

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

News & Notes

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

The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Setting: Divine Service Setting 3, pg. 184

Hymns: 435 752 686

Scripture: Ezekiel 31:1-14 Romans 8:1-11 John 11:17-27,38-53

Sermon:

Praying for: Allen Anderson and Steve Jipp.

Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 3/19/2023

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

	Amount
Tithes & Offering	\$ 4,973.00
Online Giving	\$ 1,015.00
Lent	\$ 1,255.00
Total	\$ 7,243.00

Attendance for the week of 3/19/2023

Wednesday Worship	
11:00 a.m.	30
7:00 p.m.	61
Sunday Worship	
8:00 a.m.	61
10:30 a.m.	80
Total	232

Calendar

3/26/2023	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	9:00 AM	Fellowship Sunday
	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship/Confirmation Sunday
	2:00 PM	CLUB345
	6:00 PM	Middle School Youth Night
3/27/2023	6:30 PM	Board of Christian Education
3/28/2023	6:30 PM	Preschool - Spring Program
3/29/2023	11:00 AM	Lenten Worship
	5:30 PM	Confirmation
	5:30 PM	Lenten Meal - Finance/Trustees - Walking Tacos
	6:00 PM	Bell Choir
	6:30 PM	Glory Bound Choir
	7:00 PM	Lenten Worship
3/30/2023	7:45 PM	Cantata Rehearsal
	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
4/1/2023	7:00 PM	Women of Grace Bible Study
	10:00 AM	Pancake Breakfast Set-Up
4/2/2023	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship w/ Communion
	8:30 AM	Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser
	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship w/ Communion
	5:00 PM	Soup Social & Game Night

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

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29th

11:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Scott Steffens

7:00 p.m. Service

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

SUNDAY, APRIL 2nd

8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Duane Hansen
 Acolyte: Kyle Pillers

10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke
 Elder: Jon Betz
 Acolyte: Kyptin Barys

Greeters are needed on Sunday mornings to extend a warm welcome to our members and visitors. If you would like to assist with this there is a sign up sheet located on the Welcome Center. Greeters are asked to be here twenty minutes prior to the start of service.



Palm Sunday, April 2nd

Pancake Breakfast
 8:30 to 10:00 am

LENTEN MEAL SCHEDULE

Wednesday's @ 5:30 p.m.
Free Will Donation

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

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....

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April Voter's Meeting

Monday, April 17th @ 7:00 pm

We will be discussing a communication system which would allow members to receive a phone call, texts or emails regarding events, worship services, and cancellations.

We are in the planning stages of Wednesday service at the Welton Chapel at Camp for the Summer.


Palm Sunday

April 2nd

8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Procession of the Palms

Sunday School Children will Sing
with Glory Bound Choir during the
10:30 am Service

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.

Moms of ALL ages & stages are encouraged to join us for
Coffee & Connections

Friday March 31st
8am-10:30am (Drop in for a few or stay and chat all morning!)

Grace Hall (Use Main Entrance of Grace Church & head downstairs)

Have a little one? Feel free to bring them along.

Let's take some time to connect.
We will bring the GOOD coffee
& something sweet to eat. ♥

NEW EVENT!



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.