

Linda's Quilts

Linda Mahan was instrumental in starting the quilting for Lutheran World Relief at Grace 30 years ago. Linda also quilted at home, and her husband, Byron, has donated Linda's supplies to the quilting group. In memory of Linda, we would like to use these donated supplies to create "Linda's Quilts".

If you would like to help create these quilts, please contact Mary Schlotz, schultzmaryann@yahoo.com, Mary Krempasky, mskrempasky@gmail.com or Nancy Duthey, duthey@live.com.

Compassion International

Please consider sponsoring a child through Compassion International. To learn more about their important organization you may contact Brian Strobel, brian.strobel16@gmail.com or visit Compassion's website: <https://cintl.us/gracelutheranknoxville.com>

LWML

Ladies: Please join us on Saturday, June 12, 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall to hear Andrea Muench's inspiring presentation "The Rest of the Story" Andrea will share the Mission Story of her time in Russia with Pastor Paul and their family.

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

	8:00 a.m. Traditional	9:30 am Blended
Elder:	Mark Anderson	Craig Emerson
Worship Assistant:	Larry Voorhees	Dave Harjala
Reader:	Diane Holden	Jim Brown
Altar:	Chris Emmerson & Maggie Geithman	
Acolyte:	Nathan Rowlands	Grace Schoenfelder



WELCOME TO GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Our Church Activities for This Week of May 16, 2021

Today	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary	
	9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School & Adult Bible Studies	
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary	
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Simulcast with Holy Communion, FLC	
Tuesday	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	
	1:00 p.m.	Drive-thru Holy Communion	
	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	5:15 p.m.	Supper Begins, FLC
		6:30 p.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
6:30 p.m.		Joy Group, Youth Group, Joyful Noise	
Thursday	9:00 a.m.	Parent's Day Out	
	Friday	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study, Don Delfis Restaurant	
	10:00 a.m.	Quilting, Fellowship Hall	
Next Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary	
	9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School & Adult Bible Studies	
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Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 a.m. Today

Brian Kaul - 30's & 40's – Zoom

Mark Anderson – Book of Luke – FLC Classroom 111

Harvey Booher – Roaming through John – FLC Lobby

Pastor Muench – Telling About Jesus - FLC Classroom 113 and Zoom

(Link for Pastor Muench's class: <https://tinyurl.com/GLCr113>)

Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – What is God's Wisdom for Today's Culture – Rm. 206 and Zoom

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

Phil Bohlken – Hot Topic – Rm. 203

Dave Harjala – The Gospel of Mark – Rm. 206 and Zoom

Sunday School Theme: Tell everyone about Jesus.

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you to the very end of the age. (Matthew 28:19-20)

Next Sunday, May 23 is Sunday School Teacher Appreciation Day. Families are encouraged to give a card or small gift to say Thank You!

Menu for Wednesday, May 19

Smoked Sausage Skillet, Rolls, Fruit, Salad, & Chocolate Crackle Toffee

Supper begins at 5:15 pm in the FLC

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

Please RSVP to the weekly email

Community Diaper Ministry – Distribution this Saturday, May 22 at 10:00 a.m.

Grace has started a diaper ministry to support people of our church and community.

We will continue to collect diapers and wipes this coming week. If you have any questions please contact Paul (865-804-5309) or Frieda (865-384-9911) Guthrie.

Birthdays this week...5/16 Fran Clawson; 5/17 Steve Root; 5/18 Pastor Danny Anderson, Sarah Dew, David Parkman; 5/20 Andy Caddle; 5/22 Tim Collins, Maggie Geithman

Anniversaries this week...5/16 Troy & Alex Howe (29); 5/17 Ryan & Linda Dreke (13), Herman & Sherry Pauley (46), Lew & Mary Stoner (35)

Pastor Dennis Schwab's wife, Sally, passed away Thursday, May 13. The funeral will be live streamed this Wednesday, May 19 at 4:00 p.m.

Condolence cards may be sent to:

Pastor Dennis Schwab, 125 Fort Sumter Way, St. Charles, MO, 63303

Youth Opportunities this Summer

Youth Pool Party – June 6, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. – Crestwood Hills Rec. Center

Youth, come and enjoy fun in the sun! \$5 per person, please RSVP to Ashley

High School Mission Trip - July 11-17, 2021, Copperhill, TN.

Our High Schoolers will be doing renovation and repair work in impoverished communities.

We will be staying at a high adventure camp and enjoying fun activities between serving others. If you would like to sponsor a student or make a donation, please make checks payable to Grace Lutheran Church with "youth mission trip" as the memo line.

Middle School Summer Serve - June 9-11, 2021

Our Middle Schoolers will be partnering with local Knoxville organizations to serve our city. We will be staying at Grace and spending time bonding, worshiping, and learning between serving others. To sign up, contact DCE Ashley Myers at youthministry@visitgrace.org

Please pray for our students as we prepare to serve!



Summer Sunday School – Volunteers Needed

We are giving our amazing Sunday School teachers the summer off **And we need your help!** Please consider being 1 of 2 volunteers for either age group:

3 year olds – Kindergarten or 1st – 5th Grades.

You may choose any date: June 6 – August 15, 9:30 – 10:45 a.m.

Classes will be small and all supplies & materials are provided.

For more info contact Frieda: childrensmin@visitgrace.org.

Vacation Bible School – God's Wonderlab

Please make plans to join us for VBS!

July 26 – 29, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Ages: 3 years – 5th Grade

We need volunteers – crafts, music, story teller, and decorations

Nursery care available for volunteers only

Please contact Frieda for more info: childrensmin@visitgrace.org