



# Good News of Grace



## January 2021

Grace Lutheran Church  
303 Green Bay Road  
Thiensville, WI 53092

[www.grace53092.org](http://www.grace53092.org)  
262-242-1174

*“Reaching out to all people as Disciples of Christ, we serve God, proclaim our faith and care for all creation.”*

### Small Group Worship

In-person worship is still suspended until further notice. Please watch Grace Notes for further updates. Online worship continues on YouTube (Search for *Grace Thiensville*).



### Worship and Education

Worship Schedule: **Currently Suspended**

Education: **Currently Suspended**

### Grace’s Welcome Statement

Grace Lutheran Church is a religious community that celebrates the gifts of God that empower us to engage in the struggles of life, to care for each other, and to serve Christ where we work and live. Grace is a “Reconciling in Christ” congregation, which means we welcome the participation of people of all ages, races, ethnic backgrounds, sexual orientations, gender identities, education backgrounds, and economic conditions – all who want to join us in serving God, proclaiming our faith, and caring for all creation.

### Official Notice of Annual Meeting:

**Annual Meeting**  
**Sunday, January 24, 12pm**

All are welcome via Zoom, especially voting members, as we receive the 2020 Annual Report, elect new leaders for 2021, and approve the 2021 Budget. The link to join with your device was sent in the accompanying email for this newsletter. Also watch Grace Notes and emails for that link, including the following information needed to join the meeting:

**Meeting ID: 873 2308 6096**

**Passcode: 098573**

Or dial **1-312-626-6799** from your phone and use the same Meeting ID and Passcode.

### **Grace Lutheran Staff**

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**Pr. Bill Beyer**

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**Administrative Assistant: Sandy Luetzgen**

**Office Hours: Mon-Fri: 9am-2pm**

**Music Coordinator: Brian Dearing**

**Nursery Attendant: Shonda Schaff**

**Custodian: Fred Lynk**

### Virtual Cookie Sale Update

The Board of Social Concerns thanks all who gave so generously for the “virtual cookie sale.” In all, the donations far surpassed our wildest imagination. The total amount given to support our social ministry in the Milwaukee and Ozaukee county communities was \$1,990. This compares to \$1,250 raised by the cookie sale last year. God has bestowed upon our church

the blessing of generous members who care about those who struggle. Thanks be to God!! Please see page 2 for a list of donations made in memory or honor of loved ones.

# Virtual Cookie Sale Donations

Leigh Benson	In memory of Red Benson
Elsbeth Bruhnke	
Linda Finnigan	
Suzi George	In memory of Steve George
Mary & Paul Gieschen	
Kari Gilhams	
Holly Grassin-Kremmel	Gratitude to Lynne & Dave Huebschen, Rachel, and Grace
Lynne Huebschen	In honor of Erich Nemcek, Kasey Kajiwara, Rachel Nemcek, Mitch Nemcek, Jenny Nemcek, Grace Nemcek, Mom Grassin, Alan Huebschen, Sara Huebschen, Dave Huebschen
JoAnn Holdmann	In memory of Owen Holdmann
Helga Ickert	In memory of my husband, Ewald Ickert
Mary Karthausen	
Neal & Rita Karthausen	In memory of Anita Karthausen, Otto Karthausen, Donat Holewa, Anne Holewa
Anna Martin	In memory of my sister and mother
Rip & Rosa McManus	In memory of my grandmother, Henrietta Umbs, and my mother, Karen Sandvold In honor of Pr. Bill Beyer and our amazing church secretary, Sandy Luetgen
Helen Mutz	
Alice Neitzel	In memory of Elmer Neitzel
Dawn Omernik-Nimmer	
Karen Petersen	
Nancy Perez	
Carol & Bob Raymond	
Hildegard Quaegber	
Stacy Rauen	
Dick Reuter	In memory of LaVerne Reuter
John Richmond	In memory of Elaine Richmond
Bernie & Grace Roeker	
Alice Sedgwick	
Marcia Seehusen	
Maren Stahle	
Pam & John Stockbridge	In memory of friends, parents and siblings In honor of Pr. Bill, Brian and Sandy In honor of children and grandchildren In honor of friends
Holly Tischner	In honor of Pr. Bill
Joyce Winghart	



# Birthdays Other News

## Communion

If you would like to receive communion, please call Pr. Bill at 262-674-4714 to have him either come to your home or organize no contact communion at the church.



## Monday Evening Zoom Bible Study



Zoom Bible Study on the book of Ephesians continues every Monday evening at 7pm and is open to anyone who would like to attend. You do not have to attend every session. There will be much to glean from each lesson. The link with information to join the Zoom group is in the Grace Notes each week.

## Guest House Sandwiches

We assemble sandwiches for the guests at the Guest House *twice* each month, on the first and third Wednesdays, at 9:00am. Join us for this opportunity to serve and to enjoy fellowship with one another on Wednesdays, **January 6 and 20.**



## All Peoples Church Food Pantry



At this time the pantry food supply is still very low; so for the foreseeable future we hope to collect non-perishable food items again. Suggestions are: canned meats, tuna, vegetables, noodles, dried beans, cereal, peanut butter, and jellies. When you shop for your family, please pick up an extra item for the pantry. Thank you very much!

## January Birthdays

Name	Date
Grace Nemcek	1
Chip Sampe	1
Caitlin Brown	3
Luther Beck	6
Erik Hollander	7
Levi Ortell	9
Aliisa Sampe	9
Anna Martin	11
Paul Gieschen	12
Cathy Carney	14
Lindsey Miller	14
Bobbi Jo Jimenez	16
Hildegard Quaegber	17
Joby Brown	19
Nathan Campbell	19
Lynne Huebschen	20
Jenny Gehr	21
Nancy Perez	23
Sadie Ferguson	26
Bob Raymond	28
Andrew Knuth	29
Audrey Bierman	30

*If you have a birthday this month and your name is not listed, we apologize. Please call the church office so that we update our records. Thank you!*



## In Memoriam

We rejoice and mourn that John Walch has entered the church triumphant on December 1. A private family funeral was held at Grace on December 9. The recording of this service can be viewed on the Grace YouTube channel. On YouTube search for *Grace Thiensville*. Please continue to hold John's family in your prayers during this difficult time.



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**WEEKLY SCHEDULE**

***All Services Currently Suspended***



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