

**Notes of Grace-Happy New Year**  
**March 14, 2026 – March 15 2026**  
**Praising God + Serving Others + Building Relationships + Growing Faith**

Wherever you are in your faith journey, we welcome you to worship today. If you are interested in finding out more about being a member of Grace, please let Pastor Julie know. We invite visitors to fill out our guest book in the entryway.

**Grace Cares Visitation Team:** If you enjoy visiting others, have a listening ear, and are able to spend a couple hours a month to travel to an area home, please consider joining our team. We are looking for additional members, individuals or couples, who would meet on a regular basis with homebound members. Those willing will also be trained to bring Holy Communion out to members and their family as well. **Pastor Julie will facilitate the orientation on Sunday, March 22 at 10:15 am.** Need more info? Contact Pastor Julie at [pastorjuliebarger@gmail.com](mailto:pastorjuliebarger@gmail.com) phone at 715-453-4066. Add your name to the Sign-Up sheet to attend training and become a member of the Grace Cares Visitation Team!

**Is it I, Lord?** Near the close of Lent, during Holy week, we will once again present a re-enactment of Jesus' last night before his crucifixion. You will not need to memorize your script, though spending time with it will help you better present your part to the congregation. We are in need of willing individuals to portray Jesus and his disciples, a couple individuals to serve the group and provide water for foot washing, and a couple more who will act as soldiers.

We will meet **Thursday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm** to receive roles and an initial practice. We will meet again on **Thursday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at 5pm** for a dress rehearsal. (If you are working and unable to join us at 5pm, but can be there before 6pm simply let me know.) The Maundy Thursday service will commence at 6:30pm.

Nancy Herbison and I look forward to working with you to present a meaningful worship experience. Contact Pastor Kathy at [ktulman09@gmail.com](mailto:ktulman09@gmail.com) with your interest to participant as an actor or behind the scenes.

**SOUP'S ON**  
**For Good Soup & Fellowship**

**Wednesday Nights – February 18<sup>th</sup> – March 25<sup>th</sup> – 5:15 pm -6:15 pm**

Please come and join us for this meal. Free will donations will go to ministries and activities of the church, such as our Wilderness trip and Grace House updates. To help serve or donate food, the sign-up sheets are available in the Gathering Area.

**Lenten Services Schedule & theme "Saints and Sinners"**

**Midweek Lenten Services at 6:30 pm – Wednesday, March 4, 11, 18, 25**

Wednesday, March 18 – Striving for Justice

Wednesday, March 25 – Dying and Rising with Christ

We will be singing Holden Evening Prayer liturgy for the Lenten Wednesday worship on these services at 6:30 pm. Confirmation students will be participating in the worship also. Come and join us!

**Saints and Sinners**

*Lent is a time of renewal. We focus on the death and resurrection of Jesus—and in turn focus on our own death and resurrection found in baptism. We who have been baptized into Christ have died to sin and are righteous saints of God. At the same time, we know that we struggle daily with sin as we seek to follow Jesus. This is the wonderful Lutheran understanding of sinner and saint.*

*We have a rich calendar of saints in the Lutheran tradition—Christians from every age who have pointed to Christ in their living and dying. In remembering these Christians who have gone before, we find inspiration for our Christian journey. Remembering these individuals is a starting point for a deeper engagement with our Christian faith.*

*From sundaysandseasons.com.*

**Lenten Devotions "love outpoured"** will be available for all of Grace- families of Sunday School, GLOW, Confirmation, Adult members & Homebound members! Copies will be available in the Gathering Area at no cost beginning on Ash Wednesday. May your Lent be filled with love outpouring!

**March Special Offering: The Lutheran World Relief Quilters at Grace.** The Lutheran World Relief Quilters at Grace Lutheran Church have been volunteering their talents for many years. The quilters have relied on donations of fabric. The tops are sewn at home by volunteers and the backs are made of donated or purchased sheets. The quilts are pinned, tied and sewn together by our Tuesday morning quilting group. In recent years, the quilters had begun purchasing batting for the filler—thus the need to fund our budget. The batting costs \$304.00 for 2 rolls, and they go through at least 5 rolls/year. The quilters also need funds for thread, sewing machine repair, scissor sharpening, etc. The quilters greatly appreciate your support through this month's Special Offering.

**Worship Cancellation Notification:** If we have inclement weather or another situation where regular worship could not be held, members of Grace Lutheran may be notified via email, a Grace Lutheran Facebook page post and on WJJQ radio. If you would prefer a phone call about worship cancellation, please let the office know at (715) 453-4066.

### Prayer List

Michelle Anderson (*Brenda Marcks*)  
 Jim Bach (*Kathryn Loka*)  
 Karsen Bartz (*Corky Burcalow*)  
 Denny Bohnert (*Dixie Erickson*)  
 Ava Dvorak (*Nicholas & Sarah Dvorak*)  
 Michelle Fox (*Peggy Price*)  
 Nancy Heise (*Dorothy Kind*)  
 Kalea Ann Hinton (*Joe Story*)  
 Ian (*Pastor Susan Christian*)  
 Vicky Jach  
 Konnor (*Corky & Bill Burcalow*)  
 Jack Lauder  
 Deb Narloch  
 Donna Olson (*Paul Zastrow*)  
 Kristie Pellitterri (*Steph & Jim Pellitterri*)  
**Ellen Peterson** (*Pastor Julie & Mike Sinkula*)  
 Joe Renn (*Margie Renn*)  
 Jackie Strebe (*Jim & Jan Van Norman*)  
 Dick Warner (*Peggy Price*)  
 Darlene Weirick  
 Terry Wong (*Joe Story*)

### MILITARY LIST:

*Christian Colburn, Sebastien Thayer, Dylan Ellison, Drew Hohensee, Tyler Horst, Michael LaFevre, Jessica Olejar, James Torgerson Jr, Charlie Richards, Mason Talaga, Jeff Van Strydonk, Henry Wessel, David Halverson, Jenna Meal*

**Prayer List Requests:** To add someone to the prayer list, call the Grace office at (715) 453-4066 or fill out a Prayer Request form in the lobby by the guest book.

**Worship helpers** please see Sign-Ups in the Gathering Area for volunteer opportunities during Holy Week,

### Indoor Worship Assistants March 21 – March 22

#### Saturday 5:00 pm

**Readers:** Nancy Herbison  
**Ushers:** Deb & Don Tinker  
**Communion Assistants:** Nancy Herbison  
**Running Projection:** Al Raatz

#### Sunday 9:00 am

**Reader:** Gail Wilson  
**Ushers:** Steve Kahle, Greg Heikkinen  
**Communion Assistant:** Brian & Cindy Storm  
**Running Projection:** Karen Torkelson  
**Projection Set-Up:** Karen Torkelson & Keri Kelly  
**Live Stream:** Savannah Reinke

### March 16 – March 22 Weekly Events

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8 am – 1 pm

#### **Monday, March 16**

10:00 am – Home School Group  
 5:00 pm – Men's Bible Study  
 5:00 pm – Knitter's Group

#### **Tuesday, March 17**

8:00 am – PPP Guys  
 9:00 am – Quilters

#### **Wednesday, March 18**

9:30 am – Prayer Shawl Meeting  
 3:30 pm – GLOW  
 5:15 pm – Lenten Soup Supper  
 6:30 pm - Wednesday Lenten Worship Service with Confirmation

#### **Thursday, March 19**

2:00 pm – OWLS (Older Wiser Lutherans) Meeting: Nancy Herbison & Marcia Sattelberg's trip to Scotland & Sandy Wick's family photos of London and Paris! A light refreshment will be served. Sign-Up sheet in the Gathering Area

6:00 pm - Council

#### **Friday, March 20**

9:15 am – Worship at Riverview  
 10:30 am – Worship at Tomahawk Health  
 1:00 pm – Worship at Milestone

#### **Saturday, March 21**

9:00 am – AA/Alanon  
 10:00 Greater Galilee ZOOM Bible Study  
 5:00 pm – Worship Service/Communion

#### **Sunday, March 22**

9:00 am – Worship Service – installation of Church Council Members and Communication Coordinator Marissa Schumacher  
 10"15 am – Grace Cares Training

**Offering:** Mail, bring to church or give online; one-time contribution or set up auto giving through Vanco. Go to our website: [www.gracelutherantomahawk.com](http://www.gracelutherantomahawk.com) under Announcements, click on, GIVING TO GRACE WITH VANCO.