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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| ☐ I would like a call from ☐ I'm new to the area | m the Pastor | | | |
| ☐ I'd like information al | bout the church | | | |
| ☐ I would like more info | | | | |
| ☐ I would like the news | letter emailed to me | | | |

| This week at Grace | | | | | | |
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| Sunday: | 8:30 a.m. | Worship Service—Sanctuary | | | | |
| 10.15.23 | 10:00 a.m. | Worship Service—Sanctuary | | | | |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Children's Sunday School—Class Room | | | | |
| Tuesday: | 6:00 p.m. | Girls Scouts—Fellowship Hall | | | | |
| 10.17.23 | 7:00 p.m. | SPRC Meeting—Library | | | | |
| Thursday: | 7:00 p.m. | Celebration Choir—Sanctuary | | | | |
| 10.19.23 | 7:00 p.m. | Boy Scouts—Fellowship Hall | | | | |
| | 7:00 p.m. | Men's Bible Study—Len Petraitis' | | | | |
| Sunday: | 8:30 a.m. | Worship Service—Sanctuary | | | | |
| 10.22.23 | 10:00 a.m. | Worship Service — Sanctuary | | | | |
| | 10:00 a.m. | Children's Sunday School—Class Room | | | | |
| Contact Us | | | | | | |

Grace United Methodist 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



October 15, 2023

Prayers and Praises

O God, our heavenly Father, we ask that your healing, comforting power bring these persons recovery, strength and encouragement; though Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

- ⊕ Nancy Michler
- ⊕ Bonnie Miller

- ⊕ Louise Edelman
- ⊕ Earl Voorhees (brother of Sharon Lang)
- James Henninger (stage 4 lung cancer)
- ⊕ James Morgan (nephew of Denny and Bonnie Miller)

We also lift before you:

- Persecuted Christians around the world

- Strengthening of marriages and families
- ⊕ Shut-ins
- ⊕ Unspoken requests

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.

SPONSORING OF THE BULLETIN AND STEEPLE LIGHTING

The steeple is lit and the bulletin is sponsored by the glory of God and in loving memory of Charles and Kay Stocker, with love from David and Kris Baker.

THANKSGIVING DINNER ALERT

Time to think about donating preparation services, turkey and filling. More information coming soon!

NEWSLETTER CORRECTION

Please take note that the Thanksgiving Meal preparation date is Wednesday, November 22nd.

WOMEN OF GRACE COLLECTION

In December, the Women of Grace will be doing their traditional gifts for the residents at the Slate Belt Rehab Center and the Morning Star. Items suggested are: body wash, shampoo (not the all-in-one for these first 2 items), conditioner, hand soap, large print Search-A-Word, pencils, markers, warm slipper socks, scarfs, baseball caps, solar bobbles (or other safe fun items), and jewelry. Collection boxes will be available inside of either door that you use to enter the church.

WEIS REGISTER TAPES

Did you know the church collects Weis register tapes? The money received is used to help purchase supplies for the Sunday School. You can place your register tapes in the basket on the bookcase in the narthex/lobby. Please note: the register receipts cannot be used if more than a year old.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY

A parish member is looking for help getting to church and doctor appointments. This person lives just outside of West Bangor. If interested, please speak with Pastor Tim.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNIES FOR WORSHIP

We are looking for people to use their gifts to help with worship. At 8:30 serve as an usher, serve as a communion steward, computer or soundboard operator, serve on the worship committee. At 10:00 serve as a liturgist and read scripture, serve as a communion steward, computer or soundboard operator, serve on the worship committee. If any of these interest you or you would like more information, contact Jessica in the office.

CRAFT FAIR

Mark your calendars! The craft fair is coming on November 18th, 8am-4pm in Fellowship Hall.

Prayer Request

| Lis | List in Grace TodayKeep Confidential | | | | | |
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