



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

## GRACE NOTES

June 5<sup>th</sup> - Day of Pentecost

### SUNDAY MORNING

Welcome to Grace! We worship Sundays at 9:15 am with communion on the first and third Sundays.

#### Worship with Grace

Every week we livestream our 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 under the Worship menu of our web site, as well as Pastor Raabe's sermon texts.

**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 Phyllis McKeefrey in memory of Robyn Gibson.

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

**The Bulletins** are provided to the Glory of God by Richard Badman in honor of his son, Gerry, on his birthday.

**The Eternal Light Candle** is provided to the Glory of God by Barb Watts in memory of Betty Murray on her birthday.

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.

#### Summer reading

One of the best ways to encourage conversation in small groups is by reading a book together. Grace has offered fall and spring book groups on Zoom, and now we have two summer options before us. Let's read and reflect together and see where the Spirit takes us!



**Thursday group: Prayer: Does It Make Any Difference?** by Philip Yancey. 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7 p.m. on Zoom - June 9 and 23, July 14 and 28, August 11 and 25. The book has five major sections with a few chapters in each: Keeping Company with God, Unraveling the Mysteries, The Language of Prayer, Prayer Dilemmas, and The Practice of Prayer.

**Sunday group: Inspired,** by Rachel Held Evans. Monthly on Sundays on Zoom at 7 p.m., June 26, July 31, August 28 and Sept. 18. "If the Bible isn't a science book or an instruction manual, then what is it? What do people mean when they say the Bible is inspired? When Rachel Held Evans found herself asking these questions, she began a quest to better understand what the Bible is and how it is meant to be read." (description from Amazon.com)

Please be in touch with Pastor Raabe to let her know which appeals to you, and she'll make sure you have what you need to get started. Invite your friends!

#### Our summer worship schedule

We have returned to one service at 9:15 a.m. In the June Parish News you will find a survey, which has also been emailed to all Grace members, seeking input about whether to make this schedule permanent for 2022. Please let us know your thoughts.

#### Mid-Week Worship

Join Pastor Raabe on our Facebook page Monday at 9pm for a quiet service of Night Prayer (Compline).

#### VBS is on! Join the Food Truck Party!

With Little Zion Lutheran Church and two other area congregations, Grace is co-hosting a joint VBS at Little Zion, 267 Morwood Rd. in Telford, on August 1-



**4 from 9 am-12 pm on the theme of "Food Truck Party."** Based on the verse from the Lord's Prayer, "Give us this day our daily bread," this will be a fun and lively experience for all ages. The link to register is coming soon. Please join Pastor Raabe in representing Grace in this wonderful opportunity to collaborate and show that we are **stronger together!**

#### GRACE FAITH BUILD DAY: Sign up now in the narthex!

Grace Lutheran Day at the Faith Build site is **June 25** from 9 am-1 pm. We need to fill all 12 spots and only two are taken so far. No experience needed! You'll learn a lot plus have the joy of knowing that you helped build the home for new residents of our community.



#### 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).



06/03 - **William Shaffer**

175 Bradford Lane, Lansdale 19446

06/17 - **Helen Godshall**

1745 Maple Ave., Hatfield 19440

06/20 - **Irene Krohnemann**

2415 Brittany Point, Lansdale 19446

**New Organ** - Your Grace staff has decided to move the celebration of our new organ to the fall. This Sunday, immediately following worship, Kevin would like to demonstrate some of our organ's newest features and capabilities. If you're interested in watching and listening to a demonstration, plan to gather around the organ after the postlude. Kevin will make this interesting for all ages and interest levels, so please stick around and see what makes our organ unique. Kevin will bring along some real organ pipes to compare to our "virtual pipe organ".

**This Week at Grace**

<b>Sunday, June 5</b> 9:15 am	<b>Pentecost</b> Worship/Communion
<b>Monday – Friday</b> 7:00 am – 5:30 pm	Stepping Stones Day Care
<b>Tuesday, June 7</b> 8:00 am – 7:00 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Bread Drop Sandwiches Stitchers Property Team Meeting
<b>Wed., June 8</b> 6:15 pm 7:30 pm	Yoga Worship & Music Team Mtg.
<b>Saturday, June 11</b> 4:00 pm	Lutheran Night at the Phillies
<b>Sunday, June 12</b> 9:15 am	<b>Holy Trinity</b> Worship/Communion

**Seventh Sunday of Easter, 5/29/22**

**Attendance:** 9:15 am-27

**Online attendance,** all services, week ending 5/29: 612

**General Fund - \$702 Mortgage - \$55**

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**Serving Schedule for Worship**  
**Day of Pentecost, June 5, 2022**

Lector: Beth Krout  
Ushers: Beth & Jeff Krout  
Communion Assistant: Kathy Stawasz  
Altar Guild: Kay Stone & Emily Woltmann  
Acolyte: Elijah Krout  
Video Team: Harold Schaefer, Dan & Tami Sarm  
Coffee Hour: Diane Ball

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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, sign up with Pastor Raabe for an automatic bank transfer, text a gift to 844.613.0815, or scan this QR code now.



**SPONSORS** needed for June:

Flowers: 6/12 (1) and 6/19 (2)  
Bulletin: 6/12 and 6/19 and 6/26  
Eternal Light Candle: 6/12

If you are interested in sponsoring, please call the office at 215.855.4676, sign up sheets are in the Narthex, or email Lynn at [graceassistant40@gmail.com](mailto:graceassistant40@gmail.com). Thank you!

**Lutheran Night at the Phillies** is Saturday, June 11 at the 4 p.m. game. Order tickets at [www.phillies.com/lutheran](http://www.phillies.com/lutheran) with the password LUTHERAN. A portion of every ticket sold supports our Synod's youth programs.

**Food Ministries: Sources of Food**

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

**Latest Food Needs:** olives - green or black, flour, sugar, coffee - instant or ground, lasagna noodles, cold cereal (No Cheerios), mayonnaise, ketchup, salad dressing

**Items needed that clients can NOT purchase with SNAP (formerly "food stamps"):** hair conditioner, laundry detergent, men's & women's shaving cream, body wash, zip-top bags: quart

**Upcoming distribution dates & times:**

Tuesdays 5:30 - 6:30 pm : June 7 and 21  
Tuesdays 1 - 2 pm: June 14 and 28  
Messages for Janet Hague can be left at 215-855-2540 or call/email Carol MacDonald @215-872-0472.

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*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), 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), 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), William Reilly (Bob Reilly's brother).

**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 (friend 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

**YOGA** continues here at Grace every Wednesday through June 29 from 6:15-7:15 pm. The cost is \$5 per class; proceeds go to support Sanctuary Village. We are outside in the parking lot, weather permitting. Join us for these last few weeks of stretching, breathing, and learn new moves you didn't know your body could do. All are welcome; contact Kathy Stawasz at 215-760-6297 for more information.