

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

February 4, 2019



Thoughts from Pastor Gregg,

On Sunday we raised awareness for heart health, celebrated our partnerships with the Scouts, and raised money for those in need. We also discussed the good news of God ([click here](#)), including the ways it sometimes makes us uncomfortable. God promises to be with us through every uncomfortable experience, loving us and giving us strength. As you begin this week, take note of the little decisions you make based on comfort. How often does this happen in your life?

FOLLOWING THE LIGHT – This week we continue our series of home gatherings in which we'll share food, fellowship, and faith. If you have not already signed up to participate in one of these gatherings, please do so by using the signup sheet in the Fellowship Hall, or by clicking [HERE](#) to sign up online. If none of the available timeslots work for you (but you would still like to participate), please let Pr. Gregg know, that way we can assess whether there is a need for additional dates and times in the future.

NURSERY ATTENDANT NEEDED - Please spread the word that Grace is hiring a new nursery attendant. Candidates must be at least 21-years-old, have a high school diploma or equivalent, current Infant-Child CPR and First Aid certification, and childcare-related work experience. This is a part-time position, and the typical hours are 8 am to noon on Sundays and occasional other special events. Compensation is \$10 per hour. Since the nursery attendant can rarely attend Sunday morning worship, candidates who are not members of our congregation are preferred. Interested candidates should send a resume to Pastor Gregg Hoffman at pastorgregg@gracerockhill.com.

YEAR-END CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS - This year we mailed hard copy giving statements only to those members without email addresses. All others should have received an email containing a link that would take them to an electronic copy. Using electronic versions saves the considerable expense of paper forms, envelopes and postage. If you did not get such an email, or if you need a hard copy and are unable to print the electronic version for yourself, please contact Financial Secretary Bob Stonebraker at 803-980-1834 or stonebraker946@gmail.com. He will print and mail a paper copy to you.

GYM EVENTS - Join GYM in February for a great variety of activities! On Feb 10th, we'll be hosting the GYM Olympic Games. On Feb 17, we'll meet for GYM study, and on Feb 24, we plan to go ice skating! Spend time in faith with friends this month - see Pr. Rachel with questions.

SENIORS@GRACE - Mark your calendar now for **February 28** for Seniors@Grace as we welcome Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz. We will start at the usual time 11:30 am for fellowship followed by lunch and our visit with our Campus Minister. Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz joined our staff this August as the Campus Minister for WELCM. You can read more about her in February's Grace Notes. Please sign the Tear and Share to RSVP.

WELCM NEEDS EASTER DÉCOR - Do you have more Easter decorations than you know what to do with? WELCM has none! We would love to be able to decorate the WELCM house for the Easter season. Please contact our campus minister, Olga-Maria Cruz at WinthropWELCM@gmail.com or 502.644.0176, to coordinate your donation!

HOSPITALITY HOSTS NEEDED FOR 2019 - A new HOSPITALITY sign-up sheet for 2019 has been placed on the table in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, contact Irene Pointon at point@comporium.net.

GRACE CALENDAR

MONDAY - February 4

6:00 PM Girl Scout Leaders Meeting (FH)
6:20 PM Grace Ringers Handbell Rehearsal (Choir Room)
6:30 PM Cub Scouts (Youth)
6:30 PM Eagle Scout Board of Review (108, 110) (B. Binkley)
7:20 PM Grace Alone Rehearsal (Sanc)

TUESDAY - February 5

10:00 AM Newcomer's Bible Study (Conf)
1:30 PM Newcomer's Krafty Chix (Common)
6:00 PM Following the Light Group (Schwandt)
6:30 PM AA (101)
6:30 PM WELCM (WH)
7:00 PM Boy Scouts (106, 108)

WEDNESDAY - February 6

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

THURSDAY - February 7

HUNGER OUTREACH

7:30 AM Centering Prayer (Common)
10:00 AM Staff (Pr. Gregg's Office)
2:00 PM Following the Light Group (Common)
6:00 PM Following the Light Group (Cassidy)
7:00 PM Boy Scout Commission (108)

FRIDAY - February 8

HUNGER OUTREACH

JOY RETREAT (LUTHERIDGE - PR. GREGG)

5:30 PM AA (101)

SATURDAY - February 9

JOY RETREAT (LUTHERIDGE - PR. GREGG)

8:30 AM YC Quilters Quilting 101 (106)
9:00 AM York Free Clinic Strategic Plan (FH & Kit) (K. Grier)

SUNDAY - February 10

JOY RETREAT (LUTHERIDGE - PR. GREGG)

8:30 AM Worship Service
9:45 AM Coffee Hospitality (FH)
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
4:00 PM Children's Choir (Choir Room)
4:00 PM GYM Olympic Games (Youth)
6:00 PM Youth and Family (Common)
7:00 PM AA (101)

February 10, 2019

Worship Assistants

Hospitality:

Karen and Art Harris

Muggers:

Jean Faut and Kevin Winsch

Nursery:

Barbara Davis

Tabulators:

Karen Harris and Carla Harrison

Altar Guild:

Luci Vasseur and Nora Sliney

8:30 AM

Lector: Justin Anderson

Communion Assistant: Windy Cole

Petitioner: Jill Grossoehme

Acolyte: Jaden Brown

Greeter: Jackie Wille

Ushers: Carla Harrison, Steve Ashley,

Bob Goodbar

11:00 AM

Lector: Donna Richter

Communion Assistant: Bill Davis

Petitioner: Melissa Tucker

Crucifer: Abby Ketner

Acolytes: Emma Lowrance, Jack Hill

Greeters: Sue and Karlo Waataja

Ushers: Chris Cassidy, Henri Vasseur,

John Wayne

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FEBRUARY 2019

Following the Light Meetings -

Tuesday, Feb 5 - 6:00 PM (Host - Schwandt)

Thursday, Feb 7 - 2:00 PM (Common)

Thursday, Feb 7, 6:00 PM (Host - Cassidy)

Tuesday, Feb 12, 6:00 PM (Host - Waataja)

Thursday, Feb 14, 2:00 PM (Common)

Thursday, Feb 14 6:00 PM (Host - Hartman)

Confirmation Class - Saturday, Feb 23, 8:30 AM

Family Promise - Sun, February 24 - March 3

MARCH 2019

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - March 5

Ash Wednesday - March 6

Confirmation Class - Sat, March 23 - 8:30 am

Fifth Sunday Worship and Pot Luck Lunch

10:00 am (One Service) - March 31