

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

Ministers	All Members of Grace Lutheran Church
Presiding Minister	Pastor Mark Williamson
Keyboardist	Quinn Christensen
Assisting Minister	Martina Hageman
Lector	Ryan Ziehr
Acolyte	Dawson Miller
Children's Message	Christine Wick
Greeters	Bob & Lois Turnholt
Communion Preparation	Donna Menke
Communion Servers	Pr. Mark Williamson, Martina Hageman, Ryan Ziehr, Bill & Donna Menke, Natalie Goetzke
Ushers	Bill & Margaret Chubb
Screen Projector	Ben Engels
Audio System	Chester Small

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 13 - 20, 2017

“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.” *Romans 15:13*

GUESTS: We invite you to sign the Welcome Pad located in your pew, and indicate any way that we may serve you. A Guest Registry Book with information about Grace is also found on the Welcome Kiosk by the main entrance. We're glad God moved you to come to worship with us today and we hope to see you again soon!

Join us for coffee fellowship in the Gathering Area. Serving today after the service, Phyl Erickson.

We remember those recovering from illness or accidents, or with special needs: especially, John Bucci, Dan Curran, Jim Gilmour, Janet Harms, Don Kobbervig, Anna Olson, Marie Sersch, Joyce Von Rueden, Randy Weber, Jim Widder, Mary Lou Anderson (friend of Ruth Beckwith), Orrin Austin (friend of Joyce Widder), Chuck Bennett (son-in-law of Jackie Nielsen), Kelson Bystol (cousin of Patti Finley), Taylor Graff (grandson of Dan & Shirley Curran), Clare Gretebeck (uncle of Jane Luckey), Richard Gudmundson (brother of Gerry Gilmour), Phyllis Hanson (mother of Art Hanson), Lou Ann Hocking (friend of Ruth Beckwith), David Irving (friend of Ruth Beckwith), Erin Jacobson (cousin of Mary C.W. Esch), Gordie Kramer (father of Julia Oellerich), Jim Leahy Jr. (brother of Phyl Erickson), Don Severson (cousin of Marie Sersch), Mandy Singer (friend of Jackie Nielsen), Sandy Stender (sister of Jane Luckey), Jackie Stiles (mother of Jamie Holter), Emily Straubhaar (granddaughter of Joan Hoffman).

We recognize that every one of us needs daily prayer and that from time to time we have special needs. To have a vital prayer ministry we also need to have our prayer list current and up to date. If there are individuals on our prayer list who have recovered or whose needs are no longer acute please inform the church office.

Note: We also welcome prayer requests when a loved one dies. If you have suffered a loss, simply notify the church office or Pastor Mark so we may pray for you in your grief.

OUR NEXT TURN FOR FEEDING FRIENDS: at the United Methodist Church is **Wednesday, August 16**, so stop by the sign up sheet in the gathering area. We still need salads and desserts as well as people to serve and clean up in the kitchen, starting at 4:30pm. Thank you for your generous support for these important local missions.

GRACE CHOIR: starts August 30th, beginning at 6:30pm. Come one, come all to sing! No auditions required – just a love of singing. Can't read music? Not a problem. We will help you through! Any questions, call Leta Willie at 935-2779.



REFORMATION 500 EVENT SERIES MOVIE AND PIZZA NIGHT!

Featuring *Luther* (2003), a 90-minute feature film directed by Eric Till and starring Joseph Fiennes, Sunday, August 20, 6pm in Grace Center. Group discussion to follow. Pizza and popcorn will be included; please bring some cash to throw in the basket to help cover the cost. Save the date now!



LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF SCHOOL KIT BAGS are available on the table in the Gathering Area for you to take home and fill. Each bag has a list of instructions inside, of what Lutheran World Relief wants. Please follow the instructions, so as to be fair to each recipient. They should be **returned to the church by Sunday, August 27th**. If you find that you can't fill a bag, please return it. Thank you.

BACK-TO-SCHOOL FAITH MILESTONES AND INSTALLATION OF ZACHARY RIDER: Mark your calendars for Sunday, August 27. We'll be installing Zachary Rider as our new Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries at the 9am service, AND we'll have our annual back-to-school milestones celebrations--a presentation of locker mirrors for those crossing the bridge to middle school, and a special backpack blessing for ALL students who bring their backpack to church. Bringing a school kit to donate through Lutheran World Relief (see above) and then coming to help welcome Zach at the church picnic (see below) will make the day even more festive. Don't miss it!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: August 27th! That's the date for our church picnic. Consider this our family reunion. The family of God. The family of Grace. The family we don't know yet — Invite your friends! 11:30am at the home of John & Judi Ziehr. Don't forget to bring a lawn chair!

QUARTERLY FOOD DRIVE: for the Iowa County Food Pantry and Social Services:, so if you would like to contribute, please take a grocery bag and list as you leave **today**. **We would like to have the donations back by Sunday, August 20**, so that we can sort and deliver them the following day. If you would rather give a check, please make it out to Grace Lutheran and put Food Pantry or Social Services on the memo line.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR LOCAL STUDENTS: a box is located in the back hallway, so if you have anything left over from packing the LWR School Kits, or you simply got a great deal on supplies and wish to contribute, our students would really appreciate the help during the school year.

IOWA COUNTY CANCER COALITION: 1st annual fundraiser event, Saturday, August 26th at the Fire Station in Cobb, WI. Meal & Silent Auction: 4 - 7pm. Music: 5 - 7pm. Luminary Ceremony: 6pm. Live Auction: 7pm. Children Activities. Proceeds stay in Iowa County helping cancer patients directly.

KIWANIS 54TH ANNUAL CHICKEN BARBEQUE: Ley Pavillion - Harris Park, Dodgeville; Thursday, August 17th; 4:30 - 7pm. Dine-in and Carry-outs available. \$11 per meal. Dan Roble & The German Band will be performing again this year.

Today

Lutheran Treasures Sermon Series; Part three: God is Ambidextrous

Monday of this week

Tuesday of this week

Family Advocates: Rm 14; 5:30pm
Reformation 500 Series Reading Group: Off-site; 7pm
Compassionate Friends: GC; 7pm

Wednesday of this week

Breakfast at Red Room Restaurant; 8am
Prayer Group: Conf. Room; 10am
Feeding Friends: D'ville Methodist Church; 4:30pm

Thursday of this week

"The Next Scripture": Conf. Rm; 9am
AA Meeting: Rm 14; 8pm

Friday of this week

Saturday of this week

Next Sunday

Lutheran Treasures Sermon Series; Part four: Vocation in Daily Life
Reformation 500 Event Series: "*Luther*" Movie and Pizza Night; GC; 6pm

Worship Attendance for August 6: 9:00am: 117

GRACE LUTHERAN WORSHIP 9:00AM SERVICE: Our 9:00am service is broadcast live on radio station D99.3 fm. You can also stream online - find the link to listen live on your computer on the Grace website or direct link to D99.3 - <http://d99point3.com>. Then click on 'Listen Live'.

GRACE LUTHERAN WORSHIP SERVICE IS ON TV: Due to building construction at the Dodgeville High School, our worship services will not be televised through the summer, but will resume this fall.

GRACE LUTHERAN WORSHIP SERVICE IS ON YOUTUBE. Go to the YouTube website and search Grace Lutheran Church Dodgeville to see the most current 10:30am Worship Service.