



# WELCOME

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH - March 31 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.

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## WEEKLY EVENTS

**SUNDAY March 31**

### EASTER SUNDAY

7:00am Sunrise Service

8:00am Pancake Breakfast

9:20am Sunday School

10:30am Worship Service

**MONDAY April 1**

10:00am "Abide" Bible Study

6:30pm "Abide" Bible Study

**WEDNESDAY April 3**

9:30am Staff Meeting

1:00pm Afternoon Quilters

6:30pm Confirmation

7:00pm Praise Team Practice

**THURSDAY April 4**

10:00am Sojourners

**SUNDAY April 7**

8:00am Worship Service

9:20am Sunday School

10:30am Worship Service

5:00pm Youth Bible Study

**THANK YOU to all youth who helped with our Community Easter Egg Hunt in addition to helping prepare the church for Easter.**

**Also, THANK YOU for all the beautiful flowers given.**

## LUTHERAN SERVICE BOOK

The hymnal in the pew contains the hymns we sing and the service music we utilize in the worship service. Divine Service Three begins on page 186 and this is where you will find the Kyrie, Gloria in Excelsis (187), Alleluia and Verse (190), the Nicene Creed (191), Apostles' Creed (192), Offertory, Sanctus (195), Agnus Dei (198), and Nunc Dimittis (199). If there are portions of the service you do not know or hymns that are unfamiliar, you will find them there.

## FAMILY PROMISE BEGINS TODAY!

### MENS BIBLE STUDY

Will resume on Thursday, April 11, 6:30am at Grandy's in Sherman.

### SOJOURNERS

Thursday, April 4, 10:00am in Fellowship Hall.

### LONE STAR CAMPERS

Friendly reminder that deposits are due today. Please make checks payable to GLC with a memo for camp deposit.

### VBS REGISTRATION is officially OPEN!

VBS is July 22—26. Sign-up to volunteer and to bring your children.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER AND CLASSES

Resume April 10. We are in need of volunteers to provide dinner. Please contact April for questions, and sign-up on the bulletin board near the mailboxes.

### SUNDAE SUNDAY

Will be April 21st and we invite you to help celebrate the synod's 177th birthday by wearing blue and joining us for sundaes following the late service!

## 7:00am Traditional

### OPENING HYMN

525 "Crown Him With Many Crowns"  
vs. 1, 2, 5

### SCRIPTURE

Old Testament: Isaiah 35:1-8  
Epistle: Romans 6:1-4  
Gospel: Matthew 28:1-10

### SERMON SONG

461 "I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

### SERMON

Guided to New Life Romans 6:4

### DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

633 "At the Lamb's High Feast  
We Sing"  
467 "Awake, My Heart,  
With Gladness"

### CLOSING HYMN

457 "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"

## 10:30am Blended

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN

457 "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"  
"Because He Lives (Amen)"  
"Christ is Risen"

### SCRIPTURE

Old Testament: Isaiah 25:6-9  
Epistle: I Corinthians 15:1-11  
Gospel: Mark 16:1-8

### SERMON SONG

"He is Risen"  
"Hallelujah! Praise Ye the Lord!"

### SERMON

All Things: Isaiah 25:8

### DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

466 "Christ Has Risen, Alleluia"  
480 "He's Risen, He's Risen"  
971 "There is a Redeemer"  
741 "Jesus Christ, My Sure Defense"  
474 "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen"

### CLOSING HYMN

461 "I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

## SERMON NOTES

# Let's Celebrate

## Birthdays

Bill Godding	3/31
Will Hartney	4/1
Debbie Jones	4/2
Debi Wendorf	4/2
Kelsie Jones	4/2
Mary Haning	4/2
Drew Dewald	4/4
Stacy Bray	4/4
Frank Zinn Jr	4/6
Josh Velten	4/6

## Baptisms

Carol Peters	4/2
Emrie Hines	4/3
Lacey Braun	4/5

## Anniversaries

Nick & Megan Granelli	4/1
Josh & Samantha Minzenmayer	4/2
Jack & Sandra Noth	4/4

## Serving Today

### 7:00am

#### Ushers

**Elder** Steve Lain

**Reader** Alan Lierz

**Keyboard** Debra L. Jackson

**Altar** Chrissie and Myra Gilbert

### 10:30am

**Ushers** Myra Gilbert, Lana Coker

**Elders** Bryan Hantsche Larry Miller

#### Reader

**Keyboard** Valerie Keitz, Jane Bronstad

#### Nursery

**Altar** Chrissie and Myra Gilbert

## LEVA-WHITING SCHOLARSHIP

### GRACE CHURCH WORK

### SCHOLARSHIP

Applications for these two scholarships are due by April 15. You may pick up a sheet with the guidelines and an application from the church office.

## LAST WEEK

### Worship Attendance

Early 44 Late 107  
Lenten Worship 52

### Sunday School Attendance

Children 44 Adults 51

### Weekly Giving

\$3,911.00