

**"It is not what you are nor what you have been that God looks at with his merciful eyes,
but what you desire to be."
-The Cloud of Unknowing**

GRACE MEMBERS INVITED TO OPENING FOR NEW NEIGHBORS NEXT DOOR - Adult Enrichment Centers will host a grand opening and community open house **Today, Oct. 8**, at its new home in Place of Grace, 410 Oakland, where its offices and new High Five Works program are now housed. High Five Works trains and finds competitive wage employment for adults with disabilities. The open house runs **from 4-6 p.m.** with a 20-minute program starting at 4:30 p.m. Greg Austin will represent the Place of Grace Committee at the event.

ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC - is scheduled for **OCTOBER 14th** at Elk's 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. **RSVP to this email to reserve your space.**

WELCM MEALS NEEDED - Tuesday evenings Grace and Our Saviour take turns feeding the WELCM Campus Ministry students. The sign - up sheet is posted on the wall pillar in the Fellowship Hall. Grace Lutheran only has every other Tuesday to provide meals at 6:30 PM - would you prayerfully consider sharing some home cooked love with our Campus Ministry students? Thanks in advance for your ministry support. Contact Olga-Maria at WinthropWELCM@gmail.com or (502) 644-0176 for more information.

SENIORS@GRACE - The next Seniors@Grace event will be on **Thursday, October 25**, for a road trip to Sue and Karlo Waataja's home. Meet at church at **11:00 am to carpool** to the Waataja's, then enjoy lunch and fellowship with a beautiful vista of Lake Wylie. Sign up on Sunday's Tear and Share.

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 - rehearses on Sundays at **4:00 pm, in the Choir Room**. 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). No experience needed!

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**.

RACE & RECONCILIATION - in Rock Hill will meet on Thursday, October 11 from 6:30-8:00 PM for a discussion of mass incarceration and the book, "[The New Jim Crow](#)" by Michelle Alexander. Our meeting location is Bannon Hall at [St. Mary's Catholic Church](#), 902 Crawford Road, in Rock Hill. (Bannon Hall is the home of the Dorothy Day Soup Kitchen, across the street from the church.) Our facilitator this month is [Mr. Ty Miller](#), assistant professor of sociology at Winthrop University. For those of you who have not had an opportunity to read the book, Mr. Miller provided this video to summarize the main points: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nv2lZh6NqCY>. Our discussion will include an overview of the topic by Mr. Miller, followed by small group discussion, and then a wrap up with the larger group.

CHRISTMASVILLE PARADE POPCORN/HOT CHOCOLATE CHAIR NEEDED - Each year Grace passes out popcorn and hot chocolate in front of the church to coincide with the start of the Christmasville Parade. The position of heading up popcorn and hot chocolate making and distribution for the parade is open. Please contact Bob Wasserman at (803) 415-4449 if you are interested in leading this outreach ministry.

GRACE CALENDAR

MONDAY - October 8

1:30 PM Newcomers KnitWits (Common)
4:00 PM Adult Enrichment Open House (Place of Grace)
5:45 PM Campus Ministry (WH)
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)

TUESDAY - October 9

COUNCIL REPORTS AND NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE

6:30 PM WELCM (WH)
6:30 PM AA (101)
6:30 PM SCWW (107)
7:00 PM Jr. Women's Club of Rock Hill (FH)
7:30 PM Bridge Group (102)

WEDNESDAY - October 10

9:30 AM Grace-C Quilters (103)
5:30 PM Outreach (108)
6:30 PM AA (101)
7:00 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

THURSDAY - October 11

7:30 AM Centering Prayer (Common)

FRIDAY - October 12

5:30 PM AA (101)

SATURDAY - October 13

8:00 AM Property (Patty Wagon Café)

SUNDAY - October 14

PARISH PICNIC AFTER LATE SERVICE - ELK'S PARK

8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Coffee Fellowship
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
12:30 PM Annual Picnic (Elk's Park)
4:00 PM Children's Choir (Choir Room)
4:30 PM NO GYM Study (Youth)
7:00 PM AA (101)

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Worship Assistants

Hospitality:

Coffee Only/Parish Picnic

Muggers:

Jean Faut and Kevin Winsch

Nursery:

Elsa Edwards

Tabulators:

Jan Gilbertson and Bob Stonebraker

Altar Guild:

Katie Romero and Sue Waataja

8:30 AM

Lector: Dan Polito

Communion Assistant: Earl Gatlin

Petitioner: Pam Kirby

Acolyte: Jacob Bell

Greeter: Sig Huitt

Ushers: Steve Ashley, Harold Williams,
Dan Bartel, Tom Sturniolo

11:00 AM

Lector: Linda Horst

Communion Assistant: Dee Westbrook

Petitioner: Robin Ketner

Acolytes: Jacob Corbett, Palmer Floyd

Greeters: Karen and Joe Warmoth

Ushers: Bill Sliney, Chris Cassidy,
Dennis Hogue

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OCTOBER 2018

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

Confirmation Class - October 20, 8:30 AM

Seniors@Grace - October 25, 11:00 AM

Meet at church to carpool to Waataja's

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