The Church Nursery

The Nursery is again open for those who need it. Children from infants to age 3 are welcome. Our nursery, as well as our Sunday School classrooms, are <u>cleaned and sanitized</u> after each use and then are locked until they are needed again.

Prayer Requests

If you have a prayer request, you can contact our Prayer Team leaders and they will be happy to put it on the email prayer chain to be prayed for by the team members.

Please contact:

Kristin McGee at 865-384-9834, kdmcgee08@gmail.com or Ev Brown at 757-870-5603, evbrown3@gmail.com

Menu for Wednesday, Nov. 18

Turkey, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Dressing, Cranberry Sauce, and Pumpkin Pie Supper begins at 5:15 pm in the Family Life Center

Please RSVP to the email that is sent out weekly.

\$5 for adults, \$2 for children, \$10 family maximum

Servers wear masks, silverware and condiments are prepackaged

Worshipping at Grace

We encourage everyone to wear masks when entering the building or moving around in common areas such as hallways, restrooms, etc. The wearing of masks is encouraged during worship. We are social distancing in our pews. Please feel free to move if you are not comfortable where you are seated. No one will be offended. Offering plates are in the back of the Sanctuary for prayer & attendance cards. The ushers will be dismissing us from services – back to front.

Friendly reminder

Please send all bulletin announcements to Anna Wilson, awilson@visitgrace.org

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

8:00 a.m. Traditional 9:30 am Blended Elder: Sam Jones Craig Emerson Worship Assistant: Jim Stoddard Steve Peterson

Altar: Chris Emmerson & Maggie Geithman

Reader: Jim Stoddard Stephanie Schoenfelder Acolyte: Kaylen Teague Grace Schoenfelder



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Our Church Activities for This Week of November 15, 2020

8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies
9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Simulcast with Holy Communion, FLC
11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
12:30 p.m.	Budget Meeting
11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting, Fellowship Hall
9:00 a.m.	Parent's Day Out
5:15 p.m.	Supper begins, Family Life Center
6:30 p.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
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Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 a.m. Today

Mark Anderson – Book of John – FLC Classroom 111

Harvey Booher – Roaming through Romans – FLC Lobby

Joel Roettger – Book of Daniel – FLC Classroom 113 (in person or virtual)

Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – "What is God's Wisdom for Today's Culture" – Room 206

Sunday School Classes at 11:00 a.m. Today

Hot Topic – led by Phil Bohlken – Room 203

Bible 101 – Elisha 4; 2 Kings 6,7 – Room 206

Sunday School Theme:
Thank God for His gifts.

Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice!
(Philippians 4:4)



Needed: All Hands on Deck!

We will be decorating the Sanctuary and FLC on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>Dec. 5 at 10:00 a.m</u>. The Altar Guild and the Elders are pulling out the boxes, and Denise Hart's Kitchen Ministry is teaming up with Ashley Myers' Grace Youth to provide high octane breakfast burritos for the decorators. Make plans to join in! We will wear masks but we won't let that stop the fun, food, or fellowship!

Coats for the Cold

Coats will be available at all KARM store locations through Dec. 5
Coat vouchers are available through the church office if you know of someone needing a coat.

LWML - "Christmas Card Making Party"

Look for the "Christmas Basket" in the Coffee Area
Please donate old Christmas cards, card stocks, trims, and envelopes.
Plan to join us on Dec. 12 from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. for some "crafting fun" to cheer-up our shut-ins and friends isolated in assisted living situations with the love of Jesus

Birthdays this week...

11/15 Theresa Angelino, Lorna Treffert, Rachel Vick (2), Calen Wright; 11/16 Will Baker, Mark Sattefield; 11/17 Russell Hembree; 11/18 Easton Harter (10), Angela Hays, Toby Houchin, Paul Mees; 11/19 Philip Roth, 11/20 Matthew Bretscher, Stephanie Schoenfelder; 11/21 Sloane Haase (2), Linda Jaekel, Mason Martin (4), Erick McIlwain

Anniversaries this week...

11/15 Daniel & Becky Hoag (40), Sandy & Tom Seay (12); 11/17 Tommy & Sherry Colwell (36); 11/18 Todd & LaWanda Duenkel, Erik & Megan Kabela (14)

We would like to gratefully thank our church family for all the prayers, cards, and kind thoughts following the death of our oldest daughter, Lisa. You allow us to be weak when needed and strong when necessary. We love you all.

- Donna and Mark Anderson, Pierce Herrin

Three opportunities for Men and Sons of Grace

- 1. Volunteer for a 2-hour slot to help West Towne Church prepare turkeys on Tues, Nov. 24. RSVP to Brian Strobel ASAP. High schoolers can get volunteer credits also! Food is provided.
- 2. Help us for a cleaning session on Sat, Dec. 12 at 10:00 a.m. as we clean our smoker on the church grounds. Pizza provided!
- 3. Join us for a memorable event on Sat, Jan. 30, 4:00 7:00 p.m. as we host Pastor Zach from Red Door Church in South Dakota plus men from other local Knoxville churches.

Pastor Zach Bauer will lead us in giving his testimonial, preparing some really great barbecue (enough to take home, plus recipe book, and bottle of rub!), and fellowship. Please RSVP to Brian at brian.strobel16@gmail.com by Nov 27. Cost is \$30 - Grace will pay \$15 and you pay \$15.

We need your help inviting men from other churches also to reach the goal of 50 men for this event.

Each of us have unique gifts, so share them with us!

Operation Christmas Child

National Collection Week is Nov. 16 - 23 and Grace is once again a drop-off location!

We are looking for volunteers to help collect and pack donated shoeboxes.

This year, everything is outside and as contactless as possible. Sign-ups are in the coffee area.

This is a great and easy way to serve! Service hours are available upon request.

For questions, please contact Frieda Guthrie at 865-384-9911 or Paul Guthrie at 865-804-5309.

If you have not yet packed a shoebox, there is still time! The Guthrie family will be delivering all boxes donated by Grace Members to Operation Christmas Child headquarters in Boone, NC in December.

Children's Christmas Program

It is time for our annual children's Christmas program

"A Few of Our Favorite Things!"

Sunday, Dec.13 at 5:00 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend!

If you have a child who would like to participate (ages 5 – 8th grade)

Contact Frieda Guthrie at childrensmin@visitgrace.org.

Practices will be Wed (Nov 18, Dec 2, Dec 9) 5:00 – 5:30 p.m., & Sat (Dec. 5, 12) 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.