



**To Glorify God,  
To Grow in Faith  
To Give in Service  
Together in Christ**

**Grace Lutheran Church**  
**Sunday, February 3, 2019 – Epiphany 4**

#### **Announcements**

As you face the rear of the sanctuary from inside, a nursery area is available on the other side of the doors to the left. Restrooms are available after passing through the doors on the right.

*We may be taking photos or video recordings during Grace Events. You will be giving your consent that any pictures and/or video taken may be published and/or distributed by Grace Lutheran Church (i.e. Facebook, website, promotional materials) by attending these events. Please let Pastor Lutchter, or a church council member, know if you would prefer that you and/or your child's image not be used.*

**Communion Choice:** White grape juice is available for you to choose during communion. The white grape juice is in small communion cups in a silver tray on a table located at the right front row of chairs near the altar. As you approach the altar you may take a glass from the tray with you to the altar. When the chalice is brought to you, you drink the cup of grape juice. Empty cups may be returned to the empty side of the tray.

**The Altar Flowers this week have been sponsored by:** Lori Pluda in Honor of Lori's "Ground Hog Day" birthday, and by Emily & Rich Woltmann in Memory of Edward Woltman.

**The Eternal Candle** is sponsored today by Kitty Heckler in Honor of her family.

We welcome **Pastor John Berntsen** to Grace this morning and next Sunday to lead our worship services.

**Today is our annual "Souper Bowl of Caring."** Churches from all over the nation participate to feed the hungry on what is known as the "biggest food non-holiday." Each worshipper is asked to bring a can of soup or other food item to share locally and a dollar for ELCA World Hunger.

**Busy Bags are Back!** They can be found hanging on the tall wooden rack in the Narthex by the Pastor's office door. Please feel free to pick one up so your small children can enjoy quiet play during the worship service.

**Laurel House Valentine's Day Project:** The Giving In Service Team would invite your support for our Valentine's Day Project for Laurel House. We will collect items for the women and children of Laurel House. This agency provides shelter, care and counseling for abused women and children of Montgomery County. Please check out the display in the narthex and pick up a wish list of items needed

for Laurel House. Consider adding one or two of these items to your shopping list. Please drop off your gifts by **Sunday, February 10th.**

#### **Grace is offering Financial Peace University**

Financial Peace University is a nine-lesson, money-management class taught by America's most trusted financial guru, Dave Ramsey. Dave and his teaching team will walk you through the basics of budgeting, dumping debt, planning for the future, and much more. And now you can experience this life-changing group the way that's best for you: with other people in a local group, online at your own pace or both! Classes are open to anyone in the community and will be held on Thursday nights starting on **January 24, 2019.** For more info, check out the website: <http://www.fpu.com/1079426>

**"Soupathon Part 2:"** Did you enjoy the tasty soup lovingly made by the InReach Team and Grace volunteers this fall? Don't miss out on this yummy treat this time! Sign up today for delivery at both services on **February 10th.** Order forms are in the Narthex. We can still use soup makers too – recipes and containers are provided. Order yours today for a limited amount and type of soup will be available that day without a preorder.

#### **H3C**

##### **"Sharing the Love" Clothing Drive-**

Mitzvah Circle Foundation is in immediate need of children's clothing especially boys' clothes. The H3C is sponsoring a clothing drive **throughout the month of February.** Please bring your donations to church of gently used, clean clothes or new clothing for girls and boys sizes 3-16/18. Help us "share the love" of clothing to needy children in our community.

**Tickets** for Laymen Playmen's Disney's Beauty and the Beast are available online at [www.laymenplaymen.com](http://www.laymenplaymen.com). The production will be held Feb. 7, 8,9,10 and 14,15,16,17 at Lansdale United Methodist Church, 300 N Broad, Lansdale. Call 215-368-9484 for any questions.

**Game Night** The Christian Connections Committee invites you to join us for Dinner and Games on a cold winter's night. **February 24, 2019, 5 - 8 pm.** We will provide the Meatball Sandwiches and Salad, you bring the desserts and your favorite board game. A whole group game of Pictionary will be the Grand Finale!

#### **YOGA (Hatha) CLASS Back by Popular Demand at**

**Grace - All-levels.** Yoga will begin again on January 2, 2019 and run through March 27, 2019, from 6:30 to 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Questions contact Kathy Stawasz

**Attendance** 1/27/2019 8:00 – 27, 10:30 - 82

**General Fund** - \$2,655, Capital Fund - \$465

#### **Who Are These People?**

After each service, there is a member of Council standing next to Pastor. They are there to wish you a wonderful week plus hear any of your questions or concerns. If you have any questions during this time of transition or any time for that matter, please ask them.

**Serving Volunteers**

**Acolyte** 8:00 am Ken Seiler  
 10:30 am Paige & Lacey Haldeman  
**Altar Guild** 8:00 am June Detweiler & Kitty Heckler  
 10:30 am Emily Woltmann  
**Comm. Assistant** 8:00 am Joanne Moyer  
 10:30 am Lori Pluda  
**Council Sender & Offering counter** 8:00 am Joanne Moyer  
 10:30 am Bob Reilly  
**Lector** 8:00 am Karen Seiler  
 10:30 am Betty Murray  
**Ushers** 8:00 am - Ken Seiler & Bob Smyrl  
 10:30 am - Kathy Stawasz & Rich Woltmann  
**Greeter** 8:00 am Diane Ball  
 10:30 am Karen Heacock  
**Nursery:** 10:30 am Jeff & Beth Krout  
**Flower Delivery** Kathy Stawasz

**In Our Prayers**

John Fischer Bob Kaler  
 Marilyn Homan Wendy Amparano  
 Joan Lattanze Jim Pluda  
 Suzanne Colville Pam and Fred Matolicz  
 Paige Haldeman Al Godshall  
 Nancy Sellers Laura Cooper  
 Bob Swillo Elijah Krout  
 Sue Deitch Ambrose Marchiano  
 B.J. Moyer-Kuhn Beth Brown  
 Joe Hopkins Xavier Jackson  
 Muriel Rosenfelt Dawn Doll  
 Silvia Light Kristopher Yoder  
 Dorene Bobb Layla Lapino  
 Keira Drissel Cassi Lambert  
 Ginger Rittenhouse Holnick  
 Rich Woltmann Jean Goetter  
 Mandie and Emmett Helen Godshall  
 Tina Blain (Friend of the MacDonald's)  
 Jennifer Kaler-Thomas  
 John Cisler Ron and Karen Hudson  
 Margaret Stangl Annette Beyer  
 Dale Moyer Richard Badman  
 Ralph and Carol Buffone  
 Cindy Kunkel Joyce Salter  
 Bob Darde Shannon Ryan  
 Chip Wood Joan Amundsen  
 Andy Armstrong (Friend of the MacDonald's)  
 The Family of Rev. Paul Bittner, Lori Pluda's father  
 The Family of Bob Lutcher, Pastor Lutcher's father  
 The Family of William J. Schmidt, nephew of the Roney family  
 The Family of Bill Forst  
 The Family of Joe McGlinchey  
 The Ruth Schaffer Family, Andrea Roney's Aunt  
 The Family of Marianne Grubb  
 The Family of David Stout

**The Moyer Family** has made available a website - Caring Bridge - to follow Dale's progress through his recovery from heart surgery. You may read the journal entries by logging on to [www.CaringBridge.com](http://www.CaringBridge.com). You will be asked to join by creating a password which will allow you access to read the entries.

**This Week at Grace**

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| <b>Sun.</b>   | <b>February 3</b>                       |
| 8:00 am       | Worship/Communion                       |
| 9:15 am       | Sunday School                           |
| 10:30 am      | Worship/Communion                       |
| 12:30 pm      | Central Phila. Korean Church            |
| <b>Tues.</b>  | <b>February 5</b>                       |
| 7:00 pm       | Stitchers - M/R                         |
| <b>Wed.</b>   | <b>February 6</b>                       |
| 10:00 am      | WELCA - M/R                             |
| 6:30-7:30 pm  | Yoga- F/H                               |
| <b>Thurs.</b> | <b>February 7</b>                       |
| 6:30 pm       | Financial Peace University-M/R          |
| <b>Sun.</b>   | <b>February 10-Pastor John Bernsten</b> |
|               | <b>Scout Sunday</b>                     |
| 8:00 am       | Worship/Communion                       |
| 9:15 am       | SCS                                     |
| 10:30 am      | Worship                                 |
| 12:30 pm      | Central Phila. Korean Church            |

**Dear Grace Family and Friends,**

We wish to thank you for making last Sunday such a wonderful memory of farewell. I am glad we spoke the words of good-bye at worship, all the wonderful words and hugs shared, and all who attended the luncheon and reception. Thank you for the picture of Grace and my favorite prayer, along with the Gold Dinner Gift Certificate to the Washington House. You will always be in our hearts!

With Blessings,

Pastor Dave and Robin Lutcher

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