

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF January 16th THROUGH January 23rd

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

STUDY	TOPIC/TITLE	WHEN & WHERE
NO Adult Study	VOTERS' MEETING	10:30 AM – Fellowship Hall

STEWARDSHIP NOTE: John 2:3 – *“When the wine ran out, the mother of Jesus said to him, ‘They have no wine.’”* Behold the faith of Mary. She sees a problem and simply lays it before her Son and Lord, saying, “They have no wine.” She does not offer a proposed solution, and she does not demand. She simply states her need and waits for the Lord’s response. She trusts that the Lord is a giver, and she knows that He always provides. May such a faith be ours!

ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God by the Memorial Committee.

VOTERS’ MEETING: Our next regular Quarterly Voters’ Meeting is this **Sunday, January 16th**, at **10:30 AM** in the Fellowship Hall.

MAIL SLOTS AND 2021 STATEMENTS: Please note that the mail slot numbers in the back of the nave have been reassigned. Please see the posted list next to the mail slots to find your new number. 2021 offering statements and 2022 offering envelopes are in the mail slots (if you haven’t already picked them up). Thank you!

GROWING STRONG WITH GRACE will meet this **Wednesday, January 19th**. Please join us for our potluck luncheon starting at **11:15 AM** and stay for games.

UPDATE CONTACT INFORMATION: Stop by the Office Equipment Room to update your contact information. You can note changes directly on the directory located there or you can place a note in the secretary’s mailbox in the Communication Center. You can also call or email the church office. We want to keep our records as accurate as possible, especially as we prepare an updated directory.

ELECTRONIC GIVING is available at Grace through Vanco. Questions can be answered by Lori Heidenreich. Enrollment forms are available in the Office Equipment Room. Completed forms should be returned in a sealed envelope and placed into Lori’s Financial Secretary mailbox outside the church office.

FRIENDSHIP PADS have been returned to the pews. Please pass it during the service and be sure to sign it every week. Thank you!

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY: Please join us for Wednesday morning Bible study from **10:00 – 11:00 AM** each week. We will be taking a closer look at the Bible lessons that will be read in church the following Thursday and Sunday. I hope this study will help to prepare us as we hear God's Word in worship. – Pastor Crane

“BE A SANTA TO A SENIOR” PROGRAM: Home Instead, which organized the “Be a Santa to a Senior” program, sent Grace a thank you letter. It reads in part: “Your generous participation in our program was a tremendous benefit to the overall success of the program. Through the efforts of volunteers...the community was able to bring joy to the lives of 341 seniors.”

2022 FLOWER CHART is available in the narthex. The cost of **\$27.00** is for both altar bouquets. To reserve a Sunday, please sign your name and the occasion for the flowers. Please make checks payable to “Grace Lutheran Church” and place in the secretary's mailbox.

KWIK TRIP CARDS ARE FOR SALE before Sunday's service in the Office Equipment Room and before Bible Study on Sunday in the Fellowship Hall. Grace gets a percentage back on all cards sold. Kwik Trip cards are currently available in \$25, \$50, and \$100 amounts. Thank you for supporting Grace this way!

SUNDAY MORNING COFFEE FELLOWSHIP will continue through the winter. Stay in touch with friends and family and enjoy a treat or two following worship.

A FRIENDLY REMINDER that Grace has a website, a Facebook page, and a YouTube page. Like our Facebook page to see photos and receive updates on current church events and happenings. The weekly bulletin, weekly announcements, and monthly calendars and newsletters are posted on the church website at www.gracelutheranracine.net.

RACINE LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS: Enroll now! **Open House** is **Monday, January 24th**, from **5:00 until 7:00 PM**. RLHS enrollment for the 2022-23 school year is underway. If you have a student in 8th grade, please contact 262-637-6538 or admissions@RacineLutheran.org to begin the application process. **Grand Gala** is **Saturday, February 12th**: dinner, auctions, and dancing!

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