

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)

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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
10.8.2023	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service — Sanctuary
	10:00 a.m.	Children’s Sunday School—Class Room
Tuesday:	5:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts—Fellowship Hall
10.10.23	5:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts Planning Meeting—Youth Room
	7:00 p.m.	Finance—Library
Wed: 10.11.23	6:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts—Junior Room
Thursday:	7:00 p.m.	Celebration Choir—Sanctuary
	10.12.2023 7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts—Fellowship Hall
	7:00 p.m.	Men’s Bible Study—Len Petraitis’
Sat: 10.14.23	6:00 p.m.	Family Fun Night—Fellowship Hall
Sunday:	8:30 a.m.	Worship Service — Sanctuary
	10.15.2023 10:00 a.m.	Worship Service — Sanctuary
	10:00 a.m.	Children’s Sunday School—Class Room
Contact Us		

Rev. J. Timothy Fisher, Senior Pastor, [jtfisher@outlook.com](mailto:jtfisher@outlook.com)  
610-248-0983—call or email Pastor Tim if you would like to make an appointment to speak with him.

Jessica Miller, Office Secretary, [graceumc@worshipatgrace.org](mailto:graceumc@worshipatgrace.org)  
office hours: Monday—Thursday, 9 am—2 pm

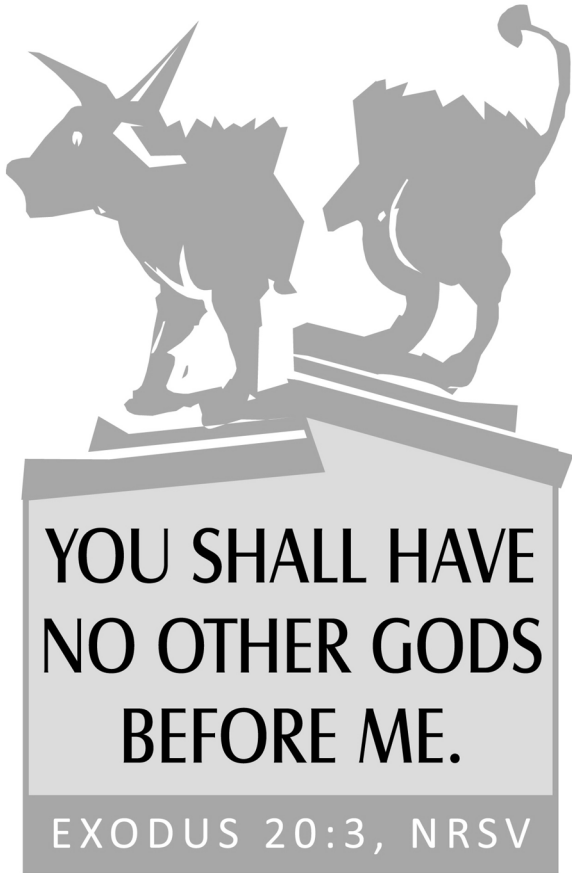
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You’re always welcome here at Grace Church

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*



October 8, 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
- ✚ Lois Shelly
- ✚ Valerie Viglione
- ✚ Louise Edelman
- ✚ Jervaise Surotchak
- ✚ Earl Voorhees (brother of Sharon Lang)
- ✚ Jane Williams (mother of Marsha Sandt)
- ✚ James Henninger (stage 4 lung cancer)
- ✚ James Morgan (nephew of Denny and Bonnie Miller)

We also lift before you:

- ✝ The Leadership of Grace
- ✝ Persecuted Christians around the world
- ✝ Safety for all military
- ✝ Missionaries around the world
- ✝ The homeless and unemployed
- ✝ 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.***

## ADOPT-A-COLLEGE STUDENT

The Adopt-A-College student board is now up. This special bulletin board is found in the narthex. Our church family is invited to select a student from the board and take home their address which is provided. During the month, take a little time to write that student a note, send a treat, or both. Feel free to get in touch with your student as often as you'd like. This is a wonderful way to let them know that many at home are praying for them.

## FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Did you know that you can find us on Facebook? Like our pages and comment on our posts so others find out about all the great things going on at Grace.

\*Grace Church in Pen Argyl

\*Grace Church Children's Ministries

## FAMILY FUN NIGHT

The Women of Grace are hosting a Fall Fest on Saturday, Oct 14, 6-8:30pm. Please sign up in the Narthex or call Jessica in the office.



## LOOKING FOR HELPERS 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 or sign up in the Narthex.

## 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.

## 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.

## 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.**

## NEWSLETTER CORRECTION

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

## Prayer Request

☐ List in Grace Today ☐ Keep Confidential

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

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

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