



**Welcome to  
Grace Lutheran Church  
October 13th, 2024  
100th YEAR  
ANNIVERSARY**

**HE  
KNOWS**

**Job 23**

## **Prelude Music:**

*“We Believe”*

*“Friend of God”*

## **Announcements**

## **Prayers Of The Day**

## **Prayer Of Invitation:**

*Dear Jesus, walk with me this day. As you open my heart to your Word, teach me all that you desire for me to learn about you. When life seems unfair or when events confuse me as to where you are, remind me of your Cross. It is there that I have come to trust that you really are One who desires to exercise kindness, justice and righteousness. As you open your Word to me, then will my heart burn within me and I shall serve you with renewed love and joy. Amen.*

## **Song of Praise:**

*“How Great Thou Art” #532*

## **Prayer Of Confession:**

*Lord, You desire mercy and not sacrifice. Help me to learn what this means. So often I focus on the external things about those around me. I am drawn to those who seem to have their act together but ignore those who are less than impressive. Yet you look into their hearts, as you have done with me. You do not turn away from those hearts that are broken and contrite. I come to you in the confidence of Your mercy and open my heart in confession to you now.... Have mercy on me dear Jesus and may others see you in me through my mercy and my love. Amen.*

## **Absolution**

## **Readings:**

*Job 23: 1-9*

*Jeremiah 9: 23-24*

*Mark 10: 17-31*

## **Prayer:**

*Dear Father, your Word reveals you as Holy and Just. That alone will fill me with such fear and trembling. How could I even dare come into your presence, let alone speak to you as I do right now? But your Word also reveals you to me as Gracious and Merciful. You delight in showing me love and kindness. You invite me to approach you as my Father. Holy and Just. Gracious and Merciful. I stand before you in awe and reverence. Who is a God like you? So pure that you cannot tolerate evil before you. So kind that you turn no one away who comes to you in the name of your Son. It is there, in Jesus, that I behold your wisdom and power and righteousness. In Him your holiness and justice and grace and mercy are satisfied and fulfilled. I stand in awe of you and praise, you dear Father. Amen.*

**Song of Praise - "New Creation"**

**Sermon**

**Offerings**

**Lord's Prayer**

***\*\*\* If your desire or need is to receive grape juice rather than wine, you are welcome to receive the glass that contains white grape juice. \*\*\****

## **Holy Communion**

### **Songs of praise:**

*“King of My Heart”*

*“Blessed Assurance”*

## **Benediction**

**Song of praise - *“Revival Fire Fall”***

**“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: **Pat Soper**

**Tina Stack**

**Art & Barb Steinhauer**

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

Pray for This Week's Ministry: **Lay Readers**

## **Happenings This Week**

**October 14th - Columbus Day**

Bible Study 5pm

**October 15th - Firm Foundations 3:30pm**

Grace out Loud 5:30pm

**October 16th - Firm Foundations 3:30pm**

**Deep Roots 5pm**

**October 17th - Firm Foundations 3:30pm**

## **October Service Schedule**

**Reader: Amy Dexter**

**Prayers: Michele Evers**

**October Altar Guild: Stacia Roggenbaum**

Karen Rakieski

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

**October 12 - October 31, 2003:  
A 'Fund Raiser for 21 Days' with a goal of  
raising \$10,000.00 to support the  
Community Life Center.**

**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.

**October 6th, 2024 Attendance and Giving:**

**Attendance:** 82  
**Giving:** \$5,405.00

**Recycling:** \$244.00  
**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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