

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

Email

Children : Name(s) & Age(s)

1. Age:

2. Age:

3. Age:

4. Age:

☐ 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
7.9.2023	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary
	10:00 a.m.	Children’s Sunday School—Primary Room
Mon: 7.10.23	6:00 p.m.	VACATIOIN BIBLE SCHOOL
Tues.: 7.11.23	6:00 p.m.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Wed. 7.12.23	6:00 p.m.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Wed. 7.13.23	6:00 p.m.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
Wed. 7.14.23	6:00 p.m.	VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
	7:15 p.m.	VBS Closing Program—sanctuary
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service — sanctuary
7.16.2023	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*



July 9, 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.***

- ✚ VBS—for helpers, for children to attend, and for good weather
  - ✚ Ginny Gibson—healing & strength
  - ✚ 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
  - ✚ Unserved 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 16th** . 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

**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.

## 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.

## FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Did you know that you can find us on Facebook, like our page or pages and comment on our posts so others find out about all the things going on at Grace. Grace Church in Pen Argyl Grace Church Children's Ministries

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**  
VACATIOIN BIBLE SCHOOL  
BEGINS TOMORROW!

Monday through Friday from 6 to 8 pm, for ages 3 through 6th. The theme this year is “*Food Truck Party*” and is based on Matthew 6:11, “Give us this day our daily bread.” All are invited to come to the closing program on Friday, 7/14 at 7:15 pm in the sanctuary and then join us for ice cream in fellowship hall!

## 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](mailto: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.

### Prayer Request

☐ List in Grace Today ☐ Keep Confidential

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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