

Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

News & Notes

415 10th St, PO Box 156

De Witt, IA 52742

Church 563-659-9153 - Preschool 563-659-9193



THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE – June 14th–June 21st

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Setting: Divine Service, Setting 1, beginning on page 151

Hymns: 826 571 956 918

Readings: *Exodus 19:2-8 Romans 5:6-15 Matthew 9:35-10-8*

Sermon: “His Covenant” – Romans 5:6-8

Praying For: Allen Anderson, Brad Birtell, Dick Block, David Edens, Scott McBride, Betsy Henningsen, Mary Krapf, and Matthew Soenksen.

CALENDAR

6/14/2026	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship
	10:00 AM	Praise Worship @ Grace Camp
6/15/2026		Newsletter Deadline
	1:00 PM	500 Card Club
	7:00 PM	Youth Board Meeting
6/16/2026	9:00 AM	Arts & Crafts Camp (1st - 3rd Grade)
	1:00 PM	Arts & Crafts Camp (4th - 6th Grade)
	6:30 PM	Camp Board Meeting
6/17/2026	9:00 AM	Fishing Camp (1st-6th Grade)
6/18/2026	9:00 AM	Little Kids Camp
	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
	9:30 AM	Stay Active Senior Exercise Group
6/18/2026	4:00 PM	Victory Center Service Event
	7:00 PM	High School Pickleball
6/21/2026	8:00 AM	Pancake Breakfast
	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship w/Communion
	10:00 AM	Praise Worship w/Communion@ Grace Camp

Camp Cleaning Position Available – Start Immediately

We are seeking a reliable individual to clean our camp facilities.

Details: **Hours:** 20 hours per month

Schedule: Preferably Mondays or Tuesdays (some flexibility)

Pay: \$16/hour

Supplies: All cleaning supplies provided; basic tools available in each building

Areas to Clean: Pavilion bathrooms, Andrew, Peter, and Welton Chapel

If interested, contact **Jason Hill** at **563-321-2662**.

Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 6/7/2026. To fully fund the church budget, we need \$7,929.00 per week.

Weekly Offering \$ 4,980.00

Weekly Shortage \$ 2,949.00

Attendance for the week of 6/7/2026

Sunday Worship

8:00 am 62

10:30 am 54

Total 116

Sunday, June 14th

8:00 a.m. Service

Pastor Merle Warnsholz

Organist: Diana Baetke

Elder: Leon Doescher

Acolyte: Isaiah Sunday

10:00 a.m. Service @ Camp

Pastor Merle Warnsholz

Music: Praise Band

Elder: Scott Steffens

Sunday, June 21st

8:00 a.m. Service

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Organist: Diana Baetke

Elder: Leon Doescher

Acolyte: Zach Yutesler

10:00 a.m. Service @ Camp

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Grace Lutheran will hold their Victory Center Service Event on Thursday, June 18th.

We are need of donations of egg casseroles (3), desserts (2), fruit side dish (1), and people to help serve (3). Please sign up on the Welcome center or call the church office, 659-9153, to volunteer.

Donations for Empty Cans

We are looking for empty metal cans 14.75 to 15 ounces. Please use a safety opener so that the rim is not sharp. This helps ensure the cans are safe to handle and reduces the risk of injury. Place your cans in the basket located under the VBS sign-up table.

Do you volunteer for Summer Camp? Would you like a T-shirt? If you would like one to wear while you are volunteering your time at Summer Camp, please contact the church office by **June 27th** so that we can include them in our order. Cost is **\$5**.

Grace Lutheran Camp

PANCAKE BREAKFAST
at Grace Camp Pavilion

Join Us!
Sunday, June 21st
Serving from 8 to 11:30

FREE WILL OFFERING

PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS NEW APPLIANCES FOR THE RETREAT CENTERS.

Grace Camp, 2675 242nd St, De Witt, IA 52742



Volunteers Needed – Grace Lutheran Ministries

We need volunteers for Arts & Crafts Day Camp and Vacation Bible School. Come be part of something meaningful this summer—help us plant seeds of faith, friendship, and joy!

Volunteers are needed for:

Day Camps

- Arts & Crafts Camp – June 16th 9 am – 12 pm
- Arts & Crafts Camp – June 16th 1pm – 4 pm

Vacation Bible School – June 22nd – 25th - We need the Volunteers to help with VBS:

Crew Leaders & Crew Members – These volunteers walk children to activities and help keep the children safe.

Science & Craft Helpers – Assist the leaders with the science and craft station.

Game Helpers – Assist the leader with games.

Take a moment to look at your schedule to see where you can use your time and talent. Sign up on the bulletin board in the foyer.

*** Please remember, all volunteers 18 years or older are required to do a background check. Forms for these checks are located on the Welcome Center. Fill out the form and return it to Kerry or Mark..

Join Us for VBS at Grace Lutheran Church!

Children ages 3 years (must be potty trained) through 5th grade are invited to an exciting adventure at Grace Lutheran Church’s Vacation Bible School, “Emerald Crossing”—happening June 22nd–June 25th at Grace Camp.

Come and enjoy crafts, games, music, Bible stories, and more in a fun, faith-filled environment. It’s a wonderful opportunity to make new friends, learn about God’s love, and create lasting memories. We can’t wait to see you there!

Register online at www.gracedewitt.org.

Grace Lutheran Church

Summer Camp
July 27th - July 29th

Open To:
2nd - 8th Grade
Space is Limited!
Cost \$25

REGISTRATION OPENS
June 1st @ 7 pm
Register for Grade Going Into.

PROGRAM:
BIBLE STUDY - ARCHERY - CANOEING - CRAFTS - FUN WITH FRIENDS - GREAT FOOD AND SNACKS

REGISTER:
PLEASE REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.GRACEDEWITT.ORG.
COST IS \$25 IF REGISTERED BY JUNE 30TH
COST AFTER JUNE 30TH IS \$40
MUST REGISTER BY JUNE 30TH TO RECEIVE A T-SHIRT

Important
2nd & 3rd grades do not stay overnight. They will need to be dropped off and picked up each day.

www.gracedewitt.org - CALL: 563-659-9153




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Summer Lunch Box Packing Event - Our next packing event will be Wednesday, June 24, at 3 p.m. in the United Methodist Church social hall.