

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 – Galatians – FLC Classroom 113

Mark Anderson -- Book of John -- FLC Classroom 111

Women Seeking Wisdom – “Discipleship in an Instant Society” – FLC Classroom 114

Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – “What is God’s Wisdom for Today’s Culture” – Room 206

Sunday School Classes at 11 am Today

Bible 101 – Lessons from the Book of Judges – led by Dave Harjala – Room 206

Hot Topic – led by Phil Bohlken – Room 203

Today’s Sunday School Theme: God helps us with our problems

“Cast all your anxiety on Him because He cares for you.”

1 Peter 5:7

Talk to child today and share this verse!

Important Meeting Here at Grace Next Sunday...

Sunday, December 1 -- Annual Voters Meeting to approve the 2020 Budget and also to approve the slate of officers for the 2020 Board of Directors. We will meet after the 11 am service in the Family Life Center. Please plan to attend this important meeting.

Ladies... Please mark your calendars for a "Chocolate Affaire" at Chris McCay's home on Saturday, December 7 from 2-4 pm. Meet at church at 1:30 to carpool and bring a “chocolate or savory” treat to share. We will pack our "White Christmas" gifts of T-shirts, briefs, and socks for the Agape Home in Fountain City. See the LWML "Laundry Basket Display" in the hallway or check with Kathy Bohlken at (360-771-2685) or kathybohlken@comcast.net for size info. Lots of white tube/athletic socks are still needed for these 22 men to fill the basket by December 7th.

Advent Worship Services begin Wednesday, December 4

Service at 12 noon (Lunch to follow if you'd like to stay)

Service at 6:30 pm (Dinner prior to service beginning at 5:15 pm)

Birthdays this week...11/24 David Haase; 11/26 Drew Baker, Carrie Fisher, Esther Kabela (7), Ethan Spradlin; 11/27 Oliver Anderson (3), Michael Perry, Emily Smith (18); 11/28 Chloe Callies (18), Nancy Dettmering, Hank Jones, Deb Wolfe; 11/29 Christian Guthrie (18), Jonathan Mees; 11/30 Mark Klemmer, Sydney Pettiford (1), Owen Scheibe (5)

Anniversaries this week...11/24 Randy & Donna Bueckman (29), Bob & Beverly Miller (38)

**This Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm is our Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service.
There is no dinner or youth activities this Wednesday night.**

Seasoned Adults – Tuesday, December 3 at 11:30 am

Topic: Secrets of Backyard Birds

Tennessee naturalist Stephen Lyn Bales tells us about what’s going on with our backyard birds. Hummingbirds, cardinals, wrens and the rest have very interesting lives. Bales is a native of Gatlinburg, former naturalist at Ijams Nature Center, and a regular writer for *The Tennessee Conservationist* and other magazines including *Smithsonian*. He is the author of three nature books: *Natural Histories*, *Ghost Birds*, and *Ephemeral by Nature*, all published by the University of Tennessee Press. AS A BONUS: Stephen will be bringing a feathered state ambassador with him. Bring your own lunch and a friend. And remember...you do not need to be a “seasoned” adult to attend.



Thank you Grace for all your help this past week with collection of the Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes. We are still collecting this afternoon and tomorrow.

The last day to bring your shoebox to Grace will be Sunday, December 8th. After that, Paul and Frieda Guthrie will then be taking the boxes to the distribution warehouse in North Carolina.



**RELIEVE THE WINTER DOLDRUMS
SAVE THE DATE FOR A FUN EVENING**

Next Generation Ministry presents:

Trivia Night Fundraiser

Friday, February 7th

at the Standard, downtown Knoxville

Watch for more info and sign ups!

AUDIO VISUAL people needed for all 3 services.

Contact Dale Henderson to learn more about what is involved.



Upcoming December Events (in addition to regular worship services)

Sun. December 1	Annual Voters Meeting at 12:30 pm
Wed. December 4	Advent Worship Services – 12 noon & 6:30 pm
Sat. December 7	Decorating the Sanctuary at 9 am LWML Christmas Party at Chris McCay's – 2-4 pm
Wed. December 11	Advent Worship Services – 12 noon & 6:30 pm
Sun. December 15	Annual Christmas Brunch – 9 am – 10:30 am Children's Christmas Program at 5 pm
Wed. December 18	Advent Worship Services – 12 noon & 6:30 pm
Tues. December 24	Christmas Eve Worship Services – 4 pm, 7 pm and 11 pm (with Holy Communion)

Christmas Brunch – Sunday, December 15 from 9:00-10:30 am

Please bring the following, according to your last name, ready to serve to the Family Life Center.

- A-J Breakfast casserole or quiche
 - K-P Coffee cakes, sweet or cinnamon rolls
 - R-Z Hash brown casserole, deviled eggs, or fruit
- Grace Fellowship will provide ham, biscuits/gravy, cereal, and drinks. Please join us!
There is no Sunday School or Adult Bible studies at the 9:30 am hour that week

Mark Your Calendar for these Events in 2020!!

Saturday, March 7 – Pageantry of Tables luncheon for Women: Sign up to host a table on the Information Desk in the Family Life Center Lobby

June 7-12 – Grace's Summer Camp at John Knox Center



WELCOME TO GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Church Activities for This Week of November 24, 2019

Today	8:00am 9:30am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am 11:00am 4:30pm	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary Blended Worship, Sanctuary Children's Sunday School & Adult Bible Studies Contemporary Worship, FLC Adult Bible Studies Multi-Generational Handbell Choir, Sanctuary Balcony Adult Inquiry Class, Fellowship Hall
Monday		
Tuesday	6:00pm 7:00pm	Handbell Choir, Sanctuary Balcony Adult Choir, Choir room upstairs
Wednesday	6:30pm 7:30pm	Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service, Sanctuary Prayer Tree
Thursday		Church office closed
Friday		Church office closed
Saturday		
Next Sunday	8:00am 9:30am 9:30am 11:00am 11:00am 12:30pm	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary Blended Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC Adult Bible Studies Annual Congregational Voters Meeting, Family Life Center

This past Monday, Pastor Danny sent out his first weekly email with his newsletter to everyone at Grace on the church email list. It is a way for him to connect with all of us at Grace with prayer requests, what's going on at Grace and an article. If you did not receive it, please send your email address to Lisa Smith at connectiondirector@visitgrace.org or Linda Jaekel linda@visitgrace.org to make sure we have the correct email address for you.

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

Elder:	8:00 am Traditional Paul Guthrie	9:30 am Blended Jack McGee
Worship Assistant:	Larry Voorhees	Steve Peterson
Altar:	Helen Horlbeck and Cydne Albers.....	
Acolyte:	Tom Holden	Alli Duenckel
Reader:	Steve Jergesen	Kristin Kennedy
Greeters:	Mary Belle Early, Mary Schultz	Joretta Schneider
Ushers:	Allen Schultz, Steve Jergesen	Gary Schneider