

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

February 12, 2018



A message from the Pastor Rebecca,

Then a cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud there came a voice, "This is my Son, the Beloved; listen to him!" Mark 9:7

Three disciples had the ultimate mountain top experience. They experienced something magnificent, and heard the voice of God tell them just who Jesus is. It can be tempting to think that God's presence is contained in these extraordinary type events. But as we know, Jesus is with us at all times and in all places. We do not need mountain tops to know God's presence, or to be assured of the lengths Jesus goes to so he can be near to us. We are in Jesus' presence every time we listen to him, every time we seek him, and every time he uses us. This week, and throughout Lent, look for those every day opportunities to be in the presence of God.

SOFTBALL - Grace's Co-ed Softball team is forming our 2018 roster. First practice is Feb 24, time and place TBA. The team is open to ages 16+. Contact Larry Winsch 803-324-893 if you would like to play or sign up on today's Tear and Share.

GOODBYE CITY, HELLO REALM - We are upgrading our ACS software suite from "The City" to "Realm". When the process begins on Monday, February 19, The City no longer will be available. It will take a few weeks before the upgrade is complete, and members can access Realm. We'll provide detailed instructions on how to access and use Realm at that time.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKES -, is Tues, Feb. 13 at 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. NYG donations accepted.

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP - worship with imposition of ashes and Holy Communion at **noon** and again at **7:00 PM**. Please plan to attend one of these worship services.

LENT SCHEDULE AVAILABLE ON WEBSITE - Please visit Grace's website's link (control, click) to all events Lent for Grace: <http://www.gracerockhill.com/news-and-events/lenten-services-and-activities/>

PINEWOOD DERBY - Cub Scout Pack 540 invites you to participate in the annual Pinewood Derby race on **Saturday, February 17th from 10 AM – 4 PM in the Fellowship Hall**. Light snacks will be served.

SENIORS@GRACE HOSTS CAROLINA COPY CATS - Thursday, Feb. 22 at 11:30 am (lunch @ noon, performance afterwards). This is one of our most popular events. Watch our Eric Schmidt take to the stage to entertain us with the rest of the Copy Cats. Sign up on the Tear and Share to RSVP.

LIFT (Ladies In Faith Together) - All women of Grace our invited to our next meeting at Pam Kirby's home on **Thursday, Feb. 22 at 6:30pm**. Our discussion will continue to look at ways we are "Re-formed through God's Grace". For additional information contact Karen Harris, harrisak@comporium.net or 803-493-5970.

ANNUAL TRAINING FOR NURSERY VOLUNTEERS - Interested persons should attend training on **Sunday, March 4, 2018 at 9:30 am** in the **nursery**. Contact Leslie Dunnett (stessiecu@yahoo.com) or complete the Tear & Share.

CHILD PROTECTION TRAINING - The next Child Protection Training will be on **Sunday, March 4 at 3:30 PM** in the **Common Area**. This training is required if you plan to assist with VBS, Lutheroad, Sunday School, the nursery. Pastor Rebecca will lead this training. Please sign up on the Tear and Share to register.

EASTER EGG EGGSTRAVAGANZA HUNT - is **Saturday, March 24 at 10:00 am**. If you are interested in participating, please fill out the Tear and Share. The event will end with a lunch of hot dogs and other goodies. Candy donations are also welcome. Contact Tammie Harbert (803-980-5114) for details.

NYG FUNDRAISER DAY - On April 28, GYM is hosting a yard and BBQ sale here at church. If you have unwanted items in your home, please set them aside for the sale. We will be collecting items at the church April 15th-20th. We can arrange pick up if you let us know before April 11! If you can help (prepare and serve BBQ, yard sale pricing and prep, yard sale attendant), contact Pastor Rebecca. Please plan to attend!

GRACE CALENDAR

MONDAY - February 12

10:00 AM	Planning (Prayer)
5:45 PM	Campus Ministry (WH)
6:30 PM	Cub Scouts (Youth)
7:00 PM	Grace Alone Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
7:00 PM	Boy Scout Troop #540 (106-107)
7:00 PM	Milestone (Conf)

TUESDAY - February 13

COUNCIL REPORTS AND NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE

1:30 PM	Newcomers Knitwits (Common)
6:00 PM	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper (FH & Kit)
6:30 PM	SCWW (107)
6:30 PM	WELCM (WH)
6:30 PM	AA (101)
7:00 PM	Leadership (Common)
7:00 PM	Jr. Women's Club of Rock Hill (106)
7:30 PM	Bridge Group (102)

WEDNESDAY - February 14

ASH WEDNESDAY

9:30 AM	Grace-C Quilters (103)
12:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Worship (Sanctuary)
5:30 PM	Outreach (108)
6:30 PM	AA (101)
7:00 PM	Ash Wednesday Worship (Sanctuary)
8:00 PM	Parish Choir (Music)

THURSDAY - February 15

PINEWOOD DERBY SET UP (FH)

7:30 AM	Centering Prayer (Prayer Room)
12:00 PM	Walk By Grace (Front Steps)

FRIDAY - February 16

PINEWOOD DERBY SET UP (FH)

5:30 PM	AA (101)
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SATURDAY - February 17

10:00 AM	Pinewood Derby (FH)
10:00 AM	LSC Planning Meeting (Conf)

SUNDAY - February 18

8:30 AM	Contemporary Worship Service
9:45 AM	Coffee Fellowship
9:45 AM	Sunday School
11:00 AM	Traditional Worship Service
2:00 PM	Council (107)
4:30 PM	GYM (Youth)
7:00 PM	AA (101)

February 18, 2018

Worship Assistants

Hospitality:

ShirLee Alfors

Muggers:

Kathy Schwandt

Nursery:

Leslie Dunnett

Tabulators:

Bea and Jack Lockwood

Altar Guild:

Nora Sliney

Home Communion Ministers:

Huitt; Gignac; Sliney/Westbrook

8:30 AM

Lector: Bob Goodbar

Communion Assistant: Sara Johnson

Petitioner: Ruth Wasserman

Acolyte: Jacob Bell

Greeter: Kendall Anderson

Ushers: Sig Huitt, Steve Ashley,

Harold Williams, Dan Bartel

11:00 AM

Lector: April Hershey

Communion Assistant: Melissa Tucker

Petitioner: Kathy Schwandt

Acolyte: Palmer Floyd

Greeter: Sue & Karlo Waataja

Ushers: Chris Cassidy, Kenny Meetze,

Mike Dunnett

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FEBRUARY 2018

Seniors@Grace - February 22 - 11:30 AM

The Carolina Copy Cats

MARCH 2018

Nursery Training - Mar 4, 9:30 AM - Nursery

Child Prot Train - Mar 4, 3:30 PM - Common

Seniors@Grace - March 22, 11:30 AM -
author talk with Pete Hildebrandt

Easter Eggstravaganza - Sat, Mar 24, 10:00 AM

Family Promise - March 25 - April 1

APRIL 2018

Easter - April 1 - 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM

Easter Breakfast - April 1 - 9:15 AM - FH

NYG Garage Sale - April 28 - Fellowship Hall

JUNE/JULY 2018

National Youth Gathering -

Houston, Texas - June 27 - July 1, 2018