

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF October 6, 2019**

SUN	8:30 AM	Traditional Worship Service
	9:45 AM	Family Book Club
	9:45 AM	Sunday School
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	10:45 AM	Contemporary Worship
	5:15 PM	Youthful Spirit & Laudate
	6:15 PM	Graceful Ringers
MON	9:00 AM	Preschool 3, 4, & 5 year olds
	6:30 PM	Boy Scout Troop 153—Court of Honor
TUES	9:00 AM	Preschool 2, 4, & 5 year olds
	1:00 PM	Afternoon Bible Study
WED	9:00 AM	Preschool 3, 4 & 5 year olds
	12:30 PM	Staff Meeting
NO PRIMETIME		
THUR	7:00 PM	Chancel Choir
	9:00 AM	Preschool 2, 4, & 5 year olds
FRI	6:30 PM	BSA Roundtable
	9:00 AM	Preschool 3, 4, & 5 year olds
SAT	5:00 PM	Girl Scouts
	9:00 AM	Band
	5:00 PM	Worship

LARGE PRINT SERVICE FOLDERS are available at the Information Center, and HEARING ASSISTANCE UNITS are available at the Sound Booth.

SOUP MINISTRY – We have some new homemade soup varieties! Quart and Pint size containers are available in the Parlor refrigerator/freezer. Please help yourself and take one to a shut in or someone who had been ill.

SAVE THE DATE–

- Boy Scouts Court of Honor- OCT 7
- Afternoon Bible Study- OCT 8
- No PrimeTime- OCT 9
- BSA Roundtable- OCT 10
- Columbus Day/Office Closed- OCT 14
- Sewing Circle- OCT 15
- Afternoon Bible Study- OCT 15
- DAP/Council- OCT 17
- Fall Clean Up- OCT 19
- Commitment Weekend—OCT 19 & 20
- Faith Circle- OCT 21
- 80 and Up Worship/Lunch- OCT 22
- Afternoon Bible Study– OCT 22
- College Planning Workshop - OCT 22

- Albums of Hope- OCT 26
- Rite of Confirmation- OCT 26
- Blood Pressure Checks– OCT 27
- Grace/Resur. Youth Lunch-OCT 27
- Afternoon Bible Study- OCT 29
- Confirmat./Richardson's Farm– NOV 1
- Sewing Circle– NOV 5
- Afternoon Bible Study– NOV 5
- Office Closed Veteran's Day– NOV 11
- Faith Circle– NOV 18
- Piefest– NOV 27
- Women's Health Event- DEC 1
- Christmas Parade– DEC 1
- Women's Outdoor Adventure- APR 25

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

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8:30 am–12:00 pm, F
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Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost

*Take Day One home and stay connected to Grace all week long!
TODAY IN WORSHIP– A little faith goes a long way is our Lord's point in the gospel. A mustard seed's-worth has miraculous potential. The patience, tenacity, and endurance required for the life of faith are the blessings received in water and the word (holy baptism), bread and wine (holy communion), the word read and proclaimed in this assembly. Anticipate them. Receive them with thanksgiving.*

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.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY - Lifetouch will be photographing all our households at Grace for a new directory.

Dates/Times: Monday and Tuesday, November 25 & 26 – 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Thursday and Friday, December 5 & 6 – 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturday, December 7 – 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

To reserve your photography time slot please sign up online via our website: gracewoodstock.org or stop by or call the office at 815-338-0554 during office hours.

Each household receives one free standard 8 X 10 print and a free directory for participating.

NO PRIMETIME THIS WEEK- This Wednesday, October 9, there will be no PrimeTime meal, chimes & children's choir rehearsals, or confirmation class. Chancel Choir will meet as scheduled. See you October 16 for regular Wednesday evening programs.

RITE OF CONFIRMATION- Rite of Confirmation will be on October 26 at the 5:00 service. This is a special service for our youth that have finished our confirmation program. At this affirmation of baptism, our youth will be asked to make the promises for themselves that their families and congregations made to them at their baptisms.



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

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WELCOME CENTER HOST- There is a need for the 2nd Sunday of the month before the 8:30 A.m. service for a welcome center host. Substitutes are always needed and welcome as well. If you are interested in spreading the Grace, please contact Janette Hess at rdbj210@gmail.com or the church office.

ALTAR GUILD – Grace is in need of a team of 3 or 4 people to join our Altar Guild. Being a part of the Altar Guild, you would help set the altar for worship services. This includes some of the following: communion stations, candles and special services such as funerals, weddings and baptisms. Your group would be signed up for approximately 3 months per year. If you can help with this ministry or have any further questions, please give Denise Klabunde, in the office, or call; 815-338-0554.

FAMILY BOOK CLUB- Mark your calendars and join us for a book club for parents of all ages! Sabbath in the Suburbs by Maryann McKibben Dana is a perfect read for busy families. This is a story of a family's quest to seek a faithful balance while dealing with the endless demands placed on families today. This book club began on September 22nd and will meet in the gym from 9:45-10:30 during Sunday School each week. Books are available in the church office for \$17.

FALL CLEAN UP DATE– Mark your calendar for October 19 for fall clean up. We are a little earlier this year because we want to get to all those leaves! Please join us at 8:00 a.m. to do outside and inside work. Inside we will be working on the lower level painting of the door frames and outside will be yard work. Our rain date will be the following Saturday, October 26.

ADULT FORUM WITH JUDY ROONEY- Please join Judy Rooney for an Adult Forum on October 27 at 9:40 a.m. in Luther Hall. We will be exploring what it means to be prayerful. This discussion will be based on the book, 'The Only Necessary Thing: Living a Prayerful Life'. Excerpts are taken from well known contemporary spiritual writer, Henri Nouwen. Hope to see you then.

PRESCHOOL FUNDRAISER– Grace Preschool is hosting a Yankee Candle Fundraiser. Catalogs and order forms are on the table next to the Welcome Desk and are due back to the Preschool by October 18th. There are some great fall, winter and Christmas items offered and are not just limited to candles! Orders will be delivered before Christmas. Online ordering is also an option. If ordering online, the deadline for online submissions is January 8th. If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact Dawn Domanus in the Preschool office or at ddomanus@gracewoodstock.org.

COFFEE MINISTRY- Coffee Ministry will start providing coffee, lemonade, and a treat weekly starting on Sunday, September 15th from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. The coffee ministry's goal is to continue fellowship between services and donations are needed to maintain this important fellowship event.

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), Dee Bohn, Frank Bunch, Myron Callihan (brother of Susan Payton), Allison Clark (niece of Martha & Bill Fleck), Jim Davis, Nancy Davis, Lori Dechant, 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), Amanda McNally (grandniece of Diane Baker-Lockwood), Karen Millman, Tammy Millman (daughter of Karen Millman), Kem Moran (friend of Barb Aavang), Carol O'Brien (sister of Bill Larsen), Gloria Ogle, Andrea Paetsch (aunt of Debbi Lynd), Linda Page (friend of Joe Evanoff), Bruce Randolph (husband of Ila Randolph), Carol Rank, Shawn Rank (son of Carol Rank), Sheila Readel, Jayne Reicher (great niece of Barb & Wayne Japp), Herb & Bev Renner (brother & sister in law of Ken & Gladys Renner), Jessie & Sue Robertson (friends of Ron, Mary & Kimberly Koehn), Nicholas Ruffino (brother of Nathan Ruffino), Joan Russell (mother of Sheri Conover), John Rust (Aavang family friend), Colton Sciluffo (infant son of a friend of Joy Oberman), Eleanor Setser, 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

Joy: Baptism of Emmett Cohen Caldwell (son of Kelsey & Ben Caldwell)

THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE

Monday: 2 Kings 18:1-8, 28-36
Tuesday: 2 Kings 19:8-20, 35-37
Wednesday: Matthew 20:29-34
Thursday: Isaiah 7:1-9
Friday: Revelation 2:12-29
Saturday: Psalm 3
Sunday: 2 Kings 5:1-3, 7-15c, Psalm 111, 2 Timothy 2:8-15, Luke 17:11-19

OUR WORSHIP LAST WEEK

SATURDAY 5:00 P.M. 37
SUNDAY 8:30 A.M. 169
10:45 A.M. 51
WEEK TOTAL 257

Received for Budget

Offering \$ 8,302.00
E- Giving \$ 1,228.00
Week Total \$ 9,530.00