

March's Grace

Fun Activities at the CLC and GwG!



GROWING WITH GRACE JANUARY 2019 Update

WE ARE FULL!

We have 2 new preschool students bringing that classroom to 15.

We have had 2 sibling births this month, and will see them as soon as mom's go back to work!

We have 7 infants committed to coming here (after they are born or after maternity leave.)

We have hired one new staff, and will be increasing Susan's hours to accommodate for the new little ones.

Abigail Benson hired as a floater between Toddlers/PreK.

Student assessments were completed and parent teacher conferences were scheduled.

We got a quote for new carpet in the infant room.

I have scheduled for GwG to be closed for building improvements Mon-Tues-Wed after Easter (April 22-24th.)



Grace Memorials / Altar Flowers

Prayerfully consider donating to the Grace Memorial fund when you wish to make a memorial donation. When you donate to the Memorial Fund, a card is sent to the family of the person that you are remembering.

Also, you may sign up for Altar Flowers on the chart posted in the Social Hall. This can be in memory of a loved one or friend or to commemorate a special event.

To make a donation you may use one of the envelopes in the Welcome Center and place in the collection plate, the safe or call **Sharon Long at 368-6711 or the Church Office at 362-3244.**



Pitt Bradford
Annual Empty Bowls & Baskets Dinner
Thursday, March 21, 2019,
Mukaiyama University Room
5:00 - 7:00 PM

We would like to invite you to be part of Pitt-Bradford's Empty Bowls & Baskets Dinner to support The Friendship Table.

The Women's History Month Celebration Committee will again be sponsoring the University's annual Empty Bowls & Baskets Dinner on Thursday, March 21, 2019 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM in the Mukaiyama University Room. Admission to the event is \$10.00.

Guests are served a simple meal of soup, bread, beverage and dessert and are invited to keep a ceramic bowl, basket or set of napkins as a reminder of the ongoing fight against hunger.

We are in need of crock pots of homemade soup and cookies. The cookie donations will be used for desserts. **If you are interested in donating please contact Carma Horner, Co-Chair, via phone (362-7609) or email at clh71@pitt.edu.**



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:
SUNDAY, MARCH 3RD**

Questions?
See Jackie Streb

*Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul
and with all your mind and with all your strength. (Mark 12:30 NIV)*

BIRTHDAYS

Birthdays not published
on-line.



ALTAR COMMITTEE

Stacia Roggenbaum &
Michele Evers

ALTAR FLOWERS

March 3 -
March 10 - Lent - No Flowers
March 17 - Lent - No Flowers
March 24 - Lent - No Flowers
March 31 - Lent - No Flowers

MEMORIALS

In Memory of
Dan Denning

Rev. Dr. J. Arthur Cox
Mary Ann Kautz

James McKenyon
Suzanne McCreadie
Sam Krakat

Sent by

Sarah Lanier
Jim & Mary Paterniti
Ric & Jill Taylor
Sarah Lanier
Bruce & Chris Schuessler
Jim & Sharon Long
Dave & Cheryl Sheneman
Dave & Jan Swanson
Marsha & Rob Denning
Carol Obot
Tom & Dianne Deloe
Marlene & Lara Ericson
Hailie Cox
Betty Bigley
Brad & Lisa Nogar
Jim & Mary Paterniti
Ric & Jill Taylor
Karen Kautz Ericson
Nancy Allen
Ted & Robyn Hardy
Wally & Vicki Sander
Ted & Robyn Hardy
Art & Barb Steinhauer
Jim & Sharon Long
Tom & Dianne Deloe
Dave & Jan Swanson & Mandy



DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

BEGINS AT 2:00AM
ON SUNDAY, MARCH 10TH
REMEMBER TO SET YOUR
CLOCKS AHEAD ONE HOUR
BEFORE RETIRING
ON SATURDAY, MARCH 9TH



Council Meeting

Church Council meeting is **TUESDAY, March 12 at 7:00pm** in the Social Hall. Please remember that the Congregation is always welcome to attend the monthly Council Meetings! There is also a suggestion box in the Welcome Center.



Please remember our shut-ins

The Deacons try to ensure that each person gets visitation and Communion at least once a month. BUT, a card, a phone call or a brief visit brightens the day for our brothers and sisters who can no longer attend services regularly. Cards and a list of our shut-ins are available in the Social Hall.

Sara Christjohn

Ecumenical Home-Room 201
100 St. Francis Dr.

Marsha Denning

354 Interstate Pkwy.
362-6429

Debbie Kelly

The Pavilion at BRMC
200 Pleasant St.

Donna Lannen

24 Shep Run Rd.
596-0286

Special Prayer

The Deacons invite you to come to the altar to have your needs or the needs of a loved one addressed in individual prayer. Prayer will be offered immediately following each service on the **first weekend of every month**, but always feel free to ask for prayer at any time.



Love Letters

Do you know someone with a serious or terminal illness who may not have the support they need or a church family to support them? The Deacons would like to reach out to them with the love of Christ to help them with their spiritual, emotional and physical needs. Please contact one of the Deacons with the name and address of the person in need so a letter can be sent to them.



Deacons are: **Wally Sander, Michele Evers, Mary Paterniti, Ken Rakieski, Robb Evers, Kathy Verbocy, Stacia Roggenbaum and Jim Roggenbaum.**

Altar Committee

The Altar Committee is in need of more volunteers to help set up and tear down for Communion. See **Kathie Holden** for more information.

Deadlines for Weekly Slides, Bulletin Items

Just a reminder that the deadline to have items placed in the weekly bulletin is Wednesday morning and the deadline for slides is Thursday morning. Please write the information up in the manner you would like church secretary **Dianne Deloe** to print it.

Recipe Corner

Buffalo Chicken Biscuit Slider Bake

Ingredients

- 1 1/2 cups diced cooked chicken
- 1 Package (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup shredded sharp Cheddar Cheese (4oz)
- 5 tablespoons Buffalo wing sauce
- 3 tablespoons butter, melted
- 1 can (16.3 oz.) Pillsbury Grands! Southern Homestyle refrigerated Butter-milk biscuits
(8 biscuits)



Steps

- (1) Heat oven to 350°F. Spray 13x9-inch (3-quart) baking dish with cooking spray.
- (2) In medium bowl, mix chicken, cream cheese, cheddar cheese, 4 tablespoons of the wing sauce and 2 tablespoons of the butter.
- (3) Separate dough into 8 biscuits. Cut each biscuit in 3 strips. Press each strip into 4x1 1/2-inch rectangle. Place 1 heaping tablespoon chicken mixture on one half of each rectangle. Fold dough over filling (do not seal), and place in baking dish in 6 rows by 4 rows.
- (4) Bake 35 to 40 minutes or until biscuits are cooked through and deep golden brown on top. In small bowl, mix remaining 1 tablespoon wing sauce and remaining 1 tablespoon butter. Brush biscuits with wing sauce mixture.

Blueberry Muffin Buckle Cake

Ingredients

Crumb Topping

- 3/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1/3 cup plus 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons butter, room temperature

Cake

- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1/4 cup butter, room temperature
- 3/4 cup milk
- 1 egg
- 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 2 1/2 cup fresh or frozen blueberries

Glaze

- 2 cups powdered sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 teaspoon milk

Instructions

1. Preheat the oven to 375°F
2. Spray a 9" square baking pan with nonstick spray, set aside.
3. Take a large bowl combine all the crumb ingredients with fork until they are combined well. Set aside.
4. In another large bowl mix together all the cake ingredients except the blueberries until well incorporated then fold in the blueberries.
5. Spread the cake batter into the prepared pan and sprinkle evenly with the crumb topping.
6. Bake for 45 minutes until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean.
7. Allow the cake to cool for 10 minutes before attempting to remove.
8. Mix all glaze ingredients together until smooth and drizzle on top of the cake.

Recipes

FELLOWSHIP SUNDAY
MARCH 17TH



St. Patrick's Day
Potluck Lunch
After the
10am Service

Please bring a dish or
a dessert to share.

An Irish Blessing

May the road rise up to meet you,
May the wind be always at your back,
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
The rain fall soft upon your fields,
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.



Church Office Hours:
Monday thru Friday - 7:30am to 1:30pm



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Join Us For Worship!

Friday

**6:30pm Crosswalk
Youth Worship**

Sunday

10:00am Blended

Adult Education

9:00am

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The Web!***

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Growing with Grace
Christian Preschool***

**CURRENT AND
UPCOMING EVENTS
AT GRACE
LUTHERAN CHURCH**

March 6

Ash Wednesday

***11:45am Blessing &
Distribution of Ashes***

***7:00pm Service
with Ashes***

March 17

Fellowship Sunday

***Potluck Lunch
following the
10am Service***



The Grace Lutheran Church Newsletter is published monthly. Submissions for newsletters can be left for the newsletter team in the church office. The deadline for submissions is the 15th of each month. If you have any questions or comments about the newsletter, please e-mail them to: newsletter@agraceplace.org or leave them in the church office.