

GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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VBS 2017 @ GRACE! Mark your calendars now!! Grace Church invites all children age 4 to those entering 6th grade to our Vacation Bible School, July 31 - August 4 from 9:00 am - noon. Our theme is Maker Fun Factory: Created by God, Built for a Purpose. To register, please fill out a registration form by Monday, July 3, and mail/return to the church office, Welcome Center or KCAC Connect Table. Forms are available in the Welcome Center at Downtown Campus/Connect table at KCAC Campus, on the Grace Website, Grace App and at the church office. If you are interested in volunteering to help with VBS, please take a moment to fill out the back of the registration form. Questions: Call 724-463-8535 or email kbcowb@yahoo.com.

Paid childcare positions available for Saturday night service, KCAC and Downtown Sunday services, and the second and fourth Wednesday evenings. If you love children, then this is God's calling for you to serve Him. Please see Mary Beth Rine in the nursery or call 724-388-8332 for more information.

Five-week Summer Bible Study for women: Studying "Breath" by Priscilla Shirer, looking at the Sabbath and ways that we can take time to draw closer to God. We will meet Thursday nights **beginning June 29** from 7:00 to 8:30 pm at the church. Sign up in the Welcome Center or the KCAC Connect Table.

Summer Special Music: Would you like to participate in our Traditional Worship service by leading hymns, singing, or playing an instrument? Please sign up in the Welcome Center Downtown or the KCAC Connect Table, or call 724-463-8535, ext. 25 and someone from our Traditional Worship team will contact you.

Help Needed for Coffeehouse Service: We are in need of people to help with greeting, serving, music (including vocalists), set-up and tear-down for the worship team and the service. Please sign up in the Welcome Center.

Blair Family Welcome Party! Please join us on Sunday, **July 09** from 3:00—5:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall for an open house to welcome Pastor Bill and his family to our Grace Church family.

Modern Worship Director: Grace United Methodist Church is looking for an outgoing, energetic, creative and fun individual to lead and further develop our Modern Worship Teams. Must be able to provide musical, spiritual and logistical leadership to all facets of the contemporary worship services (including youth and college/young adult worship) at GUMC. Knowledge of Contemporary Christian Music and ability to lead worship services and oversee several worship teams is a pre-requisite for this position. Prior experience with sound board technical equipment is preferred. This position requires necessary leadership skills to oversee, coordinate and recruit a volunteer staff of approximately 20-30 people. Ideal candidates should possess Bachelor's Degree in Music or related fields and/or have 1-3 years of experience (volunteer or paid) leading or assisting in Modern Worship Services. Interested applicants should submit their resumes to prc@indianagrace.org by today, June 18, 2017.

Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth, burst into jubilant song with music; **If you have musical talents, please help us build our pool of volunteers.** We need instrumentalists, slide operators and sound volunteers. Training provided, if needed. Please fill out a Music Ministries Volunteer form in the Welcome Center, or KCAC Connect Table. Call, text, or email Beth Fabin with any questions. (724-388-8871/ beth.fabin@gmail.com.)

Hear the sermon each Wednesday at 10:00 am and 7:00 pm on WMUG FM radio (105.1) or online at www.wmugradio.org. You can also listen to any of the sermons on our website, <http://indianagrace.org/message-archive/> or on the Grace Church app.



June 18, 2017
Father's Day

Our Pastors

Rev. Bill Blair - Senior Pastor

Pastor Kathy Mihoerck - Congregational Care & Senior Adult Ministries

Pastor Dennis Marshall - Visitation

We gather in grace

The coffee is ready! Please enjoy a time of fellowship - in our Welcome Center between services at the Downtown Campus and in the lobby at the KCAC Campus. Meet and greet your friends and make new ones.

Join us on Wednesday evenings, beginning in the fall and thru the end of May, for dinner and Grace Groups at our downtown campus. Our regularly scheduled Wednesday Dinners are on break now for the summer, but watch your bulletins for information on *special dinner events* this summer. More information is available in the Welcome Center and at the Connect Table at the KCAC.

Check our website for other opportunities to Gather in Grace!

Child care

Child care for children up to age 4 is available in the nursery during our KCAC Sunday services, for children up to age 2 on Saturdays during the Coffeehouse service, and Sundays during worship services at our Downtown Campus.

Children K-5 can attend the Train Station - an exciting worship experience - at 11:00 am at our Downtown Campus (please sign your child in upstairs outside the Fellowship Hall before the worship service begins).

Children ages 3-5 can attend the Caboose at the Downtown Campus during the 11:00 worship service (located down the main hallway past the Welcome Center).

Order of Worship

Traditional Worship 9:00 am

Gathering Music

Prelude
Sing Unto The Lord

Announcements

*Opening Hymn of Praise - No. 445
Happy the Home When God Is There

Prayer of Invocation

Congregational Hymn - No. 431
Let There Be Peace on Earth

Scripture Reading: Nehemiah 4:8-14
Dawn Woodland

Response - No. 70
Glory Be to the Father

Special Music: *Thank You*
Soloist - Debra Moore

Message
Building a Legacy
Acts 6: 1-7

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Receiving of our Tithes and Offerings
This is My Father's World
Flute—Rachel Spielman

*Doxology - No. 95
Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn - No. 714
I Know Whom I Have Believed

*Benediction & Postlude

*Indicates the congregation standing as able



If you are joining us for the first time today, we extend to you a very special greeting! We have a gift for you in our Welcome Center. Additionally, while in the Welcome Center, please take a moment and complete a connect card and return it to the Welcome Center host. Thank you for joining us!



The Altar Flowers are in memory of
Isham & Marie Jones, given by
Dawn E. Woodland.



The white carnation on the altar is in memory of
Lyle Putt who passed away on May 27,
2017. Our sympathy is extended to
his family and friends.

Summer Camp: In our three United Methodist camps in Western Pennsylvania, no camper is ever turned away because they cannot afford the cost of church camp. Your own Grace Church Council has voted to pay ½ tuition for Grace kids to attend one of the camps. Additionally, the Western PA Conference also offers partial camperships. Please pick up a brochure with camp dates and prices in the Welcome Center or at the KCAC Connect Table.

Do you want to be a part of sending kids to camp? By donating to our Campership Fund, you become a valuable part of the life-changing ministry at our three United Methodist camps. You can make an eternal difference for a young camper.

Wednesday Dinner

Wednesday Dinners are on break for the summer.

They will return in the fall, along with new, exciting opportunities for fellowship and spiritual growth on Wednesday evenings.
Enjoy your summer!

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

Monday, June 19

5:00 pm Women's Prayer Group - Room 207
6:00 pm Finance Meeting - Room 205
7:00 pm Church Council Meeting - Room 208

Wednesday, June 21



7:00 am Men's Bible Study - Room 102
10:00 am The Seekers Women's Group - Deb Rickard's home
6:15 pm Men's Grace Group - Downtown Campus
7:00 pm Worship Team - Sanctuary
8:00 pm Cru Team - Grace Growth Center

Saturday, June 24

7:45 am Prayer Fellowship - G.I.M. (1st Floor)
2:00 pm Quintet Rehearsal - Sanctuary
5:00 pm Coffeehouse Worship - Courtyard or Fellowship Hall

Repine Travel Bus Trip: Thursday—Friday, June 22 and 23 to **Creation Museum and Ark Encounter.** Call for prices (1-866-473-7463). Ark Encounter is a new one of a kind themed attraction. Price includes admissions, overnight hotel accommodations and one breakfast.

PRAY, PLAN and PROJECT Event: Please join us on Wednesday, **July 19** at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall as we share ideas and envision the future of our growing church. Everyone who attends Grace Church is welcome!

Attention: **Train Station families: Beginning July 2** we will be changing the CHECK IN process for your children. You will check them in as normal when you arrive, however, after you receive your name tags you will take your children to the sanctuary and worship 1-2 songs together as a family. Then Pastor Bill will call the children up to the front of the church and dismiss them with the teachers.

Coffeehouse Service: Join us for a light meal in the church courtyard next week, Saturday, **June 24** after our 5:00 pm worship service.

Photo I.D. Directory: Photos will be taken today, June 18 and June 25 at the KCAC campus at 8:30 am and following the 10:00 am worship service. Anyone who attends Grace Church is welcome to have their photo taken for the directory.

Grace Church is inviting people to submit resumes for **Coffeehouse Worship Leader** to lead worship during our Saturday night Coffeehouse service. Must be able to provide musical, spiritual and logistical leadership for that service. Knowledge of Contemporary Christian Music and the ability to lead worship services and work with worship teams is required for this position. Interested applicants should submit their resumes to sprc@indianagraces.org by June 25, 2017.

Youth Ministries Leader: Grace Church is looking for an outgoing, energetic, creative and fun individual to lead our Youth Ministries. The primary responsibility of the Youth Director will be to build relationships with the 6th-12th grade students who are part of the church and reach out to others in the surrounding community through Sunday morning Sunday School, youth fellowship groups, service projects, mission trips, and a variety of other possibilities. This is a part-time position. Interested applicants should submit their resumes to gracechurch@indianagraces.org by June 30.

If you are not currently receiving **Grace Church offering envelopes** by mail from the Church Budget Company and would like to receive them, please call the church office to be added to the list.

Remember in prayer....

Jean Rapach
Tom Trimble
Betty Scarpino
Debbie Douglass
Dale Cunningham

Dolly Coury
Joan Shirley
Terry St. Clair
Andrew Manzek
Rosemary McDowell

Enrico Agosti
Brian Swistock
Lyle Putt Family
All First Responders
Deployed Military Personnel