**ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF July 6th THROUGH July 9th**

**SUNDAY**

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| **STUDY** | **TOPIC/TITLE** | **WHEN & WHERE** |
| Bible Study |  | 10:30 AM – Fellowship Hall |

**Stewardship Note:**– Matthew 11:28 – “Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.” Jesus has come to do the work so that we might have rest from burdens and labors we are not capable of bearing. He frees us from sin, death and the demands of the Law. In that peace and rest of Jesus we find a new purpose — His light yoke is not a burden to bear, but a joy! **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God: Given by Nancy Lockrem in memory of Curtis and the Birthday of Calina.

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**2023 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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**VACANCY PASTOR:** Pastor David W. Hintz from Green Bay, Wisconsin will be serving as our vacancy pastor until we find a permanent pastor. Pastor Hintz can be called or texted at, or you can email him at

**Security/Safety Meeting**

We will be meeting on July 8th at 9AM, in the basement.  Everyone is welcome to attend, meeting won't last longer than an hour.  If you have a conflict but still interested in information contact Walt Bohn at (or

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**Ladies Breakfast – Craft & Chat:** We will be meeting the third Saturday in July in Fellowship Hall. The time for will be 9:00am to 11:00 am

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**Thank you for your service project:** We need names of Veterans who have served our country (from our congregation). Please contact Ruth Anger

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**The Call Committee Update:** The call committee has received another set of Pastor candidates for consideration. The call committee meeting is scheduled for July 11th at 6:00pm.

**Member in need** - Looking for someone to assist with rides for Stanwood Fickers widow, Viola, from assisted living 3-4 days a week. Pick up in early afternoon, about 1 PM, from assisted living home near 4-mile road and taken to house in Wind Point area. She would need to be picked up about 4/5 PM and taken back to the assisted living home. They are preparing the house to sell, and it has a closing date in early Sept. Please call Linda, daughter at between 9-4, if able to assist

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**Ladies of Grace Luncheon:** We will be meeting on July 14th at 11:30AM.The Luncheon will be at Meli Café & Pancake House. The address is 1158 Prarie Dr. (corner of Prairie & Washington Ave.) Please RSVP Linda Eaton or Jane Kunstman

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**Funeral Service-** All are invited to attend the funeral service for Becky Gardner’s mother, Charlotte Griffiths, on July 18, at calvary memorial church, 4001 Washington Ave, Racine, WI. visitation with the family will be at 10 am, followed by a memorial service at 11 am. A private burial service will be held the following day.

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Faith Lutheran Church (8500 Durand Ave.,Sturtevant) will hold its HUGE Rummage and Bake Sale on Friday, July 21, from 8AM- 3PM.; Saturday, July 22, from 8AM- 3PM & Sunday, July 23 from noon to 3PM in the school gym. Clothing, shoes, DVDs & books are ½ price on Saturday. Everything is ½ price on Sunday. Cash sales

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**Growing** **Strong with Grace:** Growing strong will meet July 19th for Game Day. Starting time will be at 12 noon. No food will be served but bring your own if you want.

Meeting day will be the 3rd Wednesday of the Month during the summer.

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**Church Organist Needed:** Paul Hegland has decided to become fully retired and has resigned his position as organist. We wish him well in his retirement years. We will be searching for a new Church Organist

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**2023 National Night Out:** Tuesday August 1st 5 PM to 7PM It’s Polka Time again with our favorite musicians Die Musikanten Polka Band. If you don’t like dancing enter a tournament of bean bag toss Join the fun and sign up for this year’s celebration, Bring lawn chairs and dish to pass. Beverages and laughter will be provided.

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**Prince of Peace Preschool & Child Care** is looking for a 3K & 4K Teacher. For more information, please contact Carla Abel at or [p](mailto:poppscc.racine@gmail.com)