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Grace Church Memorials The Sanctuary and Chapel Flower Memorials



September 1 to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **Axel J. and Jane Olney Anderson** by their family.

September 8 to the Glory of God and in honor of Rev. John Weatherhogg and Rev. Tracy Fye Weatherhogg for their many years of service to Grace Congregational Church.

September 15 to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **Jane Martinez** by her husband Bill and the family.

September 22 to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **John Stager** by his family.

September 29 to the Glory of God and in loving memory of the **Mary and Martha Circle**.

(Please note: If you would like to have a flower memorial in memory of a loved one or for a special celebration, please contact David Hazen: 483.2337/peren@aol.com).

The Church Spire will be illuminated

September 1, 8, 15, and 22 to the Glory of God.

September 29 to the Glory of God and in loving memory of **John A. Densmore** by his wife, Barbara Densmore.

***If you would like to have the Church Spire lit in celebration or in the memory of a loved one, please contact the Church Office (775.4301). The cost for this is \$20.

Church Office Hours
Beginning September 3

Monday – Thursday
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Closed on Friday

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PUBLISHED FOR THE MEMBERS AND FRIENDS OF GRACE CONGREGATIONAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, RUTLAND, VERMONT

News from the Congregational Meeting on August 25

On Sunday, August 25, a congregational meeting was held to hear, discuss, and vote on a request for the dissolution of the pastoral relationships with the Reverends John and Tracy Weatherhogg. After a time of conversation, questions, and concerns, those gathered eventually approved a motion for dissolution, and approved terms of dissolution in recognition of John and Tracy being paid through December 2019 with an additional payment to be given to them in January 2020.

Sunday, September 8 will be John and Tracy's last Sunday at Grace. It will also be a Communion Sunday, Homecoming Service, and more! Come and help us celebrate our ministry together over the last 15 years. There will be a special reception for the Weatherhogs in Fellowship Hall, following the Sanctuary Service.

NOTE: A Special Fund has been established for anyone who would like to make a contribution for a monetary gift for the Weatherhogs. The Fund will remain open until December 2019.

Hope to see you on Sunday, September 8th, for Homecoming Sunday and to celebrate the Weatherhogs!

It's a WonderFULL Life: Stewardship Campaign 2020

It's a WonderFULL Life -- our stewardship theme takes a page from the classic Jimmy Stewart Christmas movie. Please join us in worship as we spend several Sundays during September and October exploring in worship and sermon the many profound messages seen in this film. We will attempt to keep everyone on board even if you miss a week or two, so look for additional thoughts in Grace Good News, as well as in the mail.



A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Out of the Boat...

The very first sermon I preached at Grace Church was entitled, “Out of the Boat.” It was the story of how I first heard the call to ministry. I was 16 years old and attend-ing a *Young Life* Christian camp in the mountains of North Carolina (*Windy Gap* for those of you who might remember). I already considered myself a Christian at the time. I had been raised in the church and had very vivid memories of interactions with God as a young child. What *Young Life* gave me was what I now call a “transformational moment.” Some might call it a conversion experience, but I wasn’t converting from nothing to something. Greg Kinberg was the camp speaker that week and he was sharing stories about Jesus from the Gospel of Matthew. He told the story of Jesus walking on the water in the early, early morning, and the disciples who had seen Jesus were frightened. (Which is how we would have reacted if we had seen Jesus walking on the water!). So Peter, in his brash boldness (to which I could vividly identify), stood up and said, “Jesus, if that’s really you, then command me to come out on the water with you!”

Kinberg embellished the story by imagining all of Peter’s pals in the boat razzing him because he would have to get out of the boat if Jesus so commanded! Which, of course, Jesus did! So Peter, the courage draining from his system, timidly dips his big toe into the water – it held! Then a foot, then his weight shifted onto the water, all the while hanging onto the boat – his life preserver! Then boom! He was fully out there, letting go, outside the safety zone of the boat and standing on top of the water, something humans aren’t supposed to be able to do. Yet here was Peter, standing fully on the water, though undoubtedly wobbling to catch

his center! He was doing something human beings can’t do! *Unless, you see, you are empowered by God to do the impossible!*

That was it! All the lights in my very limited Sunday School Bible knowledge went “ping!” at the same time and it was like I ‘got’ the stories in the Gospels! (At least, so I thought!) The message was about *empowerment!* Jesus came to this earth not just to “save us from our sins”, but to “empower us to do the *impossible* with God’s help!” This became the clarion call for my ministry and my life’s vocation. To tell the stories of Jesus in order to empower the followers of God to *get out of their boats and walk on water!* (Spiritually speaking, of course!)

This is what God is calling all of us to do today! What is the boat of your comfort zone? Can you imagine getting out of it? Is God calling you to get out of your boat! How would the landscape of your life change if you dared to get out of the boat?

I fully believe that the shifting waters under which our society is rocking are screaming at us – “Get out of the boat and onto the water of your faith and do the impossible - with God’s help!” Now, I don’t know what the “impossible mission” is for you, or for Grace Church, for that matter! But, I do know that it requires all of us to get out of our boats and onto the waters of life! As a member and soon to be former pastor, Grace Church (and all churches) represents our “boat” as a family of faith. It’s very comfortable inside and we all like it very much. However, I’m pretty sure God never called followers to gather in comfortable club-boats to become cliques over against the profound need and pains outside the doors! So, how do we get outside and into the mission field of life to share the love of God in Jesus in ways that are welcoming and non-threatening? We can’t represent the *institutional* church out there or we’ll fail miserably. We just have to be people willing to spread kindness and love in such a way that others are attracted to our

Grace Church in the Wider Community



Volunteer Opportunities Continue

Help make a difference!



- **Habitat for Humanity of Rutland County**

*Transforming People’s Lives and Our Community by Creating Affordable and Decent Housing
Lifting Up One Family at a Time*

Habitat volunteers are needed to help with work being done on a house at 120 Crescent Street in Rutland on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Volunteers are welcome for all or part of that time. For more information, visit www.rutlandhabitat.com or email Rutlandhabitat@gmail.com.

- **Vermont Farmers Food Center—The Farmacy Program**

The Vermont Farmers Food Center (VFFC) provides fresh vegetables to members of our community through The Farmacy Program. Participants receive free food from local farms during the summer plus get information and support on what to do with those vegetables! Every Wednesday through September 25th, Farmacy Shares will be prepared and packed for distribution. Volunteers are needed from 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. (all or part of that time).

- **Vermont Foodbank in Rutland**

Every Monday from 10 a.m. – 12 noon, volunteers are needed to help at the Foodbank. This fall we will be helping with the Backpack program. For more information or to register, go to www.vtfoodbank.volunteerhub.com.

Don’t forget Food Shelf Sunday, September 1!

Donations go to the Community Cupboard.



Our Church’s Wider Mission Offering Received

Sunday, September 8

Grace Church is a 5 for 5 congregation supporting each of the 5 special offerings of the United Church of Christ. Our Church’s Wider Mission (OCWM) is one of those offerings. Contributions given to OCWM support the work of the UCC nationally and locally through the VT Conference. Special offering envelopes are included in pledge envelope boxes and will be available on Homecoming Sunday, Sept. 8, when we receive this special offering during worship.

Prayerfully consider your gift to support the work of our denomination here in Vermont and throughout the world!

Grace Church in the Wider Community

Walk To End Alzheimer's Saturday, September 7th Main Street Park, Rutland



Join the "Grace Church Walkers" team on Saturday morning, September 7, for Rutland's Walk to End Alzheimer's in Main Street Park. Go to www.alz.org/walk and enter 05701 in Find Your Walk. Sign up on-line or see/call Jeannie Stimpfel (802.770.3766).

Grace Church Halloween Parade Float At the Rutland Halloween Parade on Saturday, October 26



Join us as we spread the word about the many ways Grace Church helps the community:

We visit the sick. We feed the hungry. We sing for joy.
Prayer * Hope * Joy
The future is NOW and it is a wonder!

Our theme is **GRACE CHURCH HAS HEART.**

We are inviting everyone, particularly the young, to march with us, to sing with us, and to work with us to help make this fun project actually happen.

To help or to learn more, contact any of the core planning group members: Barbara Densmore (barbaradensmore27@gmail.com), Bonnie Kelly (bck4237@hotmail.com), Dave Hoffenberg (deacondavehoff@gmail.com), Ann McFarren (annmcfarren@gmail.com), Lana and Fred Bates (batesx1@comcast.net), Mary Crowley (artandmarycrowley@comcast.net), Ken Willis (ken@gracechurchvt.org), Kelly Ladabouche ([kels52379@yahoo.com](mailto:kelser52379@yahoo.com)), Chris Thompson, or Alastair Stout (alastair@gracechurchvt.org).

Grace Participates in BROCC's "Adopt a Shelf" Program!!

Grace Church is helping BROCC to fill a shelf with nutritious food. Groups commit to collecting a particular food item and help fill a shelf for the food program at BROCC. They are currently in need of CEREAL. Bring your boxes of CEREAL on Sundays and we will help fill the shelf at BROCC!!



Witness and they'll ask: "What is it about you that makes you so kind and loving?" And, here's the fun, you get to say – "A long time ago a friend of mine challenged all of us to get outside our comfort zones and to follow him in a lifestyle of love and forgiveness. I'm just trying my best to get out every day and walk on the water with him!"

May your feet never get wet as you share the love of Jesus outside the boat! And, thanks for the privilege of being your pastors all these years! We're going to miss you all!

John, Tracy, Kyle, Emma and Tyler

Healing Ministry By Rev. Bob Boutwell



Agnes Sanford tells how forgiveness has the power to heal. God's forgiveness can come to us through repentance and the prayer of confession. That is a way for us to give our sins to Jesus knowing that He has taken all of them to the cross. Forgiveness can also come through the communion service where Jesus gives us his body and blood in the form of bread and grape juice. As the bread is digested it is changed through faith into the body of Christ which eals, nourishes and strengthens every part of our bodies. When we drink the grape juice through faith, it becomes the blood of Jesus. It flows through our hearts to every part of our bodies, with cleansing, healing, and renewal. Forgiveness can also come to us through the assurance and witness of other believers. When we receive God's love and forgiveness, it is like a spiritual transfusion renewing our life.

In her book *The Healing Light*, Agnes tells about visiting a soldier in the hospital who was depressed. He had been picked up from the battlefield with a broken back and taken to the army hospital. He was very discouraged and depressed. Agnes told him that she and the Sisters of his church were praying for him and that God was renewing his life within him. She told him that she was praying that Jesus would come into him and that his spine would be infused with bone from Jesus. She could envision his back being made perfectly well and shining with God's healing light. Six weeks later when Agnes went back to the hospital to visit him, she found him happily mopping the floor of the ward and loudly singing praises to God. He told her that in his latest X-ray the doctors could not find the break in his back. Agnes reminded him that they had asked Jesus to go in there and mend his back, and He had done it. It was not surprising that the doctors could not understand what had happened.

When Jesus sent out his disciples he gave them authority to heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out evil spirits, and proclaim that the realm of God is at hand. As modern day disciples of Jesus we have that same authority. For those who are feeling ill, feeling rejected, feeling lifeless, or out of control, the good news is - Jesus has been raised from the dead. He lives and, through our healing ministry, he still heals people today.

Grace Church offers a Healing Prayer Service on the second Sunday of each month, with the next one in the Chapel on Sunday, September 8th at 11:25 AM. Those who need healing are invited to come and bask in the healing love of Jesus with the laying on of hands, anointing with oil, and healing prayers. You are also invited to come and pray for the healing of others and to praise God.



MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE UNTO THE LORD.

START UP FOR FALL MUSIC PROGRAMS 2019

Choir season begins soon!

September is just around the corner! All our choirs begin again, so please add the rehearsal dates to your calendars, and consider joining our dedicated teams of singers and ringers!

September 4

Children's Choir at 4 p.m.
TTBB choir at 6 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir at 7 p.m.

September 8

Joyful Noise at 11:45 a.m.

September 9

Handbells at 6:45 p.m.

September 11

Children's Choir at 4 p.m.
SSAA choir at 6 p.m.
Sanctuary choir at 7 p.m.

Homecoming Sunday: September 8 at 10 AM

Please join the Sanctuary Choir and brass ensemble for morning worship as we celebrate the start of a new choir season!

Peace Concert: September 22 at 4 PM

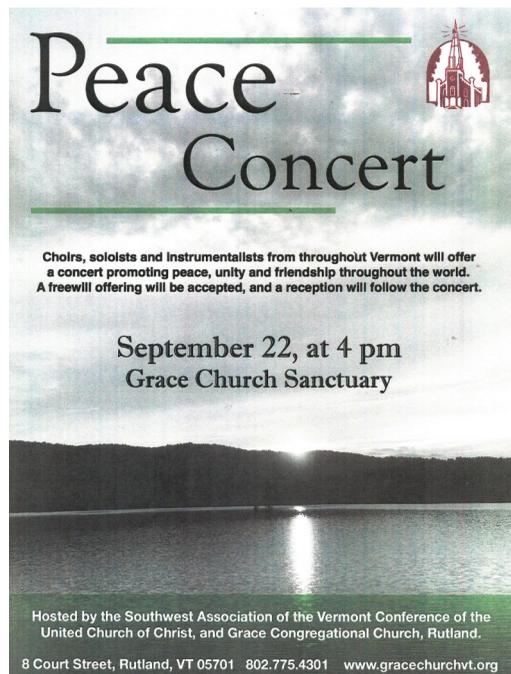
The Sanctuary Choir will be joined by local choirs, soloists and instrumentalists to offer a concert promoting peace and friendship around the globe.

Hymn Sing: September 29 at 4 PM

Join Alastair for a fall-season hymn sing in the Grace Church Sanctuary. Hear the wonderful Aeolian Skinner organ back to its full glory after summer repairs! A reception will follow in the Grace Church garden.

Benefit Concert: October 6 at 4 PM

The choirs of Grace Church, as well as singers and instrumentalists from the region, join forces to raise money for a local charity. Help us add to the \$3,500 already raised this year by the Grace Music Department and friends!



Women at Grace Church



Prayer Shawl Ministry

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Prayer Shawls ...

They wrap, shelter, cover, give solace, hug and comfort. Those who have received shawls have been uplifted and affirmed, as if they have been given wings to fly above their troubles.

We are beginning our 10th year of our Prayer Shawl Ministry and have given away more than 375 shawls to members and friends of Grace. Please consider joining us for an hour or so on **the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. in the Parlor** to knit and crochet. We have yarn, needles, and patterns. Want to learn? Come and we will teach you.

For more information contact the Church Office at 775.4301 or Marty Barclay at 775.1076.
September meeting: September 11



Third Sunday Lunch Salad Potluck Sunday, September 15 at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall



3rd Sunday lunch returns in September and will continue this fall with a **Salad Potluck**. There will then be an opportunity for volunteers to sign up to keep the lunches going each month. How can you help?

- Are you able to make a pot of soup?
- Can you help with salad preparations?
- Can you bring bread?
- Can you help with clean up?
- Can you come and help with set up at 9:30 a.m. on the 3rd Sunday?

Contact Sue Best if you can help in September (775.5079/dsjbest@comcast.net).

Fourth Sunday Welcome Table Dinner Sunday, September 22 at 5:30 p.m.



Volunteers are needed to help with our Fourth Sunday Welcome Table Dinner on September 22. Food donors, cooks, bakers, table hosts, servers, and clean-up crew members are all needed. If you are willing to help, please complete the SOS in the Sunday bulletin, look for the sign-up at Fellowship Time, or contact Sarah Pulcer (775. 8861/sehenry2001@yahoo.com).

Women at Grace Church



Women's Ministries Sewing Group: CWS Book Bags

September 17th is our first sewing meeting when we sew school bags for the CWS Kit Program. The sewing group meets every month, September through April, on the third Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. You are not asked to stay the whole time and it is mostly straight, simple sewing. The group is always

looking for new members, so please come and join us!

At this time we are collecting items to fill the school bags. Items needed for each bag:

- ◆ 6 wooden #2 pencils with erasers
- ◆ 3 70-page spiral notebooks
- ◆ 1 hand-held pencil sharpener
- ◆ 1 pair child metal scissors (blunt nose)
- ◆ 1 box crayons - 24 pack
- ◆ 12 inch Ruler (with inches and millimeters)
- ◆ 1 large eraser (pink type)

Boxes for these donations will be located at the West Street and Center Street entrances of the church. Questions: Call Dena Ackerman (773.6435) or Helen Willis (773.2115).

Women's Small Group Potluck Breakfast and Conversation

Monday, September 9 9:30-11 a.m.

Come and bring a breakfast item to share as we talk about where we have been and where we might be going into the new year. We will gather in the Parlor at 9:30 a.m. for food and conversation.



Let's Do Lunch!

Wednesday, September 25, 11:45 a.m. at Roots

Plan now to join us on Wednesday, September 25th at 11:45 a.m. at Roots for an informal gathering and time of fellowship. Call the Church Office by Tuesday morning to let us know you are coming. All women and friends of Grace Church are welcome to join us! Please call the Office (775.4301) to make a reservation.



Spiritual Growth at Grace Church



God is Still Speaking ... Through Us

Immigration and Michaelmas!

September 29 (in place of the Aug. 18 event)



After worship:

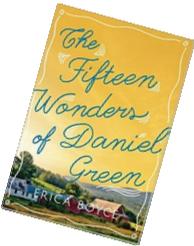
- ◆ Potluck lunch
- ◆ Crafts/card-making to send to our brothers and sisters on the Border.
- ◆ Free-will offering for groups working with detainees at the Border.
- ◆ Discussion about next steps with the wider Rutland community – what would it take to sponsor one or more families in Rutland?

What is Michaelmas, and what does it have to do with our immigration work? It's an ancient Christian holiday that celebrates the Archangel Michael defeating evil in the world!

Listening for God Book Discussion

Thursday, September 12, 5:30 p.m.

Join us in the Parlor on September 12 for a potluck and discussion. Bring a dish to share or just come! We will discuss *The Fifteen Wonders of Daniel Green* by Erika Boyce. Books are available on Sunday mornings or through the Church Office for \$11. Any questions, contact (Janice Prindle (345.2924/ jlpn77@gmail.com). All are welcome!



Spiritual Formation at Grace (for children)

Whole Church School Program

We continue to offer a Whole Church School Program on most Sunday mornings. Each week, we will explore the themes that will be the theme of worship through a variety of activities for all ages.

Crib/Toddler Room (Birth – 3 year olds)

Each Sunday, volunteers staff our Crib/Toddler Room providing a safe and welcoming place for the youngest members of our Grace Church community to gather. Stories, play, and music are just some of the activities that take place.

NOTE: We can always use additional volunteers to staff the Crib/Toddler Room or help with our Whole Church School Programs. If you are interested in volunteering or in learning more, contact Kelly Thompson (438.2230/kelser52379@yahoo.com).

Family and Youth at Grace Church



Bethany Birches Camping Weekend!

The Grace Church Fall Camping Weekend is from Friday, August 30 to Monday, September 2 at Bethany Birches Camp in Plymouth. You may camp for the whole weekend, one or two nights, or just come for one of the days and enjoy the sun, fun and fellowship. If you're planning on coming down Friday, be sure it's mid to late afternoon, as the camp won't be ready in the morning.

You can sign up ahead of time or just come and sign up at the camp. Basic rates for the weekend are: \$20/person/night (adults and children are the same rate). Day rates: \$15/person/day. Bethany Birches has complete kitchen facilities plus bathrooms and showers. See you there!

To learn more see Tracy, check out the Bethany Birches Facebook page at Bethany Birches Camp, or go to bethanybirches.org.

Youth Group News

Sunday, Sept. 8 Youth Group Kick-Off

All youth in grades 7-12 are encouraged to join us from 5-7 p.m. for a night of fun, fellowship, food, and a preview of coming attractions. Bring chips, salad, or dessert. Hamburgers, veggie burgers, and hot dogs will be provided.

Sunday, Sept. 22 Fourth Sunday Dinner

Come help serve and help with this exciting ministry. Come at 5 p.m. to get your job!

Vacation Bible School 2019

We gathered Tuesday through Thursday for activities, dinner, and explored Harry Potter and the Spiritual Life! Many thanks to all those who helped and participated!



PFLAG Meetings

United Church of Dorset and East Rupert, 2nd Sundays at 4 PM

PFLAG (Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays) is a national network of support groups devoted to nurturing and celebrating relationships of diverse sexual orientations for all ages. The group is not a political action group, but is meant to create a discreet, loving, and safe family of caring friends facing common challenges. To learn more, contact the Dorset Church: 802.867.2260 / dorsetchurch@gmail.com.



News from the Southwest Association of the VT Conference, UCC

Southwest Association of the VT Conference UCC participates in ...

CAMPAIGN NONVIOLENCE WEEK OF ACTIONS

September 14-22, 2019

Check our website and weekly announcements to learn more.



SAVE the DATE:

Southwest Association Fall Meeting Sunday, October 13

Second Congregational Church – Bennington, 2 p.m. The Fall Meeting will feature an Association Book Study using Barbara Brown Taylor's book, *Holy Envy*. Watch for more information!

In follow-up to last year's small group conversations on Civil Discourse, consider attending ...

Better Angels Skill Workshop on Saturday, September 7, 12-3 PM

Rutland Regional Medical Center, Leahy Education Conference Center

There's a lot of stress these days among family members and friends who are divided politically, and the current polarized public conversation doesn't help. Please join us for a Better Angels Skills Workshop to learn skills for having respectful conversations that clarify differences, search for common ground, and affirm the importance of the relationship. To learn more: . <https://www.dropbox.com/s/2zrcdiwklk20xhh/Screenshot%202019-07-29%2012.38.48.png?dl=0>.

Worship Planning Team for Advent



Advent begins on December 1st and we will be gathering a group of people to plan for Advent worship services early in September. This is a short commitment opportunity to look at the scripture readings and themes for each week, and explore ways in which we can bring those to life through worship. To learn more or to be sure you are on the list, contact Kathy Taylor (772.7223/ kathytaylor05701@yahoo.com).

Flower and Church Spire Memorials

Each Sunday, our Sanctuary and Chapel are graced with flowers given in memory or in honor of a loved one. Throughout the week, our stunning church spire is lit in the evenings. If you would like to give flowers or have the Church Spire lit in celebration or in memory of a loved one, please contact David Hazen for flowers (483.2337/ peren@aol.com) or the Church Office for the spire (775.4301).



News from the Pews

Welcome Sawyer James Hunt!

Sawyer was born July 26th in Gunnison, Colorado at 8 lbs 12 oz. and 20 inches long. He is the son of Katie (Gabi's daughter) and Jay Hunt, and is Gabriella Netsch's grandson. Sawyer will know Gabi as Gigi.



Update from the Property Committee ...

Stop the Bleed Training



SAVE A LIFE

Stop the Bleed is one of the nation's largest public health campaigns designed to encourage bystanders to become trained, equipped, and empowered to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives. Its goal is to save lives by training people across the country how to stop traumatic bleeding.

The Property Committee of Grace Church has arranged for two, one-hour trainings to occur here at the church. The first is on Thursday, October 3 at 5 p.m., and will take place immediately before the monthly Diaconate meeting. All are invited and encouraged to attend, particularly members of the diaconate as they are active participants in worship. The second training is scheduled for October 22 at 1 p.m., again open to all. The training sessions will be conducted by Sheena Daniel, RN, BSN, CEN, Emergency Room Manager at Rutland Regional Medical Center.

Please call Kit Wallace (775.4301) if you plan to attend. If more than 10 people sign up for a given session, RRMC will provide an additional leader.

Fellowship Hall floor

\$25,000 has been reallocated from the 2012 Capital Campaign funds to help pay for a new hardwood floor in Fellowship Hall, which is desperately needed. We are still around \$19,000 short of the total needed for this project, and hope that we can raise the remainder in other ways. Donations to this project would be gratefully accepted!



The Fortnightly Celebrating 140 Years at Grace Congregational Church



"A Trip to Cuba"

With Dr. Alis Headlam

Thursday, September 19, 2019 at 2:00 p.m.
Grace Church Chapel

Tea & Sweets to follow in the Parlor

For further Information, call the Church Office (775.4301) or Bonnie Kelly (775.2249).

If transportation is needed, contact Bonnie.

All are welcome (men included)!

Yearly dues: \$10.00



Grace Church Fall Rummage Sale It's time to clean out your closets!

Thursday, October 3 from 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday, October 4 from 9 a.m. - Noon (Bag Sale)



Donations: We will be accepting donations in Fellowship Hall on Monday through Wednesday, September 30-October 2, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.. We will not accept donations after that time! We are looking for household items, clothing (**cleaned and wearable**), small appliances (**in good working condition**), linens, jewelry, and children's toys and games. **No sharp knives, televisions or microwaves, please!**

Set-up and Sales Help Needed!

Set-up help is needed to set up and sort Monday through Thursday, Sept. 30-October 3

Sales help is needed on Thursday, October 3 and Friday, October 4

Clean-up help is needed after the sale on Friday, October 4

Please look for the sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall. For more information please contact Mary Doyle (772.4834) or Helen Willis (773.2115). Thank you!

ON-GOING WEEKLY EVENTS

SUNDAY

8:30 Chapel Service
 9:00 Choir Rehearsal
 10:00 Sanctuary Service
 11:15 A Time of Fellowship
 11:45 Joyful Noise Choir Rehearsal

MONDAY

8:00 AA
 5:30 AA
 6:45 Tintinnabula
 7:00 Boy Scouts

TUESDAY

9:00 Yoga
 12:00 Staff Meeting
 5:00 AA Women's Group
 6:00 Bereavement Support
 6:30 Wit's End
 7:00 AA
 7:00 GA

WEDNESDAY

7:00 Prayer Group
 8:00 AA
 11:30 Men's Luncheon
 12:00 AA
 4:00 Children's Choir
 7:00 Sanctuary Choir

THURSDAY

12:00 AA

FRIDAY

8:00 AA

AA- Alcoholics Anonymous
GA - Gamblers Anonymous



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
9.1 Food Shelf Sunday  Camping Weekend 	9.2  Church Office closed 	9.3 7:00 Compassionate Friends	9.4 7:00 Prayer Group 8:30 Property Committee 9:00 Healing Ministry Office Open 9:30 Bible Study 4:00 Children's Choir Start-up 6:00 TTBB Choir Start-up 7:00 Sanctuary Choir Start-up	9.5 6:00 Diaconate	9.6 	9.7 9:00 Alzheimer's Walk (Main Street Park)	
9.8 Homecoming Sunday Communion OCWM Offering 11:15 Reception for John & Tracy 11:25 Healing Prayer Service 11:45 Joyful Noise Start-up 5:00 Youth Group Kickoff	9.9 9:30 Women's Small Group 6:45 Handbells Start-up	9.10 	9.11 7:00 Prayer Group 9:00 Healing Ministry Office Open 9:30 Bible Study 9:30 Prayer Shawl Ministry 4:00 Children's Choir 6:00 SSAA Choir 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	9.12 5:30 <i>Listening for God</i> Book Discussion	9.13 	9.14 	
9.15 Equal Exchange Sunday 11:15 Third Sunday lunch	9.16 	9.17 9:00 Women's Sewing Group	9.18 7:00 Prayer Group 9:00 Healing Ministry Office Open 9:30 Bible Study 4:00 Children's Choir 6:00 TTBB Choir Start-up 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	9.19 2:00 The Fortnightly	9.20 	9.21 	
9.22 4:00 Peace Concert 5:00 Youth Group 5:30 Welcome Table Dinner	9.23 9:30 Women's Small Group	9.24 	9.25 7:00 Prayer Group 9:00 Healing Ministry Office Open 9:30 Bible Study 11:45 Let's Do Lunch 4:00 Children's Choir 6:00 SSAA Choir 7:00 Sanctuary Choir	9.26 	9.27 	9.28 	
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