

GRACE MESSENGER

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

January 2018

Lay People Serving in January

Altar Guild

Bohn Family

Ushers

Dick & Kendra Rohde (for the month)
(Yes you can sign up for just one week)

Acolyte

7: Addison Sather
14: Jack Anderson
21: Jax Henderson
28: Isabelle Nelson

Lay Readers

7: David Warner
14:
21: Mary Ann Kult
28:

Communion Assistants

7: Mary Ann Kult
14:
21: Mary Ann Kult
28: None Needed

Coffee

7: Youth Group
14:
21:
28: Nelson Family

In Need of Prayers and Cards

*Ivar Sorenson
Steve Frauenshuh*

*Family & Friends of
Alice Larson
Maurine & Richard Edstrom*

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*In Memory of
Barbara Greifzu
from
Betty Thompson
David & Susan Ruzek
Gertrude Everhart*



Please Sign Up to Help



*Happy New Year
from Pastor Erika
& Your Staff*

Remember A.S.A.P. Always Say a Prayer



Grace Women

Meet: 3rd Tuesday Each Month @ 1:00 pm
 Leaders: Mary Ann Kult and Diane Eddy
 Secretary: Lois Christensen
 Treasurer: Carole Holten

Bible Study begins at 12 noon on the 3rd
 Tuesday of the month. Just before Grace
 Women

Grace Women
 Date: December 12, 2017

Annual Cookie Pack and Pot Luck lunch. Packed 20 small boxes and one big one which was distributed with the left over cookies used at the “Old Fashioned Christmas”. A great potluck lunch. Thank you to all who attended the **Cookie Pack** and donated cookies.

Happy New Year to all

Our next meeting is January 16th at the Bakery at 12:30 pm.

All Women of Grace are invited to come.

WELCA Purpose

As a community of women created in the image of God, called to discipleship in Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action and promote healing and wholeness in the Church, the society and the world.



What's Happening at Grace

January 3rd
3:30 pm GLOW

January 3rd
5:30 pm Youth Group

January 4th
2:00 pm Worship & Music

January 5th & 19th
Knitting 4 Peace

January 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st
5:30 pm Confirmation

January 11th
12:45 pm Finance Team

January 16th
12:30 pm Grace Women
at the McGregor Bakery

January 17th
7:30 pm Congregation Council

Office Hours

Pastor
Mondays Thru Thursdays
Office Phone: 218-426-3343

Parish Administrator
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
9:00 am to 12:00 pm

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Membership

If you wish to join Grace Lutheran,
Please speak to Pastor Erika

Facebook

We are on Facebook - like us!!



GRACE OUR TROOPS

The following are people we know of who are in the Military. If you have a relative or friend you would like included please call the Church Office (426-3343).

Service Members: Abram Freeman (Diane Eddy's Nephew), Jon Clark (Mary Patterson's Grandson), Charles Davison and Darrel Geving (Bernis Geving's Nephews), Nicklas Wilson (Diane Wilson's Nephew), Michael Hebert (Mary Streeter's Grandson), Joey Jacobs (Youth Group Member) (Step Son of Stephanie Jacobs).

Team Finance Update

Our Congregation approved our **2017 Spending Plan** at the 2016 Annual Meeting.

In November 2017, planned spending was \$12,094.

In November 2017, Congregation giving was \$9,330.

November's Designated Giving (Building, Memorial, Youth Gathering, etc.) was \$1,326.

The next "Youth Gathering" will be June 2018. The Fellowship Coffee on the first Sunday of the Month is done by the Youth. Monies received will go into their fund. We look forward to upcoming events in helping our Youth raising the funds for their adventure to Houston Texas.

Giving at Grace

Giving at Grace can be done in many different ways. Which works best for you?

Traditional envelope giving: Church members receive theirs in the mail, extra envelopes are in the pews.

Online giving: through Grace's website.

Simply Giving: arranged to be drawn from your bank accounts on ongoing basis.

Credit/Debit Card: a "Square" reader is attached to our tablet for anyone to "swipe" their credit or debit card on.

Worship Service

Sunday
9:00 am Worship
Main Sanctuary

VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME!

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Articles for the Newsletter are welcome at any time.



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