

Menu for Wednesday, October 18, PLEASE RSVP to the weekly e-mail

Cheesy Ham, Chips & Carmel Brownies  
\$2/Kids, \$5/Adults, \$10/Family

Sunday School Theme: We put God first.  
*Love the Lord your God with all your heart all your soul  
and with all your strength.*  
*Deuteronomy 6:5*

**Serving at Our Worship Services Today**

	8:00 a.m. Traditional	9:30 a.m. Blended
Elder:	Paul Guthrie	Craig Emerson
Altar:	Chris Emerson & Maggie Geithman	
Acolytes	Ava Aanestad	Olivia Dodson

**Birthdays this week:**

10/16 Susan Heitner  
10/17 Steve Kreiss  
10/18 Pierce Herrin (10)  
10/19 Byron Mahan  
10/20 Keith Denton, Tisa Mees  
10/21 Cameron Smithey (10)

**Anniversaries this week:**

10/15 Tim & Amy Baserman (18)  
10/17 Dale & Stacy Henderson (48)  
10/20 Dennis & Barbara Laneman (22)

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

Mark Anderson – Verse by Verse through Acts – FLC Rm. 111  
Brian Kaul-30s & 40s – FLC Rm. 112  
Harvey Booher – FLC Lobby

Joel Roettger – Book of John – FLC Rm. 113 & Zoom  
Kevin & Erin Kragenbrink – Exploring Ancient Christianity – FLC Rm. 114

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

Phil Bohlken – Hot Topic: End Times – Rm. 2030  
Dave Harjala – Bible 101, Proverbs – Rm.206

We thank Denise Hart and the Kitchen Crew for their years of dedication to our Grace family as they have nourished us with yummy food for the last few years!

We are looking for someone serve in this ministry as the Wednesday Meal Coordinator.  
For info contact Dale Henderson: daleh@visitgrace.org or 865.691.2823

**Save the Date**

Sunday, October 29, 10:00 a.m. – **ONE SERVICE ONLY**

Pastor Rich's retirement sermon

Pastor Rich's Retirement Dinner Celebration 5:00 p.m., FLC

Please have all RSVP's in by October 22, along with pictures sent to  
pastorrichpics@visitgrace.org

**Ladies**, please consider officially joining our **Lutheran Women in Mission** with a Membership Contribution of \$13 for Zone & District and/or \$7 for the LWML "Quarterly" Magazine with lots of inspiration. More info at the coffee bar.

Come **sign-up to have your picture taken** at Grace for our **new pictorial directory**:  
visitgrace.org or come by the Welcome Desk on Sundays 9:00 -11:00.  
Every family photographed will receive a free directory & an 8 x10 portrait.  
You will have the opportunity to purchase additional portraits.

Children's Ministries is now hiring **childcare workers** to help during MOPS meetings.  
Must be 18 and pass a background check. See Frieda Guthrie for more details.

The **diaper ministry** is in need of diapers & wipes - sizes 4, 6, & pullups. Thank you!



Thank you to everyone for all the prayers for Jared & Cassy Hencke.  
Carson Bear Hencke was born Saturday, October 7.  
This blessing was a long time coming.



October is Pastor Appreciation Month! A basket is set up at the FLC Welcome Desk if you'd like to drop off a card or small gift. Thank you!

It's time to for **Operation Christmas Child!** National Collection Week is Nov 13-20. Last year we collected over 400 boxes. We now have 260 to go to match that number. You can bring in filled shoeboxes or loose items to fill a box to the children's ministry office.



**TRUNK OR TREAT! HALLOWEEN NIGHT 5:00 – 7:00 P.M.**

We need candy and volunteers! Our average attendance is 1,000 people! This is a wonderful, easy, and fun way to serve Jesus and the community! Sign-up at the coffee bar. Contact Frieda for info: [childrensmin@visitgrace.org](mailto:childrensmin@visitgrace.org)

Ladies: **YOU** are invited to come to Our Savior Lutheran Church in Morristown on Sat., Nov. 11 from 9am - 2:30pm for the **Fall Rally** of *Lutheran Women in Mission* with lunch included. Our own Tom and Jaunita Matthews will share info about the Wycliffe Bible Translators, and we are collecting clothing for Foster Children. Sign-up at the Coffee Bar and help fill the **SUITCASE!**

Are you looking for a way to encourage others and love to sing?  
Please join our **ASSIST TEAM** *'Always Smiling, Sharing In Song Together.*  
" We meet at Arbor Terrace Assisted Living twice a month,  
The first and third Sundays at 6:15p.m.

Please text Todd Stock at (865) 604-1183, or Penny Perry at (865) 287-6553

**Church Activities for This Week of October 15, 2023**

Sunday	8:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Blended Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
	9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday school classes
	9:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday school classes
	11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
	11:00 a.m.	Adult Sunday school classes
	11:00 a.m.	Rings of Grace Bell Choir, Sanctuary
Monday	8:00 a.m.	Jireh Homeschool Co-op
	9:30 a.m.	MOP's Fellowship Hall
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Parents Day Out
	11:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	Grace Notes Bell Choir
	7:00 p.m.	Adult Vocal Choir
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	Jireh Homeschool Co-op
	5:15 p.m.	Supper Begins, FLC
	6:00 p.m.	Crew Confirmation, FLC Lobby
	6:30 p.m.	Worship Service, Sanctuary
	6:30 p.m.	Joy Group/Youth Group
	6:30 p.m.	College/Career Ministry
Thursday	7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study, FLC Lobby
	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.	Quilting, Fellowship Hall
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