

Grace Lutheran Church & School



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Grades: Kindergarten-8th

Church Year: Pentecost 22

Date: November 6, 2022

✠ WORSHIP INFORMATION ✠

Hymns:

TLH 447: Fight the Good Fight with All Thy Might
TLH 410: Jesus, Lead Thou On
TLH 427: How Firm a Foundation, Ye Saints of the Lord
Communion: TLH 306
TLH 463, st. 1-3, 5-6: For All the Saints
Listening assistance is available. Please ask an usher.

Worship Prep:

Psalm 121, TLH p. 152

Liturgy:

WS, p. 1 (Communion)

Scripture Readings:

2 Timothy 3:14-4:5
Luke 18:1-8a

Sermon: Genesis 32:22-32

²² And [Jacob] And he arose that night and took his two wives, his two female servants, and his eleven sons, and crossed over the ford of Jabbok. ²³ He took them, sent them over the brook, and sent over what he had. ²⁴ Then Jacob was left alone; and a Man wrestled with him until the breaking of day. ²⁵ Now when He saw that He did not prevail against him, He touched the socket of his hip; and the socket of Jacob's hip was out of joint as He wrestled with him. ²⁶ And He said, "Let Me go, for the day breaks." But he said, "I will not let You go unless You bless me!" ²⁷ So He said to him, "What is your name?" He said, "Jacob." ²⁸ And He said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel; for you have struggled with God and with men, and have prevailed." ²⁹ Then Jacob asked, saying, "Tell me Your name, I pray." And He said, "Why is it that you ask about My name?" And He blessed him there. ³⁰ And Jacob called the name of the place Peniel: "For I have seen God face to face, and my life is preserved." ³¹ Just as he crossed over Peniel the sun rose on him, and he limped on his hip. ³² Therefore to this day the children of Israel do not eat the muscle that shrank, which is on the hip socket, because He touched the socket of Jacob's hip in the muscle that shrank. (NKJVTM)

WRESTLING WITH GOD

✝ **THE ANNOUNCEMENTS** ✝

- ➔ **Organ Dedication:** Thanks to all who made last weekend's organ dedication a success. Pastor heard from a number of people outside of Grace who appreciated the service after they watched it online.
- ➔ **Among Us:** After further tests and discovering over a dozen other tumors, Pastor's thymic carcinoma was designated at stage 4. He plans to receive chemotherapy in order to reduce the size of the main tumor. See: <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/pastorjohnhein>
- ➔ **Immanuel Lutheran College Visitors' Day** is Fri., November 11 on the ILC campus in Eau Claire, WI. Activities will begin with chapel after 10 am in the Field House, followed by presentations and classroom visits until 2:50 pm. Come and learn more about your church's college, and consider continuing your education in a solidly Christian setting! Speak with your pastor if you're interested in attending. For questions, contact Academic Dean Paul Naumann. Office: 715-836-6636, cell: 253-228-8736, e-mail: paul.naumann@ilc.edu.
- ➔ **CLC News:** Pastor Dave Naumann of St. John's Ev. Lutheran in Clarkston, WA, and Peace Lutheran in Orofino, ID, has returned the call to serve as the CLC's Third Foreign Missionary. ✝ From CLC President: Teacher graduate: Mr. Levi Schaller will graduate from the teaching program at ILC at the end of this calendar year. However, Mr. Schaller does not wish to be considered for a call at this time.
- ➔ **Sunday School Memory Work:** #6 – Fourth Commandment

Facebook Page: If you're on Facebook, be sure to like or share items that are on the Grace Lutheran Church page. This can help promote the page to others, along with events that we publicize there. The more shares, etc., the more Facebook promotes our church page to others.



For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. - Ephesians 2:8-9

Welcome to our guests and visitors. We appreciate the opportunity to share God's Word with you today. Please come again! Those interested in learning more about the Scriptures and our doctrinal position, please speak with the Pastor. He would be delighted to visit with you!

SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR – PART 1

What is the Sacrament of the Altar?

It is the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given to us Christians under the bread and wine to eat and to drink, as it was instituted by Christ Himself.

Where is this written?

The holy evangelists Matthew, Mark, Luke, and the apostle Paul write this way: “Our Lord Jesus Christ, the same night in which He was betrayed, took bread. And when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to His disciples saying, ‘Take, eat. This is My body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.’ “In the same way He took the cup, after supper, gave thanks, and gave it to them saying, ‘Drink of it, all of you. This cup is the new covenant in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR – PART 2

What is the benefit of this eating and drinking?

The words, “Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins,” show us that God gives forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation through the sacrament. For where there is forgiveness of sins, there is also life and salvation.

SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR – PART 3

How can eating and drinking do these wonderful things?

Eating and drinking actually do nothing. It is the words, “Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins,” which do this. These words, together with the bodily eating and drinking, are the main part of the sacrament. Whoever believes these words has exactly what they say: forgiveness of sins.

SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR – PART 4

When is an individual properly prepared to receive this sacrament?

Customs in connection with eating and clothing are indeed a fine preparation. However, a person is truly worthy and well-prepared who has faith in these words, “Given and shed for you for the forgiveness of sins.” Whoever does not believe these words or doubts them is unworthy and unprepared. The words, “for you,” require nothing but believing hearts.

✠ TODAY AT GRACE ✠

Organist: **Ryan Mueller**

Elder: **Benno Sydow**

Ushers: **Al Rosendahl; James Bomber; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells**

Counting Team 1: **Dale Enns; Larry Nelson; Ryan Oman; Pat Paplow; Phil Radichel**

Hospitality Team 2: **James & April Bomber; Rachelle Kanneh; Heidi Nelson; Bob & Suki Vandever**

Church Cleaners: **Sydow**

School: **Nelson**

✠ NEXT WEEK AT GRACE ✠

Ushers: **Gary Gunther; Daniel Hein; Aliou Kanneh; Bob Maki; Bill Rust; David Stifter; Jeff Stifter; Joel Stifter**

Counting Team 2: **Gary Gunther; Rick Nelson; Bill Rust; Bob Vandever; Clint Welker**

Church Cleaners: **Ochsner**

School: **Oman**

✠ OUR SCHEDULE ✠

- Sun., Nov. 6:** Standard Time Begins (Turn clock back one hour)
 9:00 am – Bible Class and Sunday School
 10:00 am – Worship Service w/Lord's Supper (Pentecost 22)
- Wed., Nov. 9:** 4:00-5:45 pm – Catechism for Public School Students
- Fri., Nov. 11:** ILC Visitors' Day (Eau Claire, WI)
- Nov. 11 & 12:** 7:00 pm – Fri., ILC Band; Sat., Student Performances
 7:30 pm – ILC Musical "Is There a Doctor in the House?"
- Sun., Nov. 13:** 9:00 am – Bible Class and Sunday School
 10:00 am – Worship Service (Pentecost 23)
 12:00 pm – Council Meeting
- Sun., Nov. 20:** 9:00 am – Bible Class and Sunday School
 10:00 am – Worship Service (Pentecost 24)
- Wed., Nov. 23:** 12:00 pm – Grace School Dismissal
 7:00 pm – Thanksgiving Eve Worship
- Thu., Nov. 24:** THANKSGIVING DAY (No Worship Service)

Last Week's Stats: Oct. 30, 2022 Sun.: 81 S.S.: 10 B.Cl.: 40

Sun. Offering:	Grace:	\$2,055	CLC:	\$600	
Weekly Need:	Grace:	4,250	CLC:	1,020	
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-2,195	CLC:	-420	
Year-to-Date Offering:	Grace:	\$195,683	CLC:	\$45,935	
Year-to-Date Need:	Grace:	187,000	CLC:	44,880	
Year-to-Date (+/-)	Grace:	+8,683	CLC:	+1,055	
GLC Other:	160	Living Faith:	0	Tuition Aid:	175
SAF Endowment:	0	MDF:	60	Kinship:	175
ILC Student Aid:	15	ILC Bldg.	0	IIF: 0	CEF: 0
Current Balances:		Tuition Aid: \$1,348			