Directory Pictures Begin This Week

Thanks to all of the families that signed up for appointments to get a photo taken for the new directory. You should receive a phone call reminder from the company prior to your appointments. Please make sure you are here on time and have practiced your naturally beautiful smiles!

If you missed the sign up sheets, but still want **to make an appointment, please call Re:member at 866-557-2253** and they will help you find in an available appointment during the first 2 weeks of April when they are here taking photos. Don't forget that all families that get a photo taken will receive a free 8x10 and a free directory!

Updated Information Needed for Directory

Included in the new pictorial directory will be contact information for our families. If you have a new address or phone number, please contact the church office so we can make sure we have accurate information. You can call the office at 691-2823 or email <u>Linda@visitgrace.org</u>.

Also, have we missed your birthday or anniversary? If so, please give us those dates as well. We like to celebrate with you!

Seasoned Adults - Tuesday, April 3 at 11:30 AM

Our featured speaker is Dr. Jerome Grant, Professor of Entomology. His program should be of great interest to **everyone**: Good Bugs, Bad Bugs, and the Bugly. Find out what is eating your plants. Discover the benefits we derive from our insect world. A catered lunch (\$7.00/person) and the program are in the Family Life Center. Please let Freia Micha, Linda Sturk, or Dot Ryan know you plan to attend. You do not need to be a "Seasoned Adult" to attend. Deadline for reservations is April 1.

Holy Smokers – Monday, April 9 at 7 pm

Guys...it's time to meet and talk about what we can do here at Grace. If you are new to Grace, we'd love to have you join us. If you need more information, please contact Bruce Collet.

Prayer Shawl Ministry will not meet tomorrow. We will meet next Monday, April 9 at 10 am in the lobby of the Family Life Center. If you do not knit or crochet, join us – we'll teach you!

Knox Area Handbell Festival Concert – This Saturday at 4 pm Everyone is invited to hear this multi bell choir concert in the Family Life Center.

Birthdays this week...4/1 Chloe Corner (14), Elise Murphy (18); 4/2 Linley Moore (3) Jace Wisdom (5); 4/3 Greg Nichols; 4/4 Sam Jones; 4/5 Leona King, Doug Kothe, Mike Masters, Kristen Theilmann (16); 4/7 Jane Jones, Rachel Murphy

Anniversaries this week...4/1 Bob & Betsy Luther (17)

Ladies...The East Tennessee Zone LWML Christian Life workshop will be here at Grace Saturday, April 14 from 8:30am – 2 pm

Our theme: "Celebrate! You are a Promise!"

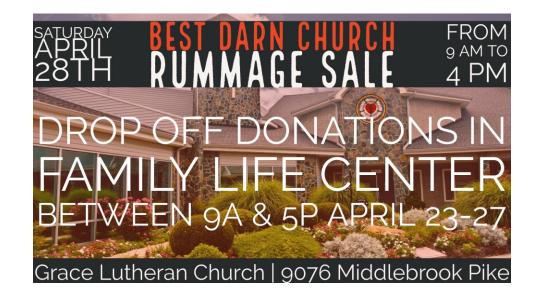
Make your plans to join us now. Questions? Please contact Sandie Harjala!

Names and ages of the children needing child care during the workshop need to be to Sandie by Sunday, April 8. Ladies...if you are planning on attending, please contact Sandie so the correct amount of food for lunch will be ordered. Thank you and I look forward to seeing you at this great event for sisters in Christ.

Exploring Spiritual Gifts

Led by Traci Roth, Grace's Connection Director (troth@visitgrace.org)
When: Wednesdays, 6:30-7:30pm, April 4, 11, 18, 25, May 2, 9, 16, 23
Location: Grace classroom - room 113 of the Family Life Center (Free childcare available)

Ever wondered about your spiritual gifts and how God uses them along with your personality? We are all intentionally created by God to love and serve him, as well as others in this world. How we accomplish this, will look different from person to person. Knowing your spiritual gifts, personality and leadership styles can help you better understand God's plan for you. This 8-week class will walk you through the different gifts and styles, what they mean, and how they can be applied in your daily life.



Menu for Wednesday, April 4 – Beginning at 5:15 pm Chicken tetrazzini, garlic bread, salad & dessert Adults \$4, Children \$2 – Maximum per family \$10

Today's Sunday School theme: Give to God

Verse: "Jesus Christ is Lord" Philippians 2:11

Talk to a child today and share this verse with them!

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

8:00 am Traditional 9:30 am Blended
Elder: Larry Albers Jack McGee
Acolyte: Trent Pyles Cate Turner
Greeters: Cheryl Herbold, Gail Kurtz Kristin McGee
Ushers: Allen Schultz, Byron Mahan, Larry Albers Tom Theilmann

Church Staff Email Addresses can now be found on the Grace website: www.visitgrace.org



WELCOME TO GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Church Activities for This Week of April 1, 2018

Today	8:00am	Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
	9:00am	Easter Brunch
	9:30am	Blended Worship Service, Sanctuary
	11:00am	Contemporary Worship Service, FLC
Monday	Church C	Office Closed
,	9:30am	MOPS, Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	11:30am	Seasoned Adults, Family Life Center
,	6:30pm	Adult Inquiry Class, Fellowship Hall
	6:30pm	Adult Choir, Choir Room
Wednesday	9:00am	Parents Day Out
•	9:30am	Women's Beth Moore Bible Study
	5:00pm	JOY-Full 2 Choir
	5:15pm	Supper begins, Family Life Center
	6:00pm	JOY-Full Choir
	6:30pm	Bible Study, Sanctuary
	6:30pm	Youth Groups & JOY Groups
	7:30pm	Prayer Team, Sanctuary
Thursday	7:00am	Mens Bible Study
	6:30pm	GraceNotes, Sanctuary Balcony
	6:30pm	ESL, Fellowship Hall
Friday	9:00am	Womens Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
Saturday	4:00pm	Handbell Concert, Family Life Center
Sunday	8:00am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30am	Blended Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30am	Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies
	11:00am	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00am	Adult Bible Studies
	11:00am	Rings of Grace, Sanctuary Balcony
	12:30pm	Confirmation Class for 7 th & 8 th Grades