#### Lenten Worship Services

Every Wednesday, March 10 – 24 in the Sanctuary Noon (no lunch provided) and 6:30 p.m. (dinner before the services)

## Bible Class & Quilting

Ladies, please come and join us for bible class followed by quilting this Friday morning beginning at 9:00 in the Fellowship Hall

### 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 and while moving around in common areas. 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. 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:	Jon Callies	Steve Peterson
Worship Assistant:	Larry Voorhees	Steve Peterson
Reader:	Mark Anderson	Erin Colbert
Altar:	Cathy Schade and Sherry Schoolcraft	
Acolyte:	Nathan Rowlands	Grace Schoenfelder



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# **Our Church Activities for This Week of March 7, 2021**

Today	8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies Blended Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary Blended Worship Simulcast with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
	11:00 a.m.	Bell Practice - Rings of Grace
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Parent's Day Out
	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Bell Practice - Grace Notes
	7:00 p.m.	Choir Ensemble
Wednesday	12:00 p.m.	Lenten Worship Service, Sanctuary
	5:00 p.m.	Joy-full Noise Kid's Choir
	5:15 p.m.	Supper begins, FLC
	6:30 p.m.	Lenten Worship Service, Sanctuary
	6:30 p.m.	Joy Group and Youth Group
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Parent's Day Out
	1:00 p.m.	God is Faithful, Fellowship Hall
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
	10:30 a.m.	Quilting
Saturday	10:00 a.m.	LWML, Fellowship Hall
Next Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School for Children & Adult Bible Studies
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Simulcast, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
	11:00 a.m.	Bell Practice – Rings of Grace

#### 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 Esther – FLC Classroom 113 and Zoom Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – "What is God's Wisdom for Today's Culture" – Rm. 206 & Zoom Brian Kaul - 30's & 40's – Zoom

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

Phil Bohlken – Hot Topic – Rm. 203 Dave Harjala – The Gospel of Mark – Rm. 206 & Zoom Pastor Paul Muench – Telling About Jesus – Rm. 205

Sunday school Theme: Commit to follow Jesus. I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes; first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. (Romans 1:16)

## Menu for Wednesday, March 10

Pork Fried Rice, Eggrolls, Glazed Carrots, Mandarin Orange/Romaine Salad, and Peach Cobbler 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

#### Grace Groups

What would you think if someone told you God has a role for you to play in connecting people to one another and to Jesus? Take the plunge and see what that looks like by meeting with Pastor Danny about being a Grace Group Facilitator. Please contact him for more information: 865-469-7472 or pastordanny@visitgrace.org

#### Birthdays this week...

3/7 Kylie Hatfield; 3/11 Kaylee McIlwain (14), Teri Stoddard; 3/12 April Calcutt, Gary Krohnfeldt, Deborah Rowlands, Brianna Stock, Becky Strickland

#### Anniversaries this week...

3/8 Shannon & Cody Stone (13); 3/13 Don & Holly Mings (29)

Thank you kindly for your help, support, and prayers. We appreciate you all. – The Mahan Family

#### News from the Endowment Fund/Elseroad Scholarship Team

We are preparing to **solicit and then review applications for our 2021/22 Elseroad Scholarships**. Our first priority is to consider any Grace member(s) that will be a seminary candidate to one of our LCMS Concordia Seminaries. Secondly, we will consider one that plans to enter a Concordia Campus as an undergraduate in study of a church related vocation. Then we will consider anyone within the Knoxville LCMS churches and others in our circuit or district. *If you know of anyone* that might be a candidate, please refer them to Marjorie Jergesen, Mel Beech, Bernard Wrasman or Larry Belt. Our application deadline will be May 1, 2021

# LWML

Ladies: You are ALL invited to join the Lutheran Women in Mission <u>this Saturday, March 13</u> at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will hear the story of Tom and Juanita Matthews' work for the Lord through Wycliffe Bible Translators in Africa. Plan to have a cup of coffee, stay for a short LWML meeting, and be inspired to serve the Lord with Gladness!

# Today is MITE Sunday. We will be collecting loose change at the end of each service which goes to missions around the world!



#### Easter Fest, Saturday, April 3, 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

This year everything will be outside and will include a petting zoo, train rides, free food, an Easter egg hunt, and of course, the telling of the Easter story. Be on the lookout for opportunities to volunteer. We are collecting donations of small, wrapped candy to fill over 5,000 eggs! Candy can be placed in the coffee area. This is a community event, so invite your family and friends!