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.

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

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.

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

8:00 a.m. Traditional 9:30 am Blended
Elder: Sam Jones Craig Emerson
Worship Assistant: Larry Voorhees Steve Peterson
Reader: Diana Holden Ev Brown
Acolyte: Nathan Rowlands Kayla Cleland



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Our Church Activities for This Week of November 29, 2020

Today	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies Blended Worship, Sanctuary Blended Worship Simulcast, FLC Contemporary Worship, FLC Adult Bible Studies
Tuesday	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting, Fellowship Hall
Wednesday	9:00 a.m.	Parents Day Out
	12:00 p.m.	Advent Service, Sanctuary
		Supper Begins, FLC
	6:00 p.m.	Confirmation for 7 th and 8 th grades
	6:30 p.m.	Advent Service, Sanctuary
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
Next Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship with Holy Communion,
		Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Simulcast with Holy
		Communion, FLC
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies

Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 a.m. Today

Mark Anderson – Book of Luke – FLC Classroom 111

Harvey Booher – Roaming through John – 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 – WILL NOT BE MEETING TODAY (will resume next week)

Bible 101 – Elisha 6; 2 Kings 8 – Room 206

Sunday School Theme: We prepare our hearts for Jesus.

Create in me a pure heart, O God. (Psalm 51:10)

Menu for Wednesday, Dec. 2

Beef Stew with root vegetables, Angel Biscuits, Salad, and Lemon Cake 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

Advent Worship Services

Wednesdays, Dec. 2, 9, and 16 in the Sanctuary Noon (no lunch provided) and 6:30 p.m. (dinner before the services)

LWML -"Christmas Card Making Party"

Ladies, Thanks for gathering old Christmas Cards and card-making supplies. Please continue to leave them in the Christmas Basket by the Coffee Machine and plan to help LWML make cards for our Grace shut-ins and friends who live in assisted living. We will meet on Dec. 12, at 10am in the Fellowship Hall where we can be "distanced," have some crafty fun, and share Jesus' love, too!

Birthdays this week...

11/29 Christian Guthrie, Jonathan Mees; 11/30 Mark Klemmer, Sydney Pettiford, Owen Scheibe; 12/1 James Bretscher, Nancy Duthey, Mickey Tunstall; 12/2 Paul Muench; 12/3 Liz Hannah; 12/4 Daythan Collins, Cecil Peters; 12/5 Elaine Heuther

Anniversaries this week...

12/1 Ray & Donna Maier (69); 12/4 Charles & Tina Stine (38)

Opportunities for Men and Sons of Grace

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!

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 testimony, preparing some great barbecue (enough to take home, plus recipe book, and bottle of rub!), and fellowship. Please RSVP to Brian at brian.strobel16@gmail.com 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

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 OCC headquarters in December.

Upcoming Voter's Meeting

Please see the nominees for the 2021 officers

These will be voted on at the meeting on December 6 at 12:30

President Elect: John McCay
Treasurer: Teri Stoddard
At Large: Andrew Harter

Endowement Scholarship: Mel Beech Endowment Administrative: Rich Neubauer Endowment New Ministry: Erin Colbert



Needed: All Hands on Deck!

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

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!

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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 (Dec. 2, Dec 9) 5:00 – 5:30 p.m.,
Sat (Dec. 5, 12) 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.