



**"Blessed is the king who comes
in the name of the Lord!"**
Luke 19:38, NIV

*Grace United Methodist Church
320 Felgar Road
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April 10, 2022
Pastor Eric Raygor*

PRELUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: Glory in the highest heaven!

Pastor: Blessed are you who proclaim the glory of God!

People: Hosanna in the highest!

HYMN "All Glory, Laud and Honor" # 280

*INVOCATION

Madison Allen

O God, we look for You to come sweeping into the world in a motorcade with sirens blaring and flags waving. Yet You have already come, trotting over cobblestones on a borrowed colt, without fanfare, but with voices of believers shouting out the good news: Your love is everlasting! Be with us on this Palm Sunday, as we join our voices of praise with our brothers and sisters around the world. All glory, laud and honor to You, oh God! Your love is eternal! Amen.

ANTHEM

"Open the Gates"

Chancel Choir

CHILDREN'S TIME

EXPRESSION OF NEED AND PRAISE

PRAYER

LORDS PRAYER

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" # 278

SCRIPTURE Luke 19:28-40

MESSAGE "Why Palms?"

LORD'S SUPPER

CLOSING HYMN "Jesus, the Name High Over All" # 193

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

***Those who are able, please stand**

GRACE UMC PRAYER CONCERNS:

Kim Howard, Bill Lambert, Ron Shaulis, Glenn & Ginny Brown, Dick Gelpi, Judith Henderson, Jack & Arlene Walters, Michael Hutchinson

*If you'd like to have a name added to the prayer list, please call the office or place a note in the offering plate or the secretary's mailbox.

The altar flowers have been given for the Glory of God by the Holsopple family

April Groceries from Grace list: Cereal, Detergent, Applesauce, Soup, Ravioli, Stuffing Mix, Veggies, Cracker packs, Mac & Cheese, Hand soap, Toilet paper, Pudding cups

For the Month of April, our Mission of the Month will support BirthRight, supporting expectant mothers.



ITALIAN NIGHT IS COMING FAST!

Italian Night will be held April 22nd. Lots of help is needed. Please sign up TODAY, in the narthex, if you are able to help out in any capacity.



Are you looking for a way to serve in the church? We are now seeking volunteers to usher and greet each week. The ushers will begin to collect the offering during the service. Greeters are always welcome to hand out the bulletins, welcome our congregation and visitors each week. There is a sign up sheet in the narthex. Once we have a list of volunteers, a schedule will be provided. If you are unable to serve the weeks you are assigned, please contact the church office, or try to switch weeks with another volunteer.

New Pictorial Church Directory

We are preparing to produce a new picture directory of our church family. The pictorial directory is produced at no cost to the church or the individuals and families. There will be sittings on May 4 and 5. These photo directories are great tools to help us know one another & are especially helpful as newcomers become a part of the congregation. Each family or individual photographed will receive a directory and an 8x10 print of the directory photo, free of cost. You can go to our website at somerssetgrace.com and find a link to *photo signups* at the top of the page. If you don't have internet access, you may call the office and we will get you signed up. (Or sign up today in the narthex)

NEXT STEP CENTER



Thanks to everyone who contributed to the March Mission of the Month! We were able to present a check for \$2020. There is an immediate need for furniture, as they have placed several families into new homes, and they are in need of couches, beds, tables, chairs, dressers, etc. If you have ANYTHING you would like to donate, call the church office or call the Next Step Center at 814-444-8588

HARD TACK CANDY SALE

Women of Grace are selling hard tack Easter Candy in the narthex after church.



ITALIAN NIGHT SPRING 2022!!
Grace United Methodist Church will be once again hosting
a Spring Italian Night.

FRIDAY, APRIL 22 4:00 ~ 7:00

Proceeds will benefit the Somerset County Mobile Food Bank

Menu will include:

Spaghetti with Meat sauce, Clam Sauce or Alfredo Sauce

Lasagna

Vegetable Lasagna

Eggplant Parmigiana

Salad

Bread & Butter

Dessert

Drinks

Sign-up Sheets are in the Narthex.

Monetary Donations and Donations of Desserts are greatly
appreciated. Also, please post a flyer!



Italian Night is scheduled for Friday, April 22nd.

We hope you'll plan to participate in at least one of the following ways:

- * Post a flyer. (Available in the narthex)
- * Prepare a homemade dessert.
- * 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 20th, to help with meal prep.
- * 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 21st to help with meal prep.
- * 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 21st to set up tables and service areas.
- * 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 22nd for final food prep.
- * Help serve dinners or work in the kitchen from 4 to 7 p.m.
- * Food handlers from 3:30 to 7:00 p.m.
- * Help in the dishwashing area
- * Cashier
- * Help at dessert table
- * Help with cleanup from 7 to 9 p.m.

Proceeds will benefit the Somerset County Mobile Food Bank. Signup
sheets are available in the narthex.

Monetary donations are welcome & may be given to Christi Corbett or
Kelly Allen. Sign up to volunteer today in the narthex!



You are cordially invited to "Praise & Taco Night!"
Sponsored by Women of Grace
Sunday, May 15th at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.
Live music by various musicians and vocalists as we
join to sing old hymns and hear some
contemporary Christian songs.
A taco bar, with all of the "fixin's", along with
drinks, chips and salsa will be the fare for the
evening.
Dessert will be a surprise!
Donations will be accepted and will be donated to
our sister church in Celaya, Mexico.

Camp Allegheny SHOE DRIVE

CLEAN YOUR CLOSETS OF OLD SHOES!
HELP PUT SHOES ON FEET AROUND THE WORLD!
SUPPORT CAMP ALLEGHENY!



Help us to help others by donating
your gently worn, used or new shoes!
Clean out your closets and don't forget to ask friends, family,
neighbors and co-workers to donate too! Kid's, Women's, Men's...
any size, any color! From slippers, flip flops and tennis shoes—
to high heels, snow boots and cleats!
What a wonderful mission to help those in need
and in turn help Camp Allegheny too!



SIMPLE

1. Clean your closets out of good used shoes
2. Get friends and family to participate
3. Drop them off at Camp Allegheny or contact us to pick them up



Start collecting NOW! Shoe
Drive end date is April 15, 2022.

Any questions, please contact either:
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