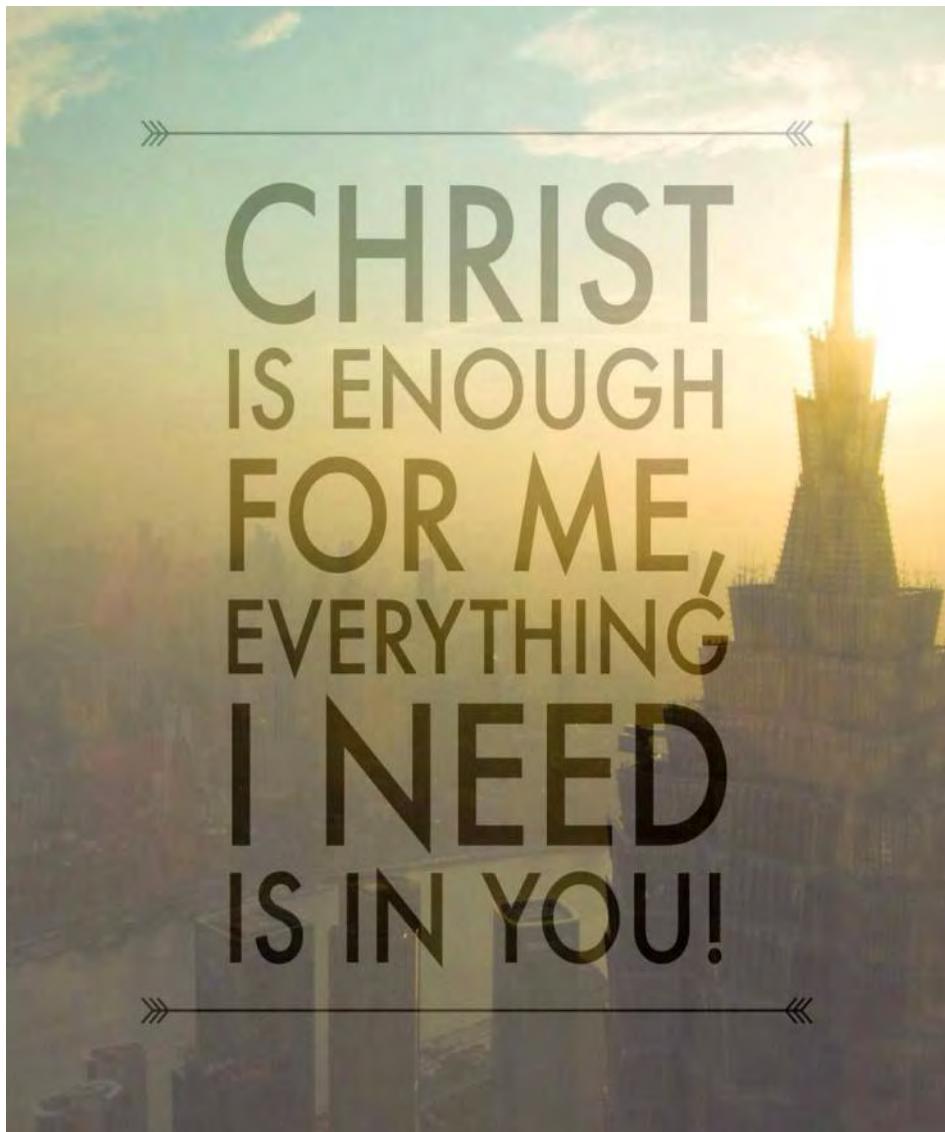




Welcome to
Grace Lutheran Church
February 1st, 2026
Founded 1924



~Preservice Music: “*Goodness of God*”
“*Who You Say I Am*”

~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:

P: Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

P: LORD, who may dwell in your sacred tent? Who may live on your holy mountain?

C: The one whose walk is blameless, who does what is righteous, who speaks the truth from their heart; whose tongue utters no slander, who does no wrong to a neighbor, and casts no slur on others; who despises a vile person but honors those who fear the LORD; who keeps an oath even when it hurts, and does not change their mind; who lends money to the poor without interest; who does not accept a bribe against the innocent.

P: Whoever does these things will never be shaken.

~**Hymn of Praise:** “*How Great Thou Art*”

~**Confession of Sins:** *Please see insert*

~**Absolution**

~**Readings:**

Psalm 103: 1-14

Philemon 4-16

Matthew 5: 13-20

~**Prayer:**

ALL: Jesus, thank you hardly seems enough.

You stood there in my place as my substitute by your blood and in your death you paid a debt I had no hope of paying. How am I to respond?

You not only took away my sin, you became my sin. All the shame, the filth, and the

ugliness – you became this! Why Jesus? Why? I am at a loss for words. Thank you. I love you.

What else can I say? Amen.

~**Hymn of Praise:** “*Broken Vessels*”

~Sermon - “Jesus Is Enough”

~Prayer:

ALL: *Jesus, this is so hard. Forgiving the one who hurt me. I don't want to do it. I can't do it. But you can. By your grace, I can make the decision to cancel the debt owed to me. I will take that step. I will say these words “I forgive you”. Trusting you will provide me with what I lack in my heart as I do this. How can I do less when I consider how you have cancelled my debt to you? In the love you showed me Jesus, I choose not to remember what was done in the past. I forgive _____.* Amen.

~THE THIRD ARTICLE OF THE APOSTLES' CREED AND ITS MEANING :

C: *I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

P: *What does this mean?*

C: *I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me be the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith. In the same way He calls, gathers, enlightens, and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth, and keeps it with Jesus Christ in the one true faith. In this Christian Church He daily and richly*

forgives all my sins and the sins of all believers. On the Last Day He will raise me and all the dead, and give eternal life to me and all believers in Christ. This is most certainly true.

~Offering

~Prayer: *Please see insert*

~The Lord's Prayer

~Communion

~Hymn of Praise: *“Lord I Need You”*
“Freely, Freely”

~Benediction

~Closing Hymn of Praise: *“Holy Water”*

Pray for Our Families

The families of Grace that we will keep in our prayers this week are: **Betty Jean Austin**

Brandon Baney

Boni Barker

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

Facilities Team

Happenings This Week

Feb. 2nd -	Firm Foundations 3:30pm Special Olympics Basketball 6:45pm
Feb. 3rd -	Firm Foundations 3:30pm Archery at CLC 3:30pm GYBL at CLC 6:45pm
Feb. 4th -	Firm Foundations 3:30pm Deep Roots 5pm GYBL at CLC 6:45pm
Feb. 5th -	Firm Foundations 3:30pm Grace out Loud 5:30pm GYBL at CLC 6:45pm
Feb. 6th -	Mennonites at CLC 6pm

February Service Schedule

Reader: Gayle Gallmann

Prayers: Vicki Sander

February Altar Guild: Wendy Wright & Kathy Verbocy

February Counters: Laura Keesler & Nina Lau

DESTINATIONS MONTHLY DONATIONS

FEBRUARY – MAC N CHEESE + WATER

MARCH – PACKAGED COOKIES + WATER

APRIL – SOUP + WATER

MAY – CRACKERS + WATER

JUNE – POPTARTS + WATER

JULY – CEREAL BARS + WATER

AUGUST – CEREAL + WATER

SEPTEMBER – SOUP + WATER

OCTOBER – CLC HALLOWEEN CANDY + WATER

NOVEMBER – CANNED MEAT + WATER

DECEMBER – GRACE GIFT BOXES + WATER

The **Women's Bible Study Group** will meet again on Feb. 12th & Feb. 26th, at 10:30am in the church social hall. These are single lessons so you can join at any time. Bring a friend and enjoy learning and fellowship with sisters in Christ.

For more information Call:

Vicki Sander: 814-465-3137 or

Laura Keesler: 814-465-9388

If you would like anything placed into the weekly bulletin, please turn it into the office by the Wednesday of each week.

Thank You!

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

January 25th, 2026 Attendance and Giving:

Attendance: 21

Recycling:

Giving: \$2,815.40

Destinations: \$4.79



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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