



Good News of Grace



October 2022

Grace Lutheran Church
303 Green Bay Road
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“Reaching out to all people as Disciples of Christ, we serve God, proclaim our faith and care for all creation.”

October Highlights

October 2, 5pm - Pet Blessing



On Sunday, October 2 we will gather on the east lawn at 5pm for the annual pet blessing in honor of St Francis of Assisi. Bring all your non-human pets – dogs, cats, snakes, horses, whatever you’ve got – and we’ll sing and pray and give thanks to God for

the gift of companionship in the web of life.

October 2 - Grace Kids Movie Night

Save the date and watch Grace Notes and the bulletin for more details!

October 23 - 9am Affirmation of Baptism

Join us during the 9am service when we will celebrate with Chip Sampe as he affirms his baptism.



October 30 - 9am Sanctuary Dedication Service

Join us for this special dedication service as we have a joyous celebration of our new sanctuary! Bishop Paul Erickson will be here, along with wonderful music from our singers, ringers, and brass players!



Worship and Education

Worship Schedule:

Sundays at 8am & 9am

Tuesday Devotional at 12:10pm

Education:

Bible Study on Thursday 12pm

Grace’s Welcome Statement

Grace Lutheran Church is a religious community that celebrates the gifts of God that empower us to engage in the struggles of life, to care for each other, and to serve Christ where we work and live. Grace is a “Reconciling in Christ” congregation, which means we welcome the participation of people of all ages, races, ethnic backgrounds, sexual orientations, gender identities, education backgrounds, and economic conditions – all who want to join us in serving God, proclaiming our faith, and caring for all creation.

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GRACEful Giving and Other Notes

October Highlights (Cont'd)

October 30 - Trunk or Treat

Save the date for Trunk or Treat and watch Grace Notes and the bulletin for more details!



Game Night!

Mark your calendars for the next game night! On Monday, October 10 at 6:30pm, join us for games, snacks and great fellowship! Come learn a new game or play an old familiar fun game. Contact Janie Robbins with questions.



GRACEful Giving Campaign Update

Please continue to keep the GRACEful Giving campaign in your thoughts and prayers. Through mid-September, we have received over \$84,665 in cash contributions so far this year. An additional \$10,250 has been received in the "Fund a Seat" promotion. We thank all our contributors for their generosity.

GRACEful Giving



Rebuild, Renovate, Restore

Our line of credit will be converted to a long term mortgage in mid-October. If you are able to make your planned 2022 contribution within the next few weeks, it will go directly to pay current expenses which will reduce the initial balance of the mortgage.

Artsy? Crafty?

We are looking to gauge interest in planning an arts and crafts fair at our church. If you have questions, comments or would like to participate, please contact Dawn Omernik-Nimmer at (262) 512-9459 or email missdawno@me.com.

German Group

The German Group will be meeting on Friday, October 21 at 2pm this month. Come and join in the German discussion!

Guest House Sandwiches

We assemble sandwiches for the guests at the Guest House *twice* each month, on the first and third Wednesdays, at 9:00am. Join us for this opportunity to serve and to enjoy fellowship with one another on Wednesdays, **October 5 and 19.**



Memorial Fund Activity for August

Income:	\$6,750
Expenditures:	\$0
Balance:	\$21,241
(Designated: \$13,754)	
(Available: \$7,487)	

Sewing

Just a reminder that the sewing group meets each Monday at 10am in the "Sewing Room" in the basement. Come join us if you have a project that needs repairs or just to dust off your skills and try something fun!

October Choir Schedule

Sunday, 10/2	SBG Band Leads Worship
Sunday, 10/9	Chancel Choir Sings
Sunday, 10/16	Bells Ring
Sunday, 10/23	SBG Band Leads Worship
Sunday, 10/30	All Groups plus brass

- Groups warm up at 8:30am prior to worship.
- SBG Band practices at 9am on the Saturday prior to their scheduled Sundays.

Birthdays & Other News

October Worship Leaders

Please watch Grace Notes for the link to sign up to volunteer, or call/email the office.

10/2 9am

Greeter: Stacy Rauen
Reader: JoAnn Holdmann
Wine: JoAnn Holdmann, Nancy Perez
Usher: TBD
Communion Setup: Delaine Jacobs

10/9 9am

Greeter: Delaine Jacobs
Reader: Holly Grassin-Kremmel
Wine: Kim Nagel, Janie Robbins
Usher: TBD
Comm. Setup: TBD

10/16 9am

Greeter: TBD
Reader:
Wine: JoAnn Holdmann, Nancy Perez
Usher: TBD
Comm. Setup: TBD, TBD

10/23 9am

Greeter: Stacy Rauen
Reader: Bev Leidel
Wine: Nancy Perez, TBD
Usher: TBD
Comm. Setup: JoAnn Holdmann

10/30 9am

Greeter: TBD
Reader: TBD
Wine: TBD, TBD
Usher: TBD
Comm. Setup: TBD



Greeters Needed!

We have added greeters back to the worship volunteer list. Please consider signing up using the sign-up link in the Grace Notes. You may also contact the office if you'd like to sign up or have questions about greeter responsibilities.



October Birthdays

Name	Date
Robert Lohr	2
Holly Grassin-Kremmel	3
David Rauth	3
Pam Stockbridge	3
Valerie Gilhams	5
Denise Christofferson	9
Corrine Mattson	9
Quinn Buczynski	11
Florence Panning	11
Shonda Schaff	11
Jordan Beck	12
Greg Gleisner	13
Bryce Umhoefer	13
Todd Zeller	13
Drew Liegeois	14
Robert Koch	16
Carol Raymond	17
Chris Larsen	18
Emily Martin	18
Colleen Lohr	20
Ian Liegeois	22
Brian Karthaus	25
Jeff Wolf	26
Jaycee Christofferson	27
Mary Karthaus	30
Kelly Umhoefer	30
Colleen Umhoefer	30
Matt Bartz	31
Caiden Maciejewski	31

If you have a birthday this month and your name is not listed, we apologize. Please call the church office so that we update our records. Thank you!



All Peoples Church Food Pantry

At this time the pantry food supply is still very low; so for the foreseeable future we hope to collect non-perishable food items again. When you shop for your family, please pick up an extra item for the pantry. Thank you!



2022 Grace Council Members

Dan Driewer	Morgan Bernard
Jim Martin	Cindy Karthaus
Beth Buczynski	Pam Stockbridge
Beth Beck	Terry Young
Matt Bartz	

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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Worship with Holy Communion:
Sundays at 8am & 9am
Tuesday Devotional at 12:10pm

Education:
Bible Study - Thursdays:12pm
Faith Formation - October 23: 10:15am



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October Calendar

Recurring Events

Sundays

8am Devotional Svc (no singing)
9am Worship/Comm.
10:15am Choir Rehearsals
11am Bell Choir Rehearsal

Mondays

10am Sewing
5:30pm Lakeshore Quilters (1st Mon.)
6:30pm Scouts (4th Mon. each month)

Tuesdays

12:10pm Devotional Svc.
6:30pm Council (2nd Tue.)
6:30pm Scouts

Wednesdays

9am Guest House Sandwiches, F.H.
(1st and 3rd Wed.)
6pm Band Practice, Fellowship Hall
6pm Girl Scouts (3rd Wed.)

Thursdays

12pm Bible Study - Basement Room

Saturdays

9am - SBG Practice (every other Sat.)

Other Events & Meetings

October 1 (Saturday)

2pm Fellowship Hall Rental

October 2 (Sunday)

5pm Pet Blessing
TBD Grace Kids Movie Night

October 8 (Saturday)

7:30am Women of the ELCA in F.H.
4pm Oktoberfest in F.H.

October 9 (Sunday)

10:15am Grace Kids Sunday School

October 10 (Monday)

6:30pm Game Night

October 21 (Friday)

2pm German Group

October 23(Sunday)

10:15am Grace Kids Sunday School
10:15am Faith Formation with Brian Dearing

October 30(Sunday)

TBD Trunk or Treat