

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

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Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Children : Name(s) & Age(s)

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_
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- ☐ I would like a call from the Pastor
- ☐ I’m new to the area
- ☐ I’d like information about the church
- ☐ I would like more information about a personal relationship with Jesus
- ☐ I would like the newsletter emailed to me

This week at Grace

**Sunday:** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service — sanctuary

**7.23.2023** 10:00 a.m. Worship Service — sanctuary

10:00 a.m. Children’s Sunday School—Primary Room

**Tuesday:** 6:00 p.m. Daisy Scout Program—fellowship hall

**7.25.23** 6:00 p.m. VBS Wrap-Up Meeting—library

**Thursday:** 7:00 p.m. Men’s Bible Study—Len Petraitis’

**7.27.23** 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts—fellowship hall

**Sunday:** 8:30 a.m. Worship Service — sanctuary

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10:00 a.m. Sunday School—Sunday Funday—fell. hall

Contact Us

Rev. J. Timothy Fisher, Senior Pastor, [jtfisher@worshipatgrace.org](mailto: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](mailto:lori.heckman@worshipatgrace.org)  
office hours: 8 am—12 pm, and 12:30 pm—4:30 pm

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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*

For in this  
**HOPE**  
we were  
**SAVED.**

Romans 8:24



July 23, 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.*

- ✝ Bonnie Miller—healing & health

✝ Lois Shelley—strength & healing

✝ Catherine Rasley—healing and strength

✝ Jervaise Surotchak—healing, strength

✝ Blair Blake—Slate Belt Nursing & Rehab

✝ The Leadership of Grace
- ✝ Persecuted Christians around the world—safety

✝ Safety for all military

✝ Missionaries around the world—safety

✝ The homeless and the unemployed

✝ Unsaved family & friends

✝ Strengthening of marriages & families

✝ Shut-ins

✝ Unspoken requests

## CLAY SHOOTIING EVENT

Pastor Tim is planning a Clay Shot Start Event on August 9th, 3:00 pm at Lehigh Valley Sporting Clays in Coplay. If you are interested in attending this event please see the enclosed sign up sheet to register and for more information. Contact Pastor Tim with any questions.

## Thank You...

On behalf of the Slater Family Network and Families First, the Women of Grace thank all those who so generously donated supplies for the backpacks. Praise the Holy Trinity for our most caring and very giving congregation.

## RALLY DAY!

Mark your calendars! The Sunday School will be holding Rally Day on August 27th. There will be one service, outdoors weather permitting, at 10:00 am followed by the Rally Day Picnic. Picnic sign ups will be available soon.

## BUS TRIP TO SIGHT AND SOUND 6 SEATS LEFT!

There are six seats left for the Sight and Sound trip to see “The Miracle of Christmas” on November 4th. If you know of someone who may be interested pass on this information.

For questions or more information contact Denny Miller at 610-703-1412, or dmbm74@outlook.com.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

The Children's Sunday School Department is still looking for more people to volunteer their time to teach/help one Sunday a month. You don't have to be creative or a teacher to do this, just a willing heart to serve. If you are willing to help, please contact Beth Snyder, or sign up on the pew pads as they are passed this morning.

## FAMILY FUN NIGHT SPAGHETTI DINNER

The Missions and Social Concerns committee will be hosting the next Family Fun Night on Saturday, August 12 from 6:00—8:30 pm with a spaghetti dinner and game night. See sign up sheet in the bulletins. Please RSVP if you will be attending so we can prepare enough food. *Thank you.*

## SUMMER SPECIAL MUSIC

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

## PASTOR TIM’S VACATION

Pastor Tim will be on vacation from July 24th through July 31st. If there are any pastoral care emergencies please contact the church office. Len Petraitis will be preaching on July 30th.

## CHURCH OFFICE SUMMER HOURS

From June 30th through September 1st the Church office will be closed on Fridays. Regular office hours will continue on Mondays through Thursdays, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm.

## Prayer Request

\_\_\_ List in Grace Today \_\_\_ Keep Confidential

\_\_\_ I would like to be contacted about this

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