

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

# Grace Lutheran Church June 23, 2019-Second Sunday After Pentecost

## 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 Peterman, or a church council member, know if you would prefer that you and/or your child's image not be used.

If you would like to use one of our new hearing assist devices, please speak to an usher.

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.



Leading worship today, please welcome The Rev. Karen Sease, Assistant to the Bishop for Candidacy, Mobility and Interim Ministry and Mission Advancement. In her roles, Pastor Sease works to identify, raise up, and support leaders for the Church through the candidacy and mobility functions and interim ministry. Her role in Mission Advancement is to cultivate generosity and ongoing support of the ministries of the Synod.

Grace's Daytime Bible Study – The next scheduled Bible Study will be on Wednesday, July 10, 11 am to noon. The Bible study will be hosted at the home of Joan Amundsen. Interested in attending? Call the church office or the pastor for the address. Bring your Bible. All levels of Bible Study experience welcome.

The Altar Flowers this week are sponsored by: Mabel Hoepfl In Memory of her husband Carl, and Nancy Sellers In Honor of Loved Ones.

Bible Story and Craft Time for Children: During our 9:15 am Summer Worship Services the children are invited to participate in the Bible Story and Craft Time. Children will be dismissed following the gospel lesson. Depending on the number of children, the location will be in the nursery or fellowship hall. Children will return to participate in communion. Children may return with the leader or stay for the conclusion of worship. *Today's leader is Kay Stone*.

There are only two Sundays remaining to get your family/household pinned on Grace's pin map – the Transition Leadership Team is capturing the households of every worshipper at Grace during the 5-Sunday month of June, 2019. Have you been pinned on the map yet? See you in worship this week or next!

You may have heard that **Founder's Day** was postponed until **Monday July 1, 2019 - 5:00pm - 8:00pm**. I had planned to promote Vacation Bible School that evening with a table set up in the parking lot at Centennial Park. This is one of our best publicity events for recruiting participants and community volunteers. We have play doh, whistles and candy bars all wrapped with labels and ready to give out.

I will be on vacation as so will the other person who was planning to sit with me. If there is anyone who is available that evening to, set up and sit at our table and make VBS sound fun ... please contact me ASAP so I can let the borough know that we are still going to participate. Let me know if you can do it and I will give you more details. Thank You! Laura Slugg.

Our next Grace Picnic is Wednesday, July 10th at the home of Barb Watts. Her address is 147 N. Main Street, Hatfield. Join us for dinner is at 6:30 pm. Come anytime during the evening as your schedule allows. This is a great time to catch up with Grace Friends during the summer when our schedules are busy with traveling and family activities. Bring your favorite picnic dish to share and a lawn chair or blanket. If you have a favorite outdoor game to share, bring it too. Event is rain or shine!! If you would like more information about our Wednesday Evening Picnics or need transportation, please contact Kay Stone. Picnics dates are: July 10th and 24th and August 7th and 21st

Thank you for continuing to support the Food Cupboard at Emmanuel Evangelical Congregational Church (EEC) in Hatfield. Your gifts of food help those in our area who are in need. At present these are some of the *most wanted* items that we can share with the food cupboard: Boxed plain pasta (not spaghetti); Spaghetti Sauce; Tomato – sauce, paste, diced, whole, crushed; Chunky Soups, Tomato Soup, 1 or 2 pounds of plain white rice; Cereal (no oatmeal); dishwashing liquid; laundry detergent.

The Lutheran Community at Telford is offering a CNA Training Program: Classes are held for 5 weeks (3 days/week) totaling 120 hours and approved by the PA Department of Education. LCT offers: Paid classes, books and supplies, and there are no out-of-pocket costs to the student. LCT will pay for the certification test. We offer positions for further experience on the floor until the certification test is taken. This is a great opportunity for students to take the class here and then have job opportunities between the two facilities at completion. The certification class is offered several times a year. Visit the community at Rockhill (<a href="www.communityatrockhill.org">www.communityatrockhill.org</a>) to apply for the position of "Nurse Aide Trainee for Nurse Aide Class."

The Grace Website Members Only Page password has been changed. To gain access to the serving schedule or team minutes, call the church office during business hours to obtain the new password.

**Attendance:** 6/16/19 - 9:15 50

General Fund - \$2,098 Capital Fund - \$80

Serving Volunteers - 9:15 Service

Acolyte Seth Hercolini
Altar Guild Emily & Rich Woltmann
Comm. Assistant Bob Reilly
Council Sender & Carol MacDonald
Lector Joyce Salter
Ushers Rich Woltmann and Harold Schaefer
Greeter Barb Watts

Harold Schaefer

In Our Prayers

Flower Delivery

John Fischer Bob Kaler

Marilyn Homan Wendy Amparano
Joan Lattanze Suzanne Colville
Pam Matolicz Jennifer Kaler-Thomas
Paige Haldeman Nancy Sellers
Laura Cooper Liz Bauer

Elijah Krout Beth Brown Xavier Jackson Richard Badman Joe Hopkins Doug Boldon

Chip Wood Ralph and Carol Buffone

Kristopher Yoder Cassi Lambert
Dorene Bobb Annette Beyer
Keira Drissel Dale Moyer
Mandie and Emmett Cindy Kunkel
Ron and Karen Hudson Bill Shaffer

Margaret Stangl

Pastor Lee (Phila. Korean Church)

Paul "Dutch" Afflerbach (Kathie's husband) Andy Armstrong (Friend of the MacDonald's)

For all who grieve, including: The family and friends of Charles' Roney's mother; Hal Williams (Carol MacDonald's father); Bob Darde; Fred Matolicz; Emily Stangl (John's niece); Lillian Buschman (Kerry Stone's grandmother); Sue Deitch (Frank

Stone's cousin's wife); and Shannon Ryan

Pr. Peterman will be away on vacation from June 20<sup>th</sup> (Thursday this week), returning for Sunday, July 7<sup>th</sup>. In her absence, Pr. John Heidgerd, the newly installed pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Souderton, will be on call for pastoral emergencies. He may be reached by calling his cell phone [914-275-3106]. If you are aware of issues of pastoral concern and want to discuss them first with someone else before calling the pastor, you may call the church office during regular office hours [9 am to noon, Monday through Thursday, excluding July 4<sup>th</sup>; 215-855-4676] or after office hours, you may call Joyce Salter from Grace's Council.

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### This Week at Grace

	Pastor Peterman on Vacation-June 18 <sup>th</sup> returning July 7 <sup>th</sup> .
Sun.	June 23 - Pastor Karen Sease
9:15 am	Worship/Communion
12:30 am	Central Philadelphia Korean Church
Wed.	June 25
10:00 am	Mail Newsletters
Thurs.	June 27
10:00 am	Laymen/Playmen - M/R
Sun.	June 30 - Pastor Paul Beck
9:15	Worship/Communion
12:30 pm	Central Phila. Korean Church

# **Grace-Full Question for Pentecost II**

"Can you name three ministries of the wider Lutheran Church that we at Grace need others in the region, our denomination or the world to accomplish, that we cannot do on our own?"

If you'd ever want to talk more fully about any of these Grace-Full questions with Pr. Peterman, you're invited to Bible study... or to schedule an appointment with her for conversation.

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