

# WELCOME

#### **GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH - February 18 2024**

# **ABOUT US**

Grace started in 1942 with the purpose to share the Gospel to the growing area of Denison. We're a member of The Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod, a church that upholds God's Word, emphasizes God's grace in our lives, and shows mercy to our community.

# **OUR MISSION STATEMENT**

"Grace exists to strengthen people in their relationship with Jesus Christ and to empower them to share Jesus with others."

# **VISITOR INFORMATION**

**WELCOME**...You can follow the service on the screen. We also have a brief outline of the service in this bulletin. Please fill out attendance cards found in the pew racks and place them at the end of the pew.

For communion, we offer gluten free wafers and diluted wine in the middle of the individual cups tray.

For toddlers, we have a staffed nursery at the 10:30am service.

# CONTACT US

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# WEEKLY EVENTS

#### **SUNDAY February 18**

8:00am Worship Service 9:20am Sunday School 10:30am Worship Service 5:00pm Youth Bible Study

#### **MONDAY February 19**

10:00am "Abide" Bible Study 6:30pm "Abide" Bible Study

#### WEDNESDAY February 21

9:30am Staff Meeting
1;00pm Afternoon Quilters
5:45pm Lenten Meal
6:30pm Lenten Worship
7:45pm Praise Team Practice

**SATURDAY February 24** Education Brunch 9:00am

#### **SUNDAY February 25**

8:00am Worship Service 9:20am Sunday School 10:30am Worship Service 5:00pm Youth Bible Study And Dinner

# COMING SOON...BIBLE AND BREW

A new Bible Study will begin the fourth Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm. Location will be at Lost Street Brewing, 109 W. Lost Street in Durant . Keith Lund will begin teaching February 27.

# **EDUCATION BRUNCH**

Saturday, February 24 9:00am. We will be talking about VBS, current Bible studies and more.

# **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Thank you for your participation in Operation Christmas Child 2023. In the US10 million shoe boxes were collected with more than 14,700 collected from our area. This month we are collecting stuffed animals and toothbrushes. Please put your donation box in the narthex. If you would like to pack shoeboxes throughout the year, see Elaine Botka or Chrissie Gilbert empty shoeboxes.

# THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY AT GRANDY'S WILL NOT MEET DURING LENT

# YOUTH GATHERING

If you have a child that will be between the ages of 14-19 the Summer of 2025, they are eligible to attend the LCMS Youth Gathering in New Orleans! If your child is interested in attending, please contact April Gilbert to have their name added as an attendee.

# **PRAYER LIST**

# 8:00am Traditional

**OPENING HYMN** 436 "Go to Dark Gethsemane"

SCRIPTURE Old Testament: Genesis 22:1-18 Epistle: James 1:12-18 Gospel: Mark 1:9-15

**SERMON SONG** 422 "On My Heart Imprint Your Image"

SERMON He Brought Us Forth: James 1:18

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS** 418 "O Lord, Throughout These Forty Days" 547 "The Lamb"

**CLOSING HYMN** 922 "Go, My Children, with My Blessing"

# 10:30am Blended

PRESERVICE MUSIC "Jesus Messiah"

OPENING SONG "How Great Thou Art" "Here I Am to Worship"

SCRIPTURE Old Testament: Genesis 22:1-18 Epistle: James 1:12-18 Gospel: Mark 1:9-15

**SERMON SONG** From Your Lips to My Heart Ken Franz

**SERMON** He Brought Us Forth: James 1:18

**DISTRIBUTION HYMNS** "O Come to the Altar" "A Mighty Fortress" "I Surrender"

**CLOSING HYMN** 425 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

# **SERMON NOTES**

# Let's Celebrate

### **Birthdays**

2/18
2/19
2/21
2/21
2/21
2/21
2/21
2/24

#### **Baptisms**

Ken Franz	2/18
Becky Simms	2/19
Kelli Smythe	2/23
Azaria Dube	2/24

# Serving Today

#### 8:00am

Ushers	open
Elder	Larry Miller
Reader	
Keyboard Debra L. Jackson	
Altar	Sandra Noth

# 10:30am

Ushers	Will & Lonnie Hartney	
Elders	Bryan Hantsche Dave Frauhiger	
Reader	open	
Keyboard Valerie Keitz		
Nursery	Suzanne and Katelyn Peters	
Altar	Sandra Noth	

## LAST WEEK

Worship Attendance Early 42 Late 98

Sunday School Attendance Children 30 Adults 47

Weekly Giving \$11,062.80

# Flowers today were given by

Yvonne Rogers to honor her father Melvin Schulze on his birthday