GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH **GRACE NEWS and TIBITS OCTOBER 20, 2024**

YOU ARE WELCOME! WORSHIP WITH US!

Grace Lutheran Church Mission Statement

To ANSWER the CALL of our Savior.

To **CONNECT** with people in their everyday lives.

To **ADVANCE** the Gospel through God's Word and fellowship.

To **LEND** ourselves in service, so that we may become instruments.

that **LEAD** others to salvation.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

10/19 5:00 pm (Communion) **10/20** 8:00 am (Communion)

10:30 am (No Communion)

HYMNS

LSB 532 The Head That Once Was Crowned with Thorns LSB 851 Lord of Glory, You Have **Bought Us**

LSB 814 O Bless the Lord, My Soul LSB 785 We Praise You, O God

COMMUNION:(Sat. & 8:00)

LSB 783 Take My Life and Let It Be LSB 770 What a Friend We Have in Jesus

LSB 725 Children of the Heavenly Father

READINGS

Ecclesiastes 5:10-20 Hebrews 4:1-16 Mark 10:23-31

REFORMATION

10/26 5:00 pm (No Communion) 10/27 8:00 am (Communion) 10:30 am (Communion)

> SoG = Songs of Grace LSB = Lutheran Service Book

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE



10/20, 9:15 AM

Age 4 – 4th grade (Gym-Kids of Grace) Jr. High (Jr. High Youth Room) Sr. High (Sr. High Youth Room)

Adult Bible Classes

- Pastor Kischnick (Fireside Room)
- Pastor Woods (Youth Wing)
- ➤ The Youngs' (Boardroom)

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KIDS OF GRACE SERVICE



Kids Of Grace Service Age 4 - 4th Grade Sunday, November 17 **DURING LATE SERVICE**

Kids are dismissed during the late service to the Kids of Grace area in the gym, then return before service ends. Kids 3 and under are welcome with a parent or grandparent.

Note: This is a week later than we usually have kids' service.

Please Pray For:

Members: for Alison Ardrey and her family mourning the death of her mother, Kaye Adrey; for Sara Faith and family mourning the death of her uncle, Jack Windell; for Susie Davis, Linda Kidd, Marion Rawlings, Susie Bolin, Jerry Knudtson, Heidi Graham, Brian Loppnow, Reuben Johnson, Peggy Morris, Harry Ross, Cora Keister, Lynn Payne, Marty Hoeppner, Serene Loppnow, Linda Lockmund, Sandy Tanner, Lauren Fancher, Andy Razor, Kennedy Donley.

<u>Friends & Loved Ones</u>: for <u>Boomer Hester</u> and <u>Melissa Stewart</u> (friends of Pam Hawkins and the Benners), <u>Becky Allen</u> (friend of Ron Cunningham), <u>Charlotte Crockett</u> (Rose Ebling's mom), <u>Fred Hildebrandt</u> (cousin of Kathy Hicks) and his wife, <u>Debbie Hildebrandt</u>, for <u>Jack Dohoney</u> (uncle of Rick Fetz), <u>Don Heuton</u> (father of Terri Barr), <u>Paula Faith</u> (mom of Chris & Jeff), <u>Stephen Korner</u> (Knut's brother), <u>Kathy Mills</u> (cousin of Debbie Wirth).

Other prayers: for Israel, Palestine, Iran, and the whole Middle East that greater conflict might be averted; for our adopted seminary family – Josh, Chrystal, Jake, and Isaac Bieri; for those who have been affected by the recent hurricanes.

<u>Prayers for Our Military</u>: <u>Lukas Faith</u> (Air Force, son of Jeff & Sara), <u>Jeremy Hougland</u> (Army—recently returned from deployment), <u>Stephen Hougland</u> (Army, son of Jeremy), <u>Michael Kendall</u> & <u>Thomas Kendall</u> (Army, sons of Patrick & Ruthie), <u>Alona Warren</u> (Marines, California, daughter of Diana & Mark), <u>Megan Fitzpatrick King</u> (Army, niece of Kathy Hayes & granddaughter of Barbara Fitzpatrick), <u>Will Mersmann</u> (Navy, acquaintance of Becky Fetz), <u>Lauren Mitchell</u> (Navy, niece of Kathy Hayes & granddaughter of Barbara Fitzpatrick), <u>Roy Shafer</u> (nephew of Colleen Garber), <u>Carter Whitaker</u> (Army, friend of the Fetz family).

ALTAR FLOWERS: If you would like to purchase altar flowers for an occasion, please sign up on the sheet outside the church office or call Karen in the office at (812) 944-1267. Please make sure to leave the green metal insert when taking your flowers home. (The inserts go back to the flower shoppe). The cost is \$30.00 per vase. Make checks out to "Grace Lutheran Church." Please place payment in envelope marked "Altar Flowers" or mark on memo of check "Altar Flowers."



Schedule for October October 23 & 30

Schedule for November November 6, 13, 20



Dessert Donations

for Grace on Wednesday's meals.

Brownies, cookies, cupcakes, pies, cakes (9x13), etc. in any amount would be greatly appreciated. Drop off in kitchen any day, but no later than 4:00 on Wednesday. We serve 75+ people. THANK YOU!

RAISING CHILDREN OF FAITH





OCTOBER 21, 2024

Calling all parents of little ones up to 4th grade! Join us for a cozy Parent Bible Study at Mitzi Lyon's fabulous abode every 3rd Monday of the month from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Kick off the night with some delicious dinner, then dive into some enlightening Bible study! Need a babysitter? No problem—childcare is available upon request! Just give Mitzi a heads-up on who's coming so she can whip up enough grub to feed the whole crew!

Mitzi Lyon, Director of Children's Ministry Mitzi.lyon@glcna.org | 812-207-4796

NURSERY AND PARENT BIBLE CLASS



Designed for a parent or parents to attend with their infant thru 3 year old.

STARTING NOV. 3

9:15-10:15 AM

PRESCHOOL SUNSHINE ROOM



Build relationships with the children and parents thru:

- Songs
- Play
- Bible stories
- Great conversations

The reward of growing up and growing old with the same church family friends is priceless.



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GRACE LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL

CARNIVAL

Saturday, October 26, 2024 10:00 am - 1:00 pm 1787 Klerner Lane, New Albany, IN Games, Attractions & Food

\$20 allows one child to enjoy all the games and attractions one time (food not included)

Each child who places a ticket preorder will be awarded 10 free tickets.

Ticket pre-order forms are available in the church entry area and next to the church office.

JOINT REFORMATION SERVICE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27 Concordia Lutheran Church

1127 E Broadway | Louisville KY 502-585-4459

Schedule of Events

2:30 pm Reformation Prelude Selections by Organist, Bradley Johnson

3:00 pm REFORMATION SERVICE

4:00 pm Reformation Supper with guest speaker John Lewis, Senior Mission Advocate of the LCMS Office of Missions.

Supper Menu Bratwursts, sides and desserts



Pastor's Class for new members and review will begin on <u>January 26, 2025</u> and will conclude with a new member reception on <u>April 6</u>. We had hoped to start earlier but scheduling difficulties have pushed it back.

If you are interested in becoming an official member by attending Pastor's Class and desire to commune in the meantime, Pastor K. will offer a communion class on <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 17, 1:00 – 3:00 pm</u>. Please let him know of your intention to attend.

100 Years of Grace

Did you know that the first organ played at Grace was loaned to the church by Pastor Schumacher's mother (from St. John's)? The first service featured the organ played by Pastor Schumacher's brother, Henry. Helen Dietrich served as the first regular organist.

Did you know that while the congregation was still gathering on State Street, Mrs. Schumacher requested her organ back for sentimental reasons? Henry Mueller loaned the church \$100 to purchase a used piano, which later moved to the 10th Street location.

Did you know that the first organ owned by the church was donated by a funeral home in Seymour, Indiana? The church covered the \$12 freight cost to transport it to New Albany. On February 20, 1955, the new Conn organ was dedicated, with guest organist T.J. Koch, a former teacher at the school. If you look around the church, you'll find paintings by Mr. Koch. That organ remained in use until the dedication of the current pipe organ on April 17, 1994. During the summer of 1964, Karl Kuehner began playing the organ for Sunday services. When you see Karl, be sure to thank him for his 60 years of faithful service.



MEN'S BASKETBALL

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN -LANESVILLE, IN

What: Men's Pickup Basketball Ages 16 and up. Participants need to complete a one-time liability waiver. Those under

18 must have a parent present to sign for them in order to participate. There is ample bleacher space for dads who wish to bring children who can safely and independently hang out in the bleachers. While childcare is not available, family members are welcome to come along and watch.

When: Sunday nights starting November 17 at 6:30 until players decide to stop. Plans are to continue this through winter and spring, with discussions on whether to keep going over the summer months. Tentatively, we will be playing from November 17 until around May 18. The schedule will include dates when the coordinator is on vacation, such as during Christmas break and school spring break in March.

Where: St. John's Lutheran School Gym at 1505 St. John's Church Rd NE, Lanesville, IN 47136.

Contact: For more information, call or text Caleb Egger at 712-830-5229.

Quilt Tacking Tuesday, November 5 10:00 am - Noon, Fireside Room

No experience needed. Please bring scissors. Join us for a devotion, snack and fellowship.

NOW THAT THE WEATHER IS TURNING COOLER, THERE IS AN INCREASED NEED FOR QUILTS.

This past week, we distributed the following quilts:

- Three quilts measuring 60" x 80" were sent to Lutheran World Relief.
- Fifteen full-size quilts and twelve baby quilts were delivered to Orphan Grain Train in Jonesville, IN, to be transported to Elizabethton, TN, located north of Asheville, NC. Elizabethton serves as a staging area for flood relief efforts for victims of Hurricane Helena.
- Fifteen quilts were also taken to Jesus Cares Exit 0. These quilts were loaded onto their truck for distribution to the homeless in Clark and Floyd County, as well as Louisville. Jesus Cares at Exit 0 is a faith-based organization dedicated to supporting the homeless in these areas.

When life gives you scraps

MAKE A QUILT









We invite both church members and outside vendors to set up a table in the Fireside Room. The cost for booth space is \$25.00 for one 8 ft. table, with church members receiving priority for space rental. **Applications** can be found next to the church office. Please place your application and fee in Colleen Garber's mail slot. For any questions, feel free to reach out to Colleen at 502-494-4853 or Cathy Hussung at 812-786-5851. **Booth Set-up** will be available on Friday, November 1, from 3:00 – 9:00 pm, or on Saturday, November 2 (the day of the sale), from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.

SILENT AUCTION at WOMEN OF GRACE FALL BAZAAR

The Women of Grace will host a silent auction with bidding closing at 6:30 pm, alongside a vendor table. We would greatly appreciate donations for both the silent auction and our vendor table. Items may be dropped off in the Fireside Room during the following times: Thursday, October 31, from 12:00 - 4:00 pm; Friday, November 1, from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm; or Saturday, November 2, from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. For special drop-off arrangements, please contact Colleen Garber at 502-494-4853.

Requested donated items are:

Craft items such as wreaths, ornaments, doilies, etc.
Holiday decorations, yard art, pictures, glassware.
Jewelry, handbags, scarves, and other accessories.
Goodies such as cakes, cookies, breads, pies, candy, jelly, cupcakes, snacks, brownies, pudding, etc.

Please price your items. Thanks!



Donations & Helpers

Our yearly church Turkey Supper and Bazaar is scheduled for Saturday, November 2, from 4:00-7:00 pm. As always, we need food donations and volunteers. Please find the sign-up sheets in the main church entry area. We deeply appreciate your assistance and donations, as the dinner would not be possible without your support.

URKEY SUPPER TIMETAB

Oct. 27: All donated items should be brought to church. (Desserts can be dropped off early on Saturday.)

Oct. 28: 9:00 - Pull bread for dressing (helpers needed), make copper coins, and chop celery and onion.

Oct. 31: 9:00 - Bake turkeys (helpers needed).

Nov. 1: 9:30 - Slice turkeys (helpers needed).

10:00 - Prepare dippers (such as slaw, Nov. 2: cranberries, etc.).



You Are Invited To our Annual

NOVEMBER 2, 2024

DRIVE-THRU 3:30-6:30 | DINE-IN 4:00 - 7:00

Drive-thru: Adults and Children: \$15.00 each.

Dine-in: Adults \$15.00 & Children 8 and under \$10.

Menu: turkey, dressing, dumplings, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, slaw or carrot salad, roll, and dessert.



Bake Shop, Bazaar and Silent Auction 2:00-7:00

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Grace
Lutheran
Disaster
Relief and
Recovery
Efforts

Most of us are by now familiar with the devasting results of Helene. The LCMS and Lutheran Early Response Teams are generating contacts and plans to help with the recovery. I have been in contact with Lutheran Church Charities who tell me that plans are beginning to develop for volunteers to be involved. Right now, the best thing we can start with are donations.

So, here is our plan here at Grace:

FIRST, we plan to have a <u>door offering</u> on **October 27**th **for Reformation Sunday**. Every dollar will be spent to help those who need help.

SECOND, Pastor Woods will be holding a <u>training event</u> on Oct 26, 9:00 to 12:30 (Lunch afterward)—Please let me know you are coming. Training will prepare anyone interested in going on a possible mission trip before Christmas this year. Training will be required for this trip mainly because of the hazards involved with the flooding. Synod requires that we have basic LERT training and flood recovery training on this one. At the end of the meeting, we will register you with LERT and submit our background checks electronically. There is no cost except time. I know this is short notice, but things are already moving quickly.

THIRD, a mission trip will be announced as soon as a window lends itself to go. We are shooting for the second week of November. This could be a challenge because it depends on the room to house volunteers. There are many moving parts at this point. I would encourage you to take the training if you think you may want to go with teams after the first of the year as well. The key is preparation at this point. If you have any questions, please contact me at pw@glcna.org.

Pastor Matt Woods John 3:30

ALL SAINT'S SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3

On Sunday, November 3rd, during our services, we will honor All Saints' Sunday by remembering the members of our congregation who have passed away since last November. If you have lost a loved one or friend this past year and would like them included on our family and friends list, please reach out to Karen in the church office at 812-944-1267 by Thursday, October 31st.

CANDY BAR SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3

Gather your leftover Halloween treats, or purchase new candy at discounted post-holiday prices,



and bring it to church on Sunday, November 3rd. Please ensure the candy is individually wrapped and placed in the container located in the hallway leading to the Fellowship Hall. The collected candy will be used for Christmas stockings and to create packets for those in need of encouragement.

This initiative is supported by Alleson Sisson's Thrivent Action Team.





Sunday, October 20

Charlotte Hilton-Thomas

Marti Keith

Leann Harvey

Jasper Lee

Monday, October 21

Kjersti Milliner Dan Kischnick

Tuesday, October 22

Donna Oexman

Steven Koenig

Doyle Karalfa

Elise Lyon

Whitney Lyon

Tuesday, Oct. 22 (cont'd)

Michael Garber Emmitt Lee

Wednesday, October 23

Marilyn Wolpert Diann Smith

Thursday, October 24

Bob Reisenbichler

Eli Spangle

Friday, October 25

Linda Kidd

Joe Clark

Suzanne Motsinger

Anita Cambron

Christine Clifford

Kalyn Rice

Emmalynn Woods

Saturday, October 26

Jill Green

Sunday, October 27

Sandy Young Fred Mildenburger



Sunday, October 20
Bill & Connie Goebel
Monday, October 21
Andrew & Dina Leininger

Tuesday, October 22
Tim & Lara Goebel

Wednesday, October 23

Doug & Lori Green

Thursday, October 24

Carson & Alexis Jenkins

Friday, October 25

Warren & Rachel Bouteiller Darrell & Sue Shewmaker George & Laurie Streib

Saturday, October 26

Mike & Sarah Leis

Sunday, October 27

Bill & Sue Boyd

Frankenmuth Bus Trip pictures: Brad Farber has kindly uploaded the pictures he took on the recent bus trip to Frankenmuth and is happy to share them. If you went on the trip and would like to look at some of the pictures, copy the following link into your browser.

https://ldrv.ms/f/s!AvtUXV1pwBhMgqJ3QMglX28hrTHyVQ?e=97m2sG. Thanks, Brad, for sharing!

Sunday, October 20 - Sunday, October 27, 2024

OCTOBER 20, SUNDAY

- · Worship, 8:00 (Communion)
- SUNDAY SCHOOL, 9:15
 - · Ages 4 4th Grade (Gym-Kids of Grace area)
 - · Jr. High (Jr. High Youth Room)
 - · Sr. High (Sr. High Youth Room)
 - · Pastor Kischnick's Bible Class (Fireside Room)
 - · Pastor Woods' Bible Class (Youth Wing)
 - · The Youngs' Bible Class (Boardroom)
- · Worship, 10:30 (No Communion)
- GriefShare, 1:00-3:00 pm (Fireside Room)

OCTOBER 21, MONDAY

- · Parenting class Mitzi's, 6:00 pm
- · BSA, 6:00 pm

OCTOBER 22, TUESDAY

· Care Team Meeting, 7:00 pm

OCTOBER 23, WEDNESDAY

- · Parables of Jesus Bible class, 10 am (Boardroom)
- GRACE ON WEDNESDAYS

Supper 5:30-6:00 (Fellowship Hall/Gym)

Classes 6:00-7:30

- · Age 4 thru 4th grade (Gym-Kids of Grace area)
- Grades 5 & 6 (Jr. High Room)
- Grade 7 (Youth Wing)
- · Grade 8 (Boardroom)
- · Grades 9-12 (Sr. High Room)
- · Adult Bible class (Fireside Room) men & women

OCTOBER 24, THURSDAY

Thursday Saints' Bible Class, 10:30 (Fireside Room)

OCTOBER 25, FRIDAY

- · Sr. High Youth "Post-it" Party, 5:00-8:00 pm
- · Preschool set up Fellowship Hall/gym fall festival
- Fireside Room reserved, 6:00-8:00 pm

OCTOBER 26, SATURDAY

- · Disaster Relief Training, 9:00-12:30 (Fireside Room)
- · Preschool Fall Carnival, 10:00-1:00 (Fellowship Hall)
- · Worship, 5:00 pm (No Communion)

OCTOBER 27, SUNDAY (REFORMATION) Door Offering for Disaster Relief

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- · GriefShare, 1:00-3:00 pm (Fireside Room)
- · Circuit Reformation Service at Concordia, 2:30 pm

NO SATURDAY WORSHIP
ON NOVEMBER 2

Grace Lutheran Church is Connected

www.glcna.org

Services, Events, Ministries, Grace Newsletter and More!

Facebook

Like us and follow for up-to-date news and tidbits.

360-degree Tour

Check this out...Grace Has Gone 360 on the World Wide Web.

On Google, type *Grace Lutheran Church New Albany, Indiana*. Click the map to the right of screen and take the 360° tour of our church.



The **Grace News & Tidbits** is available via e-mail as a .pdf and .docx file. If you would like to receive the publication weekly by e-mail, please call Karen at the church office, 812-944-1267 or e-mail her at karen.meredith@glcna.com and let her know. Do not forget to include your latest e-mail address.



PASTORAL CARE

If you are hospitalized or you have a change of address or just something that needs pastoral care, please call the office, or let Pastors know directly. Since

hospital and nursing facilities are not allowed to disclose patient information of any kind, they do not call the church. If you are not able to call the church or pastors yourself, please ask someone to do so for you. Pastor K and Pastor W would be grateful to hear from you or family when pastoral care is needed. They want to be there with you at such important times.

WAYS TO GIVE to GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Mail to the church

Give online at www.glcna.org

Mobile

Instructions for loading the church app is on the church's webpage.

Text: GLCNAPP to: 833-700-4441

Weekly Attendance Report

 Saturday, 10/12
 5:00 pm
 40

 Sunday, 10/13
 8:00 am
 70

 Sunday, 10/13
 10:30 am
 153

This Week's Giving: \$15,411.00

Amount Needed weekly: \$17,003.00

\$7,764.00 Envelopes \$1,527.00 Loose Plate \$ 960.00 Simply Giving \$5,160.00 PushPay

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Worship with Us

Saturdays, 5:00 pm Sundays 8:00 & 10:30 am

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