

Grace Community Presbyterian Church
June 23, 2024



Thought for Meditation

"Ancient peoples were especially impressed with the holiness of water and especially of rivers and springs. Water was so precious and rivers in spate could be so powerful that it is not surprising that they were so impressed. In the west we may know water only as something which comes out of a tap; but in the ancient world, as in many places still today, water was the most valuable and potentially the most dangerous of all things."

William Barclay

*** Gloria Patri**

#813

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, a world without end.
Amen.

Duet Revelation Song Wendy Aurednik & Aubrie Newcomb

Time with the Children

— THE WORD —

Scripture John 5:1-15

A Sermon "Arise and Be Walking"

***Responding Hymn** "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" #575

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer (debts & debtors)

Call for Tithes and Offerings *Numbers* 18:26

"When you take from the people of Israel the tithe that I have given you from them for your inheritance, then you shall present a contribution from it to the Lord, a tithe of the tithe." Grace Church, let us offer to the Lord our lives and our tithes for God's glory.

Offertory Sweet the Moments Rich in Blessing Haan

***Doxology** Praise God #815

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*** Prayer of Dedication**

— SENDING —

* **Hymn of Dedication** “Blessed Assurance ” (v. 1-2) #572

* **Charge and Benediction** 2 Thess. 3:16, 18
Now may the Lord of peace give you peace at all times
and in all ways. The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ
be with all of you. **Amen**

* **Congregational Response** “Blessed Assurance” (v. 3) #572
Perfect assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood.
***This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long (2x).***

* **Postlude** Fugue in D Handel

*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

Welcome to Grace Community Presbyterian Church

We extend a warm welcome to all worshipping with us today and hope that you will return. Please Join us for our **Strawberry Festival** immediately following worship. Share lunch and fellowship with your Grace Family.

Help fill shoeboxes all year long! The Operation Christmas Child items for the month of May are arts & craft supplies (colored pencils, crayons, watercolors, drawing paper and sidewalk chalk). Donations may be placed in the OCC box in the Narthex. Thank you.

Rev. Dr. Ojulu is available anytime if you have any concerns, want to schedule a meeting, or if you need a prayer. You can contact him at the office @ 724-339-9661 or his cell 507-304-5958.

JUNE BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

June 1	June Cicola	June 1	Charlie & Connie Markle
June 13	Arch Carroll	June 4	Jim & Kellie Newcomb
June 17	Reitha Bieranoski	June 6	Chick & Jackie Chickarella
June 20	Olga Howrelook	June 15	Mary Ann & Lou Walter
June 20	Mary Ann Walter	June 16	Duke & Debbie Pollick
June 24	Cathy Brady	June 28	June Cicola
June 27	Barb McGearry		

If your name does not appear, or if the listed information is incorrect, please contact the church office so that the records can be updated.

GREETERS NEEDED!!!!

GREETERS ARE NEEDED FOR JUNE. THERE IS A SIGN-UP SHEET ON THE BULLETIN BOARD OUTSIDE OF THE OFFICE. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GREET THOSE ATTENDING WORSHIP ON SUNDAY MORNING, PLEASE SIGN UP. IT IS A NICE WAY TO START THE DAY.

This Week's Calendar
June 23 - June 29

Today	Worship	10:00am
	Strawberry Festival	11:00am
Tuesday	Bible Study	1:00pm

Looking Ahead
June 30 - July 6

June 30	Worship	10:00am
July 2	Bible Study	1:00pm
July 4	FOURTH OF JULY - OFFICE CLOSED	

CALENDAR SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Grace Community Presbyterian Church
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Worship Service is at 10:00am

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Elders

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Dave Briscoe
Michael Cochenour
Dan Howard
Cheryl Landis
Glenn Nordmark
Sharon Rupert
Todd Taylor
Jack Trinclisti
Steph Tutka
Cathy Vitari

Deacons

Sheri Cieslinski
Kerri Colaianni
Elsie Deem
Lisa Edwards
Heidi Hacker
Linda Johnson
Terri Ludwig
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