

April 2023



Good News of Grace

Family Worship Times

Sunday 8:00am & 10:30am

Sunday School 9:15am

Pastors

Michael Buchhorn & Erik Christensen

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He is risen

It seems that each day we are reminded of how fragile life is. Through accidents, fires, floods and other natural disasters lives are quickly ended. Heart attacks, strokes and other health problems can quickly transform the strong and vibrant into the frail and feeble. Yes, life is fragile. The Bible says *"All men are like grass, and all their glory is like the flowers of the field. The grass withers and the flowers fall, because the breath of the LORD blows on them."* *Is 40:8* For most of the long history of humanity death had the upper hand and the final word or as the Bible simply says, "death reigned".

But at Easter we hear the story of the one whose life was not fragile. We hear the story of Jesus. Death did not reign over Him. St. Peter described Jesus by saying, *"it was impossible for death to keep its hold on him."* *Act 2:24* Jesus himself said, *"I am the Living One; I was dead, and behold I am alive for ever and ever! And I hold the keys of death and Hades."* *Rev 1:18* Death did not have dominion over him because unlike every other person who had ever lived, Jesus lived the life God desired for all people. He lived a life uncorrupted by sin.

As a result, Jesus' life was not fragile. His was a life marked by energy and power that is unconquerable. He lived a strong, vibrant and victorious life.

The good news we will once again celebrate this Easter is that Jesus wants to share His strong, invincible life with us. Sadly, we often feel as though we are a long way removed from the events of the first Easter.

The victory of Christ over sin and death seems a long way from us as we experience illness, stress and temptations. But because of the mercy of God, Jesus shares his strong life and pours it into our fragile lives.

A book I read some time ago had a nice way of saying it. It was called: "The Life of God in the Souls of Men." The book was written by a man from Scotland in the seventeenth century. He understood the blessing it was that the strong life of Jesus intersected our feeble lives. Another author put it this way, "The Christian is not just a good, decent, moral man; the life of God has entered into him, there is an energy, a power, a life in him and it is that that makes him peculiarly and specifically Christian."

The message of Easter is that the strong, vibrant and victorious life of God can animate our souls. Jesus summed up the purpose for his coming by saying, *"I have come that they may have life and have it to the full."* *Jn 10:10* In the Gospel of John, the stated purpose for its composition was *"that you might believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name."* *Jn 20:31*

Jesus wants to share his life with us. We become partakers of that life through baptism. Through baptism our old frail and sinful life dies with Jesus Christ so that His new life can fill us. The Bible puts it this way, *"Count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus."* *Rom 6:11* And again, *"When you were dead in your sins... God made you alive with Christ."* *Col. 2:13* As we die with Christ in baptism and are raised to a new life, His life fills us.

As we celebrate Easter, we are not simply retelling an old story of an event from long ago. On Easter we celebrate the life that we can still participate in. We celebrate Jesus' life and victory because it is our own victory. Jesus promised *"because I live you will live also."* *Jn 14:19* The life that could not be contained by a tomb is the life that we still share in. Easter is our celebration of life.

I pray that in this most joyous season you may know the strength of God's life in your soul.

In Christ,

Pastor Buchhorn

From Pastor Erik

Dear Members of Grace,

I have recently received a call to be the Sole Pastor at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Anchorage, Alaska. I would also be serving at Anchor Lutheran School that is connected with their congregation. It is with great love, for both their congregation and ours, that I am faithfully praying and considering the steps God is leading all of us towards. Know that as I go through this process I encourage and ask that you would come and visit with me. Please bring any of your thoughts or questions that you wish to share with me. I have been greatly blessed by all of the work we have accomplished together for God's glory and His kingdom! I look forward to continuing to serve Him and all of you as it may be His will. I do ask that you keep me in your prayers also. I will need them to help make a clear decision and rightfully hear God's leading. I will be glad to keep everyone updated as we get closer to making any final announcements.

In His Grip,
Pastor Erik

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Palm Sunday: April 2 we will the beginning of Holy Week with special Palm Sunday worship services at 8 and 10:30 a.m. There will be a Palm procession for children at the beginning of each service. During the 10:30 service we also will celebrate the Rite of Confirmation for our Junior Confirmands. This important milestone for these young people is also a day to remember our own vows of faithfulness and ask that God help us abide in faith and hope.

Maundy Thursday: April 6 at 7:00 p.m. we gather in remembrance of our Lord Jesus Christ on the anniversary of the night of His betrayal and celebrate the meal He gave us for the forgiveness of sins.

Good Friday: April 7 at 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. On this solemn day we remember Jesus' death for us. We will pause for a time of reflection on the words of Jesus from the Cross. Join us for this time to contemplate Christ's crucifixion and its meaning for us.

Holy Saturday: April 8 There will be **no** family communion hour.

Easter Sunday: April 9 at 7:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. We will celebrate the day of resurrection with a joyous Easter worship celebration. The angels' ancient affirmation "He is risen!" still is our reason for rejoicing. Following our 7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service an Easter Breakfast hosted by our youth group will be served. Both services will include a celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Plan now to celebrate with us and invite someone to join you.

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— REV. ROBERT WURST,
LERT Volunteer Manager, LCMS Disaster Training

Join a LERT training event near you to learn how congregations and individual members can be better prepared to show Christ's love to the community when a disaster strikes.

FIND OUT HOW you can become part of the Lutheran Early Response Team (LERT) network of volunteers, trained to respond in times of disaster, at LCMS-LERT.org.

We love because
he first loved us
(1 JOHN 4:19).



A Lutheran Early Response Team Training event will be held at Grace on Saturday, April 22, 2023 from 9am-3pm. Sign up online for \$30, cost assistance is available if needed. The cost includes lunch, materials, and a t-shirt.

College Sunday Night Dinners and Bible Study

Sunday Night Dinners for our College Students, Young Adults, and anyone who wants to join us will continue throughout the month of April. These meals start at 7:30pm, with a time of fellowship and Bible Study immediately preceding this at 6:30pm. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up to host a meal or even a few of them for this semester! Again, we greatly appreciate all of your help, and definitely welcome all students who are interested in coming together for some fellowship!

High School Sunday School Class

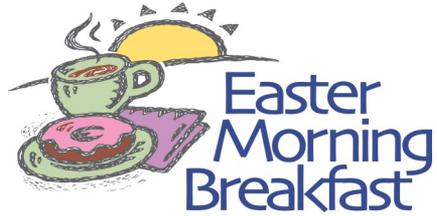
Our current High School Sunday School Class is called, "GENESIS, SCIENCE, AND THE FOUNDING FATHERS!" Come join our High School Youth, Parents, and interested Adults Class as we unlock a "boat load" of topics in Genesis and how they totally apply to our day and our times. Ever wondered if science can confirm the Bible? Ever wanted to know what pearls of wisdom God's Word has to offer us for life today? And who were the founding fathers? Were they really just agnostics, deists or can they point us to the truth about Jesus and the Bible? Come join us as we discover how these three pieces actually fit together, in our new study through the beginning of God's Word... Genesis! Be sure to invite your friends and check out our schedule below!

High School Wednesday Bible Study

The High School Youth invite our **7th and 8th Grade Youth** to join our Bible Study in the Church Basement. We will meet during our normal MidWeek class time as confirmation will have officially ended on March 29th. Pastor Erik will offer a time of games and Bible Study starting April 12th from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. We will not meet on April 5th due to the services on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday for Holy Week. However, we will meet April 12th, 19th, and 26th as described above.

MidWeek Classes

During Holy Week, April 5, none of the midweek classes will meet. During the remainder of the month, the 5th Grade Mid-Week class will not be meeting, but our 3rd Grade, 4th Grade, and 6th Grade classes will still meet from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. These classes will meet April 12, 19 & 26 unless your specific teacher tells you otherwise. For our 7th, and 8th Grade Youth see the announcement above about our High School Wednesday Night Bible Study.



Easter Breakfast

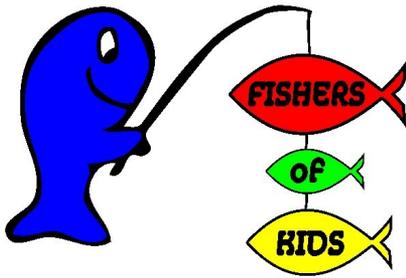
The Youth will be serving their typical Easter morning Breakfast starting at 7:30am or immediately following our sunrise service. Youth are requested to help with providing food, setting up for the event on Saturday April 8th at 1pm, as well as cooking and serving the food the morning of April 9th. Parents are needed to make sure this event runs smoothly. We will be serving pancakes, sausage, yogurt, fruit, orange juice, milk and coffee. We will need youth to come to church by 6:30am to start preparing the food that day. Stay to serve from 7:30am until 10am. And finally, help cleanup from 10am to 10:30am. Please bring all food items to the church by Saturday, April 8th, at 1pm. And take some time to sign up for the food you plan to donate, as well as letting us know when you plan to work this event by following the link below.

Bit.ly/EasterBreakfast23

Youth Nerf War

On April 15th our college students are hoping to offer an amazing event for our youth group centered around a Nerf War and Bible Study! More details will be coming soon in regards to exact time and location of this event. Please contact Pastor Erik if you are not currently receiving his text messages about the youth group activities. And we appreciate you taking the time to join and participate with our group.





Spring is on its way! The students are ready to enjoy warmer weather! This month has been busy, We learned about fiction and nonfiction books during our "Read Across America" theme. St. Patrick's Day was celebrated with fun activities throughout the week! The students went

on a shamrock and gold coin hunt. Also, they followed a map and clues and discovered "treasure." Themes still to come are Spring Weather and Chick Life Cycles.

Students will be singing in church on March 26th, and Parent/Teacher conferences will also be held that day. Next month, our themes include: Going On An Egg Hunt, Plants, Earth Day, and Insects. As we prepare for Easter, students will also be watching The Easter Story movie. Plans are being made for students to have their Spring photos taken.

Happy Easter!

Sunday School Updates and Reminders

Upcoming Lessons Include:

April 2nd – **A Crushing Truth – Jesus is Crucified**

April 9th – **A Living Truth – Jesus Rises**

April 16th – **A Revealing Truth – The Emmaus Road**

April 23rd – **An Ascending Truth – Jesus Ascends**

April 30th – **A Telling Truth - Pentecost**

During the month of April, our 9:15am Sunday School Openings will continue meeting down in the church basement. Parents should plan to join their children as we kick off the morning with snacks, and a time of great fellowship. Immediately following this time of fellowship, the Lower Division classes will either meet for music or be sent directly to their classroom. Upper Division youth will go directly to their classrooms each week.

We are extremely excited to see all our Preschool-6th Grade youth in a few days for our CrossPoint event, called Journey to the Cross! Again this is scheduled for April 1st running from 9:30am to 12pm with a check in period starting at 9am! After each group gets done we will have a Easter Egg Hunt that the kids will be able to enjoy! Thank you to everyone who donated candy or money to make this event a huge success, and thank you to everyone involved with our educational side of CrossPoint as well! The youth are going to

hear all about the last week of Jesus life and without all of our leaders, teachers, and youth involved in setting this event up it would never have been as wonderful! And finally, thank you to our fearless leader Chuck Potosnyak! Chuck was amazing in leading us as we drew closer to the love of God and His forgiveness that comes in the guarantee of the empty tomb, and our risen Savior Jesus Christ!

The next event our Sunday School Program is working hard to bring to you is our VBS, Keepers of the Kingdom, which is scheduled for June 19th through the 23rd from 5:15pm to 8pm. We are offering an optional meal for families to partake in from 5:15pm to 5:45pm each evening with the official start of VBS at 5:50pm each night. As you will notice this is following last year's schedule of starting on Monday evening and running through Friday. There will be a slightly abbreviated schedule for Friday that still starts at 5:50pm, if your family doesn't wish to participate in the meal before. We will communicate the end time as we finalize our plans. We look forward to having your family join us for a week as we learn about being a "Keeper of the Kingdom!" God encourages us to stand guard and put on His whole armor against the plans of the devil, our world, and our own sinful flesh. He is the one who has won the victory, and we are His beloved children! We can't wait to share God's love with your kids! Please register your family at <https://gracewayne.myanswers.com/keepers-of-the-kingdom/>

Finally, our Sunday School and MidWeek Teachers Meeting for May will take place on April 13th at the usual time of 6:30PM. This will be more of an administrative meeting as we plan to put finishing touches on our classes for the year and look forward to our summer activities.

Respectfully,

The Sunday School Program (pastorerik@gracewayne.com)

3rd Grade Mid-Week

In 3rd grade, kids are presented with their very own Bibles and get to start coming to mid-week. It's such a fun experience helping them understand and unpack the word of God! Our curriculum is broken into five main units (God's Word Is Our Foundation, God is Creator, God is Faithful, Promises of God and Blessings From God). Each is designed to help students find answers in the Bible while shedding light on who God is, what he has done and what he continues to do. The units explain the first four "C's of History" which are creation, corruption, catastrophe and confusion. In an effort to help summarize what we've covered so far, the students were asked the following questions:

How would you describe some of the things we do in 3rd grade mid-week?

We learn about the Bible, how look up books/chapters/verses in the Bible, after each group of lessons there is a memory verse test (followed by a sucker), play review games, sing/dance to learn Bible verses and move our bodies, do activity pages with our lessons

What are some of the key things we've learned so far this year?

- there are 66 books in the Bible (39 in the Old Testament and 27 in the New Testament)

- the Bible is our foundation for our faith, where we go for answers

- when reading verses it's helpful to ask who, what, where, when and why

- each week we talk about attributes of God (an attribute describes something)

Some of our student's favorite attributes

Brooklyn Trautman - Just Lexi Temme - Loving Lainey Ekberg - Omniscient

- the Trinity is God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit

- the Gospel is good news

- God created the world about 6,000 years ago

- real stories about a lot of people in history...Adam, Eve, Cain, Abel, Jacob, Esau, Noah, Job, Abram/Abraham, Sarai/Sarah, Lot, Isaac and more to come!

What are some of the Bible verses we've memorized?

- Psalm 119:89-90
- Psalm 8:3-4
- Genesis 6:5
- Hebrews 11:1 & 6

We enjoy our time together but also cover a lot of content! Please continue to keep the hearts and minds of our young people in your prayers.



Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid

March 8, 2023

Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid met on March 8, 2023 with 12 members and Pastor Buchhorn present. Pastor Buchhorn led the Bible study taken from the LWML Quarterly entitled "Chosen for a Purpose". Many would have you believe that you choose your own path and find your own truth; but God's word tells us to trust in the Lord. God has a plan for you. Despite our sinfulness, God chooses ordinary people to serve Him by helping others.

Christian Growth Chairman, Mary Lou Erleben gave a devotion from the LWML website entitled "Love Atoning" based on 1 John 4:10. God loved us so much He sent His Son to die for us unconditionally. We must share this good news of love with everyone.

President Ellen Heinemann led the group in reading the LWML Pledge. Roll call was taken and the minutes were read and corrected and approved. Correspondence included newsletters from different charities. A thank you was received from Karen Temme.

The Treasurer's report was given and will be filed for audit.

Committee Reports:

Card Ministry: Betty Wittig sent a report of the cards she had sent.

Sewing: Ruth Victor reported that sewing was postponed because of weather. The ladies sewed this past Thursday and tied 5 quilts. Next sewing day will March 23.

Confirmands: Mary Janke will bring the cards next week. It was decided to give each student a gift for their confirmation from the Ladies Aid. Kathy Johnson will order them.

Best Choice UPC Labels: Grace Kanitz reported she did not receive many labels this past month. She encouraged every one to be sure to cut and save the Best Choice labels and bring them to the church office or to Ladies Aid.

Ellen Heinemann led the Mission Grant devotion entitled "Strengthening the Lutheran Mission to Kuna, Idaho Friendship Celebration Lutheran Church" for \$100,000. Kuna is the fastest growing urban/suburban areas in the United States. There is no Lutheran presence in Kuna. The grant will add to the funds needed to buy land on which to build a sanctuary and other facilities for the growing congregation.

Old Business: Barb Greve and Fauneil Bennett audited the treasurer books and found them to be in order.

Rhonda Sebade reported on the Young Women's Representatives for the LWML National Convention in Milwaukee this June. The district board had 3 young women apply to represent the Nebraska North LWML District. The board decided to send all 3 women to the national convention. What a blessing.

New Business: Treasurer Verna Mae Baier will order the Easter lily to be put on the altar Easter morning from the Aid.

The birthday song was sung for Kathryn Buchhorn. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Mission Council Minutes

Grace Lutheran Church

March 20, 2023

Mission Council for Grace Lutheran Church met at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, March 20, 2023.

The following members were present: Craig Evans, Pastor Buchhorn, Dwight Mock, Chuck Potosnyak, Lowell Johnson, Diana Langemeier, Louise Green, Michael Temme, Ron Sebade, Pam Janke, and Michelle Ekberg

The meeting was called to order by Craig Evans.

Pastor Buchhorn led with an opening prayer and small devotion.

The minutes from February 13, 2023 were reviewed; motion to approve by Louise; seconded by Chuck. Motion carried.

Treasury Report

Louise Green presented the financial reports for February 2023. Michelle motioned to approve; Pam seconded. Motion carried.

Elder's report - Chuck Potosnyak reports,

The Board of Elders met at 7:30 p.m. on March 6, 2023. Pastor Buchhorn led the Elders in a continuing study of the Large Catechism. Membership gains for the month included the baptisms of Addilyn Hass, infant daughter of Linsey and Brian Hass; Ivy Mae Harmer, the infant daughter of Jaret and Nicole Harmer; and Charlotte Diediker, infant daughter of Devin and Nick Diediker. The Confirmation of the Junior Confirmation Class is scheduled for Palm Sunday, April 2, 2023, during the 10:30 a.m. service. A committal service for the remains of Jack Kingston, formerly of Wayne, will be held in the Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne on April 20, 2023. Pastor Erik reported that the Sunday School is meeting its goals. A one-day Crosspoint Vacation Bible School event, entitled "Journey to the Cross", will be held on Saturday April 1, 2023, at Grace. Wayne State College students are currently on spring break and Campus Student Ministry will resume when classes begin. A Circuit meeting was held March 7, 2023, at Hope, South Sioux City. The Spring District Pastors' Conference was held March 13-14, 2023, with both pastors attending. A second proof of the Pictorial Directory was received and checked for errors. Gary Thies from Mission Central presented at Grace on March 12, 2023. Grace will host Lutheran Early Response Team Training on April 22, 2023, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The training is designed to help better be prepared when a disaster strikes. Pastor Erik will be on vacation March 20-24, 2023.

Committee Reports:

Trustee Report – Lowell Johnson

A roof leak from the bell tower into the sanctuary will be further evaluated as the weather warms. Repairs to the lower-level bathroom, wall repairs and paint touch ups in the Preschool Sunday School room will be

completed after installing a vent cap on the north side of the education wing. A sprinkler system at the Preschool will begin once cement can be removed from the area. The playground equipment location and perimeter has been staked out. The ground will need to be leveled, holes dug, and gravel leveled once the ground thaws. Pastor Buchhorn's office had a water leak during a thaw cycle. The drain line from the downspouts was frozen. A heat tape was partially installed in the line and will be more fully installed by a plumber. A foundation repair company also evaluated the situation and submitted a bid for a water diversion system. A third option suggested was to consider cementing the drain area. These options will be further discussed in the future. Two bids were presented by Ron Sebade regarding the replacement of 19 Preschool windows. The first bid from Vokoc; stated their cost was \$7,400, not including labor, installation, or disposal of windows. The second bid was from Window World; a cost of \$12,750 for 18 custom double hung windows, labor, and disposal of the old windows. A possible removal of an east bedroom window is also under consideration. The project would need to be completed during the summer break. A motion was made to approve the bid of Window World by Mike; seconded by Louise with the money to come from the Preschool Checking account. Motion approved. The congregation will be responsible for the removal of the current storm windows prior to the project starting. Heating issues in the restrooms and conference room upstairs in the education wing was discussed. Cove heating is being considered and will be priced and presented at the next meeting.

Campus Ministry- Craig reports Wayne State was on Spring Break two weeks ago and has since resumed. Five to eight students have been attending Bible study regularly. Sunday night meals have been serving approximately 10 students. An upgrade of the audio visual system is being considered possibly adding a big screen television to heighten events/sessions at the Cup of Grace will be continued at a later time.

Auxiliary (Altar Guild/LWML): Pam notes Easter Lily orders will be out coming soon.

Endowment- Gary Thiess presented Sunday, March 19 showing what our congregation is helping finance through Mission Central.

Memorial Fund- Louise reports from KimBerly Hansen. The memorial account has \$6,513.95. The kitchen continues to review stove options, however no decision has been made.

Education (Sunday School, Midweek, VBS, Children Programming) – Diana reports a meeting was held via Zoom, March 9. A one-day VBS, Journey to the Cross-An Easter Experience, will be held April 1; using five rooms to share the story, 1-2 people will be helping move kids from room to room. A theme for Summer Sunday School is being discussed. The next meeting date was set.

Preschool-from Megan- Playground improvement project awaits the installation of the PlayScape and swing set fall zone. Enrollment for next year has begun; one applicant has since enrolled. The preschool classes will be singing at the 10:30 service on March 26th; Parent/Teacher conferences will begin following church on this day. Sara Ruwe will be stepping down as the Preschool Director at the end of the year. A motion was made, seconded and passed to extend a big 'thank you' to Sara for her years of dedicated service in this role. A list of expectations regarding duties of the position will be generated by Pastor Erik with the help of Sara. Anyone interested in possibly filling this role is encouraged to speak with Pastor Erik or a Preschool board member.

Stewardship/Finance: Mike noted 2024 Offering envelopes have been ordered and arrived.

Administrative Handbook: Louise reported February items have been completed.

Evangelism/Publicity/Community Engagement: No report given.

Fellowship/Kitchen: Ron notes from KimBerly that the kitchen stoves were evaluated and cannot be fixed due to age. They are looking into replacement options. A 'thank you' to the Elders has been extended for their donation of the monies from their Lenten Meal toward stove replacement. Location for the installation of additional outlets have been marked and are awaiting installation.

Old Business:

Pictorial Directory Project- A 2nd proof copy was received March 9. 14 further corrections were needed; the material was returned to the directory company on March 13. The \$180 invoice was paid so that duplication can proceed as soon as additional corrections are made.

District & Circuit Items- Spring Pastor's conference was held March 13-14 in Kearney. Both Pastors attended. Pastor Buchhorn and Deb Jensen have been registered as our congregation's voters for Synodical President and our Synodical statistical report has been completed and returned to the synod.

Lenten Meal on March 22 will be sponsored by the Mission Council. Meal will include taverns, cheesy potatoes, coleslaw. Members will bring desserts. Set up will begin at 4:15pm. The donations received from this year and last year will go to the Kingdom Workers Fund. Motioned by Diana; seconded by Ron. Motion carried.

A spring work date will be scheduled after the ground work is completed for the installation of the new playscape. Preschool playground work will be the main project undertaken.

New Business:

Recognition: A Certificate of Recognition from the LCMS was received for our partnership in supporting missionaries throughout the years, 'Together in Mission since 2004'.

LERT Training Lutheran Early Response Team Training at Grace will be on Saturday, April 22, 2023 from 9am-3pm. Sign up online for \$30, cost assistance is available if needed. The cost includes lunch, materials, and a t-shirt.

Parking Lot Ron Sebade presented an offer from member Chad Sebade of Sebade Construction to add more stone to the southeast parking lot. A motion was made by Louise to pay for up to \$700 worth of rock; Michelle seconded. Motion carried.

The meeting closed with the Lord's prayer.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 10, 2023 at 7 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Michelle Ekberg

GRACE FAMILY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Bonnie Hansen & Madelyn Latham
- 2 Andrea Trautman & Kari Woehler
- 3 Matthew Schaefer
- 4 Laura Mitchell
- 5 Amanda Broberg
- 6 Landen Ekberg & Larsyn Ekberg
- 8 Justin Anderson, Tasha Forsyth, Abigail Bose & Jason Claussen
- 9 Craig Evans, Chase Forsyth, Desiree Kneifl, Sandy Bartling & Sara B. Ruwe
- 10 Layne Evans, Makayla Heithold, Kash Koch & Tammy Nissen
- 11 Payton Janke & Tim Reinhardt
- 12 Kourtney Roeber-Hefti
- 13 Carlene Bodlak
- 14 Nancy Johnson & Joey Niemann
- 16 Ethan Cross
- 17 Diane Hefti, Konnor Kai & Sydnie Niemann
- 18 Scott Hansen & Marcine Rohrberg
- 19 Matthew Sharer
- 20 Lucille Ocampo, Hunter Ruwe & Londa Stowater
- 21 Candace Heggemeyer & Logan Slama
- 23 Trevor Hurlbert & Aiden Kesting
- 24 Nicole Cross
- 26 Carissa Pollock
- 27 Lisa Niemann & Elizabeth Sharer
- 28 Patrick Young
- 29 Coleman Kneifl & Logan Schafer
- 30 Nora Heithold

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Elder on duty

- 02 8:00 am. Mike Heithold
10:30 am. Jared Heithold
- 06 7:00 pm. Josh Ruwe
- 07 9:00 am. Chuck Potosnyak
7:00 pm. Mike Heithold
- 09 7:00 am. Doug Heithold
10:30 am. Payton Janke
- 16 8:00 am. Josh Ruwe
10:30 am. Chuck Potosnyak
- 23 8:00 am. Jared Heithold
10:30 am. Mike Heithold
- 30 8:00 am. Payton Janke
10:30 pm. Doug Heithold

Lay Readers

- 02 8:00 am. Jeff Simpson
10:30 am. Andy Bose
- 09 7:00 am. Louise Green
10:30 am. Galen Wiser
- 16 8:00 am. Lowell Schardt
10:30 am. Jennifer Kesting
- 23 8:00 am. Kathy Johnson
10:30 am. Brian Kesting
- 30 8:00 am. Diane Zach
10:30 pm. Mary Temme

Acolytes

- 02 8:00 am. Bryn Tiedtke & Myles Tiedtke
10:30 am. Chase Rethwisch & Reagan Heithold
- 06 7:00 pm. Alivia Kesting & Myles Tiedtke
- 07 7:00 pm. Lauren Ekberg & Brayden Stegemann
- 09 7:00 am. Brayden Stegemann & Tre'cyn Ocampo
10:30 am. Colston Starzl & Courtney Roeber
- 16 8:00 am. Bryn Tiedtke & Maddux Heithold
10:30 am. Dylan Jensen & Dreu Jensen
- 23 8:00 am. Konnor Kai & Blake Kneifl
10:30 am. Cole Zach & Cloey Young
- 30 8:00 am. Hunter Ruwe & Emma Heithold
10:30 pm. Lauren Ekberg & Graycen Trautman

Greeters

- 02 8:00 am. Louise Green & Jeanette Swanson
10:30 am. Don & Lisa Nelson
- 09 7:00 am. Louise Green & Chuck Potosnyak
10:30 am. Galen & Kathy Wiser
- 16 8:00 am. LeRoy & Carol Robbert
10:30 am. Jerry & Loree Echtenkamp
- 23 8:00 am. Lowell & Kathy Johnson
10:30 am. Justin & Megan Anderson
- 30 8:00 am. Jesse & Cassie Heithold
10:30 pm. Doug & Mary Temme



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APRIL 2023 Grace Lutheran Church — Activity Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Grace Lutheran Church 402-375-1905 www.gracewayne.com</p>			 HOLY WEEK			<p>1 9a CrossPoint 4p Family Communion</p>
<p>2 Palm Sunday 8a Worship 9:15a Sun. School & B.C. 10:30a Worship/Confirmation 7:30 pm. Sun. Night Dinner</p>	<p>3 3:30p Kinship Comm. 7:30p Elders</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5 5p Bell Choir</p>	<p>6 7p Maundy Thursday Worship w/ Communion</p>	<p>7 9a Good Friday Worship 7p Good Friday Worship</p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p>	<p>8 No Family Communion</p>
<p>9 Easter Sunday 7a Easter Sunrise/Comm 8a Easter Breakfast 9:15a Easter Hymn Sing 10:30a Easter Worship/Comm</p>	<p>10 6p Choir 7p Mission Council</p>	<p>11 1p Blood Bank</p>	<p>12 9a Bible Study 2p Ladies Aid 5p Bell Choir 6:30p Midweek</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15 4p Family Communion College Nerf War with Youth</p>
<p>16 8a Worship 9:15a Sun. School & B.C. 10:30a Worship 7:30 p Sun. Night Dinner</p>	<p>17 6p Choir</p>	<p>18 9:15a LWML Rally @ Martinsburg</p>	<p>19 9a Bible Study 5p Bell Choir 6:30p Midweek</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 9a LERT Training 4p Family Communion</p>
<p>23 8a Worship/Comm 9:15a Sun. School & B.C. 10:30a Worship/Comm 7:30p Sun. Night Dinner</p>	<p>24 6p Choir</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26 9a Bible Study 5p Bell Choir 6:30p Midweek</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 4p Family Communion</p>
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