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God's covenant makes a community out of us.

Dear people of Grace;

St. Valentine's Day is kind of special this year. It's also Ash Wednesday! If you have a significant other with whom you share your love, consider going out to Grace for the imposition of ashes, then to dinner and a movie! If you take this idea and run with it, what an evening of contrasts it would be.



Photo credit Manhattan Presbyterian Church

Our relationships are a type of covenant with one another. We have expectations of one another. Our commitment to our relationships is filled with promise. Inside the covenant of relationship, we make sacrifices for the sake of one another. We can tell when the relationship is stressed and strained, therefore sometimes it's the sheer existence of the promise, the covenant (along with a dose of stubbornness), that keeps things going. Sometimes, relationships are too broken to be healthy or safe, and radical changes must happen.

As we prepare for the season of Lent, I've been looking at the scripture choices of the season and find myself thinking God's covenant makes a community out of us. Consider these passages:

- God makes a covenant to Noah, his family *and all living creatures* as flood waters subside: "I won't do that again." (Genesis 9:8-17). The community builds and grows to trust a visible sign (the rainbow) that God is using restraint from now on (until, I would say, the cross of Christ).
- Elderly (and barren) Abram and Sarai each get a name change in connection with God's covenant: "You're going to be the ancestor to many nations" (Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16). A family is reared with the promise that they will be blessed, and that they will be a blessing to the world.
- Israelites recently rescued from slavery are given a covenant of ten commandments for life together: "Do not have other gods before me". Their deliverance is the great backdrop providing deeper meaning to, and engagement with, the commandments. They're received by the Israelites in relationship to God, the one who delivered them (Exodus 20:1-17). The Israelites define themselves as the ones who were rescued, and given commands for preserving their own community.
- The Israelites become agitated and bothered in their wilderness journey, and God sends poisonous serpents into camp as judgment. Moses prays for the people, and God commands a serpent to be crafted and affixed to a pole for the salvation and healing of the people. This is a foreshadowing of the saving grace of the cross (Numbers 21:4-9, John 3:14-21). The community is those who look to the cross for healing and new life.
- Finally, to a people in exile, God promises a "new covenant": "I will put my law within them, I will write it on their hearts; I will be their God, and they shall be my people." (Jeremiah 31:31-34). This text is part of our Reformation Sunday tradition every year. It's part of the core of Lutheran identity.

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THE MISSION OF GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

To proclaim and celebrate the gospel of Jesus Christ through word and sacraments so that a community of believers is created, trained, nurtured, and sent into mission.

God's covenant makes a community out of us. Together we hear and ponder these words from scripture, and the Spirit of Christ brings us together.

- The more diverse we see ourselves, the better-defined will be the covenant of God.
- The words of the promises of God are as true for you as they are for me. The covenant of God is the binding agent between us.
- People value one another not on impressions or personalities, but rather on the value of the covenant.
- The covenant becomes something people will commit to, and sacrifice for. The covenant becomes the source of mission.

I'm looking forward to being with you throughout Lent. If you choose a fast, do it for the sake of the celebration you'll participate in at Easter. If you choose to give more for the needs of the world, consider our special offerings to end world hunger. If you choose to be more intentional about prayer, remember we have spaces created with prayer in mind and we would love to pray together. God be with you this Lent.

My time away during February:

Days off: Feb 5, 12, 21, 26

Vacation days: 15, 16, 18

I will be in MN to see family and interview next year's interns Feb 15-21. Pray for the Spirit of God to guide the interview process! Also, please be in prayer for a housing solution for next year's intern (a very important detail!)

Together!

Pastor James Aalgaard

Worship Assistants

The Worship Team is updating and revising worship assistant lists for acolytes, altar guild, communion assistants, greeters, lectors, sound board operators, and ushers.

How would you like to help in worship? Would you like to try something new?

Please let us know! We are currently working on a schedule for February-June 2018.

Look for Worship Team members in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall following worship the next few weeks, or contact Denise Miller, team leader, at 663-3052 or denisemary63@gmail.com.

Thank you ALL for serving in worship!

Lenten Soup Suppers



Join us for our weekly Lenten Soup Suppers, each Wednesday during Lent, beginning February 21. Volunteers are needed to provide soup, bread/rolls and clean up. Sign-up sheets are available in the narthex for your convenience. Meals are served at 5:45 p.m.

Worship Assistants

5th Sunday of Epiphany Sunday, 2/4 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 3	Transfiguration of our Lord Sunday, 2/11 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 3	1st Sunday of Lent Sunday, 2/18 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4	2nd Sunday of Lent Sunday, 2/25 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4
<u>Scripture Readings</u> Isaiah 40:21-31 Psalm 147:1-11, 20c 1 Corinthians 9:16-23 Mark 1:29-39	<u>Scripture Readings</u> 2 Kings 2:1-12 Psalm 50:1-6 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 Mark 9:2-9	<u>Scripture Readings</u> Genesis 9:8-17 Psalm 25:1-10 1 Peter 3:18-22 Mark 1:9-15	<u>Scripture Readings</u> Genesis 17:1-7, 15-16 Psalm 22:23-31 Romans 4:13-25 Mark 8:31-38
Greeter Joyce Owens	Greeters	Greeters	Greeters
Hosts	Hosts	Hosts	Hosts
Acolytes Becca Henning, Alex Henning	Acolytes Erik Olson	Acolytes	Acolytes Darren Lake, Conrad Lake
Altar Guild Peggy Fenhaus	Altar Guild Denise Miller	Altar Guild Jennifer McMahon	Altar Guild Hollie Olson
Communion Assistants Beth Smallbeck, Riva Morgan Colleen Smith	Communion Assistants	Communion Assistants Gary Otheim, Kathy Otheim	Communion Assistants Sophie Fiebelkorn
Lector Joyce Owens	Lector Dee Ann Gregg	Lector Gary Otheim	Lector Jim Caulkins
Sound Technician Natalee Aalgaard	Sound Technician Kent Heminger	Sound Technician Lynn Heminger	Sound Technician Ken Machtley
Ushers	Usher Dave Coe	Ushers	Usher Helen Morton
Flowers	Flowers Dee Ann Gregg	Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>	Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>
Wednesday, 2/7 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross	Wednesday, 2/14 12:00 & 5:15 p.m. Ash Wednesday	Wednesday, 2/21 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross	Wednesday, 2/28 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross
Altar Guild Hollie Olson	Altar Guild 12:00 Sue Marshall 5:15 Peggy Fenhaus	Altar Guild Jan Herman	Altar Guild Tami Woolsey
Lector	Lector	Lector	Lector

FAITH FORMATION

LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY MORNING AT 10:30

February 4 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Apostles' Creed
Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): 3rd Article (**Lib**)
High School: Commandments 1-3 (**Narnia**)
Adults: Catechism: History (**FH**)

February 18 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Baptism
Confirmation (7th-8th Gr): No Class - Youth Quake
High School: No Class - Youth Quake
Adults: Catechism: History of Apostles' Creed (**FH**)

February 11 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Apostles' Creed
Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): Lord's Prayer:
Intro and 1st Petition (**Lib**)
High School: Commandments 4-10 (**Narnia**)
Adults: Catechism: Ten Commandments (**FH**)

February 25 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Baptism
Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): Lord's Prayer:
2nd and 3rd Petition (**Lib**)
High School: Sacraments (**Narnia**)
Adults: Catechism: Lord's Prayer (**FH**)

Location Key

Lib (Library) - mailbox entrance, first door on right

Narnia - at the end of the office hallway

FH - Fellowship Hall

(through the back doors of the Sanctuary)

MPR - Multi-Purpose Room

(in office hallway)



Valentines

Each year we send valentines to college students, military personnel and other far-flung friends of Grace. The valentines will be in the narthex on Sunday, February 11, for you to sign. Please take a minute to add a greeting or simply sign your name. We'll add some treats and send the love to our sisters and brothers who are away from home.

*From the desk of
Intern Donna*

Joel 2:12-13

Yet even now says the Lord, return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; rend your heart and not your clothing. Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and relents from punishing.

Fasting, prayer, and almsgiving are the traditional disciplines of the Lenten Season. We are instructed in the Bible to do these with no recognition of our accomplishments. Last year during the Lenten Season the ELCA Advocacy group made a plea for people to practice, *Lent out Loud*. This allows us to share the message of good news and make known the needs of our neighbors. Martin Luther famously said, *God doesn't want our good works. But our neighbor does.*

I was sent this beautiful article that was written by a special education teacher after viewing the movie *Wonder*. I asked her permission to use this article to illustrate the love we should have for those who are different from us or those who may think differently than we do. Please enjoy what she has to say about loving all of thy neighbors regardless of ability, ethnicity, political beliefs and all of the varying qualities that make each of us unique in God's image.

A Teacher's Perspective on Wonder

Jill Eulberg, author of SpEd Tales.

Last night, my family went to see the movie *Wonder*. I hoped my two, young sons would watch the movie and leave with a renewed understanding of what it means to be kind, but I wasn't prepared for the lesson it had for me.

It is November. The season of darkness and paperwork. By November, teachers are run down. The September honeymoon has worn off, and students, co-workers, administrators and parents are all showing their true colors.

Feeling constantly behind and exhausted, we are trying to remember why we ever wanted to do this job in the first place. We feel defeated and discouraged. We know it is far too early in the year to feel this overwhelmed, and we wonder if we even have what it takes.

Wonder is the story of Auggie Pullman, a 5th grade boy with Treacher Collins Syndrome, a condition that can cause extreme facial difference. Auggie's disability is obvious. It is a constant reminder of the struggles he faces.

I don't work with children who have physical disabilities. I teach students who look just like everyone else. Some have hidden disabilities in their learning or emotions, others are highly intelligent.

My students' appearance reveals nothing of their inner challenges, and without that physical reminder, sometimes I forget.

I forget that some of my students go home alone with no one to ask them about their day. I forget that some of my students put themselves to bed at night, or wake themselves up on a cold November morning.

I forget no one helps them pick out their clothes or makes sure they are clean. No one reminds them to brush their teeth or wear a jacket. I forget they only eat at school.

I forget that some parents work all night. When I'm frustrated my calls aren't returned or my meetings aren't attended, I forget how many parents are just trying to get by. Working multiple jobs or buried so deep in their own issues and dysfunctions, I forget some parents just are thankful their child is safe at school.

Other parents care too much. They can't imagine anyone else doing their job. I forget that every day I am in a room filled with others' most precious possessions.

I forget how hard school is. I forget how much it hurts to lose a friend and the deep stomach crushing pain of watching friends choose others over you. I forget the debilitating self-consciousness and fear of not fitting in. I forget how hard it is to concentrate on the teacher, when your mind is consumed with worry.

I forget that students, co-workers and administrators who may look "normal" might have secrets we know nothing about. Even the happiest appearing families have struggles and secrets. Some students smile just to hide their pain.



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This season, while I'm drowning in paperwork, lesson plans, progress reports and reports cards, I forgot that each student is a wonder.

I am surrounded by wonders. Even my toughest students have a story and a life that brought them to me.

We have the opportunity to remind every student they are a wonder. We can help them see their life beyond their current assignment, beyond their current grade and beyond their current struggle. We can remind them that friends will come and go. We can show them what it's like to see others as wonders.

I am almost certain all of us could place ourselves into the teacher's shoes. We don't know the stories of the people we encounter every day, but we are quick to judge. The change we need in our behaviors is to practice *Lent Out Loud* by being advocates and loving the people who differ from us. We can all be the *wonder* we need in this world.

God's blessings this Lenten season.

Donna



The Problem:

1. Severe malnutrition disproportionately affects children under five.
2. It can lead to physical, social, and even cognitive developmental issues.
3. Many of the deaths caused by hunger are preventable.
4. Many poor families depend entirely on what they can grow, so they're never more than one disaster away from hunger.

Where we come in:

30 Hour Famine isn't just about going hungry. It's about staying hungry for justice – finding the will, passion and faith to continue Jesus' work despite the odds. This year we will be doing the Famine February 23 - 24. Please support this amazing event with your prayer and financial donations. I am also looking for members who will become a "fasting buddy". Each buddy is given one student to pray for and encourage. Buddies write their student a letter that gets opened Friday night, and then join the Famine group for the Break Your Fast celebration Saturday evening. If you are interested in becoming a "Fasting Buddy" please contact Beth at youthandfamily@glcwen.org.

FEBRUARY 23 - 24

Please support our youth in their 12th year of participation in the 30 Hour Famine.



Shrove Tuesday Pancake Feed

Tuesday, February 13

5:00 p.m.



We need all of you to eat more pancakes! Yes, many more pancakes! Once again the Thrivent Action Team at GLC is inviting all pancake-lovers to join us on the evening of February 13--that's Shrove Tuesday--to munch down some delicious pancakes, swimming in butter and maple syrup. Did I forget to mention the nutritious fruit salad? Oh, and the music will be provided by the world-renowned Big Band from 6:00 to 7:00--and earlier and later by our own Jameson, playing some smooth piano jazz. All of this is an effort to raise \$1000 for our Second Harvest Mobile Food Bank program this year--4 big truckloads of fresh food, weighing up to a total of 40,000 lbs (yes, that's 20 tons!)--free to those in our community who need it. Please circle that date--Feb 13--and come to Fellowship Hall sometime between 5:00 and 7:30 for the best pancakes in the valley.

> (Oh, yes, and Pastor James is authorized by the Bishop to offer INDULGENCES--at an extra cost of \$5 for 500 calories--for over-indulging your appetite so close to Lent. Should be great fun to watch!)

Please come and help a great cause. Dave, Glenn, Jim, Earl and the Thrivent Team

King's Garden Preschool

We had a great Christmas season! We really enjoyed having Miss Donna come and read a Christmas story with us and are looking forward to more time with her and other volunteers in the future! The families loved seeing the kids perform their Christmas songs and the children were in awe of the beautiful sanctuary- thank you for allowing us to use it!

We have begun registration for the 2018-2019 school year and classes are filling. The month of January is for return-families to register before it opens up to the public on February 1. If anybody is in need of preschool next year, please contact me and we can set up a time for you to check us out!

Thank you and God bless you!

Tina



SOCIAL CONCERNS TEAM

START SAVING YOUR LOOSE CHANGE!

Our NOISY OFFERING for ELCA World Hunger will take place Sunday, March 18th. Jolane Guthrie and Barbara Tilly from the Social Concerns Team will chair this annual event. In order to give you lots of time to gather your loose change, we'll start handing out the little World Hunger boxes on Sunday, February 11th. Thank you in advance for your help!



Save the date!

Pastor Ernie Memorial Fun Run and Walk

The 4th annual Pastor Ernie Collard Memorial Run to End Hunger is coming on April 14 at 9:00 a.m.. The event includes a 5K run or walk and a 1 mile walk.

For more information contact Gary Otheim, 886-8667 or garyotheim@gmail.com.



Bingo - A great big THANK YOU to all who participated in Second Friday Bingo for adults with special needs in 2017. We again have need of items to give as prizes for the winners. There will be a box in the Narthex labeled Bingo where prizes may be placed, so please clean out your cupboards and drawers for interesting mugs or water bottles, scarves, holiday odds and ends, stuffed animals, or anything else that would make good prizes. (No food or candles please.) We can always use volunteers to help out from 6:00 -8:00 p.m. on the second Friday of each month. And if you can't volunteer, cookies for snacks are always welcome. For more information please call Gloria at 393-0345.

A note from your Council President

“At our most recent church council meeting, Gloria Foster approached our group and spoke of how the 9:00 a.m. service time isn’t conducive to herself and several other members of the Congregation. The intent of the council has never been to hurt or anger members of our church but rather to find a solution to many conflicts with scheduling that would appeal and be beneficial to the majority of the people of Grace. We polled the congregation inquiring about the new service time and after collecting the results, found there was insufficient recommendations, as a majority, for a different time other than 9:00 a.m. While this was known to council, and we stood beside our decision to retain the single 9:00 a.m. service, we are aware now that we had not provided enough transparency or explanation about how this data influenced our decision making or our congregation.

Moving forward we have agreed as a council to re-evaluate the service start time, and we’ll be asking every member of the congregation for their inputs in the coming month. The method of this survey is still being decided upon, however the results of that assessment, as well as the council’s decision to either keep or change the service time, will be made known to the church.

We thank Gloria, and all the other members of Grace, who have approached the council to express their thoughts and reasoning behind asking for a revised service time. We want to stress that it has always been in our hearts to do right by the people of Grace. Both those who attend service and those who provide services by way of staff or the teams. Thank you for your patience and prayers as we work towards continuing to strengthen our congregation.”



FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Mary DeMarce	2/1	Kate Gregg	2/11	Joe Trowbridge	2/20
Tony Fisher	2/1	Isaiah Banken	2/13	Dawn Aalgaard	2/21
Dorothy Thompson	2/1	Suzanne Sorom	2/13	Pat Brown	2/21
David Bentsen	2/2	Gabe Stefanides	2/13	Kathy Jo Evans	2/21
Barry Heminger	2/3	Emily Tilger	2/14	Shannon Salter	2/23
Lynn Heminger	2/3	Deborah Dormaier	2/16	Rose Applegate	2/24
Monte Vogt	2/3	Alex Henning	2/16	Alan Olson	2/24
Judy Johnson	2/6	Dorothy Dennis	2/17	Alora Martinez	2/25
Hal Lyons	2/6	Sarah Kintner	2/18	Nancy Spurgeon	2/25
Collin Paiva	2/7	Trish Simmons	2/18	Sarah Eisert	2/26
Dee Griffith	2/8	Cole Godfrey	2/19	John Applegate	2/27
Matt Tilger	2/8	Marit McQuaig	2/19	Tom Gausman	2/27
Alesandra Stoll	2/9	Denise Miller	2/19	Debbie Lapo	2/27
Peggy Fenhaus	2/10	Patty Christensen	2/20	Jen Pearson-Gale	2/27

Women's Fellowship

"Circles" are groups of women that meet monthly for Bible study and mutual support.

YOU are invited to attend. Please contact the church office or the monthly host (listed at right) if you would like more information.

Miriam Circle meets Tuesday, February 20, at 7:00 p.m. at Hollie Olson's home (668-1219).

Anna Circle will meet on Tuesday, February 13, at 10:00 a.m. at the church.

Council Corner

- Grace Lutheran held the Semi-Annual Meeting following Worship Service on Sunday, January 28, 2018. The 2018 budget, the new GLC Constitution and the following positions were approved: **Council President:** Chad DuLac, **Personnel Team:** Ernie Bentsen, **Arts Team:** Phil Gregg, **Voting Members to Synod Assembly:** 1) Chad DuLac 2) Lindsay Henning, **Nominating Committee:** Gwen McQuaig
- Concern about Sunday Worship schedule was brought to Council by a guest. The Council was grateful for the opportunity to be in conversation and is committed to responding to the congregation and leading with transparency. We welcome the input of all who are part of Grace. Please see note from the council president on page 8 of this newsletter for more information.
- Council voted to renew King's Garden Pre-School for a three-year contract. The new contract will be created and initiated soon.
- Book study by the author Martin E. Marty: Council read and discussed chapter 4 which centered on Jesus Christ.

2017 GLC FINANCIAL UPDATE: (through 12/31/2017)	
\$504,084	Total Income from offerings, gifts, and misc.
\$494,175	Total Operating Expenses
\$ 9,909	Surplus

Week of 12/31 Attendance ... (Sun) 102 & (Wed) 15	Weekly Offering \$7,300.00
Week of 1/7 Attendance (Sun) 188 & (Wed) 14	Weekly Offering \$10,291.40

Week of 1/14 Attendance..... (Sun) 155 & (Wed) 12	Weekly Offering \$12,575.75
Week of 1/21 Attendance..... (Sun) 182 & (Wed) 12	Weekly Offering \$7,290.25

2018 TEAM LEADERS

Arts:	Phil Gregg
Building & Grounds:	Phoebe Nelson
Endowment:	Inku Hwang
Evangelism:	Robin Brown
Faith Enrichment:	Jody Marquardt
Fellowship:	Shirley Leslie
Intern:	Jan Herman
Pastoral Support:	
Personnel:	Ernie Bentsen
Social Concerns:	Annette Mueller
Stewardship:	Melinda Johnson
Worship:	Denise Miller
Youth:	Jen Pearson-Gale

2018 CHURCH COUNCIL

President:	Chad DuLac
President Elect:	Lindsay Henning
Past President:	Bob Black
Treasurer:	Dick Craven
Secretary:	Colleen Smith
Members-at-Large:	Jody Marquardt Shirley Leslie Rebecca Lake

Calling for Palm Branches!

On Palm Sunday 2017, we invited you to bring home your palm branches from our worship, and keep them until Ash Wednesday. We invite you to bring your palm branches back by February 6th, and we will include them as we make the ash mixture for Ash Wednesday. It's our tradition to teach 3rd-5th Graders the meaning of that day along with the season of Lent, burn the branches with their help, and make the ashes ready for our Ash Wednesday worship on February 14th. You'll find a receptacle in the narthex (the church entryway).



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Yard Sale Coming Soon!



One man's trash is another man's treasure...or so they say. The youth will be holding a yard sale at Grace Lutheran on Saturday, March 17. You may begin dropping off items at church the week of March 11: after church on Sunday, from 10 a.m. – noon and 5-8 p.m. on Monday, all day Tuesday through Friday. If you need a different drop off time that week please contact Dawn Aalgaard (dawnaalgaard@gmail.com or 541-212-6619) or Beth Smallbeck (youthandfamily@glcwen.org or 663-2189) to meet you at the church to help unload your treasures. If for some reason you need your treasures to leave your house sooner than that week, please talk with Dawn or Beth and we will make some arrangements. We would love household items,

furniture, tools, and clothing – anything except electronics. All proceeds will be used for our 2018 Youth Gathering trip to Houston. Did you know we have a group of 36 youth and adults going to the gathering in 2018 and there are over 28,000 participants already registered to attend? If you are available to help price items during the week prior to the sale, please contact Dawn Aalgaard, Annette Mueller (annette.muellers@gmail.com) or Beth Smallbeck – we would love to hang out with you and price away!!! Thank you



This month's meeting will be hosted by Ruth Westby and Lolita Ball at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 22. Please contact Ruth (679-9859) or Lolita (884-7657) with any questions.



PRAYER CHAIN

Please contact Colleen Smith with any prayer requests, either by phone at 679-1742 or by e-mail at glcprayerpartners@gmail.com

PRAYER AT THE FONT

The **first Sunday** of each month, Pastor Aalgaard will be at the baptismal font during the time of communion distribution. You are invited to meet him there for a blessing or short prayer. Please use the side aisles to help with traffic flow during communion distribution.

February 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 5:00 p.m. Middle School Youth 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	2 9:00 a.m. Quilters	3 12:00 p.m. Youth Pizza Making 5:00 p.m. Recital
4 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Faith Formation **Bake Sale** 5:30 p.m. Chancel Schola 8:00 p.m. Compline Choir 9:00 p.m. Compline	5 6:00 p.m. Recital 7:00 p.m. Appleaires	6 10:30 a.m. Alzheimer's Support Group 5:00 p.m. Recital 6:30 p.m. Social Concerns Team	7 4:00 p.m. 3rd - 5th grade Youth 4:15 p.m. Catecheo 5:15 p.m. Vespers 5:45 T@G Meal 6:15 p.m. Bells of Grace 7:30 p.m. Voices of Grace	8 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 1:00 p.m. Evangelism Team 5:30 p.m. Boys Small Group 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	9 9:00 a.m. Quilters 6:30 p.m. Bingo	10
11 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Faith Formation 12:00 p.m. Gathering Meeting 5:30 p.m. Chancel Schola 6:30 p.m. Senior High Youth	12 7:00 p.m. Appleaires	13 10:00 a.m. Anna Circle 5:00 p.m. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner 6:00 p.m. Youth Team 7:00 p.m. B&G Team	14 10:00 a.m. Intern Team 12:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship 4:15 p.m. Catecheo 5:15 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship 6:15 p.m. Bells of Grace 7:30 p.m. Voices of Grace	15 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 5:00 p.m. Middle School Youth 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	16 9:00 a.m. Quilters	17 --- Youth Quake --- 2/16 - 2/18
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FAITH FORMATION

Sundays at 10:30

SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP

5:15 p.m.

COMPLINE

1st and 3rd Sundays, 9:00 p.m.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

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