

# Grace Ev. Lutheran Church (LCMS)

## News & Notes

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### THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE - August 29<sup>th</sup> - September 5<sup>th</sup>

#### Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

**Setting:** Divine Service Setting 3, pg. 184

**Hymns:** 655 657 566 629 708 924

**Scripture:** Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9 Ephesians 6:10-20 Mark 7:14-23

**Sermon:** "Forming Habits"

**Praying for:** Esther Schroeder, Gary Smith, and Marty Block.

#### THOSE IN SERVICE

##### SUNDAY, AUGUST 29<sup>th</sup>

###### 8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke  
Elder: Clint Albrecht  
Acolyte: Hannah Grantz

###### 10:00 a.m. Service

Music: Praise Band  
Elder: Jon Betz

##### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1<sup>st</sup>

###### 7:00 p.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke  
Elder: Ray Ackermann

##### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>

###### 8:00 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke  
Elder: Leon Doescher  
Acolyte: Kinley Birth & Keaton Birt

###### 10:30 a.m. Service

Organist: Diana Baetke  
Elder: Scott Steffens  
Acolyte: Jackson Butler & Ashlynn Appleby

September newsletter are available on the table in the Narthex, in the basket at camp, or on our website.

#### Gifts, Tithes & Offerings for 8/22/2021

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

	<i>Amount</i>
Tithes & Offering	\$ 5,619.00
Weekly Shortage	(\$ 619.00)

#### Attendance for the week of 8/1222021

	<i>Attendance</i>
Wednesday Service	
8:00 a.m.	14
Sunday Service	
8:00 a.m.	67
10:00 a.m.	<u>87</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>168</b>



Altar flowers were given in honor of Matthew Barry.



#### **Baptized on August 22, 2021**

— Warden Jesse Spain, son of Jesse & Jenna Spain. His sponsors are Jason Spain and Jessica Olson. Welcome to God's Family.

#### Scripture Reflections:

**Deuteronomy 4:6 – "Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.'**

" There is no wiser, more fulfilling life than a life lived according to the Word of God. We should be encouraged by this when the world tempts us to think that the Word of God is harmful to us. Our Father loves us; so all His Word is meant to bless us. We may have to suffer for upholding the Word of God, as St. John the Baptist did. But the cross the Lord has for us to bear will be far better than any we would create for ourselves.



Fall Worship Times begin Sunday, September 5th.

#### **Sunday Worship**

8:00 a.m. @ Grace Church  
10:30 a.m. @ Grace Church

#### **Wednesday Worship**

7:00 p.m.

#### **PLEASE NOTE**

Sunday School and Adult Bible Study will begin on Sunday, September 12th at 9:15 a.m.

Adult Bible study will be held in Grace Hall.

# Calendar

8/29/2021	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship/Communion
	10:00 AM	Praise Worship/Comm @ Grace Camp
	4:00 PM	NYG22 Info Mtg @ the G*Y*M Building
	5:00 PM	Back-2-School Blast @ Grace Camp
8/30/2021	6:00 PM	Sunday School Teachers Meeting
9/1/2021	7:30 AM	Staff Meeting
	5:30 PM	Confirmation
	7:00 PM	Worship
9/2/2021	9:00 AM	Tops Meeting
9/3/2021	8:00 AM	Trustees Board Meeting
9/5/2021		"Mites" Sunday
	8:00 AM	Traditional Worship/Communion
	10:30 AM	Traditional Worship/Communion

## LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF 2021 Fall Collection Drive School Kits

### Supplies needed for each School Kit:

- Four 70-sheet notebooks of wide or college-ruled paper, approximately 8" x 10 1/2" (no loose-leaf paper can be accepted)
- One 30-centimeter ruler, or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other
- One pencil sharpener
- One blunt scissors (safety scissors)
- Five black or blue ballpoint pens (no gel ink)
- Five #2 Pencils
- One box of 16 or 24 crayons
- One 2 1/2" eraser

All items must be new and unused. Completed, individual, kits can be left in the tote located in the foyer.

**Thank you for your support!**



Time is ticking down. On Wednesday, September 8th we will begin getting pictures taken

for the new Church Photo Directory. We are encouraging all members to participate. This is a great opportunity to get your family picture taken. If you schedule a photo appointment you will get a free 8x10 photo and Photo Directory. During your appointment, you will choose the photos you would like to purchase, or if you chose not to purchase that is okay too.

If you are not able to get your photo taken during these scheduled times, but would like to have your family's photo included in the directory you can do that too. Simply choose the photo you would like and either bring it to the church office so we can scan it or send a digital photo to [kgood@gracedewitt.org](mailto:kgood@gracedewitt.org). The cost for submitting a photo is \$15. If you submit a picture you will also receive a Photo Directory.



All kids in grades 3rd, 4th & 5th grade are invited to join us for our September Club345 event! Bring a friend and

join us for a fun scavenger hunt on **Sunday September 12th from 2-4pm** at the Gym Building at Grace Camp. Please help us spread the word! Please contact Rachael Vopatek or Amy Meyers with any questions.

### **Back-2-School Blast**

**6th—12th Graders**

**5 to 7 pm**



Join us at the Grace Youth Ministry Building at camp for our annual Back-2-School Blast.

### **Sunday School Teacher Needed:**

We are in need of a 4th Grade Sunday School—Team Teacher. A Team-Teacher is a teacher who works with another teacher to set up a schedule for when they will teach. This type of teaching allows teachers to have some Sunday's free from teaching. Please, contact Pastor or Mark if you are available to help.