

**Sunday school Theme: God can help us all do great things.
I can do all things through Him who gives me strength.
(Philippians 4:13)**

Menu for Wednesday, August 10, PLEASE RSVP to the weekly email

Chicken Caesar Salad, Bread Sticks, Jello, & Dessert
Supper begins at 5:15 pm in the FLC. \$5 for adults, \$2 for children, \$10 family max

Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:45 a.m. Today

Brian Kaul - 30s & 40s – Rm. 206
Mark Anderson – Jeremiah – FLC Rm. 111
Harvey Booher – Revelation – FLC Lobby
Joel Roettger – Job – FLC Rm. 113 & Zoom
Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – What is God’s Wisdom for Today’s Culture – FLC Rm. 112

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

Phil Bohlken – Hot Topic – Rm. 203
Dave Harjala – Bible 101, Romans – Rm. 206

Serving at Our Worship Services Today

	8:00 a.m. Traditional	9:30 am Blended
Elder:	Paul Guthrie	Paul Pankow
Worship Assistant:	Jim Stoddard	Dave Harjala
Reader:	Diana Holden	Kristin Kennedy
Altar:	Cathy Schade & Sherry Schoolcraft	
Acolyte:	Christian Collins	Isaac Hembree

Birthdays this week:

8/7 Elisa Hoppe (9)
8/8 Pat Bloom, Tonia Collins, Haven Cruise (10), Joe Dew,
Marianne Drake, Margie Frizzell, Davis Masters (18),
Caden Pafford (8)
8/9 Tyler Baker, Kylie Cruise (6)
8/10 John Cothrine, Brock Kothe, Allen Schultz
8/11 Tina Stine, Remy Tunstall
8/12 Katherine Duncan
8/13 Austin Strobel

Wedding anniversaries this week:

8/8 Paul & Theresa Angelino (30), Jim & Teri Stoddard (35),
Brian & Catherine Strobel (24)
8/10 Bob & Gail Kurtz (37)
8/11 Nathan & Debbie Bretscher (32)
8/13 JR & Randi Ray (17)

Our Church Activities for This Week of August 7, 2022

Today	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Children’s and Youth Bible Studies
	9:45 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
Tuesday	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting, FLC Lobby
Wednesday	5:15 p.m.	Supper Begins, FLC
	6:30 p.m.	Youth/Joy Groups
	6:30 p.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
Thursday	1:00 p.m.	God is Faithful, Fellowship Hall
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Women’s Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Rally Day! Children’s and Youth Bible Studies
	9:45 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies
	1:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Bible Studies

A Voter’s Meeting has been called for **Sunday, August 21st at 12:30 p.m. in the FLC** to vote on calling Pastor Matt Albright as an associate pastor at Grace Lutheran.

Childcare will be available by RSVP to Frieda Guthrie at childrensmin@visitgrace.org

A bio of Pastor Albright is available at the Welcome Desk.
The Call Committee members include: Kristine Meade, Marjorie Jergesen, Kristen Reinke, Brian Kaul, John McCay, Jack McGee, Pastor Rich Elseroad, & Pastor Danny Anderson.
The Call Committee welcomes any questions or comments you may have.

If you would like to support the new **NLT Bible Ministry** You may purchase one or more New Living Translation Life Application Study Bibles at \$25 each, which will be given to people who are in a “Program of Crisis “ (such as drug or alcohol abuse). Please designate your offering to “NLT Bible Ministry”

Next Sunday is Rally Day for Children’s Sunday school!

This celebrates children & youth moving up to their new Sunday school classes!

This year’s theme is Matthew 4:19 *And Jesus said to them, “Come, follow me, and I will make you fishers of men. “*

Parents – For proper placement, please email Frieda Guthrie at childrensmin@visitgrace.org if there are any changes to your child’s grade.

This summer K-5th grade classes of Grace are collecting hygiene items for Cedar Bluff Middle School. Each grade will bring in different items and are listed below.

- Kindergarten & 1st grade – toothpaste, toothbrush, or floss
- 2nd grade – bar soap
- 3rd grade – shampoo or conditioner
- 4th grade – deodorant
- 5th grade – laundry detergent pods

These items can be any brand you choose. It’s great for our children to help their peers with many things we can easily take for granted.

Donated items can be dropped off in the fellowship hall. Thank you!

Jireh Homeschool Cooperative will be using space here at Grace this coming school year. They are thankful for all of the outreach & support they have received, but are still in need of a **High School English Teacher**. For more info contact Alana or Andrew Harter: ajnewma2@gmail.com, 803-335-3225, harderson02@gmail.com, 803-629-0995

We are now collecting CANDY for our annual Trunk-or-Treat on Halloween night!

Adults - If you are looking to join a Sunday school class, Harvey Booher’s class is starting a new study on *The Gospel of Esther* Beginning September 11 at 9:30 a.m. in the FLC Lobby. Everyone welcome!

Want to Connect with Jesus & others? Now is your chance! **Grace Group Registration** is happening now through August 21st. If you’re not already in a group come by the Welcome Desk or visitgrace.org

LWML Mite Sunday - District Projects Featured

Today we are featuring two LWML nationally funded mission projects
- *La Mision Luterana del Peru, Spiritual and Physical Food for Children of Peru*
- *Mission Opportunities Short Term (MOST) Ministries, "Ends of Earth" scholarships*
Our mite donations help to support these two and other district & national/international LWML mission projects. Thank you for giving generously!

Annual Church Retreat – ALL ROOMS ARE FILLED!

Fontana Village Resort - September 2 – 4, 2022
Contact Jeff Spradlin for more info: Jeffspradlin70@yahoo.com, 865-803-4244

Via de Cristo Retreat Weekend is back! October 13-16

A weekend of spiritual renewal based on Lutheran teaching but also open to others. Letting God’s grace and love flow over you through others through growth, study, & surprises! It can be life changing! For more info come by the Welcome Desk.

Via de Cristo is meant to inspire, challenge and equip local church members for Christian action in their homes, churches & communities. The next weekend is Oct. 13 - 16.
For more info see *Craig/Chris Emerson, Paul/Sheila Wittke, John/Chris McCay, Pr. Steve/Fredrica Skov*