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THE GOOD NEWS OF GRACE

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Lent etc...

Dear people of Grace; I'm trying to sort out the thoughts in my head. I want to talk, for example, about Holy Week and a new midweek lectionary study that will begin shortly after Easter. And there's been another school shooting. I want to share about how good it was to have had the opportunity to be at the seminary and interview five wonderful children of God – candidates for internship at Grace this fall – how they've all in their own words told me that they are "all in" for Word and Sacrament ministry. They all spoke about their love for worship and sharing in community (how cool is that!). And the chasm around the gun debate widens and deepens, especially on social media. I would like to reflect with you about the season of Lent, and what it has come to mean for me. And, as I jot down ideas for this article, high school students from Parkland Florida – survivors of our nation's recent tragedy – are bussing to Tallahassee to demand stricter gun regulations and school safety, and to talk about their pain. You see, their school is temporarily closed, so they have the time. What they have even more of: passion and rage. When they stand to speak to their representatives will they be taken seriously? Are youth today taken seriously by their adults, schools, communities and churches? I would like to muse in this article about the coming spring, the warming of the earth, wildflowers and the approaching hiking season, the lengthening of the days ("lent" has an etymological root meaning "to lengthen"). And seventeen people are dead. If we were to line up all their coffins in our own sanctuary down the length of the center aisle arranging them just so, we would have to open up the doors and extend into the fellowship hall. I would love to celebrate our beautiful, functional, clean-able new floor, name people who were integral to getting it completed. And this recent school shooting has reinvigorated a national debate about mental health, and the need to identify a killer by noticing early signs. I want to have a spirited Lent. I want isolated individuals to know they are loved, and that they belong. I want people to trust God, government and neighbor. I want moms and dads of schoolkids to not have their morning goodbyes tainted with a bit of terror behind their eyes. I want stigmas around mental health replaced with generous love and concern. My own preference would be for gun enthusiasts to begin to choose other hobbies or at the very least to give up weapons designed for mass killing, and for tighter gun control laws for a more peaceful and healthier society. For fear and rage between spouses to be unheard of. For peer groups of all ages to never exclude, bully or shame. For followers of Jesus to all reconsider the old word "Agape" ("Ah-ga-pay"), self-giving love for the sake of the other.



My time away this March: Days off: Mar 5, 12, 19, 26

Together! Pastor James Aalgaard



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.

From the desk of Beth Smallbeck

Meet a few more Juniors...

Gwen McQuaig is the definition of a church nerd and she is proud of it (as she should be). She is her own energy force and can motivate just about anyone to do just about anything. Gwen continues to grow in her musical abilities, sharing those gifts with the congregation. She is active in school

music, drama and cross-country, and in her spare time, she works at Mission Ridge. If you want to start a conversation with Gwen, ask her about Holden Village.

Sylvia Hwang is a talented artist and a passionate advocate for those on the fringes. She has been involved in the Apple Leaf publication and is a varsity cross-country runner. Sylvia also volunteers backstage with most of the WHS productions. She is intelligent and kind (unless you cross her path or the path of someone she cares about and then she will let you know how she feels). If you want to start a conversation with Sylvia, you can ask her about her dogs – all five of them.

Zachary Banken is a quiet young man unless he is with a small group and then he has a keen sense of humor. He is on WHS tennis team and I believe loves anything outdoors. His brother is living abroad this year so he is experiencing being an only child. That might be a great way to start a conversation with him.



Yard Sale

March 17 @ 8:00 a.m.

The youth are holding a yard sale at Grace Lutheran to help raise funds for the trip to the 2018 EICA Youth Gathering in Houston. The sale begins at 8:00 a.m. on March 17 - you're sure to find some treasures so please join us!

If you have items you would like to donate, you may begin dropping them off at church the week of March 11: after church on Sunday; from 10 a.m. – noon and 5-8 p.m. on Monday; or 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. We would love household items, furniture, tools, and clothing – anything except electronics. 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!



MARCH 23 - 24

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

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 March 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.



Community Holy Week Services

March 26 - 30 at 12:00 p.m.

Noon community services will be held here at Grace Lutheran. We will be leading worship on Tuesday, March 27. Please come join in Christian fellowship with your neighbors! The services will be Monday through Friday.

Maundy Thursday

Thursday, March 29 at 6:00 p.m.

This is a worship service in which we emphasize our belonging to one another as beloved community, and our participation in loving acts of service. We gather to remember the Last Supper of our Lord, and so we will eat together and celebrate Holy Communion. We conclude in the sanctuary, witnessing the stripping of the chancel. *More information about the meal will be available soon – please watch the weekly announcements.*

Good Friday

Friday, March 30 at 7:00 p.m.

We gather to hear scripture and ponder the crucifixion of Christ. Hymns appropriate for Good Friday will be sung throughout the service, and the congregation will witness the procession of the cross. We will each be invited to place a large nail at the foot of the cross as a sign of our own brokenness. Prayers and the Solemn Reproaches will be spoken and sung as we remember the suffering of God in Christ Jesus for the sake of the healing of the world.

Easter Vigil

Saturday, March 31 at 5:00 p.m.

We start our worship around a fire in our Memorial Garden, remembering the time after Christ's crucifixion. We process with candles into the sanctuary and welcome the joy of Easter through scripture, song and baptism. Our engagement with some of the scripture will be interactive, and toward the end of the service, we will witness the redressing of the altar for Easter. Our worship service ends with sweet breads and a time of fellowship.

Easter Sunday

Sunday, April 1 at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

We gather to celebrate the resurrection of our Lord. Our worship will be supported with scripture, song and instrumental music, preaching and holy communion. We will also have fellowship with one another over an Easter brunch between services.

EASTER BRUNCH

The GLC Youth are hosting an Easter Brunch, between the two Easter Sunday worship services, in the Fellowship Hall. We will be taking a free-will offering to support our group traveling to the ELCA Youth gathering in Houston this summer. Please join us!



Lenten Soup Suppers



Join us for our weekly Lenten Soup Suppers, each Wednesday during Lent. If you would like to provide soup or bread, or help with clean-up, sign-up sheets are available in the narthex for your convenience. Meals are served at 5:45 p.m., following our Wednesday worship which begins at 5:15 p.m.

Worship Assistants

3rd Sunday in Lent Sunday, 3/4 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4	4th Sunday in Lent Sunday, 3/11 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4	5th Sunday in Lent Sunday, 3/18 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4	Palm/Passion Sunday Sunday, 3/25 Worship 9:00 a.m. ELW Setting 4
<u>Scripture Readings</u> Exodus 20:1-17 Psalm 19 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 John 2:13-22	<u>Scripture Readings</u> Numbers 21:4-9 Psalm 107:1-3, 17-22 Ephesians 2:1-10 John 3:14-21	<u>Scripture Readings</u> Jeremiah 31:31-34 Psalm 51:1-12 Hebrews 5:5-10 John 12:20-33	<u>Scripture Readings</u> Isaiah 50:4-9a Psalm 31:9-16 Philippians 2:5-11 Mark 14:1--15:47
Greeters	Greeters	Greeters	Greeters
Acolytes Gavin Godfrey, Erik Olson	Acolyte Mackenzie & Evan Mueller	Acolyte Andria & Virginia Hwang	Acolyte Courtney & Meghan Brown
Altar Guild Jan Herman	Altar Guild Sue Marshall	Altar Guild Tami Woolsey	Altar Guild JuLee Fiebelkorn
Communion Assistants Rose Applegate, Faye DeJong, Denise Miller, JuLee Fiebelkorn	Communion Assistants Kathy Gavin, Sophie Fiebelkorn	Communion Assistants Susan Hendrickson, Jan Herman	Communion Assistants Peggy Fenhaus, Sue Marshall
Lector John McQuaig	Lector Annette Mueller	Lector Phoebe Nelson	Lector Gary Otheim
Sound Technician Mike Mueller	Sound Technician Rob Salter	Sound Technician	Sound Technician Chad DuLac
Ushers	Ushers	Ushers	Ushers
Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>	Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>	Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>	Flowers <i>No flowers during Lent</i>
Wednesday, 3/7 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross	Wednesday, 3/14 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross	Wednesday, 3/21 Worship 5:15 p.m. Prayer Around the Cross	Thursday, 3/29 Maundy Thursday Worship 6:00 p.m.
Altar Guild JuLee Fiebelkorn	Altar Guild Peggy Fenhaus	Altar Guild Denise Miller	Altar Guild JuLee Fiebelkorn
Lector Faye DeJong	Lector Denise Miller	Lector Trish Simmons	Lector Andy Sheets



Breath of Aire

Saturday, April 7

6:00 p.m.

Grace Lutheran

Breath of Aire, a Pacific Northwest choir, draws on members from all musical backgrounds and has a reputation for supporting community and educational events. Members of the choir live in all parts of Washington state and connect with audiences through authenticity, artistry, and excellence.

This particular concert aims to raise funds for the Moses Lake Medical Team. The Moses Lake Medical Team is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit public charity organization established to improve the health and well being of individuals and communities around the world by providing medical care, public health education, medical equipment and supplies.

The Moses Lake Medical Team is funded through private contributions and donations of individuals and organizations and acts as a conduit between those with health resources and those with health needs.

For more about Breath of Aire, visit: <http://breathofaire.org/>

For more about the Moses Lake Medical Team, visit:

<http://www.mlmtusa.org/>

FAITH FORMATION

LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY MORNING AT 10:30

March 4 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Baptism

Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): Lord's Prayer (**Lib**)

High School: Confession/Absolution (**Namia**)

Adults: Catechism: History (**FH**)

March 11 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Great Commission

Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): Lord's Prayer: (**Lib**)

High School: Apostles' Creed (**Namia**)

Adults: Catechism: Ten Commandments (**FH**)

March 18 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: Great Commission

Confirmation (7th-8th Gr): Lord's Prayer (**Lib**)

High School: Lord's Prayer (**Namia**)

Adults: Friends & Family United Presentation (**FH**)

March 25 - 10:30 a.m.

PreK-6th Grade: TBA (**FH**)

Confirmation (7th-8th Grade): TBA (**FH**)

High School: TBA (**FH**)

Adults: TBA (**MPR**)

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)

From the desk of

Intern Donna

Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Grace and peace fellow saints and sinners. Spring is right around the corner which means new and revived growth. This also brings a time of planning. We begin to think about yard work that needs to be done, what flowers to plant, getting the fishing boat ready, opening up the lake place, and putting the winter clothes away.

Grace Lutheran is also in a stage of planning and growth. My internship project involves a three-year visioning process for the purpose of discovering, discerning, and designing a Ministry Road Map for continued growth in our mission. By partaking in this process, Grace has made a commitment to live into God's preferred future for Grace Lutheran Church.

This Ministry Road Map focuses on five areas of growth: Worship, Community, Service, Faith Formation, and Communications & Operations. Each of these areas has a list of possible action steps to be implemented.

The Church Council has approved a committee of three people, (myself, Rob Salter, Lindsay Henning), to design a Grace specific Ministry Road Map to implement over the next three years.

Grace Lutheran has many areas of strength, but as with any organization, there is the potential for growth. At the conclusion of the three-year visioning process, the following areas of improvement and new beginnings have been suggested:

Worship

- *Increase use of visual and artistic expressions during worship to increase engagement of participants
- *Use 5th Sunday services to emphasize intergenerational worship experiences or special celebrations
- *Offer more opportunities for people to take home the worship experience

Community

- *Gather pictures and stories of members connecting with community using all communication platforms
- *Deepening our connections with each other when we gather for worship, learning, and service
- *Finding ways to befriend our neighbors in the community

Service

- *Increase the number of intergenerational service events
- *Interview community leaders to gain greater insight into community needs and partnerships.
- *Explore potential partnerships with local congregations
- *Create ministry descriptions for current ministry opportunities to support inviting new people into ministry
- *Restructure the Teams as needed

Faith Formation

- *Develop a plan for helping members form faith individually and online
- *Use Facebook page for weekly devotions; post devotional links on the website
- *Create a small group that listens and reflects on scripture
- *Book study groups
- *Emphasize home studies
- *Update prayer box
- *Increasing/maintaining Sunday morning studies

Communications and Operations

- *Create a communications team
- *Consider hiring a company to "brand" Grace Lutheran Church
- *Share mission moments monthly
- *Create sermon series based on Grace's Core Values
- *Identify two intergenerational leadership initiatives
- *Upload worship bulletins to website
- *Introduce new prayer practices

As you can see from the list above, there are many things we can do to continue our growth for the mission of the church. This is a fluid list that will change as the needs of Grace, the community, and the World change.

The success of my internship project will be that this Ministry Road Map is implemented and that after I go to my next call, this process will continue. I am excited to see the members of Grace work together to create growth for God's mission.

1 Corinthians 12:14

Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many.



PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

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

Fellowship Team

Just a heads up for everyone using the church kitchen --- all of the cupboards and storage areas have new labels where needed. The two cabinets in the Fellowship Hall also have labels. I appreciate all of you putting items needed on the grocery list on the refrigerator - it really helps me keep up with everyone's needs. The team also really appreciates all of you helping us keep the kitchen clean and neat. We have a lot of fun working together to help make your Sundays special. On behalf of the Fellowship Team we thank you.

Shirley Leslie, Team Leader

Easter Sweet Breads

We are looking for bakers to provide sweet breads or rolls for our Easter Vigil on Saturday, March 31. Please label sweet breads "Easter Vigil" and bring to church by 4:30 p.m. on the 31st. Thank you!



PRAYER CHAIN

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

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Jody Marquardt	3/2	Micah Florea	3/12	Erin Reed	3/20
Gene Abel	3/4	Jan Herman	3/12	Nicholas Boersma	3/22
Conrad Lake	3/4	Karen Zanol	3/13	Langley Vertrees	3/22
Annette Mueller	3/5	Sam Stevens	3/14	Vera Curtis	3/24
Jan Romey	3/5	Gail DuVall	3/15	JoAnn Koch	3/24
Chuck Graves	3/8	Wanda Rivedal	3/16	William Neer	3/26
Mike Mueller	3/8	Teresia Calene - Hasseries	3/17	Joel Banken	3/27
Wes Westby	3/8	Gwen McQuaig	3/17	Jolane Guthrie	3/27
Anna Guthrie	3/9	Michele Sandberg	3/19	David Coe	3/31
Jim Wurl	3/11	Colleen Smith	3/19	Ruth Westby	3/31

SOCIAL CONCERNS TEAM

Noisy Offering - March 18



Do you have your World Hunger Noisy Offering box? If you don't, please pick one up in the Narthex, We'll collect all those noisy coins on Sunday, March 18th.

Pastor Ernie Memorial Fun Run & 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 garyoheim@gmail.com.



Second Friday Bingo

The Social Concerns Team sponsors this event for adults with special needs on the 2nd Friday of each month, from 6-8 p.m. If you would like to help out, please call Gloria Foster at 393-0345. If you would like to provide some prizes for these bingo evenings, please leave them in the Bingo box in the Narthex.



More Social Concerns Team News

- At their February meeting the Social Concerns Team voted to give \$1,000 from Discretionary Funds to the 2nd Harvest food distribution program.
- During the first part of April, Social Concerns Team members will visit Grace Lutheran shut-ins and provide each shut-in with a “spring gift” from our congregation.



“Until All Are Fed”

ELCA World Hunger Leadership Gathering



In January, more than 150 Lutherans gathered in Washington DC for the World Hunger Leadership Gathering. Jen Pearson-Gale attended the conference as one of three synod representatives. The primary focus of the conference was to learn about and advocate for the Farm Bill, which is up for re-authorization later this year.

The Farm Bill encompasses many areas that affect hunger issues in our country and around the world: the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), international food assistance, conservation measures, safety nets for farmers, research, and treaties and land claims by Indigenous Peoples. Martin Luther's understanding of daily bread includes not only what nourishes our bodies, but all of creation including, natural resources, and labor and the economy, including the food supply chain. Because of this, we are called as Lutherans to advocate for good governance and the inclusion of sound policies in the Farm Bill. This advocacy provides a means to express Christ's love in a way that will contribute to the care and conservation of the natural resources we all depend on and justice and well-being for all of God's people so that all are fed.

On January 23 the group spent the day on Capitol Hill, urging members of Congress and their staff to support a strong 2018 Farm Bill. The Washington group met with staff in most WA Representative offices, Senator Patty Murray's office, and with Senator Maria Cantwell. The group shared stories about how the Farm Bill impacts our communities and regions, and learned more about the process of re-authorizing the Farm Bill.

In addition to learning about and advocating for the Farm Bill, attendees also learned about resources available from the ELCA. Perhaps most importantly, they spent time getting to know one another and sharing experiences from their own communities. The Eastern Washington Idaho synod group will be meeting this month to plan for a presentation at the Synod assembly as well as for other Synod-wide hunger related events.

If you would like to know more about the conference, the Farm Bill, or how you can contact your representatives and Senators, please feel free to contact Jen at 393-8897 or 4gales@gmail.com.



**The
Compassionate
Friends**
of Wenatchee Valley Chapter
Supporting Family After a Child Dies

We would like to Say "Thank You"

To all our friends and supporters at Grace Lutheran Church – you are a special *gift* to us.

All of us with The Compassionate Friends – Wenatchee Valley Chapter, have a challenge in that we offer support, understanding and hope to our families whose child or loved one has died. We are not counselors or therapists – we are those who have suffered a loss and understand what our families are going through. We are all volunteers who offer our gift of listening and walking your grief journey with you. We care and you do not have to Walk this journey alone. In putting our program together for over 300 families in our community, we came to you and asked for:

- ◇ A place to hold our Sharing Meetings.
- ◇ We asked the Prayer Shawl Ministry to consider making Prayer Shawls for our new families, and they responded that they had made many shawls and would consider giving a few for our families. We accepted their offer – what a blessing. They were so well received, and our families could not believe your generosity.
- ◇ And then you opened your hearts to accept our request for financial support through the Endowment Team and honored our mission of supporting families in their grief journey with a check for \$2,000.00. This has helped us so much in helping to cover the cost of our grief library, our monthly newsletter, our 2 major events each year, and some of the other administrative costs associated with running our chapter such as our cell phone, our computer, maintaining our website, etc.

Your generosity and support has allowed us to grow in needed areas. A year ago we started a Survivors of Suicide Loss program open to anyone who has suffered the loss of a loved one to suicide. Last night was our monthly meeting and we had a wonderful group who were able to talk and share their grief in a comfortable way with those who understood and could give them hope. It was very a warm and heartfelt experience to know we were able to help through your support.

This is all happening with your spiritual commitment, your support of our ministry, and your encouragement. A special Thank You to Pastor James Aalgaard for his guidance; Jen Gale for working with us on schedules; Rich Smallbeck and his behind the scenes work in keeping our room clean and welcome for both us and other church groups; for Ruth Westby and her Prayer Shawl Ministry for keeping our basket of Prayer Shawls full; and Inku Hwang and his Endowment Team for giving us the financial support we have so needed to keep our grief ministry in place for our Community.

Thank You again for all your support and contributions to the Wenatchee Valley Chapter. If you have any questions, please give me a call - Carol at (509) 860-3620 and check out our website at www.tcfwenatcheevalley.com.

Warmest personal regards,

Carol Sunada
Chapter Leader

Packing Friendship Update

Our weekend backpack program, Packing Friendship, continues to deliver 47 bags of food to 3 schools each week. Our program relies on volunteers for all of the shopping, sorting, packing and delivering. If you would like to learn more about our program, please contact Jen Pearson-Gale at 4gales@gmail.com or 393-8897. If you would like to donate food, we could especially use cans of tuna, canned pastas (such as ravioli), and instant oatmeal packets. Food donations may be left in the narthex or given to Jen in the office.

Last month King's Garden Preschool held a food drive for our Packing Friendship program. After collecting the food, the classes had fun packing the bags. We would like to thank Tina Wagner, her students and their families for their support of our program!



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, March 20, at 7:00 p.m. at Dawn Aalgaard's home (541-212-6619).

Anna Circle will meet on Tuesday, March 13, at 10:00 a.m. at the church. Hostesses are Faye DeJong (663-4590) and Kathy Othem (866-1376).

We Would Love To Call You By Name



Attending Grace Lutheran and without a name tag? Name tag lost or damaged? Name changed? Let us help you! All we need is the correct spelling of your first and last name. Send it to us in one of the following ways:

- Message the office at office@glcwen.org
- Call the office at 509-663-2189
- Use a "Connection Card" and note that a name tag is needed. Drop in the offering plate or "Connection Card" box in the narthex.

Your new name tag will be ready in about 5-7 working days. You can find it waiting in the Narthex. Whether you are a recent attender or a long-time member, we encourage everyone to use their name tag, so we can greet one another more personally.

<u>2018 GLC FINANCIAL UPDATE:</u> (through 1/31/2018)	
\$45,295	Total Income from offerings, gifts, and misc.
\$40,635	Total Operating Expenses
\$ 4,660	Surplus

Week of 1/28 Attendance	(Sun) 165 & (Wed) 19
Weekly Offering	\$7,725.81
Week of 2/4 Attendance	(Sun) 150 & (Wed) 28
Weekly Offering	\$12,574.75

Week of 2/11 Attendance(Sun) 190 & (Ash Wed) 40/58	
Weekly Offering	\$5,649.10
Week of 2/18 Attendance..... (Sun) 139 & (Wed) 26	
Weekly Offering	\$4,803.75

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

March 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 11:30 a.m. Pastoral Support 5:00 p.m. Mid. School Youth 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	2 9:00 a.m. Quilters	3 7:00 p.m. Columbia Chorale
4 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Faith Formation 5:30 p.m. Chancel Schola 6:30 p.m. Senior High Youth 8:00 p.m. Compline Choir 9:00 p.m. Compline	5 6:15 p.m. Recital 7:00 p.m. Appleaires	6 10:30 a.m. Alzheimer's Support Group 6:30 p.m. Social Concerns Team	7 4:15 p.m. Catecheo 5:15 p.m. Vespers 5:45 Soup Supper 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 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	9 9:00 a.m. Quilters 1:00 p.m. Music Teachers Meeting 6:30 p.m. Bingo	10 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Young Musicians Competition
11 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Faith Formation	12 7:00 p.m. Appleaires	13 10:00 a.m. Anna Circle 7:00 p.m. B&G Team 7:00 p.m. Suicide Loss Support Group	14 10:00 a.m. Intern Team 5:15 p.m. Vespers 5:45 Soup Supper 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 8:00 a.m. Yard Sale
18 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 8:00 p.m. Compline Choir 9:00 p.m. Compline	19 7:00 p.m. Appleaires 7:00 p.m. Compassionate Friends	20 Newsletter Deadline 10:30 a.m. Alzheimer's Support Group 5:30 p.m. Worship Team 6:00 p.m. Youth Team 7:00 p.m. Miriam Circle 6:00 p.m. Council	21 4:00 p.m. 3rd - 5th grade Youth Group 4:15 p.m. Catecheo 5:15 p.m. Vespers 5:45 Soup Supper 6:15 p.m. Bells of Grace 7:30 p.m. Voices of Grace	22 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl 7:00 p.m. Spanish Class	23 9:00 a.m. Quilters 3:15 p.m. Nominating Committee	24 8:00 a.m. Church Clean Up
25 Palm Sunday 9:00 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Faith Formation 5:30 p.m. Chancel Schola 6:30 p.m. Senior High Youth	26 12:00 p.m. Community Holy Week Worship @GLC 7:00 p.m. Appleaires	27 12:00 p.m. Community Holy Week Worship @GLC	28 12:00 p.m. Community Holy Week Worship @GLC 4:15 p.m. Catecheo 6:15 p.m. Bells of Grace 7:30 p.m. Voices of Grace	29 7:00 a.m. 1st Prayer 12:00 p.m. Community Holy Week Worship @GLC 6:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday	30 12:00 p.m. Community Holy Week Worship @GLC 7:00 p.m. Good Friday Worship	31 5:00 p.m. Easter Vigil

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Sundays at 10:30

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