

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF June 19th THROUGH June 26th

### SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY

STUDY	TOPIC/TITLE	WHEN & WHERE
Adult Study	<b>A Christian View of Death and Eternity</b>	10:30 AM – Fellowship Hall (also live-streamed on Facebook)

**STEWARDSHIP NOTE: Luke 8:37** – *“Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked him to depart from them, for they were seized with great fear. So he got into the boat and returned.”* The Gerasenes are upset with Jesus because His ministry led to the loss of their pig herd – their wealth. They want Jesus to go away before He does any more damage to their bottom line. Their priorities are clear. What about our priorities? Is the work and ministry of Jesus worthy of our support and the sacrifice of some of our wealth?

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**ALTAR FLOWERS** are given with thanksgiving by Steve and Lorie Kanetzke for their many blessings throughout their lives.

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**2022 FLOWER CHART** is 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. Make checks payable to “Grace Lutheran Church” and place in the secretary’s mailbox.

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**NEW SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY:** We have begun a new Bible study titled “A Christian View of Death and Eternity.” Please join us!

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**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

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**PORTALS OF PRAYER:** Quarterly daily devotional books for July through September are available in the narthex. Please help yourself! If you wish to donate to cover the \$5.00 cost per year, please place your gift in the appropriate slot in the narthex.

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**KWIK TRIPS CARDS FOR SALE ON THURSDAY AND SUNDAY:** Kwik Trip cards are now available before Thursday evening’s worship service from Walter Bohn or Dennis Eaton. The gas cards will also continue to be sold 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!

**ANOTHER HAND-SEW SESSION** is on **Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup>**, at **9:00 AM** in the Fellowship Hall to make therapeutic quilts for people with dementia. All materials furnished. Any questions? Contact Ruth at 262-637-0367.

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**CHURCH PARKING:** The City of Racine has informed us that West Lawn Avenue will be closed soon due to street reconstruction. The street will be closed through the summer. No parking will be available on West Lawn during that time. We will still be able to exit the parking lot on to West Lawn except when construction is taking place immediately by the exit. We apologize for any inconvenience. (West Lawn Avenue runs along the east side of our property.)

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**GRACE SECRETARY POSITION OPENING:** Dorothy McConville has decided to resign from her position of church secretary here at Grace, effective as of the end of June, to pursue other employment opportunities. We thank Dorothy for her dedicated, creative, and thoughtful service to Grace over the last four years. We are seeking applications for this part-time position. A list of responsibilities for the position is available outside of the church office. Interested candidates can submit a cover letter and resume to Grace via e-mail at [gracelutheransecretary@yahoo.com](mailto:gracelutheransecretary@yahoo.com). Please share this information with any of your family and friends who might be interested. Thanks!

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

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**FOOD PANTRY:** If you would like to donate food pantry items, you can drop them off at Grace between 9:00 AM and 2:00 PM Monday – Thursday. Please be mindful of the dates of expiry on the packages. If you need food, please take what you need. There are bags available on the shelves. These donations also service Harvest Outreach. The food pantry is located up a few steps from the elevator on the main floor.

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**RUMMAGE SALE** at Lutheran Chapel of the Cross, located at 1426 N. Fancher Rd. (Hwy. H, Mt. Pleasant). The sale is on **Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, 9:00 AM–3:00 PM;** **Friday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM–3:00 PM;** and **Saturday, June 25<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM–12:00 PM.** Featured will be vintage and craft items, miscellaneous household items, and a good selection of clothing (especially plus sized items), plus all kinds of other “treasures.”

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**SERVANTS OF CHRIST CONFERENCE GOES VIRTUAL:** The Concordia University Servants of Christ Conference – VIRTUAL Event will take place **Tuesday, June 21<sup>st</sup>**, from **3:30 PM to 8:30 PM.** Please visit [cuw.edu/ServantsofChristConference](http://cuw.edu/ServantsofChristConference) for more information and to register for this virtual event.