



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

**GRACE NOTES**

*May 15<sup>th</sup> - Fifth Sunday of Easter*

**SUNDAY MORNING**

Welcome to Grace! We worship Sundays at 8:00 am and 10:30 am with communion on the first and third Sundays.

**Worship with Grace**

Every week we livestream our 10:30 service! Find the link on the Sunday Online Worship page under the Worship menu of our website or on Facebook. Each week's Grace Notes and bulletin are also posted on the Online Worship page, as well as Pastor Raabe's sermon texts. **The pandemic is still with us. To be as safe as possible you may choose to wear a mask when inside the building.**

**Mid-Week Worship Online** includes brief, thoughtful services of Morning Prayer (Mon-Wed-Fri) and Evening Prayer (Monday). Join Pastor Raabe on our Facebook page.

**Hearing-assist devices** are charged and ready to go for anyone who needs them. Please ask an usher.

**The Flowers on the altar** are provided to the glory of God by Harold Schaefer in honor of his son, Brian, on his 35<sup>th</sup> birthday.

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

**The Bulletins** are provided to the Glory of God by June Detweiler in memory of her husband, Bill.

**The Eternal Light Candle** is provided to the Glory of God by Emily & Rich Woltmann in honor of family birthdays.

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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**A Summer of Excitement & Growth**

May Day is long past, and we are all looking eagerly at summer. For many of you that means well-deserved vacations, but not for the church! We are taking the opportunity of this change of pace to have our Council and leadership teams consider several exciting ideas and projects that will position us for a strong future. These include some major landscaping projects around the church; a summer youth service camp in mid-July with three of our Indian Valley Cluster congregations, with a day at each including one at Grace; sharing VBS with Little Zion in early August; and other events designed to bring community members to Grace, along with major improvements to our newsletter, website, and livestream production. The summer of 2022 is not a time for us to coast, it is a time to spring into action. How would you like to become involved? There is a point of entry for every person, whatever your skills or interests. Maybe you could even take on a new leadership position here! We will be sharing more about these ideas as they coalesce. In the meantime, my door is always open (and my phone is always



waiting) for you to spring into action. May the Holy Spirit continue to stir up new life among us!

**Farewell to the Stangls**

Please join us after 10:30 worship on Sunday, May 22 to bid a fond adieu to John and Bonnie Stangl, who are moving to the Hershey area to be closer to their daughter Kim. Let's gather to show our appreciation for their tremendous legacy of gifts of time and talents to Grace over the years!



05/19 Charles Slugg

**Day of Ascension Worship Service**

On Thursday, May 26 at 7:00 PM, the Indian Valley Cluster of Lutheran churches is sharing an Ascension of Our Lord worship service at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, 107 W Lincoln Avenue, Telford. The offering collected will be shared with Sanctuary Village. We are grateful for the opportunity to join with one another face to face to celebrate this special day and experience and see the community of Christ!

**Lutheran Night at the Phillies** is Saturday, June 11 at the 4 p.m. game. Let's get a group together to help cheer them on. A portion of every ticket sold will benefit our Synod's youth programs. Order tickets at [www.phillies.com/lutheran](http://www.phillies.com/lutheran) with the password LUTHERAN, and let us know if you plan to go!

**Handbell Ensemble Concert**

Trinity Lutheran Church in Lansdale will be hosting a concert featuring the Philadelphia Handbell Ensemble entitled "Songs of Strength." The concert will be on **May 22, 2022 at 4 p.m.** See the flyer in the narthex for further details.



**GRACE FAITH BUILD DAY**

Grace Lutheran Day at the Faith Build site is **June 25** from 9 am-1 pm. Sign up in the narthex to help build (must be 16 or older).

**WINE TASTING FINAL**

Thanks to all who attended the May 7th wine tasting event, and thank you to all who purchased some wine. Our purchases have netted us \$249.95 for the Hatfield Faith Build Project. If you would still like to purchase wine, there is time as our event officially runs through 5/27/22. Here is the link to order: <https://www.onehopewine.com/event/128467> CHEERS!!



**Cub Pack 510 Bike Rodeo**

Please consider helping Pack 510 with their Bike Rodeo event this Sunday. Volunteers are needed to help run stations, help with the pie eating contest, and a few other easy tasks. If you would be able to donate a couple hours in the afternoon this coming Sunday, May 15th from 2:30-5:00 PM, it would be greatly appreciated. Did I mention pie?! I hope to see you there. Thanks! Crystal Tula

## This Week at Grace

<b>Sunday, May 15</b> 8:00 am 9:15 am  10:30 am 3:00 pm	Fifth Sunday of Easter Worship/Communion Sunday School with 9:30 Zoom Adult Bible Study Worship/Communion Cub Pack 510 Bike Rodeo
<b>Monday - Friday</b> 7:00 am - 5:30 pm	Stepping Stones Day Care
<b>Tuesday, May 17</b> 8:00 am - 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Bread Drop Sandwiches Council Meeting (Zoom option)
<b>Wed., May 18</b> 1:00 pm 6:15 pm	Choir Rehearsal Yoga
<b>Saturday, May 21</b> 8:00 am	Cub Pack 510 Garden Clean Up/Planting
<b>Sunday, May 22</b> 8:00 am 9:15 am  10:30 am After worship	Worship Sunday School with 9:30 Zoom Adult Bible Study Worship Farewell for the Stangls

### Fourth Sunday of Easter, 5/8/22

**Attendance:** 8:00 am-9; 10:30 am-41

**Online attendance,** all services, week ending 5/8: 333

**General Fund - \$4,337 Mortgage - \$445**

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### Serving Schedule for Worship

**Fifth Sunday of Easter, May 15, 2022**

Lectors: 8:00 am, Peggy Schmidt; 10:30 am, Jean Shaffer

Ushers: 8:00 am, Bob Smyrl & Don Capanear;

10:30 am, Kay Stone & Kathy Stawasz

Communion Assistant: 8:00 am, B. Schmidt;

10:30 am, Frank Stone

Altar Guild: 8:00 am, J. Swartz; 10:30 am, E.&S. Weiland

Video Team: 10:30 am, Dan & Tami Sarm

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You are invited to leave **urgent prayer requests** in the pink journal in the narthex next to the visitor sign-in.

**Online Giving:** Please use the "Give" page on our website, text a gift to 844.613.0815, or scan this QR code:



### Stepping Stones Request

Our school is in desperate need of spare clothes for 4 and 5 year old children. Any donations of new/gently used clothing is greatly appreciated! Please drop off at the office any time.

### Silk Sunflowers

Some members would like to order the silk sunflowers that were available for Mother's Day. You may order these through Sunday May 22. Call or email Kay Stone if you would like to place an order. Sunflowers are \$5 each. (Funds will continue to be given to the Ukraine project.)

**YOGA RETREAT FUNDRAISER:** Saturday, June 18 from 8:30am - 3:00pm, \$100 donation. Enjoy a peaceful day of yoga here at Grace, and the opportunity to experience the joy of movement through 4 different yoga practices. Suitable for all levels! A healthy lunch is included. All proceeds will benefit Sanctuary Village, a nonprofit providing the means for people to transition out of chronic homelessness through a community of tiny houses. Register online at [www.tinyhousecommunity.org](http://www.tinyhousecommunity.org).

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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:** Bob Kaler, Suzanne Colville, Pam Matolicz, Paige Haldeman, Nancy Sellers, Liz Bauer, Doug Boldon, Carol Buffone, Cassi Lambert, Kristopher Yoder, Annette Beyer, Cindy Kunkel, Ron and Karen Hudson, Lisa Kane, Joyce Salter, Hazel Mascaro, Jerry Mascaro, Rich Woltmann, Peggy Long, Lorraine Snyder, Vickie West, Marilyn Forst, Bob Rufe (Mary Jane Moyer's brother), Bailey Vinson (Liz Bauer's great-granddaughter), Sandy Klinger, Chuck & Linda Arkins (H3C friends), Dave Kunkel, 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, Madiafe 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 Moore, Don Cabrera (Jean Shaffer's daughter's father-in-law), Peg Malloy, Diane Miller, Donna Herman (friend of the Badmans), Judith Stangl (John's sister), Whitney Buterbaugh (close friend of MC and Bob Reilly's daughter), Daniel Hopwood (Tom Hopwood's son), Gerry Mason (Richard Badman's son), Rosemary & Skip McCoy (Liz Bauer's sister and brother-in-law), Cheryl Davis (Paul MacDonald's sister), Laurie Ronan (the MacDonalds' neighbor), Jim Finnemeyer (John and Jean Weierman's nephew), Sue & Faith Rowbottom, Joy, Gary & Nicky Torgeson (Sue Rowbottom's family), Deb Mandell (Cub Pack 510 treasurer), Lucia Morales (Crystal Tula's mother-in-law), Lou Farrell.

**For all who grieve, including the family and friends of:** Betty Murray, Margaret Stangl (John Stangl's mother), and Terry Stringfellow (friend of Dale and Mary Jane Moyer), Ralph Schultz (Karen Seiler's father), Jeff Hinton (friends of Frank & Kay Stone).

**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; Matthew Smyrl, Army

### Food Ministries: Sources of Food

The food cupboard at Emmanuel E.C. (100 S. Main St., Parking Lot: 24 W. Lincoln Ave. 215.855.2540)

**Distributions:** 1st & 3rd Tuesdays from 5:30 - 6:30 pm. 2nd & 4th Tuesdays from 1 - 2 pm

**Latest needs:** Olives (black or green); white rice; canned mushrooms; canned diced tomatoes; vinegar (16 or 32 oz); dishwashing liquid; laundry detergent; body wash; shampoo; conditioner; razors & shaving cream (men & women's); 13 gallon trash bags; quart or gallon zip top baggies. Any questions, call or email Carol MacDonald for more information.



## Mother's Day Carnations/Sunflowers

In memory of his mother, Ellen and his mother-in-law, Dot from Richard Badman

In honor of his wife, Faye and his daughters-in-law, Caroline, Lonna, and Lianne, from Richard Badman

In memory of Carol Capanear and Ida Capanear, from Don Capanear

In honor of Kate Capanear and Sue Snyder, from Don Capanear

In honor of his mother, Kate Capanear from Dean Capanear

In memory of Jeanette Schussler, from June Detweiler (carnation)

In memory of Anna Schussler and Grace Wenhold, from June Detweiler (sunflowers)

In honor of Wendy Walter, Vicki Barnes, and Nancy Sellers, from June Detweiler (carnations)

In memory of her mother, Gretal Bundschuh, from Kay Deussing

In memory of her mother, Virginia Fluck and her mother-in-law, Ella Hess, from Barbara Hess

In honor of her daughter-in-law, Susan Hess and her granddaughter, Rachel Berry, from Barbara Hess

In memory of her mother, Bertha Kulp and her mother-in-law, Mary Hoepfl, from Mabel Hoepfl

In memory of Ruth Karcewski and Dorothy Kratz, from Laura Kratz

In honor of Melissa Kratz, Tammy Dempsey, and Emma Dempsey, from Laura Kratz

In honor of Beth Krout and Laura Slugg, from Jeff and Elijah Krout

In memory of Rita MacDonald, from Paul and Carol MacDonald

In honor of Janet Williams, from Paul and Carol MacDonald

In honor of the brave mothers throughout the world, from Paul and Carol MacDonald

In memory of Helen Wolf, from Phyllis McKeefrey and Karen Heacock

In memory of their mothers, Mary Rufe and Helen Alderfer, and their grandmothers from Dale and Mary Jane Moyer

In honor of wife, mother, and nana, Mary Jane Moyer, from Dale, Mike, Cora, Allie and Mark

In honor of Cora Moyer, from Dale, Mary Jane, Mike and Allie

In memory of Karen Barr, Joan Lattanze, and Rose Oxenford, from Lynn and Mike Oxenford (carnations)

In honor of Lynn, Jessica, Ashley Lynn, Ashley Nicole, and Ashley Susan, from Mike Oxenford (sunflowers)

In honor of Ashley Plawa, Cheryl Groff, and Lynn Oxenford, from Zachary, Olivia and Ayla Plawa

In memory of Shirley Raabe and Mary Miller, from Pastor and Bill Raabe (sunflowers)

In honor of the people of Ukraine, from Pastor and Bill Raabe (sunflowers)

In memory of Muriel Rosenfelt, from Sue Rowbottom (carnation)

In honor of her daughters, Faith Rowbottom and Joy Rowbottom, from Sue Rowbottom (sunflowers)

In memory of Wanda Przybylski and Lillian Schmidt, from Peggy and Bruce Schmidt

In honor of Peggy Schmidt, from Mr. Smart T. Pants and Ellie Mae

In memory of Betty Schultz from Ken and Karen Seiler

In honor of Karen Seiler, Anita Spisak, and Loretta Seiler, from the Seiler Family

In memory of Clara Catherine Shaffer, Jean Estevez and Karen Cannon, from Bill and Jean Shaffer

In honor of Jean Shaffer, from Bill and Will Shaffer

In memory of their grandmothers, from Frank and Kay Stone

In memory of Frank's mother, Mildred Stone and Kay's mother, Sarah Smith, from Frank and Kay Stone

In honor of Amy Taylor, Kerry Stone, Jennifer Stone, Joan Buschman, Sally Stone, Julie Buschman, Carolyn Stone and Cady Stone, from Frank and Kay Stone

In memory of Betty Coyle, from the Tula Family

In honor of Patricia Boyer and Lisa Boyer, from the Tula Family

In honor of Wendy Walter, from Anna Walter

In honor of Wendy Walter from Bryan and Lauren Walter

In memory of Gail Walter, from the Walter Family

In Honor of June Detweiler and Nancy Sellers, from the Walter Family

In memory of their mother, Evelyn Watts, their grandmothers, Amy Detwiler and Anna Watts, their aunts, Ruth Watts and Marion Fretz, from Barbara and Beverly Watts

In honor of all the mothers at Paradise Manor, from Barbara Watts

In memory of Betty Stout, from Cindy and John Weierman

In honor of Jean, Cindy, Katie and Johanna Weierman, from the Weierman Family

In memory of Jean Meibohm and Thea Woltmann, from Emily and Rich Woltmann