# Grace Lutheran Church & School



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Grades: Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup>

Date: November 9, 2025

# **<b>T** WORSHIP INFORMATION **T**

### **Hymns:**

TLH 617: There is an Hour of Peaceful Rest

CDS: God of Great and God of Small TLH 610: And Will the Judge Descend

TLH 616: Forever with the Lord

TLH 212, st. 5-7: A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing

Listening assistance is available. Please ask an usher.

#### Worship Prep:

Psalm 90, TLH p. 142

Liturgy:

WS p. 12 (Projected)

#### **Scripture Readings:**

Jeremiah 26:1-6 Luke 19:11-27

### **Sermon: 2 Thessalonians 1:5-10**

<sup>5</sup> ...[This] is manifest evidence of the righteous judgment of God, that you may be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you also suffer; <sup>6</sup> since it is a righteous thing with God to repay with tribulation those who trouble you, <sup>7</sup> and to *give* you who are troubled rest with us when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty angels, <sup>8</sup> in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>9</sup> These shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power, <sup>10</sup> when He comes, in that Day, to be glorified in His saints and to be admired among all those who believe, because our testimony among you was believed. (*NKJV*<sup>TM</sup>)

# "Contrary to What Some Say, Hell Does Exist"

- 1. Its existence must be taught as Scripture teaches
- 2. Its existence warns us against forsaking our Savior
- 3. Its existence can comfort us in knowing that heaven is ours

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- → Among Us: Benno Sydow was recently diagnosed with malignant melanoma, an aggressive skin cancer. Prognosis is good with removal of the top of his left ear, surgery scheduled for Nov. 19.
- ▶ **Wedding Anniversary:** Please join the Nelson family in celebrating Larry and Sue's 50<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on Sunday, November 23, from 2-5pm at the B-Dale Club in Roseville. Please RSVP to Heidi by Nov. 9. A formal invitation is on the bulletin board.
- ➡ MN Mission Festival: The congregations of the CLC's Minnesota Conference invite you to a joint Mission Festival service today at 4 pm at St. John's Lutheran Church in Okabena, MN. Pastor Zack Sippert will be conducting the service and Pastor Em. Paul D. Nolting will be delivering the sermon. A meal will be provided following the service. For planning purposes, please let your Pastor know if you plan to attend. Those interested in singing in the Adult Choir or Children's Choir, please contact Pastor Sam Rodebaugh for music (sam.rodebaugh@gmail.com).
- → CLC Youth Camp at ILC 2026: Camp will be held June 14-20, 2026, at ILC for campers going into 6-9<sup>th</sup> grade. Please visit our website for more info.: youthcampclc.wixsite.com/camp. Registration will open in March of 2026. Email youthcamp.clc@gmail.com with any questions.
- **▶ Immanuel Lutheran College Visitors' Day** is coming up this Friday, November 14, on the ILC campus in Eau Claire, Wisconsin. 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 Michael Gurath of Holy Cross Ev. Lutheran in Phoenix, AZ, has accepted the call to Peace Thru Christ Lutheran in Middleton, WI (Madison area). † Pastor Johnathan Schnose of Bethel Ev. Lutheran in Morris, MN, has received the call to Living Hope Lutheran in Appleton, WI. † Pastor Aaron Ude of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Rapid City, SD, has returned the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran Church, Spokane, WA. † Pastor Tom Schuetze of St. Paul Ev. Lutheran in Lakewood, CO (Denver area), has received the call to Trinity Ev. Lutheran in Spokane, WA. † Pastor Emeritus Norman Greve has returned the part-time call to Our Redeemer's Lutheran in Red Wing, MN.
- **Sunday School Memory Work:** #8 − Sixth Commandment

### - C.F.W. Walther on Death -

Death is the most powerful and effective preacher the children of this world have. Though they avoid all churches and despise all preachers of God's Word, yet one preacher - death - they are compelled to hear. His church is the earth, his pulpit the death-bed, the casket, the hearse, the grave, and the cemetery. With a heartrending voice he cries out, "O man, it is appointed unto you to die; you have no continuing city in this world, this earth is not your home, this life does not finish your course; in an hour unknown to you you will have to leave this world with all its treasures. Oh, repent, repent!"

### - Martin Luther on Hell -

<u>Hell naturally makes the deeper impression:</u> It is natural that the wideopen mouth of hell causes us more terror than the open heaven brings us joy, just as one reflection on sin brings on more sadness than almost all the sermons about the merit of Christ afford us joy.

Hell - Now and Later: I am as yet not too sure what hell really is like before the Last Day. For I think nothing of the picture of the artists and the preaching of belly servers [false teachers], according to what it is supposed to be a particular place in which the damned souls now exist. After all, the devils themselves are not yet in hell but, as Peter says (2 Peter 2:4), are reserved for hell in bounds; and St. Paul calls them the rulers and the mighty ones of this world who move about in the upper air (Eph. 6:2). Moreover, Christ calls the devil the prince of this world (John 12:21). But this could certainly not be true if the devils were in hell ... To be sure, however, matters will take a different turn on the Last Day. Then hell will be a particular place, where those will be who are condemned to hell or to the eternal wrath of God. ... No doubt it now is, and will be, far worse than anything one is able to describe, picture, or think it to be.

### - Martin Luther on Heaven -

Living and Longing for Heaven: We should learn to bring our eyes, our hearts, and souls to bear upon yonder life in heaven and in a lively hope await it with joy. For if we would be Christians, the ultimate objects of our quest should not be marrying, giving in marriage, buying, selling, planting, building — activities that Christ says (Matt. 24:37 ff.; Luke 17:26 ff.) the wicked will be engaged in especially before the Last Day. To be sure, we, too, must use these things in order to satisfy the needs of the body. But our ultimate quest should be something better and higher: the blessed inheritance in heaven that does not pass away.

### **廿** TODAY AT GRACE 廿

Organist: Maureen Ochsner Elder. Frank Radichel

<u>Ushers</u>: Al Rosendahl; Kyle Aymond; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells

<u>Counting Team 1</u>: Dale Enns; Larry Nelson; Thomas Graham; Kevin Hulke; Phil Radichel

<u>Church Cleaners</u>: Sydow <u>School</u>: Jankowski

### 中 NEXT WEEK AT GRACE 中

<u>Ushers</u>: Al Rosendahl; Kyle Aymond; Kevin Hulke; Jack Maki; John Maki; Keith Radichel; Grant Wells

<u>Counting Team 2</u>: Kyle Aymond; Dan Degnan; Rick Nelson; Bill Rust; Bob Vandeveer; Clint Welker

<u>Hospitality Team 4</u>: Bonnie Baker; Kevin & Sandy Hulke; Jenny Paplow; Pat & Dawn Paplow

<u>Church Cleaners</u>: **Sydow** <u>School</u>: **Kelley** 

## **廿 OUR SCHEDULE** 廿

Sun., Nov.. 9: 8:30 am – Choir Practice

9:00 am – Bible Class & Sunday School 10:00 am – Worship Service (Pentecost 22)

12:00 pm - Council Meeting

4:00 pm - Minnesota Joint Mission Festival (Okabena, MN)

**Thu., Nov. 13:** 2:00 pm – Catechism

Fri., Nov. 14: Immanuel Lutheran College Visitors' Day (Eau Claire, WI)
Nov. 14 & 15: 7:00 – ILC Band (Fri.) & Student Performances (Sat.)

7:30 – ILC Theater Production: Enchanted Sleeping Beauty

Sun., Nov. 16: 8:30 am – Choir Practice

9:00 am – Bible Class & Sunday School 10:00 am – Worship Service (Pentecost 23)

11:00 am - Hospitality (Team 4)

Wed., Nov. 26: 12:00 pm - Grace School Break Begins

7:00 pm – Thanksgiving Eve Worship

Last Week's Stats: Nov. 2,	2025 Sun	: 77 S.S.	: 11 B.Cl.: 44	QR Code for Online Giving:
Week's Offering:	Grace:	\$3,401*	CLC: \$300	
Weekly Need (est.):	Grace:	5,100	CLC: 1,150	
-Under / +Over:	Grace:	-399	CLC: +380	
Year-to-Date Offering:	Grace: \$2	231,818	CLC: \$66,632	760000000
Year-to-Date Need (est.):	Grace:	219,300	CLC: 49,450	
Difference from Budget (+/-)	Grace:	+12,518	CLC: +17,182	E1263722C
GLC Other: 1,000	Living Faith:	0	Tuition Aid: 340	Sanduary: 175
SAF Endowment: 0	MDF:	0	Kinship: 105	EduK8: 0
ILC Student Aid: 0	ILC Bldg.	25	IIF: C	CEF: 0
Current Ralances:	Tuition Aid:	\$2.280	Sanctuary: \$1	5 875

<sup>\* \$1,000</sup> for non-member school tuition

All numbers are best estimates. Treasurer reports are official.