



Good News of Grace
Grace Lutheran Church
 Green Bay, Wisconsin
 August 22, 2018

*We celebrate Christ,
 teach Christ,
 witness to Christ,
 and care for others
 as though they are Christ.*



**B.C. is Beyond
Confirmation!!**

What becomes of our newly confirmed members of Grace the Sunday immediately following the weekend of their

affirmation of baptism?

Traditionally, our newly confirmed members have been invited to continue participating in Holy Donuts on Sunday mornings: a program designed for middle school and 9th grade youth. It has been in that place where they have eaten donuts (of course!), played pool and card games, engaged in conversation and participated in 2 minute devotions for the previous three and a half years.

However, the interests, concerns and questions of high school and college age students differ from those who are in middle school. As part of an on-going effort to encourage continuing young adult participation in the life and ministry of Grace, the Board of Youth and

Family Ministry has approved the development of a new gathering opportunity. Beyond Confirmation (B.C.) will be meeting on Sunday mornings at 9:15 am for older students who are “beyond confirmation” programming. We will be gathering in the soon to be refurbished (old Rock Room/Our Daily Bread) area of the Gast Hall basement.

This gathering location has been designated in conversation with the Boards of Education, Structures and Grounds and Youth and Family Ministry for high school and college age students who would like to continue meeting for fellowship, service and education beyond their confirmation experience.

Invitations to high school and college age students for the inaugural event: Breakfast!! (to be held on Sunday, September 16) will soon be in the mail.

Our time together and the flow of the hour will be designed as we begin meeting. This will be done through significant input of participants

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DEADLINE FOR THE NEXT GOOD NEWS OF GRACE: The next “Good News of Grace” will be sent out the week of September 3. Please have articles in to the Church Office by 12:00 noon Monday, August 31 (since September 3 is Labor Day).

and the guidance of the Board of Youth and Family Ministry.

Throughout the programmatic year (September through May) we will have conversations about life and discipleship, enjoy each other's company and of course, continue eating! There is lots of Christian living to be done "Beyond Confirmation"!

High School and College age students please look for the invitation in your mail and see you soon!

Pastor Julie

THANK YOU TO GRACE

From the New Community Shelter

Grace Lutheran Church Members,

Thank you for your dedication to our Community meal program at the New Community Shelter. We appreciate your commitment to providing a meal to those that are hungry in our community.

On behalf of the New Community Meal Program participants and staff, **Thank You.**

Janet Van Dreel
Meal Coordinator

From Ecumenical Partnership for Housing

Dear members of Grace Lutheran Church

Thank you for your gift of \$735.82 from the proceeds of your 2018 holiday offering. Through your support **you provided a home.** Which is the first step toward self-sufficiency.

The following quote was shared by the mom of one of the families we serve:

"Home means to me that **my children can play and have fun and feel joy.** It means they have a good future. Home also means **I can stop, think, breathe, cry and start over again.** It brings peace and patience to me. Home is where **family comes together** and

shares great memories and trust in each other. Home is family and strength. **As for me and my household we will serve the Lord."**

Thank you for providing the safety and stability of home; thank you for providing "play, fun, joy, memories, trust, and second chances."

Home plus Family equals Blessing.

Thank you again for walking with EPH and walking beside families on their journey to self-sufficiency. Your support provides a safe and stable home, and with family it becomes a blessing.

Sincerely,
David B. Pietenpol, Executive Director

With Deepest Appreciation from the Krempin Family

Our gratitude for your beautiful floral arrangement in remembrance of George on behalf of Grace congregation.

We have been touched by all the members who have sent condolences, cards and expressed sympathy at the Funeral Home visitation and the service on Saturday.

Grace Church members were certainly a blessing in the 26 years George served as one of their pastors.

Rita, Jennifer and Ben

FROM THE PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

General Fund - July 31, 2018	
Year-to-date budget	\$ 51,114
Year-to-date actual income	\$ 53,317
Year-to-date actual expenses	\$ 43,449



It's outdated ...
Hard to read ...
Hard to understand ...

Don't judge a book
by its cover.

Especially not *The Good Book*.

It's the



Feed your faith. Sundays. 9:15 a.m.
In the Dining Room (of course).
Sunday, September 9 – December 16.



Make Grace Your Base!

Attention : Families of Grace with Sunday School age children!

It's time for Sunday School registration. You should have received a registration form via email. There are also copies on the courtesy desk. Contact the church office if you need one sent to you. Plans are underway for an awesome year! Please fill out the forms as soon as you can, No later than September 2.

CONGREGATION NEWS

WEDNESDAY EVENING MEAL PROVIDER(S) BEING HIRED

Responsible for planning, shopping, preparing, serving, and cleaning up for the Wednesday evening meals program.

- Providing nutritious meals welcoming to anyone necessary
- Meal Provider also tracks offerings, costs, and attendance
- Food service training and/or experience preferred.
- Full job description available from the pastors.
- Starting date: Wednesday, September 12
- Ending date: Wednesday, April 3 or April 10
- **Time Commitment:** approximately 6 hours a week – planning/ shopping... flexible; prep/serve/ clean...4:00 – 7:00 p.m. Wednesdays
- Fee-based Employee – members eligible to apply.
- Pay = \$60 a meal

(Previous Meal Providers have worked with our Parish Administrator, Badger Foods, and grocery store cards to get food for the meals.)



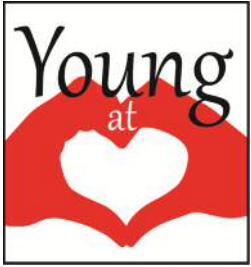
The Power of Pipes

Summertime Organ Concert Series, Green Bay,

Tuesday evening, August 28, at 6:30

August 28 St. Paul's United Methodist Church,
341 Wilson Avenue
Vashni Seitzer, CAGO, organ

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Wanted: **“YOUNGER” AT HEART VOLUNTEER** to coordinate speakers and publicity for Young At Heart. Duties include:

- contacting potential speakers
- scheduling speakers
- sending monthly written and oral Young at Heart announcements to the church office.

Wanted: “Younger” at heart volunteer. Turn on your “Hollywood side” and MC the second Friday of the month Young at Heart event with an opportunity:

- to tell stories (we have materials to use)
- recognize those with birthdays and anniversaries
- provide Bible trivia (book available!)
- introduce the guest speaker

If you have a friend or acquaintance that you want to invite to help, please feel free. Please see Pastor Julie for a complete list of the duties and announce your willingness to assist with this ministry!

SMALL GROUP GUIDE:

We are in need of one adult male to serve as a small group guide in the 2018-2019 confirmation program. Responsibilities include assisting students in a small group during confirmation classes, encouraging youth to complete assignments and serving as Christian role models. Time commitment: 6:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, September through April. There is no outside preparation required. Please contact Pastor Julie (pastorjulie@gracegb.org or 432-0308) for further information.



AUDIT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

We are looking for two volunteers to help with Grace's annual financial audit. No experience is necessary. Katie Paplham will be leading the audit on October 15th at 10:00 a.m., and she will provide all instructions. It generally takes about two or three hours. Contact Sharon at 432-0308 or admin@gracegb.org if you are available.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS

Do you like to sing or play a musical instrument?

We are interested in developing a worship band with you. There will be an organizational meeting on Sunday, September 16, 2018 after the second service in the dining room. If you are interested and cannot attend, please let us know by calling or emailing the church office at 432-0308 or office@gracegb.org. SEE YOU THERE!



LECTORS AND COMMUNION ASSISTANTS NEEDED FOR 8:00 & 10:00/10:30 WORSHIP SERVICE (ESPECIALLY 10:00/10:30).

Please contact one of the pastors or call the church office, 432-0308, if you would like to serve in this way!



COFFEE HOUR HOSTS/HOSTESSES:

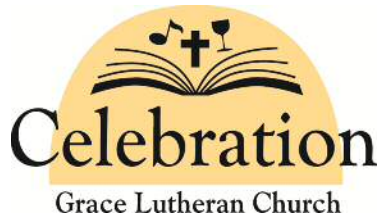
Coffee hour hosts/hostesses are needed on Sunday mornings to pour coffee at 9 am. Clean-up can begin by 9:30 am. Training will be provided. (We have shortened the time commitment to encourage YOU to assist!)

SEPTEMBER 2018

For Room Numbers see "Today at Grace" on the monitor in the Lobby.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<p>2</p> <p>8:00&10:00-Worship 9:00-Coffee Hour</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Office Closed for Labor Day</p>	<p>4</p> <p>10:30-Women's Bible Study 1:00-Food Pantry 6:00-Scouts 6:30-Bd. Outreach 6:30-Bd. Structures & Grounds</p>	<p>5</p> <p>6:30-7th Grade Confirmation Mtg. 7:00-Group Guide Mtg.</p>	<p>6</p> <p>6:30-Chancel Choir</p> 	<p>7</p> <p>9:00-Food Pantry</p>	<p>8</p> <p>8:00-Men's Breakfast Bible Study 9:00-3rd Grade Bible Class 4:30-Meal at New Community Shelter 5:00-Worship 6:00-Fair Trade Coffee Sale</p>
<p>9</p> <p>8:00&10:30-Worship 9:00-Coffee Hour 9:00-Fair Trade Coffee Sale 9:15-Adult Education 9:15-Sunday School 9:15-Holy Donuts 11:30-Cong. Picnic</p>	<p>10</p> <p>4:30-Chancel Bells</p>	<p>11</p> <p>9:15-Sarah Circle 1:00-Food Pantry 6:00-Bd. Education 6:30-Bd. Personal Growth</p>	<p>12</p> <p>6:30-Confirmation Family Fellowship</p>	<p>13</p> <p>6:00-Personnel Com 6:00-Scouts 6:30-Chancel Choir</p>	<p>14</p> <p>9:00-Food Pantry 12:00- "Young at Heart" Lunch</p>	<p>15</p> <p>9:00-Worship Band Reh. 9:00-3rd Grade Bible Class 5:00-Worship</p>
<p>16</p> <p>8:00&10:30-Worship w/3rd Grade Bibles 10:30-Worship Band 9:00-Coffee Hour 9:15-Adult Education 9:15-Sunday School 9:15-B.C. 9:15-Holy Donuts 11:30-Youth Worship Band Mtg.</p>	<p>17</p> <p>4:30-Chancel Bells</p>	<p>18</p> <p>10:30-Women's Bible Study 1:00-Food Pantry 6:00-Scouts 6:30-Bd. Stewardship 6:30-Bd. Celebration</p>	<p>19</p> <p>5:30-Meal 6:15-Chime Choir 6:30-Confirmation 7:00-Worship Video Workshop</p>	<p>20</p> <p>8:30-Mission Sewing 6:30-Chancel Choir 6:30-Curriculum Com.</p>	<p>21</p> <p>9:00-Food Pantry</p>	<p>22</p> <p>8:00-Men's Breakfast Bible Study 5:00-Worship w/ Mission Trip Presentation</p>
<p>23</p> <p>8:00&10:30-Worship 9:00-Coffee Hour 9:15-Adult Education 9:15-Sunday School 9:15-Holy Donuts 9:15-B.C.</p>	<p>24</p> <p>4:30-Chancel Bells</p>	<p>25</p> <p>1:00-Food Pantry 6:00-Scouts 6:30-Council</p>	<p>26</p> <p>5:30-Meal 6:15-Chime Choir 6:30-Confirmation 7:00-Worship Video Workshop</p>	<p>27</p> <p>6:30-Chancel Choir</p>	<p>28</p> <p>9:00-Food Pantry</p>	<p>29</p> <p>5:00-Worship</p>
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PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

**Thursday, August 23, 5:30 pm and
Sunday, August 26, 8:00 & 10:00 am**

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Events:

Youth Board

Adult Education

Readings:

Joshua 24:1-2a, 14-18, Psalm 34:15-22,
Ephesians 6:10-20, John 6:56-69

**Thursday, August 30, 5:30 pm and
Sunday, September 2, 8:00 & 10:00 am**

Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Events:

Coffee Hour

Readings:

Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9, Psalm 15, James
1:17-27, Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-2

**Saturday, September 8, 5:00 pm and
Sunday, September 9, 8:00 & 10:30 am**

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Events:

Sunday School

Super Happy Fun Picnic

Fair Trade Coffee/Tea/Chocolate Sale

Adult Education

Readings:

Isaiah 35:4-7a, Psalm 146, James 2:1-10 [11
-13] 14-17, Mark 7:24-37

WORSHIP TIMES

Thursday at 5:30 pm and
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:00 am

*Beginning September 8 & 9 worship times
change to Saturday at 5:00 pm and
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 am.*



Our Worship is Broadcast on
Radio 1400AM at 8:00 a.m.

Grace Music Scholarship *learning to share*



Can now be used for Green Bay Boy and Girl Choir!!!

The office and rehearsals for the Green Bay Boy and Girl Choirs have been at Grace for years. Now members of Grace who participate in these Choirs are eligible for a Grace Music Scholarship. Here's how:

Call the Choir to schedule an audition with the Choir (321 0541) or request an audition online at <https://www.gbchoir.org/sing-with-us/audition-request>. All students aged 7 to high school senior are invited to audition for membership in the choirs. The audition process lasts 10-15 minutes. No prepared music is necessary.

1. Fill out a Grace Music Scholarship form and return it to the church office **by the deadline Sunday, August 26.**
2. Choir applicants will not have to audition at Grace for the scholarship but will have an interview with the Grace scholarship committee.
3. Students who become members of the Choir are eligible for reimbursement for Choir fee costs up to \$320 per year.

All the information about and applications for Grace Music Scholarships are available in the church office and on the desk in the parlor.

- ***The deadline to apply is Sunday, August 26.***
- You will be contacted by the scholarship committee to schedule an audition or interview.
- All members of Grace of all ages are eligible to apply.
- Please contact Pastor Larry with questions.

WORSHIP MINISTER SCHEDULE

SUN., AUGUST 26, 8:00 & 10:00 AM

Lector & Com. Assist. 8:00 - Lisa Willi, L&CA
Mildred Watermolen,
Pam Bins, CA
10:00 - Gayle Schmeling, L&CA
Kitty Nagel,
Bern Jacobson, CA
Altar Guild: 8:00 - Linda & Dave Rabe,
Debra LaHaye, April
Swim, Ethan Swim
10:00 - Diana Perrault,
Susan Lambert-Tease,
Sharon Lambert-
Rademacher,
Kathy Poels,
Jackson Stollberg
Acolytes: 10:00 - Lilly Helminger
Rose Schumacher
Ushers: 8:00 - Amy & Matt Vanko, Ty &
Diane Pyan, Ryan Davidson,
Reni Krafft
10:00 - Robert Goelz, Jim Poels,
Robin Powell, Kayla Miller
Accompanist: Denise Zenko
Greeters: 8:00 - Bob & Carol Wolslegel
10:00 - Shyla Theel, Bill Miller

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30 AT 5:30 PM

Ushers: Dave Branger,
Margaret Nelson
Lector & CA: Bev Larsen
Accompanist: Denise Zenko

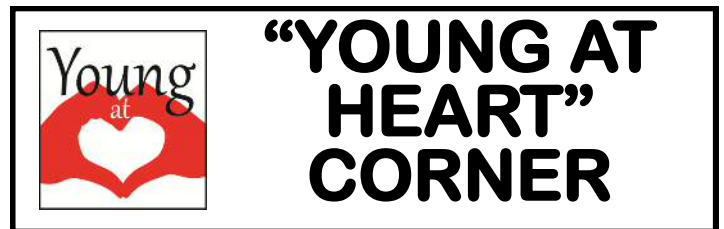
SUN., SEPT. 2, 8:00 & 10:00 AM

Lector & Com. Assist.: 8:00 - Reni Krafft, L
Lisa Herman,
Jeff & Kathy Koehler, CA
10:00 - Bern Jacobson, L&CA
Josh Moyer, Shyla Theel, CA
Altar Guild: 8:00 - Amy Vanko,
Karen Neumann,
Warren Neumann,
Lisa Herman,
Julie Dallaire
10:00 - Kitty Nagel, Linda Wier,
Judy Taylor,
Gayle Schmeling,
Shyla Theel

Acolytes: 10:00 - Jazmin VanDenack,
Joseph Eaton
Ushers: 8:00 - Scott & Sharon Paplham,
Katie Paplham, John & Cheryl
Kollath, Jake Jazgar
10:00 - Dick Destree, Daniel Selissen,
Bob Lotter, Taylor Langhoff,
Tyler Ness
Accompanist: Denise Zenko
Greeters: 8:00 - Bill & Toni Lawson

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 5:00 PM

Ushers: Bev Larsen,
Scott & Lori Ashmann
Lector & Com. Assist.: Karen Pangborn
Accompanist: Denise Zenko



Below is a monthly listing of all the programs scheduled for Young at Heart Luncheons. Mark the 2nd Friday of each month on your calendar for Young at Heart. We meet at Noon in the North Basement for food, fun, & fellowship. The cost of the meal is \$8.00.

Here is the schedule for 2018:

SEPTEMBER 14 Charlie Frisk/Clean
Water Action
OCTOBER 12 Tom Hinz, Veteran's
Treatment Court
NOVEMBER 9 CASA/Kristin Jacobs
DECEMBER 14 Christmas Bingo

Hope to see you at many of the interesting programs scheduled.

The Board of Personal Growth



ACCESS TO GRACE

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

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www.gracegb.org office@gracegb.org
"Grace Lutheran Church Green Bay"



Worship Service Times:

Memorial Day Weekend thru Labor Day Weekend

Thursday at 5:30 p.m. with Holy Communion
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:00 a.m. with Holy Communion

Fall & Winter

Saturday at 5:00 p.m. with Holy Communion
Sunday at 8:00 & 10:30 a.m. with Holy Communion

Christian Education each Sunday from 9:15-10:15 a.m.

Staff:

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pastorlarry@gracegb.org

Pastor Julie Wrubbel-Lange Res. Phone: 920-455-0511
pastorjulie@gracegb.org

Visitation Minister: Pastor Rebecca Proefrock
Phone: 920-819-5482 rproefrock@yahoo.com

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health@gracegb.org

Organist: Denise Zenko

Parish Administrator: Sharon Haapala, admin@gracegb.org

Parish Secretary: Ann Zehms, office@gracegb.org

Maintenance Supervisor: Dean Ahrens, grounds@gracegb.org

Choir Director: John Kopp

Chancel Bells Director: Pam Anderson

Children's Chime Choir Director: Lisa Willi

OUR SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE IS BROADCAST EACH WEEK AT 8:00 A.M. ON WDUZ RADIO 1400 AM

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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