

Grace Life Line Monthly

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Sunday Schedule and Times

8:00 a.m. Worship Team Practice
9:00 a.m. Adult Christian Ed
9:00 a.m. Youth and Children's Christian Ed
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Birthdays this Month

2 Pat Blanco
5 Amy Bloemhof
5 Wendy Russell
6 Virginia Parten
20 Delroy Deniston
21 Judy Bocker
22 Greg Perryman



Anniversaries this Month

6 Jeff and Betsy Rogers
11 Dave and Judy Bocker
17 Paul and Denise Litchfield
30 Brent and Valerie Paul



2026 Elders

Brent Paul
Carl Olsen
Jeff Mehlberg
Mike Bloemhof
Keith Janzen
Barry Braun
Dale Nicol

Volunteers



Opening and Closing

May 3 Daniel Olsen
10 Les Cooper
17 Mike Bloemhof
24 Cale Rogers
31 Carl Olsen



Children's Church

May 3 Kathy Cooper
10 Amy Bloemhof
17 Loran Grant
24 Kathy Cooper
31 Amy Bloemhof



Kidz Zone Cooks

May 6 Denise Litchfield
13 Denise Litchfield

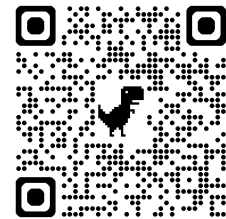


Greeters

May 3 Mike & Amy
10 Dale & Sharon
17 Jeff & Betsy
24 Loran Grant
31 Sylvis & Monica



The first Sunday of every month there is a Deacon fund offering. There is an offering plate by the door in the narthex for your donations. You can also give your donation to Betsy Rogers or any of the deacons. These funds serve and support those in our church family who are going through difficult times. Please consider making a donation.



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Facility Update

A number of facilities projects that were begun after the first of the year have or are reaching completion:

*The repair/remodeling of both men's and women's hallway restrooms is finished and they are open for use.

*The Children's Classroom and restroom both have new flooring and the restroom has been fully updated.

*The restroom attached to the office also has new flooring and paint.

*The Fireside Room carpet has been replaced.

*The carpet in the sanctuary has been professionally cleaned.

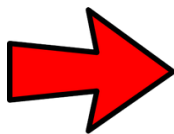
*New exterior door signage has been installed throughout the facility.

*Ten of the hallway posts and areas of the facade that had extensive termite/dry rot damage has been replaced and all posted repainted. Pastor Rich's APAC organization took the lead on this project.

*The front doors of the sanctuary and all exterior railings throughout the facility have been repainted.

*Through the efforts of volunteers over two workdays, the landscape has undergone significant pruning and cleanup.

FACILITIES UPDATE CONTINUED



Justin Rogers– Maple School

Brenda Mendez– Wasco High School

Emma Litchfield– Fresno State Masters in Education

Kyle Bloemhof– California Aeronautical University



Church BBQ lunch and Town Hall meeting on May 17th following the worship service. Sign up in the narthex.

Still in process...

Late in the winter, the boiler that heats the sanctuary literally blew-up on a Sunday morning prior to the worship service. In God's providence no one was hurt, however the aging boiler was destroyed. We have just completed the insurance settlement, and will soon begin the process of replacing it. At the same time, whether specifically related or not, the flow control switch for the chiller unit (cooling) also went out. Therefore, the sanctuary is currently without cooling or heating.

Summer Schedules

Kidz Zone– ends May 13th and will not meet in June and July.

Children's Church– Will not meet in June or July.

Sunday School (all ages)- will not meet in July or August.

First Sunday Fellowship will not meet in July and August.



Barry Braun is leading a **new Bible Study** using a book by Ray Stedman called **Body Life**. It meets on Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm at the home of Jill Drescher or Linda Newcomb.



Thursday, May 7th.



AA meets every Thursday at 6 pm in the Fireside Room.