



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

GRACE NOTES

November 7th - All Saints Sunday

SUNDAY MORNING

Welcome to Grace! Starting December 5th we will return to our worship schedule for Sundays at 8:00 am and 10:30 am with communion now on the first and third Sundays.

Find Grace Worship Online

Go online in any way (phone, tablet, or computer). Go to www.YouTube.com and search for: Grace Hatfield Services (posted each week on Wednesday following the Sunday, at noon). Find the lessons & prayers on Grace's website. **Spread the word!**

Mask Up: We require the use of face masks in the building by all members and community groups. Please closely observe other safety measures to which we are accustomed.

The Flowers on the altar are provided to the glory of God by Bill & Nancy Raabe in honor of Martin Luther on his birthday and by Tom & Joyce Salter in memory of Andrew Fischer.

For flower sponsors, please take your flowers home after worship if you want them!

There is no sponsor for the bulletins this week.

The Eternal Light Candle is provided to the Glory of God by June Detweiler in honor of all veterans.

Communion Cards: Please fill out a communion card. We maintain records of those who commune.

We often take photos or video recordings during Grace Events. You are 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 Raabe know if you would prefer that you and/or your child's image not be used.*

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November Birthdays

11/04 Sue Wieland
11/26 Dolores McGlinchey

Soupathon

This Sunday we will have delicious quarts of soup - Chicken Noodle, Minestrone (meatless), and Split Pea on sale for \$7 per container. If you pre-ordered soup, don't forget to pick it after worship. Proceeds go toward the maintenance of the generator in the Warming Center. Thank you! Crystal Tula

DESK IN NARTHEX LOOKING FOR A HOME! If you, or someone you know would like to take ownership of the desk in the Narthex, please contact Frank Stone. Interested person will be responsible for removing the desk (we may be able to provide some muscle). A donation to Grace would certainly be accepted.

Christmas Cards for the Homebound

WELCA has a box for Christmas cards for our homebound people in the Narthex. If anybody would like to give Christmas cards, you don't need to send them. If you need cards there is a supply on a table, also in the Narthex. There will be a list of names for you to take. The box will be there from November 7-29. Thank you!



If you are seeking pastoral care or need a helping hand for any reason, please contact Pastor Raabe by email; in the office (M-Th 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.) or 215.855.4676; or on her cell phone anytime at 614.214.2639. Talk with her about prayer requests, illnesses and hospital stays, weddings, funerals, baptisms, and joyful events in your life. She wants to hear from you!

Fall Stitch-In: will be held on Sunday afternoon - November 7th from 12:30 - 4:00pm, in the Fellowship hall. Bring a project or learn a new craft from a fellow stitcher. We will not be serving lunch. We will have snacks and drinks available, and attendees are welcome to bring their own lunch. We will still have door prizes and raffles as well! A freewill offering will be taken. We will have all COVID restrictions in place. We are looking forward to catching up with everyone!

Healing Service on November 14

Our worship service on November 14 will include a time of prayers for healing and the laying on of hands. Worshipers may come to the front for a blessing from the pastor or go back by the font to experience the healing power of Reiki with Lou and Cathy Farrell. Reiki is a form of gentle, hands-on healing. It is believed to be a way to transfer healing energy through the practitioner to the recipient. Cathy and Lou write: "We acknowledge that the healing comes from the Holy Spirit and is given through us to the recipient. While no miraculous cures have happened so far (that we know of!), everyone, no matter what their own belief system, has shared that they have felt some good, whether physical or mental, from this practice. It is the simplest thing in the world: we stand or sit next to the recipient, and gently lay our hands on them - or even just near them. The Holy Spirit does the rest, while we silently pray or just sit quietly." Cathy and Lou are Reiki-trained (went through a one-year training to become "Reiki master teachers") and Cathy is also a PhD immunologist.



Hatfield Community Christmas Tree Lighting, Saturday, December 4

As you may know, Grace is hosting this wonderful community event this year! The fun starts here at church on December 4 from 2-4 p.m. with Pet Pictures with Santa. A hot dog meal with hot drinks follows starting at 5 p.m. along with games and letter-writing to Santa. At 6 p.m. we then will all make our way to the firehouse for carols with our local "Voices of Christmas" choir and then the Christmas tree lighting at 6:30 p.m. Thanks to Cub Pack 510 for partnering with us to make this cherished Hatfield tradition a year to remember!

American Guild of Organists, November Recital Series

St. John's United Church of Christ
500 Main St, Lansdale, PA
12noon

Organist, Kevin Freaney plays on Tuesday, November 16, 2021

Sketch in F Minor by Robert Schumann

At the Ballet (*Five Dances for Organ*) by Calvin Hampton

Praeludium in E minor (*The Great*) by Nicolaus Bruhns

Prelude for Thanksgiving by William Clarence Steere

Finale (*3rd Organ Symphony*) by Louis Vierne

Each Tuesday in November features a different organist from the Philadelphia region. The recitals are free and open to the public.



This Week at Grace

Sunday, Nov. 7 9:15 am 10:30 am 12:30 pm 7:00 pm	All Saints Sunday/Soupathon Worship/Communion Sunday School Fall Stitch-In Laymen Playmen
Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 5:30 pm	Stepping Stones Day Care
Monday, Nov. 8 7:00 pm	Giving in Service Meeting
Tuesday, Nov. 9 8:00 am - 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Bread Drop Sandwiches Property Team Meeting Worship & Music Laymen Playmen
Wed., Nov. 10 6:15 pm	Yoga
Thurs., Nov. 11 7:00 pm	Veterans Day Laymen Playmen
Sunday, Nov. 14 9:15 am 10:30 am 7:00 pm	Parish News articles due Worship/Healing Sunday Sunday School Laymen Playmen

Sunday, 10/31/21

Attendance: 9:15 am, 52

General Fund - \$1,376 **Capital Fund** - \$690

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Serving Schedule for Worship

Nov. 7, 9:15 am - Ushers: B. Schmidt & K. Stawasz

Lector: Beth Krout

Communion Assistant: Frank Stone

Altar Guild: Emily Woltmann & June Detweiler

Acolyte: Elijah Krout

November Council Opener/Lockup: L. Kratz & J. Krout

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Angel Boxes

This year H3C will be collecting items for the annual Angel Boxes. We will not be making boxes this year, but collecting items that cannot be purchased with food stamps. Rather than the usual collection of household products, we are asking for only personal hygiene items. Once collected, they will be made available to the families in need through the two food cupboards. The list of these items include:

Toilet paper, Paper towels and Kleenex

Shampoo- tight lids

Toothpaste and brushes

Razors

Bar Soap

Deodorant

Feminine products

We will be collecting these items until Saturday,

December 11th. They can be dropped off at Grace.

Food Ministries: Sources of Food

Food Cupboard Distribution

The food cupboard at *Emmanuel EEC* (100 S. Main St.)

Open next: Tuesday, Nov. 9th, 1:00 pm

Hatfield Church of the Brethren (1333 Cowpath Rd.)

Open next: Tuesday, Nov. 9th, 12:00 pm

Emmanuel Lutheran Church (69 W. Broad St, Souderton)

has a daily meal program. Anyone may come for a bagged meal with limited social contact. No registration required. No residency requirements. Up to 4 bags a day possible if picking up for a family or for neighbors who can't get out. Open: *6 days a week, Mon - Sat, 10:30 am - 1:00 pm. Entrance in the rear*

EEC Food Cupboard

For the latest needs, please check *Parish News* or call or email Carol MacDonald for more information.

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The office is open 9 am - noon, Monday to Thursday.

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Please let Pastor Raabe know if you have an urgent request for our Prayer Team, or if you would like someone added to this list, or if someone you have added is no longer in need of prayers.

In Our Prayers: John Fischer, Bob Kaler, Wendy Amparano, Suzanne Colville, Pam Matolicz, Paige Haldeman, Nancy Sellers, Laura Cooper, Liz Bauer, Beth Brown, Xavier Jackson, Gerry Mason, Joe Hopkins, Doug Boldon, Carol Buffone, Cassi Lambert, Kristopher Yoder, Annette Beyer, Dorene Bobb, Keira Drissel, Cindy Kunkel, Ron and Karen Hudson, Lisa Kane, Joyce Salter, Terry Stringfellow, (friend of Dale and Mary Jane Moyer), Hazel Mascaro, Jerry Mascaro, Rich Woltmann, Peggy Long, Lorraine Snyder, Vickie West, Merylyn Forst, Bob Rufe (Mary Jane Moyer's brother), Bailey Vinson (Liz Bauer's great-granddaughter), Sandy Klinger, Chuck & Linda Arkins (H3C friends), Margaret Stangl (John Stangl's mother), Dave Kunkel, Sue & Faith Rowbottom, Joy, Gary & Nicky Torgeson, Janet Williams (Carol MacDonald's mother), the Scarola family (dear friends of Peggy & Bruce Schmidt), Helen Godshall, Debbie Hendricks (cousin of Mary Jane Moyer), Debbie Zuech-Smyrl, Ralph Schultz (Karen Seiler's father), Madiate Sheriff, John Stangl, Christy Skogan (friend of Beth Krout), George Adams (Lincoln Kaler's football coach), Rhonda Wagner Berger (granddaughter of the Wagner property original owners), Emily Detweiler (daughter of Beth Krout's co-worker), Dean Capanear

For all who grieve, including the family and friends of: Andrew Sobolusky (neighbor of Liz & Tom), Gail Walter, Jeanne Scarola

For those in active duty military service: Robert McNulty, Marines, Jessica Murphy, Air Force; Matthew Smyrl, Army; Nathaniel Smyrl, PA Army National Guard

For active military deployed overseas: Kyle Murphy, Air Force



The nursery is open again! The entire room and all the toys have been cleaned and the toys will be sanitized regularly. Please make use of it! We ask that you follow the protocols listed on the door.

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WHEN: Every Wednesday, 9/15/21 thru 12/15/21 (no class on 11/24/21) Please note time change: 6:15-7:15 pm

WHERE: Grace Fellowship Hall, (outside - in the parking lot - if weather permits) **MASKS must be worn (at this time) if inside**

COST: \$5/class (Make checks payable to: Grace Lutheran)

WHO: Ages 18 and up. Bring your exercise mat (let Kathy know if you need one) Invite a friend or family member, everyone is welcome. Questions: Contact Kathy Stawasz