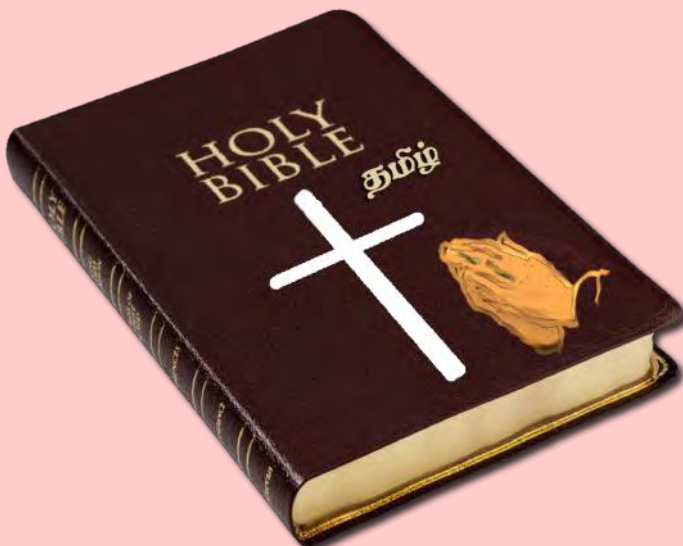




**Welcome to  
Grace Lutheran Church  
June 8th, 2025  
Founded 1924**

# *How to be Blessed by the Bible*



~Preservice Music:

*"You Shine", Come, Jesus, Come"*

~Welcome and Announcements

~Prayers of the Day

*~In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

~Prayer of Invitation:

*Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may be holy. Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work may be holy. Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, to love what is holy.*

~Hymn of Praise: *"Shine, Jesus, Shine"*

~Confession of Our Sins:

*P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.*

*C: But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.*

*P: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.*

*C: Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have*

*done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with out whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.*

~Absolution

~Readings:

*Acts 2: 1-12*

*James 1: 19-27*

*John 14: 23-29*

~Prayer:

*Lord, grant that I may always allow myself to be guided by You... Grant that in all things, great and small, today and all the day of my life, I may do whatever You require of me. Help me respond to the slightest prompting of Your Grace, so that I may be Your trustworthy instrument for Your honor. May Your Will be done in time and in eternity by me, in me, and through me. Amen.*

~Hymn of Praise: *"I Speak Jesus"*

~Sermon: *"How To Be Blessed By  
The Bible" -James 1:19-27*

~Nicene Creed

~Offering

~Prayer -

*Hallelujah, Father in heaven, you love to give the  
Holy Spirit to your children when we ask! (Luke  
11:13)*

*Hallelujah, Lord Jesus Christ, you have sent us the  
Helper who will never leave! (John 14:16)*

*Hallelujah, Holy Spirit, I welcome you here with  
me now! (1 Thessalonians 1:4-6)*

~The Lord's Prayer

~Communion

~Hymn of Praise:

*"Breathe", "Thy Word"*

~Benediction

~Closing Hymn of Praise: *“Jesus, Lover of My Soul”*

P: We are God’s People, rooted in faith, living in Christ, now sent to serve. Go in peace, love and serve the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

If you would like anything added to the bulletin for the week please contact the office by Thursday every week  
by Phone: 814-362-3244  
email: [glmoffice@agraceplace.org](mailto:glmoffice@agraceplace.org)  
or stop in during business hours.

## **Pray for Our Families**

The families of Grace that we will keep in our prayers this week are: **Rick & Kay Wheaton**

**Rhonda Weigartz**

**RJ & Caitlin Webster**

Remember to keep our **Grace Family** and the **CLC** in your daily prayers. Pray for This Week's Ministry:

**Pastor & Family**

## **Happenings This Week**

**June 9th -** Firm Foundations 3:30pm

**June 10th -** Firm Foundations 3:30pm

**Council Meeting 6:30pm**

**June 11th -** Firm Foundations 3:30pm

Deep Roots 5pm

**June 12th -** Firm Foundations 3:30pm

Grace out Loud 5:30pm

## **June Service Schedule**

**Reader:** Laura Keesler

**Prayers:** Dana DiBlasi

**June Altar Guild:** Dana DiBlasi & Amber Mays

**June Counters:** Laura Keesler & Barb Steinhauer

We are taking up donations for **Rick & Kay Wheaton**. Kay is currently traveling back and forth to Cleveland, OH, while Rick is hospitalized. We want to help offset some travel/food costs for them during this difficult time. Any amount of donation is welcome and appreciated! Let's leave a legacy of love and compassion for future generations. Your donation can help make that a reality. Please leave donations in the back of the sanctuary in the basket. Thank You!

If you would like to nominate an individual or know of anyone that may be considered as Grace's next Minister, please provide names, particulars, and contact information to Jim Roggenbaum. You can e-mail him at [jimroggenbaum@agraceplace.org](mailto:jimroggenbaum@agraceplace.org)

### **Month of June**

### **Crackers & Water**

**Please place your donations in the red bin.**

**All proceeds to benefit**

**'Bradford Destinations'**

**Office Hours: Summer Hours**

**Monday, Wednesday, Friday**

**10am-2pm.**

### **June 1st, 2025 Attendance and Giving:**

**Attendance: 71**

**Recycling: \$34.00**

**Giving: \$5,020.00**

**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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