

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ GRACE...

SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS

Join us today for **Gracious Sights and Sounds at 9:45 am and celebration for Kristi Kath. Complimentary Breakfast Burrito Bar** is available for all attendees at 9:30 - 10:45 am. **Meet your Sunday School teacher today** in their classrooms downstairs. Kids enjoy bouncy house fun!

Walking Group - Today after 11:00 am service.

Free Community Dinner Tuesday, September 11th at 5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Welcome back Adulthood with Grace adults! To start off the fall session of **The Table**, we will be gathering **September 15th from 5:00 - 7:00 pm at the Astrup's home** for food and fellowship. Bring a dish to share and the kids. Contact Katie katiepaulson@gmail.com for more details.

Grace Prayer Support (GPS) will be kicking off our study of, "All the Prayers of the Bible" Old Testament prayers starting September 16th at 12:15pm.

Crafting... Saturday, September 22nd at 10:00 am We will be making two greeting cards and a door banner with a fall/October theme. Cost \$3...all supplies will be provided. RSVP Sydney Smith 206.550.2949 / sydney953@hotmail.com.

Women's Boat Cruise Sunday, September 23rd 12:00 - 5:00 pm Space is limited so sign up early. Suggested donation of \$5 to cover gas will be collected day of trip. Questions? Contact Jessica Tossey at 206.429.1341. No nurse available.

SAVE THE DATE!!! **Women's Guatemala Mission Trip** is scheduled for February – contact Debbie O'Neal if you are interested in finding out more about this life-changing trip to El Refugio. debbie@gotgrace.com or 253.839.5188

CAN YOU HELP?

Graceland Men's Shelter - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED If you have any questions or would like to sign up, contact the church office at 206.878.2460.

Wanted: Children's Coordinator for the Sancta Lucia pageant. Contact Nola Irish for details at 206.878.8081. Thank you, Nola, for your 10 years of volunteering.

Help us help immigrants and refugees new to the area! We are collecting emergency food bags for Lutheran Community Services NW for October. Grocery store gift cards are also desired. Contact Jenna Carodiskey-Wiebe at cymoril3@yahoo.com or Jessica Tossey at jttossey@aol.com for a list of needed items.

CHILDREN (BIRTH - GRADE 6) & YOUTH (GRADES 7 - 12)

Senior High Study (Grades 10 - 12) & Confirmation Classes (Grades 7 - 9)
Wednesday, September 12th at 6:30 pm

WOW (Worship our Way) (Grades 7 - 12)
Wednesday, September 12th at 7:30 pm

Kids of the Kingdom Choir Rehearsals
Mondays 5:30-6:15 pm Questions?
Jason: jlastrup@gmail.com

Sunday School begins at 9:45 am on Sunday, September 16th

Sunday, September 16th at both the 8:30 and 11:00 am services. Bring your new school backpacks and have them blessed as you start the school year!

Black Lake Retreat Grades 7 - 12
Depart Friday, September 21st at 5:30 pm
Return Sunday, September 23rd at 3:00 pm
\$145 by September 16th or \$175 afterwards
Questions? Contact Miranda at miranda@gotgrace.com

Confirmation Preparation

Tuesday, October 9th 7:30 pm

Meet with Church Council

Sunday, October 14th 5:00 pm

Public Catechization

Saturday, October 20th 11:30 am

Rehearsal (sanctuary) for the Rite of Confirmation

Sunday, October 21st 10:30 am

"Gown-up"

Sunday, October 21st 11:00 am

Rite of Confirmation

Jubilant Ringers (Grades 9 - 12)

Sunday 6:00 - 7:30 pm, starting September 16th

By invitation - students with 4-5+ years of experience

Praise Ringers (Grades 5 - 10)

Sunday 7:30 - 8:30 pm, starting September 16th

Middle & high school youth - 1-3+ years of experience

Joyful Ringers (Grades 3 - 8)

Monday 5:45 - 6:45 pm, starting September 17th

Children with little or no prior musical experience

Resounding Grace Ringers (Grade 9 - Adult)

Monday 7:00 - 8:30 pm, starting September 24th

Open to adults (all ages) and high school students participating in the Jubilant Ringers

For additional information, please contact **Brian Tervo** at bells@gotgrace.com or 206.713.6103

STUDY/SUPPORT GROUPS

Women's Bible Study Saturday, September 15th at 9:15 am - Fellowship Hall

Grief and Loss Group Thursday, October 4th at 9:30 am - Hospitality Room 101

Men's Bible Study & Breakfast Saturday, October 13th at 8:00 am - Fellowship Hall

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

We would love to pray with and for you! **Moms in Prayer**, a group of mothers who pray together weekly, meet each Friday morning at 8:30 am. Everyone welcome to attend. Do you have a **prayer request** for the prayer chain or prayers of the church? Contact the office at 206.878.2460 or graceoffice@gotgrace.com.

Prayers of the Church: Lucille Bredberg; Delma Strobel (knee surgery); Rosemary O'Dell; Jim Zimmerman; Jeanne and Luther Simundson; Koki Osborne; Dorothy Smith; Robyn Schultz (surgery); Eric Johnson (heart); Ruth Johnson; Marilyn Hilsen; Sheryl Clark.

Extended Family and Friends: Karen Garvick-Edwards's nephew, Kyle; Jeannie McGuire's brother-in-law, Howard; Jim Eichholtz' friend, Cathy; Sandi Denoff's brother, Chuck and neighbors, Marty and his family; Audrey and Bill Bowers son, David; Carole Geis' grandson, Chris; Rand and Barb; Barnard's daughter-in-law, Jennifer; Barbara Ray's son, Richard; Carol Schluter's daughter, Heidi; Nola Irish's sister, Marsha.

Homebound: Gene Cason; Jerry and Donna Larson; Tom Mariner; Norm McDonell; Bert Strobel; Winnie Bjelland; Joe Widen; Mal and Donna Soine; Sarah Marie Edwards; Kalma Christianson; Betty Dokken; Wes Hjalmer; Nancy Mitchell; Jamel Barden; Janene Ryan.

- Family and friends of Pastor Stephanie Coltvet-Erdmann on her death;
- All those impacted by natural disasters and first responders who are helping;
- grace in ACTION Ministry;
- Sister church in El Salvador and Haiti Ministry;
- El Refugio Women's Shelter, Uganda mission;
- Orfanatorio Emmanuel in Tijuana, Mexico;
- Word of Truth Bible Church;
- Peace in the Far East and Middle East, and especially for our Christian sisters and brothers in Iraq and Syria;
- All those men and women serving in law enforcement and their families;
- All those men and women serving in the military and their families;
- Our nation;
- All hungry, homeless and oppressed people;
- All who do not know Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior.

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NEXT WEEK AT GRACE: SEPTEMBER 9-16, 2018

Sunday: Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

- 8:30 AM Worship - traditional / Holy Communion
- 9:30 AM Breakfast Burrito Bar opens
- 9:45 AM "Gracious Sights and Sounds" / Celebration for Kristi Kath
- 9:45 AM Sunday School Open House - meet teachers and bouncy house fun

11:00 AM Worship - contemporary / Holy Communion

12:00 PM Walking Group

12:15 PM Boomers Picnic

5:30 PM Kids of the Kingdom Choir

6:20 PM Scouts

7:00 PM Nar-Anon Family Group

7:30 PM Young Adults Bible Study

5:00 PM Free Community Dinner

6:00 PM Mission Leaders

7:00 PM Ministry Leadership Team

8:00 PM AA

6:30 PM Confirmation Classes / Senior High Study

7:00 PM Grace Choir

7:30 PM WOW

9:00 AM Quilting

12:30 PM AIAnon

8:30 AM Moms in Prayer

5:00 PM MESSENGER News Due

7:00 PM NA

9:15 AM Women's Bible Study

Sunday: Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

8:30 AM Worship - traditional

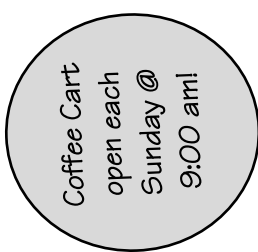
9:45 AM Education Hour / Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship - contemporary

12:30 PM Grace Prayer Support (GPS)

6:00 PM Jubilant Ringers Rehearsal

7:30 PM Praise Ringers Rehearsal



Fall Focus...The Year of the Servant. Be a part of it!

◇ **September 16th**
SALT Kickoff

◇ **September 23rd**
Around the Table "Authority"
(Prologue through Chapter 1)

◇ **September 30th**
Around the Table "Service and Sacrifice" (Chapter 4)

