

# THIS WEEK AT GRACE

September 24, 2018



Pastor Scottie's "Nugget of the Week"

Please pray with me.

*Help me to remember your words Jesus. "Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all."  
Guide me to serve others with joy, Oh Lord, bringing glory to your Holy Name. Amen*

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**ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC** - is scheduled for **OCTOBER 14th** at Elks Park approximately **12:30 pm**. This will be an extremely fun event for all ages with games, entertainment and, of course, food. We will have our own Walker Stockley's, 'Walker's BBQ Memphis Style' to provide Beef Brisket, Chicken Wings and a bunch of delicious sides. You may bring a dessert to share. The price per adult will be \$9.00; children 7 and older, \$7.00; children 6 and under, free; and per family, \$25.00. Sign up on Sunday's Tear and Share.

**SENIORS@GRACE** - We meet **Thursday September 27** at our usual **11:30 am** time for a special guest (*Hint: He's the new interim pastor*) and a yummy lunch!! In October, mark your "Save the Date" calendar for Thursday, October 25. Seniors will be on the road for lunch at Sue and Karlo Waataja's home.

**FALL MUSIC REHEARSALS** - **Grace Alone**, the 8:30 AM choir, rehearses on **Mondays** at **7:20 PM** in the **Sanctuary**. **Parish Choir**, the 11:00 AM choir, rehearses on **Wednesdays** at **7:00 PM** in the **Choir Room**. **Grace Ringers Handbells** rehearses **Mondays** at **6:20 PM** in the **Choir Room**.

**CHILDREN'S CHOIR** - We will begin rehearsals for children's choir on Sunday, **September 23 at 4:00 pm, in the Choir Room**. We will meet each Sunday afternoon. Children, grades 1 through 5, are encouraged to join us as we prepare to present a Christmas musical in December. Come sing with us, kids!

**SOUND SYSTEM OPERATORS NEEDED** - Do you like to play with electronics? We are in need of volunteers to assist in running the sound board in our services. Interested? Email Jeremy ([gracemusic@comporium.net](mailto:gracemusic@comporium.net)). No experience needed!

**HOSPITALITY NEEDS** - Hospitality hosts are needed to provide coffee and snacks between services. Please sign up on the lavender sheet that is placed on the information table in the Fellowship Hall. Questions? Contact Irene Pointon at [point@comporium.net](mailto:point@comporium.net).

**ACCESS CONTROL** - Installation work has begun! We look forward to sharing this and learning to how best to make Grace a safer and more secure place to worship, meet and share our church with our community.

**CALLED SAFETY MEETING** - There is a called meeting of Safety Team on **Sunday Sept. 30 at 8:30am before 10:00 am service in the Common Area**. Meeting is necessary prior to activating new Access Control System.

**CONFIRMATION CLASS** - that was cancelled **Saturday, September 15 at 8:30 am** has been included in the class's next regularly scheduled session on **Saturday, October 20 at 8:30 am**.

**STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION SUNDAY** - is **September 30, 2018**. One worship service at 10:00 am, followed by BBQ lunch catered from our very own Walker Stockley. Invitations have been mailed: please respond attendance to this email **NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25**.

**2019 CALENDARS** - Augsburg Fortress is offering bulk purchase discounts on their 2019 Year C Liturgical Wall Calendars. With the orders already submitted, cost will be **\$4.50 each**. A sample calendar is available to preview in the Fellowship Hall on the sign-up table. Reserve yours by putting your name, email and quantity requested on the form. **Offer ends October 7**.

## GRACE CALENDAR

### MONDAY - September 24

1:30 PM Newcomers KnitWits (Common)  
6:20 PM Grace Ringers Handbells Rehearsal (Choir Room)  
6:30 PM Cub Scouts (Youth)  
7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop #540 (106-107)  
7:20 PM Grace Alone Rehearsal (Sanctuary)  
7:30 PM Public Relations (Conf)

### TUESDAY - September 25

10:00 AM Newcomers Bible Study (Conf)  
5:30 PM Worship and Music (106)  
6:30 PM WELCM (WH)  
6:30 PM SCWW (107)  
6:30 PM AA (101)  
7:30 PM Bridge Group (102)

### WEDNESDAY - September 26

9:30 AM Grace-C Quilters (103)  
6:30 PM AA (101)  
7:00 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

### THURSDAY - September 27

#### STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION MEAL SET UP (EVENING)

7:30 AM Centering Prayer (Common)  
11:30 AM Seniors@Grace (FH & Kit)  
6:00 PM Safety Meeting with Outside Building Users (Sanc)

### FRIDAY - September 28

#### STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION MEAL SET UP

5:30 PM AA (101)

### SATURDAY - September 29

#### STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION MEAL SET UP

**NO EVENTS SCHEDULED**

### SUNDAY - September 30

#### STEWARDSHIP CELEBRATION SUNDAY

10:00 AM Worship Service  
11:30 AM Stewardship Celebration Meal (FH & Kit)  
4:00 PM Children's Choir (Choir Room)  
4:30 PM GYM Study (Youth)  
7:00 PM AA (101)

## September 30, 2018

### Worship Assistants

#### Hospitality:

Stewardship Celebration Meal

#### Muggers:

Martha Hester and Larry Winsch

#### Nursery:

Heather Litzinger

#### Tabulators:

Jennifer Landsly and Bob Stonebraker

#### Altar Guild:

Kathy Schwandt and Ruth Wasserman

#### 10:00 AM

*Lector:* Sara Johnson

*Communion Assistant:* Craig Ketner

*Petitioner:* Cindy Rowan

*Acolytes:* Mary Vettorel, Tyler Stegall

*Greeter:* Vicky and Bob Goodbar

*Ushers:* Wally Seigler, David Hardendorf

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#### SEPTEMBER 2018

**"Grateful Giving Drives Our Mission"**

**Annual Stewardship Campaign**

**September 9 - 30**

Stewardship Sunday Worship

September 30, 10:00 AM

Stewardship Celebration Meal

September 30, 11:00 AM

#### OCTOBER 2018

Parish Picnic - Elk's Park - October 14, 12:30 PM

Confirmation Class - October 20, 8:30 AM

#### NOVEMBER 2018

LIFT Retreat - Lutherock - November 9 - 11

Celebration Worship & Annual Dinner - Nov 18

Celebration Service - 10:00 AM

Meal and Meeting, 11:30 AM - 2:30 PM