

PARISH NOTES

We extend our sympathy to Dave Johnson and family on the passing of his wife, Sue Johnson on Tuesday, July 2, 2024.



July's Communion offering will benefit **The Salvation Army**. Please use your special Communion envelope or a blue pew pocket envelope.

NEEDED! Summer Sunday School Volunteer Teachers! Please consider teaching for just one Sunday this summer. Lessons are already planned and provided. Sign-up sheets are in Wesley Parlor or email Meghan meghan@graceumcwarren.com
Sundays still needed: August 11, 25, September 1



Community VBS SCUBA-diving into friendship with God **Sunday, July 28-Thursday, August 1** from 6-8:15pm at First Lutheran Church (109 W 3rd Ave). Kids in preschool through entering 6th grade. See

Amanda Slattery to register or with any questions.

Community Worship Service **Sunday, August 4th** at 10:30am at Struthers Library Theatre. We will have Communion service at Grace at 8:30am in the Sanctuary with a brief message. There will be NO Children's Sunday School Classes on Sunday, August 4th.



The Food Pantry is in need of **peanut butter**, and **instant mashed potatoes** at this time. Thank you to all who contribute!

The Grace Church Little Free Library located on the front porch is greatly in need of **children's books**. Donations can be placed in the purple box in the hall outside Pastor Bill's office.



Items for the **August** Newsletter need to be delivered to Mary in the office mary@graceumcwarren.com by **Monday, July 15**. Thank you.

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, July 14

8:30/9:30/11:00 a – Worship
9:45 a – Children's Sunday School
6:00 p – Community Worship at The Crossing

MONDAY, July 15

12:00 p – Caregivers' Support Group, Wesley Parlor
5:15 p – Christian Yoga

TUESDAY, July 16

12:15 p – Christian Yoga
6:00 p – Pickleball

WEDNESDAY, July 17

7:00 a – Men's Breakfast
5:15 p – Christian Yoga
6:30 p – CREW (Youth Group), Gilfillan Room

THURSDAY, July 18

FRIDAY, July 19

9:30 a – Yarn Angels, Library
11:15 a – Fitness Class
12:15 p – Christian Yoga

SATURDAY, July 20

9:00 a – Praise Team



Feeling the heat? Feel free to sit in the air-conditioned Wesley Parlor during worship and watch on the two TVs.

TODAY Children's Sunday School Class will be **Stamped with Love!** With help from a special guest, we will create cards for friends who don't leave their homes often or live in nursing homes. Join us in stamping loving messages that bring joy and share God's love with others!

The Nurture Committee is sponsoring an All-Church Picnic on **Sunday, July 21st** at 2pm. It will be held at Chapman Dam, Pavilion 1. Hot dogs, bottled water, and tableware will be provided. Bring a dish to share if you are able. All are welcome!



LAST WEEK'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (in person)	TOTAL
8:30 – 18 9:30 – 41 11:00 – 70	129
WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (online)	TOTAL
9:30 – 159 11:00 – 122	281
TITHES & OFFERINGS	\$5,443.79

JUNE'S BUDGET INCOME & EXPENSES

TOTAL INCOME	\$29,764.76
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$28,914.00
NET INCOME (LOSS)	+\$850.76

Big **THANK YOU** to the 24 plus volunteers who helped with another successful Hot Dog Giveaway!

This year we handed out 824 hot dogs & buns in hot dog carriers & provided Heinz ketchup, relish & French's Mustard & napkins. That number is up from last years 720 and we will probably need to cook more next year!

It was a beautiful day for the 76th year of the parade.

Everyone who helped had a great time of fellowship with the other volunteers & the community. Many hands made light work! Our "customers" were happy as well!!!

Dave & I are very thankful to be able to work with such a great, great group of people. The volunteers & donations are truly gifts from God! Till the next "hot dog roundup"

Reaching Out in the Name of Christ

Mark your calendars! On **Sunday evening, August 4**, from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., Grace Church will be hosting a "**Family, Friends and Neighbors**" **Pool Party** at Warren's CAR Pool.

Promise Preschool Registration is open! A completed registration form and **\$20 non-refundable registration fee** is required to hold a spot for your child for the 2024-2025 school year. Forms can be found on the Grace Church website, picked up in the church office or by calling (814) 723-9440 during office hours and we can mail one to you. Questions? Send us an e-mail or find us on Facebook!

Mrs. Gentilman & Mrs. Lynds promisepreschool@myyahoo.com

Welcome

July 14, 2024

WELCOME TO GRACE CHURCH AND A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!

It is our desire and goal for you to know Christ and to make Him known as part of this worship experience. If you are looking for a church home, please consider us.

Members, Guests, and Visitors:

Please fill out a **YELLOW CARD** including any prayer requests or comments on the back. *If you wish your prayer request to be confidential, please indicate that on the card.*

PLEASE NOTE: Handicapped seating for those in wheelchairs and their families is available in the sanctuary – just in front of the sound booth.

DVDs of each Sunday's service are available. Call the church office.

LARGE-PRINT HYMNALS are available on the literature tables for your use each week.

WATCH Sunday's services live at 9:30 and 11 am on our YouTube channel www.youtube.com/GraceLiveWarren or our Facebook group www.facebook.com/groups/embracegrace

To Know Christ and To Make Him Known!

Our Core Values

Extravagant Generosity

We give joyfully of our time, talent, and treasure.

Authentic Engagement

We want to shine the light of God's love in our whole community.

Transformational Discipleship

We seek God's will and God's way for our lives.

Extraordinary Grace

We are all sinners seeking God's grace together.

Word-Centered Mission

We believe the Word of God provides the foundation for all that we do.