Church Activities for This Week of July 21, 2024

8:00 am	Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:30 am	Blended Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
9:30 am	Children's Sunday school classes
9:45 am	Adults' Sunday school classes
11:00 am	Contemporary Worship with Holy Communion, FLC
11:00 am	Adults' Sunday school classes
11:00 am	Staff Meeting
5:00 pm	Dinner Begins, FLC
6:30 pm	Wednesday Worship Service, Sanctuary
6:30 pm	Joy/Youth Groups
6:30 pm	College/Career Ministry
12:00 pm	Open Prayer Time, Sanctuary
1:00 pm	God is Faithful, Fellowship Hall
9:00 am	Women's Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
9:00 am	LWML Eagle Rock Practice, Fellowship Hall
8:00 am	Traditional Worship Service with Holy Communion, Sanctuary
9:30 am	Blended Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:30 am	Children's Sunday School classes
9:45 am	Adults' Sunday school classes
11:00 am	Contemporary Worship, FLC
11:00 am	Adults' Sunday School classes
12:00 pm	Church Picnic, McFee Park
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Happy Birthday!

- 7/21 Freia Micha
- 7/24 Linda Roberson
- 7/25 Daniel Keller
- 7/26 Elizabeth DeTrana
- 7/27 Everett Bloom, Alexandra Roettger (13)

Happy Anniversary!

- 7/22
 Jeff & Amy Spradlin (29)

 7/24
 Tom & Susan Lewis (31)
- Ken & Darlene Reinke (42)

Today at Grace

Rachel Miles, sister of Elder Brian Kaul, is visiting this morning. She and her husband Teri are missionaries with **Wycliffe Bible Translators**, working on sign language Bible translations for deaf communities. Rachel has a table in the lobby; please stop by and talk to her between services about her ministry!

Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:45 am

Verse by Verse through 1 and 2 Timothy – FLC Room 111 (Mark Anderson) 30s & 40s – FLC Room 113 (Brian Kaul) Prophecies in the Holidays of God: Past, Present & Future The Nook, FLC Lobby (Harvey Booher) Book of John – FLC Room 112 & Zoom (Joel Roettger) Book of James – FLC Room 114 (Kevin Kragenbrink)

Adult Sunday School Classes at 11:00 am

Hot Topic: Objections People Raise – Room 204 (Pastor Phil Bohlken) No class on July 28 Bible 101: Jesus in the Old Testament – Room 206 (Fletcher Armstrong)

Friendly Reminder – Pastors and Staff will *NEVER* **text or email asking for money or gift cards.** If you have any questions about potential scams, please email: kristen@visitgrace.org

Announcements and Events



Ruth: God's Redeeming Love Grace Lutheran August 30 – September 1 Fontana Village Resort Guest Speaker: Pastor Mark Bushwakovish Register and Pay at the Information Desk by July 28 \$350/Room - Meals & Snacks Included For Information: fellowship@visitgrace.org

Please join us Wednesday, July 24, 5:00 – 6:30 pm in the FLC to enjoy:

General Tso's or Orange Chicken, Fried or Steamed Rice, Egg Rolls, & Dessert Adults \$5, Children \$2, Family max \$15.



Please RSVP by 5:00 pm tonight via our weekly email or QR Code.

Save the Date: During dinner on **Wednesday, July 31**, the youth will present on their recent trip to the **Higher Things Conference**.

The Grace Library is in the process of organizing and cleaning and we need your help! Please check all nooks and crannies and under your bed for any overdue books.

July has been declared a month of prayer and fasting as a means of humbling ourselves to receive God's grace, mercy, and blessing in Tennessee and in our Nation. Our Sanctuary will be open on Thursday, July 25, **12 - 5 pm** to pray for our nation, state, community, and Grace family. Prayer guides will be available.

Interested in becoming a member of Grace or learning more about the Lutheran faith? Join our pastors in the next **Foundations Class** series. Sunday, August 18, 9:30 – 10:30 in The Nook, Family Life Center Lobby.

Sunday, August 4 we will reinstate the passing of the offering plate. We want to give members an opportunity to give their tithes and first fruit gifts as part of their worship experience. The **Elders are looking for volunteers** who would like to serve as ushers at their preferred service. If you are interested, please contact:

- 8:00 Larry Albers, 865-607-6889
- 9:30 Jack McGee, 865-386-7197
- 11:00 Brian Kaul, 314-452-6644

LWML Business and Mission Meeting: Saturday, August 10 at 10 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Our guest speaker Linley Krahel from *Magnolia Women's Center* will discuss services for vulnerable and exploited women. We are collecting **new items** for the center: travel-sized toiletries and all sizes of sports bras & underwear.

VIA de CRISTO Weekend Retreat October 17-20. Applications and information are available on our bulletin board across from the church mailboxes.

Feel free to speak with past attendees: Craig/Chris Emerson, Paul/Sheila Wittke John/Chris McCay, Laurie Martin, Pastor Rich, Pastor Jake, Pastor/Fredrica Skov Don/Nancy Thaemert, Roland Thompson, Gary/Joretta Schneider

I had a great experience, and it strengthened my faith. Now, I enjoy seeing how people who have gone on the retreat grow in their faith and become active in the church and community. Sheila Wittke