

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MINISTRIES
The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
News & Notes – September 3, 2017
Please silence electronic devices.

GLC MISSION STATEMENT:
We go in service to all people
–sharing, caring and teaching–
to bring them to Christ.

Theme of the Day:

“Gracious Living (Practical Advice For Living Out Your Faith)”

Thanks to the Grace Alive Praise team and all who helped make the Outdoor Worship Service a success. It was a great day with beautiful music and fellowship.

The LCMS is standing with the Texas District to help those affected by Hurricane Harvey and flooding. Please pray for all involved. To give online, visit lcms.org/harvey. Text “LCMSHARVEY” to 41444 to give by text. Call the LCMS toll-free gift line between 8 a.m. and 4:10 p.m. Central time at 888-930-4438. By mail, make checks payable to “LCMS.” On the memo line, write “Disaster Response/Relief,” and mail to the LCMS, P.O. Box 66861, St. Louis, MO, 63166-6861. Gifts also can be designated specifically for Hurricane Harvey and/or affected areas by stipulating in the memo line.

Women’s ChristCare group resumes this Tuesday at 6:30 pm. Topic: Entrusted-A Study of Timothy by Beth Moore. Call Shirley Fischvogt-574-5623 or Donna Nimmo-812-637-3297 for complete details.

Harvest Home Parade is THIS THURSDAY! If you’d like to ride on the float, be in the Boudinot lot of Grace no later than 4:15 pm. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Super Saturday is this Saturday at 10:30 am. Help is needed. Sign-up sheet is in Verdin entryway.

Rally Day for Sunday School & Confirmation is
NEXT SUNDAY, September 10th at 10:10 am!

Please call the office if you are able to provide baked goods.

Grace Homework Hub opens Sept. 11th. From 2:45-4 pm, Grace will open the library to provide a quiet place for children to do homework. Adults will be on hand to

offer assistance if needed. See Sherry Smith if you would like to help either each Monday or specific days.

Community Dinner is September 12th!

Bake Sale is September 17th between services. Proceeds to benefit LWML Mites and activities at Open Gym. Anyone who likes to bake is welcome to bring something.

The **altar flowers** are given to the glory of God by Terry and Sue McCabe in gratitude for all those who labor for the good of our communities and in honor of blessings received.

The Grace Garden is flourishing! Help yourself to some fresh lettuce, beans, tomatoes, etc.

Wednesday afternoon Open Gym for ages 5-15 is back to 3-5 pm! Volunteers are needed to help with supervision.

Martin Luther-The Idea That Changed The World is on PBS September 12th at 8:00 pm.

LADIES, MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

The LWML Fall Retreat has a new look this year! It will be a one-day event on September 23rd and hosted at a new location, a wonderful retreat center in Milford, the Jesuit Spiritual Center. Dr. Phillip Penhallegon is pastor at St. Paul Lutheran in Milan, MI, a professor at Concordia, Ann Arbor, and author. He knows his ancient Greek & knows LWML and will present “Luther, the Bible and Reformation.” Sound too deep to be fun? There *will* be laughter, a zany skit, servant event, getting together with one’s best friends from around the entire area, and time for women to refocus on the importance of faith in their lives – just what a good LWML Retreat will do! Registration forms are

available and due by September 19. Call the office or Sherri Thompson 598-9422 to carpool from Grace.

Grace is asked to provide 50-100 Jello cups for Ronald McDonald House. LWML will assemble the bags at the event. See boxes marked JELLO.

Tiny Tot Tuesday is the first and third Tuesday of each month, 9:30-11:30 am. This free program is for children age 5 and under. There is free play time, story, music, and snack! An adult must accompany children.

Westfed Pantry needs food, monetary donations and brown paper grocery bags. **September items are spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, & canned veggies.** Boxes are upstairs and down. Checks can be made out to GLC, with *Westfed* in the memo.

We pray for: Del Bowling, Carol Bowling, Howard Eggerding, Dave & Linda Eisele, Margaret Fischvogt, Dawn & Emmaleigh Howard, Becky Kannenberg, Tom Knabe, Elisabeth Manor, Ken Mattie, Linda McCabe, Donna Nimmo, Ken Ross, Clara Schablein, David Stamper, Ruth Thomas, Bev, Chase, Nolan, Ross and Clyde Wullenweber; **friends of the parish:** Landon Amand, Mike Bender, Dan Brunsman, Paul Chapman, Steve Cheesebrew, Dick Cranston, Evangeline Devol, Beth Earles, Kathy Enterline, Ken Gardner, Kelly Hampton, David Hensley, Madison Hochman, Matt Kammerer, Jarred Kimble, Sue Kuehm, Jen Lichtenbarger, Marty Link, Dena Papin, Lisa Pfahler, Kelly Reupert, Jen Robben, Ken Schnell, Jan Shively, Grace Singler, Ken Spille, Nancy Thomas, Eric Thompson, Jon Veite, Ann Wade, Steve Westerkamp, Reagan Woodburn & Hannah Ziesmann; **those serving our country:** Michael Kappa, Michael Lee, Andy Goff, Craig Martin & Dana Rolfes; **Missionaries:** Roeske's in Alaska & the Esala family.

Stewardship Corner: *God's stewards live intentionally in the light of the Lord's eternal purpose while being firmly committed to His rule in the here and now. Read Matthew 6:19-21; Tim. 6:16-19; Phil. 3:12-14.*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:
5th-Cady Wullenweber

Serving today: 9:00 AM-Acolyte-; **Lector**-Chuck Birkholtz; **Greeter**-Elaine Cheesebrew; **PP**-; **Nursery**-Whitman; 11:10 AM-PP-Evans; **Greeter**-Hasemeier

Serving next week: 9:00 AM-Lector-Sherry Smith; **Greeter**-Sherry Smith; **PP**-; **Nursery**-Whitman; 11:10 AM-PP-Evans; **Greeter**-Hopkins
West Park Cookies-Kay Schmithorst

Serving in September: **Altar Guild:** 9:00 am-Enma Ross, Gwen Linthicum, Sherry Smith; 11:10 am-Kathy LaFollette, Danny Thomas
September Elders: 9:00 am-Bill Thompson; 11:10 am-tbd

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Today Traditional Communion-9:00 am
Adult Christian Ed-10:10 am
Contemporary Communion-11:30 am
Mon. Happy Labor Day!
Tues. Tiny Tot Tuesday-9:30 am
Christian Basics-4:00 pm
Wed. Open Gym-3:00 pm
Thurs. Bible Study-10:00 am
Harvest Home Parade-6:00 pm
Sat. Super Saturday-10:30 am
Sun. Rally Day!
Traditional Worship-9:00 am
Christian Ed for all ages-10:10 am
Contemporary Worship-11:10 am

Attendance:

Last Sunday-9:00-52; 11:10-39; total-91

Christian Ed:

Adult-12

Tuesday Chr. Basics-4

Thursday am-9

Snack and Scripture-12

Offering-\$1,207.00

Weekly offering need: \$2,538.00

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VISION MARKS:

Together we will Grow in God's Word
Proclaim the Redemption through God's Grace
Be increasingly Active in service to the Lord
Bring Christ's Care to our community & beyond
Constantly Equip believers for a life of discipleship



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