**Seeking a Church Treasurer:** We have been blessed to have Shirley Derleth as our treasurer for many years. We are thankful for her expertise and faithful service for Grace. The time has come for Shirley to leave this position so we are seeking a qualified person to fill this vacancy;

**CHURCH TREASURER RESPONSIBILITIES (brief summary)**

o Maintain complete and accurate accounting records

o Prepare and present monthly and annual reports to the council and the congregation

o Keep an accurate record of all cash received and disbursed

o Prepare payroll checks, government payroll reports and Portico Insurance reporting

o Works with the Executive Committee, Pastor and the church council to prepare the annual

budget

**QUALIFICATIONS**

o Accounting degree and/or experience preferred

o Knowledge of payroll laws and reporting

o Familiar with Quickbooks, Excel and Word

o Detail-oriented

o Organizational skills

o Good listening and communication skills

o Ability to manage sensitive and confidential information

**TIME COMMITMENT**

o On average 10-15 hours per month (not including meetings)

o September (budget benefits), December (budget prep) and January (annual report prep) will

require more hours

If interested, fill out an application for employment (in the front lobby or in the office) and return it to Grace office. Questions please contact Pastor Julie at pastoruliebarger@gmail.com or

715-453-4066.

**The Chosen Bible Study Returns.** We will return for another season of the video series of The Chosen based on the life and ministry of Jesus and his followers. We will begin on Monday September 15 at 10:30 am.- noon.  We meet in the Sanctuary and use the big screens for viewing and then we compare the episode with the bible and discuss what it means to follow Jesus.

Season 5 is focusing on the last week of Jesus' life, including the Last Supper. There are 8 sessions so we will meet weekly for those 8 weeks.

Come and join us for this time to connect in faith with a unique perspective!

**The start date for GLOW and Confirmation** **is Wednesday, Sept 10.** GLOW meets 3:30-5 pm. Confirmation meets 6:30-8:00pm. More info to follow!

**Grace kids will begin again on September 14th from 8:45-10:45.** Grace kids is for children three years old and up. The entering Grace Kids milestone for 3 years old will also occur on our first day back. Please watch your emails for more information regarding Grace kids and the milestone. Contact Cassady Grabow-Hohensee with questions.  If you’re interested in being a volunteer to help work with the children, please contact Cassady.at *cassady.grabow19@gmail.com.*

**Sunday, September 7 is God's Work Our Hands day.** It is a day when ELCA churches across the nation are showing the love of God in active ways in our communities. Grace will be spending time **helping Kinship refurbish their new home** at the old Bradley Bank (Associated Bank) building downtown. We may be moving things, organizing, cleaning or whatever is needed to help Kinship settle in their new location. We will go over right **after our 9 am worship that day**. Feel free to wear your God's Work Our Hands, Grace or Thrivent T-shirt to church that day. Or bring clothes to work in. Join us!

**Our prayers and sympathy go out to the family of Janette Kurth** who died on August 31. Her funeral was held at Krueger-Nimsgern Funeral Home on Thursday, September 4.

**Notes of Grace**

**September 6, 2025 – September 7, 2025**

**Praising God + Serving Others + Building Relationships + Growing Faith**

**Wherever you are in your faith journey, we welcome you to worship today!**

**September Special Offering:** The Salvation Army for their Happy Kids Backpack Program. This program is designed to meet the needs of hungry children in our community at times when other resources are not available, such as weekends and school vacations. Backpacks are filled with food each week and the children take the food filled packs home for weekend use.

 **3D Christian Rock Tour** **- October 3, 2025 Concert - 7:00 - 11:30PM - Doors open 6:15**
**Tomahawk School District Auditorium**
 Excitement is in the air! Get ready to be part of something extraordinary at **Teens About Christ Youth Group of Northwood’s Vineyard Church's** community event. It's an event like no other, and we want you to be there!
Every registration to this event will give you ticketed access to not just one, but 3 rock bands that are family entertainment focused. Your ticket will get you access to shows from **Behold the Beloved, Relentless Flood,** and **From Ravens to Doves**. Together, we can create a brighter, more compassionate world for all.
Thank you for supporting our event to bring clean family entertainment to our Northwood's Community.

**Volunteers needed to help with the Diaper bank:** 2:30 pm-5:30 pm the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the Month. Sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area.

**Coordinator for Cookie Walk is needed for the December Bazaar**. No experience needed. Please contact Pastor Susan for more information: 224-3476, pstrxn63@gmail.com.

**Prayer List**

Michelle Anderson *(Brenda Marcks)*

Mitzi Balstad *(Laurie Schmidt)*

**Tracy Bartz** *(Joe Story)*

Ken Brokaw *(Jane Brokaw)*

Judy Crass

Pam Dallman

Dave Erickson *(Dixie Erickson)*

**Devin Hess** *(Renee Loka)*

Bill Hudson *(Betty Hudson)*

**Fritz Jach**

Dorothy Kind *(Nancy & Kirk Kind)*

Katie Kujawa *(Joe Story)*

**Janette Kurth** *(Lynn & George Derleth)*

Rudy LaNou *(Patti LaNou)*

**Ron Lueneburg (Sr.)**

Randy Mitchell *(Bernice Mitchell)*

Donna Olson *(Paul Zastrow)*

Steph Pellitteri

Kerry Stevenson *(Jeff Niewinski)*

Duane Strauss *(Irene Strauss)*

Stan Torkelson *(Karen Torkelson)*

**Sean Towne** *(Betsy Towne)*

***MILITARY LIST***

*Christian Colburn, Sebastien Thayer, Dylan Ellison, Drew Hohensee, Tyler Horst, Michael LaFevre, Jessica Olejar, James Torgerson Jr, Charlie Richards, Jeff VanStrydonk, 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 Assistants** can pick upthe new schedule in the Gathering Area. Thank you for volunteering your time to help with worship services!

**Indoor Worship Assistants**

**September 13-September 14**

**Saturday 5:00 pm-No worship service due to the Fall Ride**

**Sunday 9:00 am**

**Reader:** Shirley Derleth

**Ushers:** Dar & Sherry Clements

**Communion Assistant**: Sandy Wick, Pam Kopp

**Projection Set-Up**: Jackie Leonhard

**Running Projection:** Jackie Leonhard

**Live Stream:** Steve Garrison

**September 8 – September 14 Weekly Events**

**Monday, September 8**

3:30 pm - Blessings for Babies Diaper Bank

4:00 pm – Staff Meeting

5:00 pm - Men’s Bible Study

**Tuesday, September 9**

8:00 am – PPP Guys

9:00 am – Quilters

11:30 am – Joyful Noise Luncheon -The Tilted Loon

4:00 pm – Mutual Ministry Meeting

**Wednesday, September 10**

9:00 am – Four Rivers Quilters

3:30 pm – GLOW

6:30 pm – Confirmation

**Thursday, September 11**

**Friday, September 12**

**8:00 am- 1 pm -** Office Closed Due To Fall Ride

**Saturday, September 13**

9:00 am – AA/Alanon

**5:00 pm – Worship cancelled due to Fall Ride**

**Sunday, September 14**

8:45 am –1st Day of Grace Kids– 3-year-old Milestone

9:00 am – Worship Service

**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.