!

Club345 will meet on March 26th, from 3 to 5 at the DeWitt Lanes. We will enjoy time to bowl while having fun with friends. RSVP via text to 563-593-2393.



(Rated PG13)

Join Us
Monday, March 20th
@ DeWitt Operahouse
7:00 pm
Admission Free

For a showing of "Jesus Revolution" - Inspired by a true movement, JESUS REVOLUTION tells the story of a young Greg Laurie (Joel Courtney) being raised by his struggling mother, Charlene (Kimberly Williams-Paisley) in the 1970s. Laurie and a sea of young people descend on sunny Southern California to redefine truth through all means of liberation.