



Grace United Methodist Church
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 October 23, 2022
 Pastor Eric G. Raygor

PRELUDE
 ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Pastor: We come before God as equal in God's sight.

People: For each of us has gone astray in our own way before God.

Pastor: Yet in Christ, each of us is lovingly welcomed in God's house.

People: Then let us not judge each other; instead let us extend God's grace.

Pastor: For in God's grace alone are we clean, that none should boast.

People: **Thanks be to God who trusts us and pours abundant love on us. AMEN.**

PRAISE SONG "Mighty To Save"

***INVOCATION – O God, in the cross we come face to face with all of the hate, sin and rejection the world could deliver, yet Your love was victorious, and we have salvation. Help us to recognize our blessings and share your love and mercy with others. In Christ we pray. Amen.**

ANTHEM "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" *Chancel Choir*

CHILDREN'S TIME

EXPRESSION OF NEED AND PRAISE

PRAYER

LORDS PRAYER

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION**
 HYMN "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" # 158

SCRIPTURE Luke 18:9-14
 TITLE "Saints, Sinners, and the Rest of Us"

CLOSING HYMN "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" # 139

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

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

GRACE UMC PRAYER CONCERNS:
 Dennis & Darlene, Roberts, Bruce Holsopple, Kim Howard,
 Bill Lambert, Ron Shaulis, Judith Henderson, Jack & Arlene Walters,
 Richard Mostoller, Glenn & Ginny Brown, Pat Wickham, Emma Witt,
 Ken & Bonnie Peterson, Jack & Shirley Ankeny, Shirley Kaufman

The altar flowers have been given for the Glory of God in celebration of Joan Ankeny's 92nd birthday.

Today's "Thinking of You" card will be sent to Ron & Donna Egolf
 The card is located in the narthex.

The Mission for month of October is to supplement the "Pastor's Discretionary Fund." This fund is set up in order that we can provide monetary assistance to those in need when there are immediate needs within our church or the community.

Groceries From Grace list for November: Cereal, Gravy, Spray cleaner, Mashed potatoes, noodles, soup, stuffing mix, Veggies, Yams, Hansoap, Bar of Soap, Toilet paper.

PUMPKIN ROLL ALERT! Women of Grace have begun taking orders for our famous pumpkin rolls for Thanksgiving. Order forms have been included in the October newsletter and are available in the narthex. You can pay with cash or a check payable to “Women of Grace” or pay when you pick up your roll(s).

The 2023 offering envelopes are being prepared. If you are currently receiving offering packets and no longer wish to receive them OR if you currently do not receive a packet and would like to receive a packet for the upcoming year, please call the church office or speak with Karen Kooser.

Please provide items for the November newsletter to the church office by 10/20 or ASAP.

STILL SEARCHING FOR A COOK!

We are still in search of someone to fill the position of head cook for the Meals on Wheels program. The hours are approximately 5:30am - 12:30 pm Monday through Friday. Please contact Lori Nist at Meals On Wheels (814-443-2787) between the hours of 11:00am - 1:00pm if you are interested, or if you know someone who might be interested.

Women of Grace are selling Subway discount cards for \$10 each, in order to replenish much-needed funds for providing outreach support for our congregation and the community. See any W.O.G. member to purchase a card. They make great stocking stuffers! These cards provide some nice savings with many “BOGO” offers. WOG: Pick & sign out your packet of 10 cards on the buffet table in the office.