

WELCOME

ADVENT | CHRISTMAS | EPIPHANY | **LENT** | EASTER | PENTECOST

To our visitors We are glad you have joined us to share in the gifts of our gracious Lord as we worship Him together in spirit and truth by receiving His Word and Sacraments. We invite you to pick up information and our Wittenberg Way newsletter at our welcome desk. If you have questions concerning the Christian faith or the Lutheran tradition, please let us know as our pastor would love to speak with you.

Children are welcome in our services Grace is a church family and we believe like any family we learn by doing things together. Bulletins are available for children that coincide with the liturgical calendar and scripture readings. We encourage parents to guide their children throughout the service, helping them to learn the language of the faith through the liturgy. A nursery with sound is located in the hallway outside the sanctuary to the right just before the glass door to the courtyard.

Holy Communion Our fellowship in the Lord's Supper follows the Lutheran tradition grounded in the teaching of Holy Scripture. As one baptized into the Name of our Triune God and confessing the real presence of Christ's body and blood in the Supper for the forgiveness of sins you are warmly invited to join us around the table for Holy Communion. If you are not communing but wish to be blessed, then simply cross your arms at the rail and you will be blessed by the celebrant.

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Please silence cell phones and be mindful of those preparing for worship.

Restrooms are available in the hallway outside the sanctuary.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

On Maundy Thursday, the Church gives thanks to Jesus for the institution of His Supper. This is a feast day, and the color used to decorate the church is white to signify the purity of what our Lord offers us in His body and blood. Tonight's service closes with the stripping of the altar, reminding us of how our Lord was stripped to the waist to wash His disciples' feet - and how He was stripped naked and beaten before going to His death.

Collect:

O Lord, in this wondrous Sacrament You have left us a remembrance of Your passion. Grant that we may so receive the sacred mystery of Your body and blood that the fruits of Your redemption may continually be manifest in us; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Matthew 26:17-29

Now on the first day of Unleavened Bread the disciples came to Jesus, saying, "Where will you have us prepare for you to eat the Passover?"¹⁸ He said, "Go into the city to a certain man and say to him, 'The Teacher says, My time is at hand. I will keep the Passover at your house with my disciples.'"¹⁹ And the disciples did as Jesus had directed them, and they prepared the Passover.

²⁰When it was evening, he reclined at table with the twelve.²¹And as they were eating, he said, "Truly, I say to you, one of you will betray me."²² And they were very sorrowful and began to say to him one after another, "Is it I, Lord?"²³ He answered, "He who has dipped his hand in the dish with me will betray me."²⁴ The Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that man if he had not been born."²⁵ Judas, who would betray him, answered, "Is it I, Rabbi?" He said to him, "You have said so."

²⁶Now as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to the disciples, and said, "Take, eat; this is my body."²⁷ And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, saying, "Drink of it, all of you,²⁸ for this is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins."²⁹ I tell you I will not drink again of this fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom."

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Depart in Silence

* bold indicates standing

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Pastor Rev. Brian Thomas
Director of Music Dale Sorenson

SERVING MAUNDY THURSDAY

Elder Jeremy Fullam
Altar Guild Jack & Judy George
Lector Jeremy Fullam
Usher Harold Nichols

SERVING GOOD FRIDAY AT NOON

Elder Jason Huntley
Lector Daryl Svensson
Usher Harold Nichols

SERVING GOOD FRIDAY AT 6:30 PM

Lector Mark Jordan
Usher Harold Nichols

SERVING EASTER VIGIL AT 9:00 PM

Elder Ted Nilsen
Altar Huntley Family
Lector Jason Huntley
Usher Harold Nichols

SERVING EASTER AT 8 AM

Elder Jason Huntley
Altar Guild Huntley Family
Crucifer Spencer Huntley
Lector Jason Huntley
Usher John Downey
Jackson Huntley

SERVING EASTER AT 10:30 AM

Elder Jeremy Fullam
Altar Guild Cindy Hansen
Crucifer Kate Latham
Lector Rev. Ken Licht
Cantor Randy Houts
Usher Daryl Svensson

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 Good Friday 3/29 Noon & 6:30 pm	 Easter Vigil 3/30 9:00 pm	 Easter Sunday 3/31 8:00 & 10:30 am
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Grace Lutheran Annual
Easter Sunday Breakfast
March 31st
9 – 11am
Fellowship Hall

He is Risen!

Easter Egg Hunt in the courtyard 9:45 am

Worship and Celebrate a Blessed and Happy Easter!



THURSDAY NIGHT THING
APRIL 11
4 - 7 PM

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Grill & Tavern 蘭桂坊

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PRAYERS FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING

Dave, Bill, Phil, Mike, John, Heidi, Edward, Daniel, Nancy, Jan, Barbara, and Karen

PRAYERS AWAITING A CHILD OF GOD

Jordan Gruetzmacher, Rachel Hawthorne, Teagan LeYanna

PRAYERS FOR OUR MISSIONARIES & SEMINARIANS

Rev. Dr. John Bombaro, Rev. Dr. Tardelli Voss, and Vicar Rowan Turner

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY MEMBERS

Rev. Mario Ancira, Micah Burge, Tajy George, Daniel Fohey,
Nathan Farish, Matthew Morgan, Jeff & Jordan Gruetzmacher

PRAYERS FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND

Joyce Rochester

MAUNDY THURSDAY

March 28, 2024

6:30 pm



Proclaiming the Good News of God's grace in Jesus Christ