



GRACE NOTES

WEEK OF AUGUST 10 - 16, 2024

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

This Week at Grace

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God.

The Bulletins & Mailing are given by Nancy Whitcomb in memory of her son, Greg.

We hold in prayer especially this week...

Susan Ryder, Matthew Riegel, Eugenia Hobday, David Hobday, Todd Stuckey, Kenny Comrey, Jan Haas, Pete Psychogis, Beverly Earhart, Bob Little, Dean Jury, Austin Snavelly (Active Military) and the friends & family of Debbie Aldridge.

Calendar

- 8/10 5:00 pm Sabbath Service of Holy Communion in Barkley Chapel
8/11 9:30 am Worship Service of Holy Communion in Sanctuary
8/12 7:00 pm BSA Troop 54 Green Lane Farms Park (Old Ford Drive)
8/13 9:00 am Quilting Ministry
8/14 3:00 pm The Giving Pantry
No Community Meal in August
8/15 *Church Office Closed*

Welcome to Our Church cards

If you are visiting with us today why not take a moment to fill out one of the "Welcome to our Church" cards found in both narthexes and the Library. We'd love to hear from you.

For Pastoral Assistance or At Home Communion

Please contact Pastor Chad (717-737-0439 x10 or pastorchad@gracecamphill.org). If you have a pastoral emergency outside of normal working hours you can contact Pastor Chad on his mobile phone at 610-297-2514. A pastoral emergency would be a death, or life threatening circumstances.

Good News from Grace articles are due by **12 noon on the 15th of the month** for the next month's newsletter. **Grace Notes** information is due by **12noon on Tuesdays**. Email to ddeppen@gracecamphill.org

August 11, 2024 (12th Sunday after Pentecost)

John 6:35 – Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty."

In the Lord's Prayer we ask God to "Give us today our daily bread." Jesus reminds us that he is the true bread that feeds our lives and souls. Daily we partake of Jesus through prayer and Scripture, and as often as we may through Holy Communion.

Faith Formation for Adults

We will meet approximately twice a month on Sunday mornings. We will be discussing the book "Seculosity" by David Zahl. It discusses how Career, Parenting, Technology, Food, Politics and Romance became our new religion, and what to do about it.

[CLICK HERE](#) to register. If you are unable to sign up online please contact the church office at 717-737-0439 Monday - Thursday from 8am to 12noon and they will be glad to register you.

Faith Formation for Children & Youth

Faith Formation for Children and Youth will kick off with Rally Day on Sunday, September 15 after worship. There will be a lunch as well as activities for every age. We hope to see you there.

You can view the Faith Formation Fall Schedule [here](#). To register [CLICK HERE](#). If you are unable to sign up online please contact the church office at 717-737-0439 Monday—Thursday form 8am to 12noon and they will be glad to register you.

Tuesday Bible Study

Every Tuesday at 1pm starting on September 17th. We will be diving into the scriptures. [CLICK HERE](#) to register. If you are unable to sign up online please contact the church office at 717-737-0439 Monday - Thursday from 8am to 12noon and they will be glad to register you.

Confirmation Class Sign Up

Confirmation is a two year program. Confirmands may join at any point of the year, but we will ask that each confirmand complete two complete years of education. Confirmands will meet with a clergy member or spiritual leader at least once a month. Confirmation Camp is heavily encouraged, but not required. Confirmation is open to those entering 7th or 8th grade. Exceptions may be made for those entering into 9th grade who have not yet been confirmed. If you are entering 10th grade and have yet to be confirmed, please contact the pastor at PastorChad@gracecamphill.org. [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up.

Save the Date!

God's work. Our Hands September 8, 2024 at 11am

Grace will be doing a service project after worship at Church World Services. We will be tasked with getting apartments ready for refugees. There will be things to do for all ages & ability levels.

Meet at:

2101 North Front Street
Building 3 Suite 301
Harrisburg, PA 17110

*This is will also be the first confirmation class



God's work. Our hands.



Join us for a day of service!

Sunset Music & Movie Series - The Little Mermaid (PG)

Friday, August 16 | 8:30pm | Fort Hunter Park (5300 N. Front Street, Harrisburg)

Bring your blankets and lawn chairs and enjoy an evening of family fun!

Opera in the Park

August 18 | 4pm | FREE | Italian Lake (3rd & Division Street, Harrisburg)

Enjoy Harrisburg Opera Association's annual free concert "Opera in the Park—Icons of Music" at Italian Lake. The concert is for music lovers of all ages and will explore music's impact on culture

Assisting Minister



Assisting Minister How To Video

Do you feel called to assist in preparing the Holy Sacraments and help lead worship? Below is a video that will run through the basics of what it takes to set the table for communion.

If this is something that God is calling you to do, please contact the church office at 717-737-0439 or office@gracecamphill.org

<https://youtu.be/dOuStU3og4M>

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS



On Sunday, August 25th, we encourage all students, of any age, to bring forward their backpacks and/or school supplies for a blessing.

How to Give

You can support Grace in three easy ways:

1. Use the QR code below to pay online or go to our website at <https://www.gracecamphill.org/give>
2. Mail in payments to Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
1610 Carlisle Road
Camp Hill, PA 170011
3. Drop your offering envelope in the Offering Plate Saturday Night or Sunday Morning. Envelopes can be found in either narthex, the library and parking lot hallway or you can request envelopes from the office or to be mailed to you.

Special Benevolence Offering

The Special Benevolence for August is Lutheran Disaster Response. To contribute, please list your dollar amount next to *Special Offering Ministry* on the contribution envelopes or use the online giving page on the website at

<https://www.gracecamphill.org/give>



Give Online Now!