### Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 am Today

Harvey Booher -- "Gospel as Reveled in the Old Testament" -- FLC Lobby Young Adults – Brian Kaul – Room 206 Joel Roettger – Book of Mark – FLC Classroom 113 Mark Anderson – Augsburg Confession -- FLC 111 Women Seeking Wisdom -- Reading the New Testament - FLC Classroom 114 Guys in the Garage – 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Peter – FLC Classroom 115 Middle School & Senior High — Youth Room Sunday School Classes at 11 am Today

> Bible 101 – Nehemiah 1 – Dave Harjala — Room #206 Hot Topic – Hebrews -- led by Chuck Christiansen – Rm #203

Today's Sunday School theme: God Gives Us the Holy Spirit Verse: "The Holy Spirit will teach you" Adapted from John 14:26 Talk to a child today and share this verse with them!

## Last Week to Contribute to the MOPS Diaper Drive Our MOPS Moms are collecting diapers in all sizes and brands for Susannah's House

Susannah's House is an Intensive Outpatient Recovery Program for mothers in recovery. They provide an environment for individuals and families to achieve sobriety, enhance mother and child relationships, and build better life skills while promoting spiritual growth. They believe destructive cycles can be broken and want to serve women who have the desire and commitment to change. Susannah's House is staffed with professionals in recovery and social services fields and is supported by volunteers from the Knoxville community. It is a faith-based ministry operating as an independent not-for-profit organization with the support of the community.

Summer Parents Day Out – Wednesdays in June and July Dates: June 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, & 27<sup>th</sup>, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, & 25<sup>th</sup>. There is no PDO the week of July 4<sup>th</sup>. Summer rates are \$20.00 registration/supply fee and \$175.00 for the entire summer. It is open to children ages 13 months - pre-k. Please contact the Childrens Ministries Office to sign up. Parents: This fall our Parents Day Out Program will be open to children 13 weeks – PreK.

Birthdays this week...5/27 Paul Bretscher, Dana Fulkerson, Susan Lewis, Steve Peterson; 5/28 Zachary Cook (18), Kimberly Fanning; 5/29 Dennis Laneman, Ashley Smith; 5/30 Kennedy Reed (1); 5/31 Mark Anderson, Marilyn Caddle, Rob Dusky, Mary Louise Evon, Brenda Krohnfeldt, Ryan Newport (5), Glen Wright. 6/1 Taylor Martin, Michael Newport

Anniversaries this week...5/27 David & Janice Ishee (46); 5/28 Aaron and Randee Schoenike (24); 5/29 Robin & Cheryl Carow (37), Brad & Samantha Hicks (6)

# Last Call...Annual "FISH" Tournament

We are into the last few days and we are WAAAAY behind the last few years. The final day to contribute is this Thursday, May 31 and the final count will be done on Friday morning. The score thus far is:

RABBIT FISH – Kindergarten through 5 <sup>th</sup> grade classes	105	
ALLIGATOR FISH – Junior High & Senior High Classes	16	
WOLF FISH – Pastoral/Harvey Booher Bible Class & Guys in the Garage	123	
BUFFALO FISH – Joel Roettger's & Mark Anderson's Bible Classes	556	
ELEPHANT FISH – Women Seeking Wisdom & Chuck Christiansen's Classes	47	
PORCUPINE FISH – Dave Harjalas's Bible Class & Young Adults	33	
	880	

This food is put into the bags we donate to FISH each month as well as though we give out through the office for those who are in need. Many people come to the church office asking for help in some way. They are always welcome to a bag of food so no one goes hungry.

If you prefer to donate money, each \$1 donated is equal to 2 food items.

## Register Now for Summer Camp – Saturday, July 21 - Friday, July 27

We still have registration is still open. You do not have to be a Grace member to attend camp. Maybe you know of a grandchild, friend or neighbor that would like to attend. Ask any previous camper – it's a great time!! You can register at visitgrace.org/summer camp. The cost is \$325.00. Scholarships are available. Email SummerCamp@visitgrace.org to inquire. Ages rising 3rd graderising 9<sup>th</sup> grade.

## Menu for Wednesday, May 30 Tangy broccoli pasta salad, rolls, fruit and dessert \$4 Adults, \$2 children, \$10 maximum per family

# Summer Sunday School -- Begins June 3<sup>rd</sup> and runs through August 5<sup>th</sup>

Classes will be divided up as follows:

Parents and twos class & 3 year olds – will go to the nursery

4 year olds – 1<sup>st</sup> grade – Class # 1

 $2^{nd}$  grade –  $4^{th}$  grade – Class # 2

Those finishing 5<sup>th</sup> grade will move up to the Middle school room.

Everyone else will move up to their new classes on Rally Day on Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup>.

We are asking for volunteers to help with Summer Sunday School...both parents and other adults willing to take just ONE Sunday. We have some dates filled but could use a few more volunteers. Email Frieda with what day you would like to serve. There are 2 teachers to every classroom and all curriculum and materials are provided for you. To sign up, please contact Frieda Guthrie, childrensmin@visitarace.ora.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR....COME JOIN THE FUN!!



# A Reminder from the Prayer Shawl Ministry

There are lovely prayer shawls available in the church narthex. These shawls have been made with care and are meant to be given in love. Feel free to choose any shawl and give to anyone free of charge. Cards are available to be given with the shawls to explain our ministry and the prayers they will be receiving. Simply fill out the registry and choose a shawl.

The Prayer Shawl ministry will not meet for the summer and will resume in September.

From Penny Perry...Once a year there is a musical recital called "Panda Keys and Friends" featuring my piano/voice students who are regular, disabled, behaviorally challenged or have Autism. Please join us this Saturday, June 2 at 6 pm in the lobby of the Family Life Center to watch these amazing people share their gifts! Questions? Please contact me at 309-2862.

#### +++++Serving at Our Worship Services Todav+++++

	8:00 am Traditional	9:30 am Blended
Elder:	Mark Anderson	Paul Pankow
Worship Assistant:	Jim Stoddard	Dave Harjala
Altar:	Cydne Albers and Helen Horlbeck	-
Reader:	Jim Stoddard	Carmita Wright
Acolyte:	Marcie Strickland	Dawson Daenzer
Greeters:	Peggy Harvey, Denise Hart	Cheryl Handler
Ushers:	Don Mings, Mike Zurakowski	Rick Buchanan

## 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 May 27, 2018

Today Monday Tuesday	8:00am 9:30am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary Blended Worship, Sanctuary Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies Contemporary Worship, FLC Adult Bible Studies Church Office Closed
Wednesday	5:15pm	Supper begins, Family Life Center
	6:30pm	Bible Study, Sanctuary
	7:30pm	Prayer Team, Sanctuary
	8:00pm	Wedding Rehearsal, Sanctuary
Thursday	7:00am	Mens Bible Study
	4:00pm	Wedding, Sanctuary
Friday	10:00am	Wedding Rehearsal, Sanctuary
Saturday	11:00am	Wedding, Sanctuary
	6:00pm	Piano Recital, FLC Lobby
Sunday	8:00am	Traditional Worship, 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

## With glad rejoicing we celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Baptism at the 9:30 am service for Thomas Ryan Cruise, Haven Elizabeth Cruise and Kylie Quinn Cruise. Haven and Kylie are the daughters of Tom and Ashley Cruise. Welcome to the family of God here at Grace. Tom. Haven and Kylie!

## From Pastor Rich...

It is with sadness, we let you know of the passing of our member Bob Ellis on Wednesday, May 23 at the age of 90. Bob attended the 9:30 service and had been a reader. His funeral will be in St. Louis. Our prayers are with Bob's family.

Paige Howe, daughter of Troy and Alexandria Howe, is joining the United States Navy and will be sworn into service this Tuesday, May 29. She will then head to training in Great Lakes, Illinois. We're proud of you Paige!