

Adult Sunday School Classes at 11 am Today

Bible 101 – “Be Encouraged” – led by Dave Harjala — Room #206
Hot Topic – A Peek into the Apocrypha -- led by Chuck Christiansen – Room #203

**Annual Grace Christmas Brunch -- Today from 9:00-10:30 am
in the Family Life Center. Everyone is welcome!**

Menu for Wednesday, December 13

Lunch (after 12 noon service)

Ham & cheese sandwiches, chips & cookies

Supper – Beginning at 5:15 pm

Ham, scalloped potatoes, salad, cranberry nut bread with cream cheese

\$4 per adult, \$2 per child, \$10 per family maximum



**High School Youth...This Friday night, December 15 we will have a lock in here at church
7 pm Friday night – 7 am Saturday morning with a hot breakfast at 6 am.
Christmas themed all night party with games, baking cookies, white elephant gift exchange,
etc. You don't want to miss the fun! Questions? Contact Lauren Phillips.**



The Graceland Express Sunday School Christmas Program

Next Sunday, December 17 at 5 pm in the Family Life Center

Don't miss this musical Christmas program featuring the talented children at Grace (as well as a few surprise guests!) The Graceland Express is a mashup of some popular Christmas movies and songs all while explaining the true meaning of Christmas.

**Thank you Grace! 269 Operation Christmas Child shoebox gifts were brought
to the church and will be taken to North Carolina for distribution.
That is 80 more than last year!!**



**Band of Brothers...Tomorrow evening, Monday, December 11 at 7pm
Men...Come enjoy fried chicken, mac & cheese and pie along with
fellowship with your brothers here at Grace.**

Weekly Advent Worship Services.

12 noon worship with childcare and a light lunch follows (freewill offering).

There is also a 6:30 pm worship service.

Supper is before the service and begins at 5:15 pm



Christmas Worship Schedule

Sunday, December 24

10 am – Worship Service in Sanctuary with Holy Communion

**Christmas Eve Worship -- 4 pm and 7 pm
11 pm with Holy Communion**

Sunday, December 31

8 am, 9:30 am and 11 am – Regular Worship Services



Caroling at Arbor Terrace – This Friday, December 15

Please join our “Assist” Team as we share our Christmas music celebration with the residents. The fun starts at 6 pm on the 1st floor and continues at 7 pm on the 3rd floor. If you have any question, please call or text Penny Perry at 865-309-2862. Hope to see you there!

Parade of Tables – Saturday, March 3, 2018

Parade of Tables is a luncheon for women. The hostesses decorate their table to a theme. This year the theme is: “Your Dream Vacation Destination”. All proceeds from the sale of tickets goes to a charity chosen to benefit. This is a very popular event here at Grace and usually sells out. Mark your calendars now and start thinking of how you can decorate a table and be a hostess!

Grace Lutheran Parent's Day Out!

Who: Infants 13 months - pre-k

What: Tuition based pre-school sessions.

**Bible-based program for young children;
staffed with well-qualified teachers and aides.**

The love of Jesus shared in this safe and happy environment!

When: Wednesdays beginning January 10th 2018. 9 am - 1 pm

Where: The Children's Wing nursery and classrooms

Cost: Winter/Spring Session - \$100.00 Monthly plus

\$60.00 Registration/Supply Fee for January 10th-May 16th

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WELCOME TO GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Church Activities for This Week of December 10, 2017

Today	8:00am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:00am	Christmas Brunch, Family Life Center
	9:30am	Blended Worship Service, Sanctuary
	11:00am	Contemporary Worship Service, FLC
	11:00am	Adult Bible Studies
	12:30pm	Confirmation for 7 th & 8 th Grades
	12:30pm	Rings of Grace, Sanctuary
Monday	7:00pm	Band of Brothers, Family Life Center
Tuesday	6:30pm	Adult Choir, Sanctuary
Wednesday	9:00am	Parents Day Out
	12:00pm	Advent Worship, Sanctuary (with lunch to follow)
	5:00pm	JOY-full Noise Too Choir Rehearsal
	5:15pm	Supper begins, Family Life Center
	6:00pm	Joy-full Noise Choir Rehearsal
	6:30pm	Advent Worship Service, Sanctuary
	7:30pm	Prayer Team, Sanctuary
Thursday	7:00am	Mens Bible Study
	6:30pm	GraceNotes Handbell Choir, Sanctuary
	6:30pm	ESL, Fellowship Hall
Friday	9:00am	Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
	7:00pm	HS Lock in
Saturday	9:00am	Sunday School Christmas Program Rehearsal
Next Sunday	8:00am	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
	9:30am	Blended Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30am	Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies
	11:00am	Contemporary Worship Service with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00am	Adult Bible Studies
	12:30pm	Rings of Grace, Sanctuary
	5:00pm	Sunday School Christmas Program, Family Life Center

+++++Serving at Our Worship Services Today+++++

Elder:	8:00 am Traditional	9:30 am Blended
Worship Assistant:	Sam Jones	Craig Emerson
Altar:	Jim Stoddard	Steve Peterson
Reader:	Carol Herbold and Mary Schultz.....	
Acolyte:	Kevin King	Kristin Kennedy
Greeters:	Nick Cook	Zoe Butler
Ushers:	Cheryl Herbold, Mary Schultz	Beverly Miller
	Mike Zurakowski, Don Mings	Bob Miller

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With glad rejoicing we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 9:30 am service today for Parker Levi Bevins. Parker is the son of Van and Ashley Bevins. He was born February 10, 2017. Parker's godmother is Brandie Maston. Welcome to the family of God here at Grace, Parker!