

GRACE NOTES

Schedule for Sunday, November 23, 2014 through Sunday, November 30, 2014

Today

8:30 am Bible Class
8:30 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service
11:00 am Voters' Meeting

Thursday

10:00 am **THANKSGIVING DAY**
Church Office Closed
Thanksgiving Service

Friday

Church Office Closed

Monday

7:00 pm Scouts

Saturday

NO Men's Bible Study

Tuesday

9:00 am Wee Disciples' Chapel
10:15 am Sing – Benefis SNC
6:30 pm Bell Choir Practice

Next Sunday

8:30 am Bible Class
8:30 am Sunday School
10:00 am Divine Service

Wednesday

6:00 pm NO Ladies Bible Study
Adult Choir Practice
NO Worship Service

The Last Sunday
of the Church Year



✝ **OUR VOTERS' MEETING WILL BE HELD TODAY**
FOLLOWING OUR WORSHIP SERVICE. ✝

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL BOOKS, published by Lutheran Hour Ministries, are available at the back of the sanctuary. If you prefer your devotions by email (free subscription), go to www.lhm.org and click on "Our Ministries", "Advent Devotions" and "email subscription". There is also an audio version available if you receive these through your email; and there is an e-reader option available. **The Lutheran Indian Ministries Advent Devotional Books are also available at the back of the sanctuary.**

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE VOTERS' MEETING

If you didn't get the **Treasurer's Report** last week, there are copies available at the back of the sanctuary. The Treasurer's Report is on the agenda for discussion at the Voters' Meeting this morning.

CROSS EXPLORATIONS

The account of "Jacob and Esau" that our children studied in Sunday School today is a story of competition and bad feelings between brothers, parental favoritism, and family squabbling. Amidst this chaos, God acted with grace toward all of them—and to us. Parents might ask, "How do these sins afflict every family? Why is forgiveness important in families?"

PEACE LUTHERAN YOUTH SKI & SWIM RETREAT

Peace Lutheran Church is sponsoring a Youth Ski and Swim Retreat December 19th through the 21st. If you would like to join them for a fun ski weekend, you may pick up agendas and registration forms in the church office or speak with Jamey Wheeler.

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

THIS WEEK – Last Sunday of the Church Year – 11-23-14

O. T.–Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 Epistle–1 Corinthians 15:20-28 Gospel–Matthew 25:31-46

ACOLYTE	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	Elders
ACOLYTE	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Elders
ALTAR GUILD		Anita Erickson
AUDIO	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	John Shaw
AUDIO	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Emma Paul
VIDEO	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	Trey Wheeler
VIDEO	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Maryanne Chapman
ELDERS (C)	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	Jerry Grosenick/Marty Bauer
ELDER	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Bob Nommensen
ORGANIST	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	Jeannine Eastley
ORGANIST	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Joy Suek
TRUSTEE ON CALL		Henry Schuman
HEAD USHERS		Roy Arves & Alan Wegner
USHERS	10:00 am – Sunday, 11-23-14	Jerry Grosenick/Marty Bauer
USHER	10:00 am – Thanksgiving Day	Bob Nommensen

NEXT WEEK – First Sunday in Advent – 11-30-14

Old Testament–Isaiah 64:1-9 Epistle–1 Corinthians 1:3-9 Gospel–Mark 11:1-10

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LUTHERAN HOUR BROADCAST

November 30th **“Watching and Waiting”** Speaker Emeritus of The Lutheran Hour: Rev. Ken Klaus Christians serve God and their neighbors as they watch and wait for Christ’s return. (Mark 13:33) Tune in on the radio or pick it up this week on the Web at www.lutheranhour.org. The Lutheran Hour can be heard on **KMON, 560 AM Sundays at 7:00 am; or XM Radio 170 at 10:00 am-(EST).**

WHERE CHRISTIANITY MEETS CULTURE

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, Illinois and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week’s topics include: The Movie “The Hunger Games: Mockingjay,” Engaging Our Culture Faithfully, The 14th Amendment & Same-Sex Marriage, Daily Bread, The Mayflower Pilgrims and more. You can listen on-demand at www.issuesetc.org.

“LIFE QUOTES” FROM LUTHERANS FOR LIFE

“These blessings have not descended upon us in restricted measure, but overflow and abound. They are the blessings and bounty of God ... In accordance with the wise custom of the civil magistrate since the first settlements in this land and with the rule established from the foundation of this Government ... do appoint ... a day of National Thanksgiving and Prayer, enjoining the people upon that day to meet in their churches for the praise of Almighty God and to return heartfelt thanks to Him for all His goodness and loving kindness.” ~ *President William Howard Taft, November 5, 1910* ~ **A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life**
www.lutheransforlife.org.

PRAYER REQUESTS



WE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY

S Sgt Tanner Tilton, US Air Force EOD, serving at Malmstrom.
Airman Joseph Anderson, US Air Force, serving at Malmstrom.
Major Dave Duncan, US Air Force, serving at Malmstrom.
Senior Airman Brady Toole, US Air Force, serving at Malmstrom.
T Sgt Jared Dudden, US Air Force, serving at Malmstrom.
Steffen, US Army, Fort Stewart, Georgia (grandson of Sherry Blomstrom)

-- (11-23-14) We pray for **the family of Ron Guderjahn**, who died this past Wednesday. Pray for God’s peace and comfort for them during this difficult time. His funeral will be this Tuesday at Trinity at 11:00 am.

-- (11-23-14) We pray for **Myrna Philipp** who had surgery this past Wednesday and is hospitalized.

-- (11-23-14) We pray for **Cheryl Bauer** who broke her wrist and had surgery this past Wednesday.

-- (11-23-14) We pray for **Melba Mauseth** who fell last week, hurt her hip and legs, was hospitalized and is now at The Grandview.

-- (Update 11-23-14) We pray for **the grandson of a Trinity member** who has autism and has started a treatment regimen prescribed by doctors from Mayo Clinic. The family thanks all of you for all of your prayers.

-- (Update 10-19-14) We pray for **Thaddeus Kelly** (close friend of Ellen Carpenter) whose cancer has spread to his mouth and he will be moving closer to family.

-- (Update 9-14-14) We pray for **Debbe & Marek** (Gary & Rose Shelden’s daughter and son-in-law). Debbe had more teeth extracted last Monday and Marek is unemployed due to the sale of his employer’s company.

-- (11-9-14) We pray for **Chuck & Elsie Lorenz**. **Chuck** had surgery on Friday to remove part of his toe and **Elsie** is having surgery on November 18th to remove a cancer spot on her arm.

- (11-9-14) We pray for **Sheila Keen** (friend of Rose & Gary's Shelden's daughter, Debbe) who has terminal cancer and needs aggressive treatment.
- (11-9-14) We pray for **Hank Thies** who was released from the hospital recently and is now at Missouri River Manor.
- (11-2-14) We pray for **Joy Suek** who is recovering from a heart procedure due to a blocked artery.
- (10-26-14) We pray for **JoAnne Peterson** (friend of Anita Erickson) who has been diagnosed with melanoma.
- (10-26-14) We pray for **Betty Quickenden** who is suffering from a severe skin reaction from medication.
- (10-26-14) We pray for **Mason Michael** (baby of Ilene Leishman's friend) who was born October 20th and flown to Seattle for open heart surgery.
- (Update 10-26-14) We pray for **Colleen Rust** (Carolyn Arves' sister) who has been diagnosed with breast cancer.
- (10-19-14) We pray for **Janet** (Jerry Grosenick's sister) who was diagnosed with breast cancer. Please pray, also, for Jerry and Pam in this difficult situation.
- (9-28-14) We pray for **Pat & Gretchen Ulrickson** (friends of Tammy Grosenick) Pat has just been diagnosed with three brain tumors.
- (Update 9-21-14) We pray for **Pat Eastman** who is home recovering from surgery. Please pray that her skin graft heals well.
- (7-27-14) We pray for **Dawn Arves** who is struggling with health issues.
- (6-22-14) We pray for **Jordan** (teenage daughter of Keith and Val Smelser from Power) who is battling some very severe health issues.
- (6-22-14) We pray for **Larry & Karalyn Maevers** (former members of Trinity), as Larry is battling severe health issues.
- (5-18-14) We pray for **Lennie Koelbel** (Len Koelbel's son) who is going through tests to determine which auto-immune disease he has.
- (5-18-14) We pray for **Danial Williams** who is having health issues involving his eyes and shoulders.
- (Update 4-13-14) We pray for **Marlin Wilke** who has been diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.
- (Update 12-22-13) We pray for **Alice Irión** who is staying with her daughter, Vicki, due to health issues. Her address is PO Box 1925, Havre, MT 59501
- (Updated 7-7-13) We pray for continued blessings upon our shut-ins: **Gary Adams, Bob & Sherrie Blomstrom, Lydia Laubach, Evelyn McNaight, Emma Millet, Alvina Presler, Ruth Schwartzenberger, Myrtle Storhaug and Ted Young.**

For prayer requests, call Vicki Roath at 452-2121 (church) or 453-3709.