Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 am Today

Harvey Booher – "The Minor Prophets" – FLC Lobby Young Adults – Brian Kaul – FLC Classroom 112 Joel Roettger – Habakkuk – FLC Classroom 113 Mark Anderson – I & II Peter -- FLC Classroom 111 Women Seeking Wisdom – "Discipleship in an Instant Society" – FLC Classroom 114 Seeking Christ in College – Ied by Kyle Larson – FLC Classroom 115 Sunday School Classes at 11 am Today

Bible 101 – Matthew 21 – led by Dave Harjala – Room 206 Hot Topic – led by Phil Bohlken – Room 203

Today's Sunday School theme: Our hearts are what matters to God

"The Lord does not look at the things man looks at. Man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart." 1 Samuel 16:7

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

We are in need of child care workers, particularly for Sunday afternoons beginning in September. You must be 16 years of age to work in the nursery. Please contact Brenda Gaddis or Frieda Guthrie if you are interested.

Dinner for those Married 50+ Years – Friday, August 9

Invitations have been mailed to those who have been married for 50 years or more or were widowed after you reached this milestone in your marriage. If you are in this category and did not receive an invitation, please contact the church office. Don't forget to tell us "your song."

MOPS Info Coming Soon

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) will begin again on Monday, August 19th at 9:30 am. But there something is more...We are starting another group...MOPSnext!! This is for mothers whose children are now school age. You don't have to give up coming to MOPS just because your child is now in school! More info to come!

Birthdays this week...7/28 Reagan Haase (5), Chris McCay, Holly Mings, Byron Strickland, Colleen Vesser, Jeff Jaekel; 7/29 Holly Blankenship, Breanna Frizzell (16), LaTina Haynes, Paul Price; 7/30 Darlene Reinke, Cheryl Pipe, Laura Smithey, Amy Spradlin; 7/31 Matthew Dreke (5), Seth Huffaker; 8/1 Ted Haase, Seth Pettiford (5), Noah Schoenike; 8/2 Kitty Pruett; 8/3 Pastor Rich Elseroad, Donna Kennedy, Dave Smith

Anniversaries this week...7/30 Jon & Cathy Callies (25), Pastor Roger & Esther Reckling (53); 8/3 Mike & Penny Perry (45)

Rally Day – Sunday, August 11th

Our Sunday School theme for this upcoming year is: NO FEAR From Isaiah 41:10 "Do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed for I am your God."

Frieda Guthrie is looking to confirm the ages and grades of all of our children. If you would please email her at <u>childrensmin@visitgrace.org</u> with your child's name and age/grade, so we make sure we have accurate records.

Christmas in July for Operation Christmas Child -- July 25th to August 25th.

Anyone who brings in a filled shoebox will be eligible for a prize drawing at the end of the promotion. Collections will continue through December. Paul and Frieda Guthrie will then take them to the hub in Boone, North Carolina. Flyers with more information are in your church mailbox.

Beginning Monday, August 5th, Oak Grove Homeschool Cooperative will be using the classrooms in the Family Life Center, Monday to Fridays, from 8 am – 4:30 pm. They are leasing the space from us for the school term of 2019-2020.

Ladies...Join us for a Bedazzling Treasured weekend retreat -- September 27-29

What could be more precious than diamonds? You! "The Lord has chosen you to be a people for His treasured possession" (Deuteronomy 14:2). We are the precious, treasured possession of our heavenly Father, who sought us and claimed us as His own in Christ! Join us for a bedazzling Women's retreat getaway hosted by the Mid-South District LWML (Lutheran Women in Mission). We will walk in the light of God's Word together, enjoy fabulous food and tasty treats, and lift our voices in praise, all as we share encouragement, fellowship, and fun in Christ, the light of the world!

The East Tennessee LWML District retreat will be held at Eagle Rock Camp near Maryville. Registration begins 3:00 pm Friday. We will close with a service of praise on Sunday and leave at 10:00 am. The cost of the retreat is \$135 which includes 2 nights lodging, 2 dinners, 2 breakfasts and 1 lunch. You will need to bring your own linens; towels, wash cloths, sheets, blanket or sleeping bag, and toiletries. Please bring your Bible and comfortable shoes and clothes.

Mark your calendar now...invite your friends and register. Registration forms are on the LWML bulletin board near the mailboxes. Please include accessibility and/or dietary needs on the form. *The deadline is Sept. 1*. Email: <u>kathybohlken@comcast.net</u> for details and transportation. Scholarships are now available to reduce the Registration Fee by \$35, so everyone can attend and be "Treasured".

It is with sorrow that we tell you former member Chuck Christiansen went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, July 23. His daughter told us that he was not able to recover after his fall and subsequent surgery. A small family service will be held in Raleigh. She said that Pauline is doing well. If you would like to send Pauline a note or a card, the address is: 5112 Limewood Street, Knightdale, NC 27545. Our prayers are with the Christiansen family. Memorials may be directed to the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod Joint Seminary fund in St. Louis, Missouri.

Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University This Fall Beginning Sunday, September 8 - November 3 from 1-3 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Join Pastor Adam Woldt and his wife Laura for Biblically-based wisdom and encouragement for dumping debt, increasing savings, and strategies for insurance, investing and retirement planning. Purchase your FPU Membership Kit from us at the first class (\$93) and successfully complete the course to be eligible for a 100% Rebate! FREE Childcare available. Enroll online at: www.fpu.com/1093620 or contact Kristen Reinke at fpu@visitgrace.org with questions.

Wednesday Night Dinner Menu for July 31 Pork ribs, baked sweet potatoes, garlic cheese grits \$4 per adult, \$2 per child, \$10 maximum per family If you are 90 or over, dinner is free!!

IGNITING YOUR FAMILY LEGACY

1st in the 'Ignition Series' of workshops presented by Grace Stewardship Ministry Sunday, Sept. 15, 2019 12:30pm-2:30pm Family Life Center

What do you want your children and grandchildren to know about your core values, your purpose, your life lessons, traditions, and beliefs? It only takes 3 easy steps to write a **Living Legacy Letter** and then share it with your loved ones while you are alive. The **Living Legacy Letter** is a powerful way to convey your legacy story to every family and step-family member. It helps you to remember and even heal. It can be revised as your family grows, changes and as you continue to carry out your God-given purpose. Mark your calendar for **Igniting Your Family Legacy** workshop in which you will be provided all the tools you need to develop a **Living Legacy Letter**. **Sunday, Sept.15, 2019, 12:30pm-2:30pm. Family Life Center**. Appetizer to be served. A free-will donation of \$5 is suggested to go to Grace Nexgen Ministries. For questions and to RSVP contact Tony Beyer at TonyBeyer99@gmail.com

A family in our congregation is need of a car. If you have one that you wish to donate or sell at a reasonable price, please contact the church office at 865-691-2823 to be connected with the family.

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

	8:00 am Traditional	9:30 am Blended
Elder:	Paul Guthrie	Paul Pankow
Worship Assistant:	Larry Voorhees Dave Harjala	
Altar:	Cydne Albers and Helen Horlbeck	
Acolyte:	Thomas Holden	Ethan Hoppe
Reader:	Jim Stoddard	Erin Colbert
Greeters:	Erin Kragenbrink, Barbara Laneman	Stephanie Schoenfelder
Ushers:	Kevin Kragenbrink, Dennis Laneman	Anza Solomon



WELCOME TO GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Church Activities for This Week of July 28, 2019

Today	8:00am 9:30am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary Blended Worship, Sanctuary Children's Sunday School & Adult Bible Studies Contemporary Worship, FLC Adult Bible Studies
Monday		
Tuesday	11:00am	Staff Meeting
Wednesday	9:00am	Parents Day Out
	5:15pm	Supper begins
	6:30pm	Service of Healing with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	6:30pm	JOY Group, Youth Group
	7:30pm	Prayer Tree, Cry Room
Thursday	7:00am	Mens Bible Study
Friday	9:00am	Womens Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
	9:00am	Mens Bible Study, Don Delphi's Restaurant, Farragut
Saturday		
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 with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00am	Adult Bible Studies

Service of Healing at Grace -- This Wednesday, July 31 at 6:30 pm This service is for everyone -- for all those who are in need of physical, emotional and spiritual healing. If you would like, you can be anointed at this service.



Grace Retreat at Fontana Resort, North Carolina For all of Grace's family Friday, August 39 – Sunday, September 1st (Labor Day Weekend) Stop by the Information Desk today to find out more and to sign up from 9 am-12pm This year's speaker: Pastor Mark Eisold, Pelican Lutheran, Naples, Florida "How to Be a Heretic in a Pagan World" Last day to sign up and pay is Sunday, August 11th