

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF June 30, 2019**

SUN	8:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service
	10:00 AM	Contemporary Worship
MON	6:30 PM	Boy Scout Troop 153
TUES	9:00 AM	Sewing Circle
WED	No Events Planned	
THUR	Independence Day-Church Office Closed Fireworks Parking Fundraiser	
FRI	No Events Planned	
SAT	5:00 PM	Worship

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE- Our summer worship schedule started and will continue through the beginning of September. The 10:45 a.m. contemporary service moved to 10:00 a.m., and the outdoor services will be held the 3rd Sunday of the month running June thru August at the 10:00 AM services. Then on September 8th the contemporary services will move back to 10:45 a.m.

LUTHERAN DISASTER RELIEF FUND- As we see the flooding in the U.S. and cyclones and floods abroad, we can always be supportive of the relief effort through the Lutheran Disaster Relief Fund. If you feel led to help with these efforts please send contributions to "Lutheran Disaster Response" and mail to: Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, P.O. Box 1809 Merrifield, VA 22116-8009. You can go to the ELCA web site and make a contribution also.

SAVE THE DATE-

Staff Meeting- JUL 10
Sewing Circle- JUL 16
Staff Meeting- JUL 17
Kitchen Clean Up- JUL 18
DAP/Council- JUL 18
Soup Making- JUL 20
Senior Lunch- JUL 23
Staff Meeting- JUL 24
BSA Patrol Leaders Conf.- JUL 25
Staff Meeting- JUL 31
DAP- AUG 1
Sewing Circle- AUG 6
All Committee Meeting- AUG 6
Staff Meeting- AUG 7

Boy Scout Round Table- AUG 8
Staff Meeting- AUG 14
DAP/ Council- AUG 15
Faith Circle- AUG 19
Sewing Circle- AUG 20
WACM Fundraiser- AUG 25
Senior Lunch- AUG 27
Labor Day/ Office Closed- SEP 2
Sewing Circle- SEP 3
All Committee Meetings- SEP 3
DAP- SEP 5
God's Work Our Hands- SEP 8
Return to Fall Worship Times- SEP 8

DAY ONE SUBMISSIONS: Deadline is this Tuesday for next weekend's Day One. Email requests to tbaier@gracewoodstock.org

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Third Sunday After Pentecost

Take Day One home and stay connected to Grace all week long!
TODAY IN WORSHIP- We have no good apart from God. That makes our Lord's call to follow him an invitation to freedom. This is freedom to revel in the Spirit's fruits: love, joy, peace, patience, and the like. This is the path of life.

WELCOME TO GRACE! - If you are a guest with us today, we welcome you and ask you to please sign Grace's red friendship folder during the service and stop by the Information Center for a gift from us. Please join us again and get to know us better.

4th OF JULY PARKING- Are you going to Emricson Park on the 4th of July to watch the fireworks? If you are, please consider parking at Grace. Our church High School Youth Group will be selling parking spots to help fund their Summer Trips. Please help us spread the word to others that this parking service is offered.

JOB OPPORTUNITY HERE AT GRACE- We are currently looking for applicants for the position of *Director of Educational Ministries*. Please give prayerful consideration to this position and if interested you may contact the church office for a job description. If you have any questions, please direct these to Pastor Ken or Pastor Amanda. We thank Melissa McMahon for her service and dedication in this position.

VBS DELAYED FOR ONE YEAR- Due to unforeseen circumstances we will not be able to offer Vacation Bible School here at Grace this summer. Please note this is not what many of us would like to see happen, but at this time it is not feasible to make our effort what we need to make sure we have a successful event. VBS is intended to be in place again in the summer of next year. If you have questions please contact the Pastors for discussion. Thank you.

ADULT FELLOWSHIP OUTING- July 20. The deadline to sign up and pay for this dinner theater event is June 30. A complete list of paid reservations will be in the Activity Binder. Those attending, please plan to arrive between 6:00pm and 6:15pm at the Ridgefield-Crystal Lake Presbyterian Church, 8505 Church St. in Ridgefield. Just tell them you are with the Grace Lutheran Church group and be seated. Questions, call Shirley Busse at 815-338-9063.

ANNUAL KITCHEN CLEANING- Our annual kitchen cleaning and organizational day will be July 18 at 9:00 A.M. Please join us to keep our very busy kitchen clean and organized. Shirley Busse is the contact person.

LIBRARY NEWS - Grace Library has recently received several books that are now on display on the wooden book rack - stop by and check them out!



Day One — Grace for the first day of your week.

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HELP WITH OUTDOOR SERVICES– We are in need of helpers to set up and take down the outdoor summer services. Both 8:30 a.m. & 10 a.m. attendees are needed.
When: Outdoor Sundays - July 21, August 18, Sept. 15
Who: TWO CREWS - "8:30 People" from 7:45- 8:15 am to load equipment and set up in the worship area. "10 am People" the outdoor service to take down equipment, load and help reset it in the sanctuary (about a 20 minute job). Talk to a pastor, Sue Olsen, or email rfredriksen @ gracewoodstock.org.

PRESCHOOL UPDATES– We are please to announce the addition of our NEW director, Dawn Domanus. Dawn has Bachelors Degree in Early Childhood Education and Lutheran Teacher Colloquy. Dawn has taught preschool thru 2nd Grade and was a Preschool director in AZ. She has 2 children, a son in the Marine Corps and a 17 year old daughter. We welcome Dawn and are looking forward to a fabulous year.

SEWING CIRCLE– Grace’s Sewing Circle has given 91 quilts to Lutheran World Relief so far this year. The sewing ladies are once again in need of sheets, material, yarn, batting/filler, and blankets for their projects. Finished items go to area nursing homes and quilts go to LWR . A drop off bin is located under the upstairs coat rack. Thank you for giving what you are able.

SENIOR LUNCHEON- – July 23 – We start our summer meal off with an assorted platter of cheese and crackers followed by an impressive looking layered chicken salad served with croissants and a melon platter. For dessert we have a strawberry banana split cake. Cool off with iced tea and lemonade. Just for fun we will play Bingo and there will be some fabulous prizes . Cost is only \$5, so bring a friend! Sign up in the Activity Binder by July 21 Questions, call Shirley Busse at 815-338-9063.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES- Scholarships are available through the Endowment Committee for Grace members attending a Lutheran institution of higher education and/or pursuing a full-time Christian vocation. See the Grace website for an application form. Applications are due in the church office by July 1st. If your institution offers a scholarship matching program, please include that information with your application.

WACM FUNDRAISER- WACM will be hosting a fundraiser on Sunday, August 25 at 7:00 P.M. to help the Direct Assistance Program, DAP. Charles Troy will present "Charles Troy's Creation of King and I" at Grace. The tickets will be \$15 per person and include the presentation, a question and answer session, and some light refreshments. Please join us for this fun learning experience and help DAP at the same time.

SOUP MINISTRY- Our Soup Ministry has been successful! Shirley Busse & Denise Klabunde will be making soup for this ministry on July 20, 2019 at 9:00 AM. If anyone is interested in joining on the 20th, please call Shirley Busse at 815-338-9063. The cooking will take place in the church kitchen.

PRAYERS-Please lift up these petitions in your prayers— To become a praying member of the Friends in Prayer, please submit name and e-mail address to dklabunde@gracewoodstock.org.

World: Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, churchwide staff & their families, Bishop Jeff Clements, synod staff & their families, those serving in military conflicts, Arusha Town Lutheran Parish in Tanzania (our companion parish), Scott Bunch serving in the military.

Woodstock: Pastor Ken Gibson & his family; Pastor Amanda Bergstrom & her family; Grace Staff; Grace Council

Health Concerns: Rev. Jim Berg (friend of Marlene Botts), Shirley Berna, Lois Bloese, Angela Boe (friend of Hanlin Family), Mary Sue Boerner (friend of Paul Lockwood & Diane Baker-Lockwood), Sheila Boggess (friend of Kathy Stone), Frank Bunch, Judy Button (friend of Martha Fleck), Myron Callihan (brother of Susan Payton), Allison Clark (niece of Martha & Bill Fleck), Dot Clark (mother of Martha Fleck), Jim Davis, Nancy Davis, Patrice Dunn, Robert Giron (brother of Patty Kozlow), Tom Goggin, Becca Guenther (niece of Gretchen & Claude Hutchens), Tamasa Gutierrez (mother of Patty Kozlow), Jace Hanlin, Sue Hanson-Smith (friend of Barb Aavang), Liz Henniges (wife of Al Henniges), Baby Jaxson L. (friend of the Wedoff family), Steve Kosmen (loved one of the Koehn family), Elayna Kuipers (friend of the Wedoff Family), Anna Larsen (sister of Al Henniges), Wilma Malinasky (mother of Janice Laird), Amanda McNally (grandniece of Diane Baker-Lockwood), Karen Millman, Tammy Millman (daughter of Karen Millman), Kem Moran (friend of Barb Aavang), Donna Neubaum, Carol O'Brien (sister of Bill Larsen), Gloria Ogle, Andrea Paetsch (aunt of Debbi Lynd), Linda Page (friend of Joe Evanoff), Steve Potts (friend of Pastor Ken), Bruce Randolph (husband of Ila Randolph), Carol Rank, Shawn Rank (son of Carol Rank), Sheila Readel, Herb & Bev Renner (brother & sister in law of Ken & Gladys Renner), Dora Reyes, Jessie & Sue Robertson (friends of Ron, Mary & Kimberly Koehn), Nicholas Ruffino (brother of Nathan Ruffino), Joan Russell (mother of Sheri Conover), Orion Samuelson, Vern Sarbaugh, Colton Sciluffo (infant son of a friend of Joy Oberman), Bill Seger, Eleanor Setser, Betty Sorensen, Orion Stine (friend's grandson of Kathy Stone), Elsie Stoddard, Ginny Stroh (mother of Fay Wilson), Doris Sunday, Dave Sundby (brother-in-law of Deborrah Evanoff), Samuel Sweeney (nephew of Melissa McMahan), Josh Tillman, Brian Tobin (grandson of Enn Teetsov), Bev Visconti, Gino Visconti, Bud Winter, Ruth Zirves

Sorrow: Lois Meiners (mother of Matt Meiners)

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE	
Monday:	Leviticus 9:22—10:11
Tuesday:	2 Kings 1:1-16
Wednesday:	Luke 9: 1-27
Thursday:	Deuteronomy 32:15-27, 39-43
Friday:	Galatians 4:8-20
Saturday:	Psalms 140
Sunday :	Isaiah 66:10-14, Psalm 66:1-9, Galatians 6:7-16, Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

OUR WORSHIP LAST WEEK	
SATURDAY	5:00 P.M. 40
SUNDAY	8:30 A.M. 124
	10:45 A.M. 37
WEEK TOTAL	201

Received for Budget	
Offering	\$ 4,614.00
E- Giving	\$ 988.00
Week Total	\$ 5,602.00