

Holy Communion



We believe that Holy Communion, the Lord's Supper, is a Sacrament of God, instituted by Christ himself, giving and sealing the Gift of forgiveness to his believing followers. In the Bible, it was a Gift that was shared only by those who had committed themselves to a unity in faith and practice.

Here is what the Bible says, 1 Corinthians 11:28-29, "A man ought to examine himself before he eats of the bread and drinks of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without recognizing the Body of the Lord eats and drinks judgment on himself." Therefore, each person should carefully examine their own heart before coming to the Altar of the Lord. Ask yourself:

1. Have I been baptized with water in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit?
2. Do I believe the Good News of Jesus' victory over sin and death on the cross for me?
3. Do I recognize the Body and Blood of Christ in and with the bread and wine of Communion?
4. Do I have a broken and sorrowful heart because of my sins and short-comings?
5. Do I truly desire, with Christ's help, to turn away from those sins and follow him more faithfully?

If you said "yes" in each of these faith areas and desire Holy Communion, the Lord welcomes you to his Holy Supper.

You may choose red wine or white grape juice for Communion.



**Welcome to
Grace Lutheran Church**

January 27 & 28, 2018

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany



WEEKEND WORSHIP

Scripture Readings
Deuteronomy 18:15-20
1 Corinthians 8:1-13
Mark 1:21-28

Friday - 6:30pm Crosswalk in CLC
Saturday - 5:15pm Praise Service in Sanctuary
Sunday - 8:00am Breakfast Club in CLC
Sunday - 9:00am Praise Service in Sanctuary
Sunday - 10:15am Sunday School
Sunday - 11:15am Traditional Service in Sanctuary

Pray for Our Families

The families of Grace that we will keep in our prayers this week are:

George & Donna Abrams
Nancy Allen
Dave & Diane Arnett

Remember to keep our Grace Family in your daily prayers.

Pray for This Week's Ministry
Prayer Chain

Happenings This Week

January 29	4:00pm - Women's Bible Study
January 30	10:30am - McCord Ministry Group
	5:30pm - Grace Out Loud Rehearsal
	7:00pm - Choir
January 31	6:30pm - Bible Quiz Practice - CLC
February 1	10:00am - Holden Bible Study
	6:30pm - WHAM!
February 2	6:30pm - Crosswalk - CLC



Breakfast Club
Sunday Mornings - 8:00am in the CLC

Last weekend's attendance and giving:

31 at Crosswalk; 91 at Weekend Services; \$3,695.00

GIFTS OF GRACE GIFT CARD PROGRAM

(to Benefit Growing with Grace Preschool)

**Orders with payment must be submitted
by Noon on the FIRST Sunday of each month**

NEXT GIFT CARD ORDER: FEBRUARY 11TH

**This month ONLY the deadline is the
SECOND SUNDAY of the month
Normal schedule resumes in March**

Questions? See Jackie Streb

Bulletins

Items for the Bulletin are due to church secretary **Dianne Deloe** by Noon on Wednesday of each week. Please write them out as you wish them to appear. You may drop them off at the office, email them to glmoffice@agraceplace.org or dictate by phone at **362-3244**. Thank you!

Prayer Chain Email: Now you can email any prayer requests to prayerchain@agraceplace.org. Questions? See **Jan Swanson**.

Correction

The zip code for **Sarah Lanier** is incorrect - it should read **30223**; please make note of this on your 2018 Phone List.

79 Mechanic St.

Church office hours - 7:30am - 1:30pm: 362-3244

Pastor Patrick Cox: 331-0074

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Community Life Center: 362-1236

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