Sunday school Theme:

God blesses us when we choose his ways.

Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable-if anything is excellent or praiseworthy-think about such things. (Philippians 4:8)

Menu for Wednesday, Feb. 1, PLEASE RSVP to the weekly email

Vegetable Soup, Sliders, Cole Claw, Potato Chips, and 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

Paul Muench – 30s & 40s: Speaking Boldly – FLC Rm. 112 Mark Anderson – Verse by Verse through Daniel – FLC Rm. 111 Harvey Booher – FLC Lobby

 $\label{eq:control_solution} \mbox{Joel Roettger} - \mbox{Book of John} - \mbox{FLC Rm. 113 \& Zoom}$

Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink - What is God's Wisdom for Today's Culture - FLC Rm. 114

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

Phil Bohlken – Hot Topic: Luther's Understanding– Rm. 203 Dave Harjala – Bible 101, Proverbs – Rm. 206

Serving at Our Worship Services Today

8:00 a.m. Traditional 9:30 a.m. Blended Elder: Paul Guthrie Jim O'Hatnick Altar: Ryan & Zoe Harter, Kaylen Teague, Abby Payne,

and Ella Ross

Acolyte: William Cole Christian Collins

Birthdays this week:

1/29 Clair Roettger (13), Rosalyn Turner

1/30 Pete Early, Annabelle McCay (8)

2/1 Daren Daenzer, Bill Johnson, Wyatt Keeton (15), Rich Neubauer, Molly Payne (12), Richard Sturk

2/2 Jane Chaney, Erin Colbert

2/3 Marjorie Jergesen

2/4 Dustin Knoernschild

Wedding anniversaries this week:

1/31 Pastor Danny and Sarah Anderson (14)

2/4 Paul & Tiffany Hoppe (11), Gary & Kitty Pruett (39)

Longtime member, **Diane Chaffey**, passed away last Monday Her celebration of life will be tomorrow at 11:00 a.m in the Sanctuary A luncheon in the Family Life Center will immediately follow the servce

~Upcoming Events~

Feb. 4 – Special Guest Speaker – **Chad Bird**, Family Life Center (Register at the Welcome Desk or visitgrace.org)

Feb. 10 – Trivia Night at the Standard

Feb. 18 – **50+ Luncheon,** Family Life Center (Couples, widows/widowers who have been married for 50+ years)

Feb. 22 – **Ash Wednesday**

May 7 – First ever spring Children's Musical – United We Stand! 5:00 p.m., Family Life Center

July 17 – 20 – **Vacation Bible School**

Put on your thinking caps & join us for a night of fun & friendly competition

Trivia Night 2023 Come and be a part of the largest fundraiser of the year for our youth!

Friday, Feb. 10th; 6:00-10:00 p.m. at the Standard; 416 W. Jackson Ave \$25 per person/\$200 per table

To register or donate visit:
https://form.jotform.com/GraceLutheranChurch/2023-Trivia-Night
For more info contact: Andrew Harter harderson02@gmail.com
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Tax Statements are in your mailboxes! Please email the church office if you have any questions or concerns: awilson@visitgrace.org

Directory update - there is a copy of the latest directory at the Welcome Desk. *Please* take a moment to proof read your info and mark any changes by *Feb 5*.

Children's Ministries is having our first ever spring musical program! Youth K-12 are invited to participate. Rehearsals begin this Wednesday 5:00 – 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. For more info contact: Deb Wolfe: wolfemom5@att.net or Frieda Guthrie: childrensmin@visitgrace.org.

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New Ministry Grace Lutheran Disaster Response

(Which is associated with the LCMS national LDR) helps those in need after a disaster. You must be at least 14 to volunteer. Training will be on March 4, 8:00 - 4:00. For more info come by the Welcome Desk or contact one of the committee members: Larry Belt, Sam Jones, Jim O'Hatnick, Harvey Booher, Michael McCay, Dale Henderson, Bill Johnson

You are invited to attend **Via de Cristo** weekend retreat March 16-19. You will be strengthened & encouraged in your relationship with Christ & the people around you. Come by the Welcome Desk for more info. "My VDC weekend gave me a greater appreciation of setting a time aside each day for undisturbed meditation & prayer. For me that time is early morning. Asking God to help me throughout the coming day to be a good witness for Him where

ever possible keeps me better focused on the important thing in life: service to others" - Gary Schneider

"God blessed me greatly when the Holy Spirit called me to attend a Via de Cristo weekend retreat in 1993. The experience changed my life in many good ways and helped me grow and mature in my Christian faith. I was able to receive God's grace and love in ways that I had never known before. My wish is that every Christian would be able to attend this spiritual retreat because the rewards are great and given by the Holy Spirit." - Paul Wittke

Our Church Activities for This Week of January 29, 2023

Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:45 a.m.	Adult/Children's Sunday school classes
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship Service with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school classes
	11:00 a.m.	Rings of Grace, Sanctuary
	4:30 p.m.	AIC, Fellowship Hall
Monday	11:00 a.m.	Celebration of Life for Diane Chaffey, Sanctuary
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Parent's Day Out
	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting, Fellowship Hall
	6:00 p.m.	Adult Handbell Choir
	7:00 p.m.	Adult Vocal Choir
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	Jireh
	5:00 p.m.	Children's Spring Concert Rehearsal, Fellowship Hall
	5:15 p.m.	Supper Begins, FLC
	6:00 p.m.	Confirmation, FLC Lobby
	6:30 p.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
	6:30 p.m.	Joy Group/Youth Group
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study, FLC Lobby
	8:30 a.m.	Parent's Day Out
	9:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study, Cry Room
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Guest Speaker, Chad Bird, FLC
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		Sanctuary
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