## Welcome!

Welcome to worship at Grace UMC, we hope you feel at home here. Please help us get to know you better and if you are a visitor fill out the portion below and drop in offering plate or in one of the baskets at the door as you leave the sanctuary.

(For Visitors)  ☐ This is my 1st time visit to Grace UMC ☐ I have visited Grace UMC before ☐ I am a frequent visitor to Grace UMC				
Name				
Address				
Home Phone				
Cell Phone				
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Children : Name(s) & Age				
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☐ I would like a call from ☐ I'm new to the area	n the Pastor			
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This week at Grace					
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary			
6.4.2023	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary			
	10:00 a.m.	Children's Sunday School classes			
Monday:	5:00 p.m.	Lion Scouts—Jr. Room			
6.5.2023	6:00 p.m.	AOL Scouts—Jr. Room			
Tuesday:	5:00 p.m.	Tigers/Wolves - Jr. Room			
6.6.2023	5:30 p.m.	Bears/Webelos — fellowship hall			
	7:00 p.m.	Trustees — library			
Thursday:	7:00 p.m.	Celebration Choir — sanctuary			
6.8.2023	7:00 p.m.	Men's Bible Study — Len Petraitis'			
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts—fellowship hall			
Sat. 6.3.2023	7:30 a.m.	Men's Breakfast—fellowship hall			
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary			
6.11.2023	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary			
	10:00 a.m.	Children's Sunday School—Primary Room			

# **Contact Us**

Rev. J. Timothy Fisher, Senior Pastor, jtfisher@worshipatgrace.org 610-248-0983—call or email Pastor Tim if you'd like to make an appointment to speak with him.

Lori L. Heckman, Office Manager, lori.heckman@worshipatgrace.org office hours: 8 am—12 pm, and 12:30 pm—4:30 pm

#### **Grace Church**

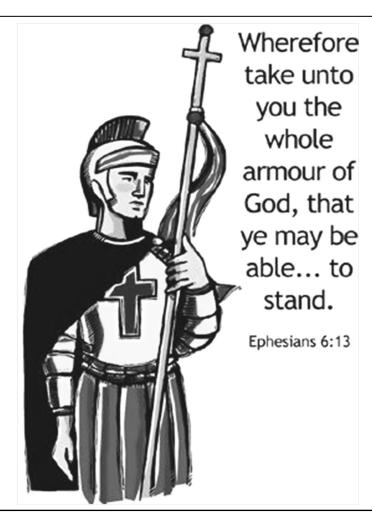
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# You're always welcome here at Grace Church

## Our Mission Is:

To make followers of Jesus Christ through ministries that seek to nurture people to model Christ, reach out to people right where they are and witness that Jesus Christ is Lord!

Nurture — Outreach — Witness



June 11, 2023

# **Prayers and Praises**

Note: Contact the church office to submit a prayer request. Only submit requests with permission from the person you wish to list. Concerns are listed in Grace Today for two weeks. If you or a loved one is hospitalized or in need of a Pastoral visit please contact the church office.

- ⊕ Lori Heckman and family comfort of grief in the loss of her step-mom, Dorothy Strauss
- ⊕ VBS—for helpers, for children to attend, and for good weather
- ⊕ Lois Shelley—strength & healing
- ⊕ Catherine Rasley—healing and strength
- ⊕ Jervaise Surotchak—healing, strength

- ⊕ Blair Blake—Slate Belt Nursing & Rehab
- ⊕ Persecuted Christians around the world—safety
- Missionaries around the world safety
- The homeless and the unemployed
- ⊕ Unsaved family & friends
- Strengthening of marriages & families
- ⊕ Shut-ins
- ⊕ Unspoken requests

### **BACKPACK SUPPLIES FOR BANGOR AND PEN ARGYL SCHOOLS**

The Women of Grace are collecting items for backpacks for Families First and Bangor Slater Network. Items or monetary donations will be excepted through Sunday, July 23rd. The list below are the items they are looking for: (place items in bins outside office or by narthex doors)

Backpack Pocket folders Loose paper packs (college or wide rule) 3-ring binders One subject spiral notebooks (college or wide rule) Non-spiral composition books Pencil case or pencil box Colored pencils Crayons (24 counts) Highlighters #2 Pencils Washable and/or non-washable markers Dry Erase markers - fine point Mechanical pencils Erasers (pink) 12-inch ruler Pencil sharpener Pens Glue sticks Scissors (Fiskar or safety) Lunch bag

#### **FATHER'S DAY BOOKLET**

Today is the last day If you would like to list your father or a man in your life in our Father's Day booklet please use the forms in the bulletins and place them in the basket on the table in the narthex. This is sponsored by the Men's Breakfast group and the \$2 per name will be used to help support the missions/ministries supported by the Men's

#### **BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG**

Help the Pregnancy Resource Center of the Poconos affirm the sanctity of every life by taking home a baby bottle today, filling it with your loose change, bills, or check; and returning it *next Sunday, June* 18. Grace's Mission Committee participate each year in this fund raiser so that lives may be saved and changed for eternity.

#### **WOMEN OF GRACE**

The Women of Grace will be meeting on Monday, June 12 at 5:30 to do the Father's Day packets, play a game and to make further plans on future events. All women of Grace are invited to come for an evening of fellowship and good eatin'!!

#### 50th ANNIVERSARY LUNCH

Next Sunday, June 18th we will celebrate 50 years of being Grace United Methodist Church. Our guest pastor will be the Reverend Hal Hallam. Please note there will be ONE service at 10:00 am.

#### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

This year's Vacation Bible School will be held from July 10 through July 14, from 6 to 8 pm. The theme this year is "Food Truck Party" and is based on Matthew 6:11, "Give us this day our daily bread." If you would like to volunteer to help with VBS please sign up on the pew pads, see Pat Weber or call the church office.

# BUS TRIP TO SIGHT AND SOUND

There are a few seats left for the Sight and Sound trip to see "The Miracle of Christmas" on November 4th. For questions or more information contact Denny Miller at 610-703-1412, or dmbm74@outlook.com.

#### **SUMMER SPECIAL MUSIC**

If anyone would like to provide special music at one of the 10:00 service this summer please contact the office.

# **Prayer Request**

List in Grace 1	Гoday	_Keep Confid	dential		
I would like to be contacted about this					
NAME:					

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