



**Welcome to  
Grace Lutheran Church  
September 29th, 2024  
100th YEAR  
ANNIVERSARY**

**THE LAW  
OF THE LORD  
IS PERFECT;  
IT GIVES US  
NEW LIFE.**

PSALM 19:7



## **Prelude Music:**

*“Let it Rise”*

*“Honey in the Rock”*

## **Announcements**

## **Prayers Of The Day**

## **Prayer Of Invitation:**

*Creator God, in this time of repentance, we call out for your mercy. Turn us back to you and to the new life Christ restored by his perfect obedience, even to death on a cross. For he lives and reigns as our Redeemer with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.*

## **Opening Hymn:**

*“We Will Glorify”*

## **Prayer Of Confession:**

*God of Sarah and Abraham, in this holy place, we know how weak is our discipleship. We can spend*

*hours at the computer, but only give you fleeting moments of our time. We can talk endlessly on our cell phones, but fall silent when it comes to sharing our fears, our worries, our hopes with you. We seek quick fixes for our problems, rather than seeking your vision and future for our lives. God of Peter, Paul, and the psalmist, forgive us: for our lack of trust; for our faithless living; for our closing our ears to the call of Jesus. Forgive us, so we may lay aside all that keeps us from you, so we may take up the life you offer to us, through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.*

## **Absolution**

### **Readings:**

*Psalm 19*

*Mark 9: 38-50*

### **Prayer:**

*Open your good news to us, O God... and open us to your good news, that we may find ourselves in your abundant life. Speak, Lord, and help us to listen. Amen*

**Song of Praise - *“Revelation Song”***

**Sermon**

**Apostle’s Creed**

**Offerings**

**Lord’s Prayer**

**Holy Communion**

**Songs of praise:**

*“Draw Me Close to You”*

*“You Are My All in All”*

**Benediction**

**Song of praise - *“Rescuer”***

**“We are God’s People, rooted in faith, living in Christ, now sent to serve. Go in peace, love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.”**

## **Pray for Our Families**

The families of Grace that we will keep in our prayers this week are: **Wally & Vicki Sander**  
**Jeff & Katie Schneider**  
**Bruce & Chris Schuessler**

Remember to keep our **Grace Family**, and the **CLC** in your daily prayers.

Pray for This Week's Ministry: **CLC**

## **Happenings This Week**

**September 30th** - Firm Foundations 3:30pm

**Bible Study 5pm**

**October 1st** - Firm Foundations 3:30pm

Grace out Loud 5:30pm

**October 2nd** - Firm Foundations 3:30pm

Deep Roots 5pm

**Deacon's Meeting 6pm**

**October 3rd** - Firm Foundations 3:30pm

**October 5th** - **Pastor John Schubert**

**Meet and Greet 1-3pm**

## **October Service Schedule**

**Reader:** Amy Dexter

**Prayers:** Michele Evers

**October Altar Guild:** Stacia Roggenbaum

Karen Rakieski

**October Counters:** Kathy Verbocy & Jackie Streb



Noisy Can Collection  
for Destinations-Bradford

**TODAY**

The Can is on the table  
in the back of the church

**October 19, 1512:  
Martin Luther received a Doctor of Divinity  
degree and appointed professor of theology at  
Wittenberg University, Germany**

**The Month of October**

We are collecting **Chips** and **Water**  
to donate to Bradford '**Destinations**'  
Please place your donations I  
n the **red** bin in the Welcome Center.  
Thank You!

**The following positions are opened on Council:**

Education, Stewardship, Church Growth & Youth  
Ministry. If interested please see Al Dexter.  
There are also openings for Deacons.  
If interested please see Stacia Roggenbaum.

Items for the Bulletin are due to the church  
secretary 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](mailto:glmoffice@agraceplace.org)** or call **362-3244**.  
Thank you!

**Office Hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday  
10am-2pm. Closed Wednesdays.

**September 22nd, 2024 Attendance and Giving:**

**Attendance:** 81  
**Giving:** \$5,326.76

**Recycling:** \$261.00  
**Destinations:**



## 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 those who believe and follow Him.

To help you to decide if you would like to join your brothers and sisters at the Communion table, ask yourself the following questions:

- 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 given for me for the forgiveness of sins?

If you said 'yes' to each of these questions and desire Holy Communion, the Lord welcomes you to His Holy Supper.

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