



Grace Lutheran Church Newsletter

NOVEMBER₂₀₂₂



Confirmation 2022



Faith King

Parents: Cody & Julie King



Korbin Meland

Parents: Chris & Tessa Meland



Hayden Rock

Parents: Brice Rock &
Melissa Kohle



Blake Williams

Parents: JD & Michelle
Williams

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Serving Grace November 2022

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 9:00 AM

Position	November 6	November 13	November 20	November 27
Greeters (2)	Elmer Preszler	Women of GLC		
Ushers (4)		Women of GLC	Bonnie Lange and David Lyons	Dale & Mary Ellen Kreutz
Assisting Ministers	Kim Webber	Garland Dobler	Tim Potts	JD Williams
Lesson Reader (1)		Mary Ann Stroschein	Maranda McGillivray	Carolyn Ruff
Serving Communion	Diana Bauer and Darlene Mullins			
*Coffee Hosts (3)	Education Committee Confirmation Reception	Thank You Breakfast for Pastor Duane	No Coffee Hour Thanksgiving Meal	Ruth Mechling
Sunday Acolytes	Kwynnlee and Kerrigan Meland	Torin Monahan and Levi McPherson	Willow Nikkila and Arina Haugen	Holland and Isla Rohde

*Coffee Hosts— please bring 4 dozen cookies each, help set up, serve and clean up. Worship helper instructions are located near the greeters' welcome table.

~ WEDNESDAY NIGHT WORSHIP SERVICE ~

Position	November 2	November 9	November 16	November 30
*WNL Meal Hosts	Tim and Debbie Patmore	Tim and Debbie Patmore	Tim and Debbie Patmore	Tim and Debbie Patmore
Wednesday Night Acolytes	Kwynnlee and Kerrigan Meland	Torin Monahan and Levi McPherson	Willow Nikkila and Arina Haugen	Holland and Isla Rohde

November Serving Grace Members

Aga, Kevin
Avery, Dan and Dadra
Bauer, Diane
Berg, Randy and Connie
Bergman, Brian and Angela
Caneva, Brandon
Cruickshank, Shawn and Cindy
Dietz, Jamie and Dana
Elmore, Barb
Ennis, Arlene
Evens, Matthew and Stephanie
Hencke, Bryan and Tammy

Kelly, Matt and Amanda
Kohle, Melissa and King, Matt
Koontz, Chris and Shawn
Lange, Clay and Cinthia
Magdanz, Thomas and Kelly
McGillivray, Brandon and Maranda
Mechling, Ruth
Mechling, Shawn
Nohava, Randy and Brenda
Paul, Yvette
Rossow, Bill and Myrna

Roth, Al and Rosemary
Roth, KayDe
Roth, Troy and Gayle
Swenby, Don and Cynthia
Weimer, Jan
Walker (Weisz), Chaska
Weisz, Richard and Cheryl
Weitzel, Larry and Ann
Wiedmann, Ron and Gloria
Williams, Larry
Ziegenbein, Conni

Serving Grace December 2022

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE ~ 9:00 AM

Serving Grace sign up board is located near the entrance of the church.
If your name is listed below, please sign up for December before November 21.

Position	December 4	December 11	December 18	December 24	December 25
Greeters (2)	Kenya Schummer & Lorayne Schaefer	Tim & Debbie Patmore			
Ushers (4)		Al Weidenbach and Brandon Caneva	Bonnie Lange and David Lyons	Pat & Robin Baldwin and Al & Tessa Gunderson	Dale & Mary Ellen Kreutz
Assisting Ministers	Tim Patmore	Kim Webber	Garland Dobler	Tim Patmore	Tim Patmore
Lesson Reader (1)	Tim Patmore				
Serving Communion				Pat & Robin Baldwin Tessa Gunderson Mikayla Wilson	
*Coffee Hosts (3)					
Sunday Acolytes	Alex Weingartner and Quintin Kelly	Lily Wilson and Jenika Leonhardt	Mason McGillivray and Lane Duprel	Elle King and Kenny White	Tenlee and Talen Koontz

Aga, Ray
Atyeo, Tim and Tonya
Baldwin, Pat and Robin
Bostrom, Dorothy
Christen, Mary
Collins, Dan and Caron
Dobler, Ward and Garland
Enright, Dillard
Gunderson, Al and Tessa
Haivala, Bob and Debbie
Heikes, Rod and Shannon
Johnson, Rosalee
Keeton, Michelle and Jennifer

King, Cody and Julie
Lyons, David
Meland, Arvid and Paulette
Molitor, Bill and Sandy
Moncur, Dean
Morgan, Joan
Morgan, Dan
Mullen, Duston and Cynthia
Myers, Tim and Misty
O'Dea, Kathy
Patmore, Tim and Debbie
Raforth, John and Eileen
Rasch, Deb

Sigman, Ted and Eva
Stroschein, Mary Ann
Tucker, Lennie and Katina
Weidenbach, Al and Pam
Williams, Jared and Andria
Wilson, Char
Wolf, Jake and Rosalie
Wolf, Brad and Jamie
Workentine, Doris
Zeiner, Dan and Ramona
Zylstra, Willem and Angela



PROJECTOR OPERATORS IN NOVEMBER

1st Sunday: Debbie Patmore
2nd Sunday:
3rd Sunday: Debbie Patmore
4th Sunday: Michelle Williams

ALTAR GUILD IN NOVEMBER

Heather Kreutz and Mikayla Wilson

2022 YEAR TO DATE

OFFERINGS

\$135,558.20

EXPENSES

\$102,352.38

BUDGET

\$183,470.90



SEPTEMBER ATTENDANCE

Sundays

Oct 2 - 85

Oct 9 - 105

Oct 16 - 87

Oct 23 - 87

Oct 30 - 102

Wednesdays

Oct 5 - 46

Oct 12 - 32

Oct 19 - 44

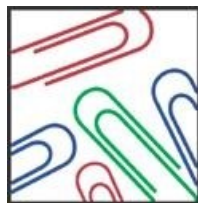
Oct 26 - 34

Prayer Requests



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS: Donzetta Strandjord, Jon Christopherson, Sharon Rank, Bob and Kris York, Kathy Christians, Marjorie Jutting, Cindy Milek, Boyd and Rita Swenson and Ernie Miller.

On-going prayers: Donna Larson, Jody Wilke, Dale Kreutz, Morgan Myers, Ramona Hultman, Tori Tetrault, Ed Pickar, Bill Molitor, Ally Tedder, Dode Lee, Marcia Potts, Larry Schemmel, Robert Johnson, Joy Conway, Dawn McCarthy, Eleanora Miller, our homebound members and those serving in the military. *(Notify the office of changes)*



FROM THE
CHURCH
OFFICE

Deadline to submit items for the December newsletter is *Monday, November 21st.*

Please send your newsletter items to Keri at gracelutheran@rushmore.com.
Let us send you an email with a link to our newsletter when it's posted to our website.

If you are interested, please send your email address to the office at:
gracelutheran@rushmore.com or call Keri at 347-2713.

Did you know... Our website contains the weekly worship bulletins, monthly newsletter, sermon broadcast, monthly calendar, Council and Committee minutes, and much more. For a printed copy, see the info rack at the entrance of the church.

Check it out at: www.sturgisglc.org.

See special events on Facebook.



Has your address or phone number changed?

Please let Keri know at 347-2713 or e-mail us at gracelutheran@rushmore.com.

WELCA

Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

Thankoffering



Sunday, Nov. 13 Women's Thankoffering

The generous Thankofferings by all women of the church help support the ongoing ministries of the churchwide women's organization, justice and advocacy work, and so much more.

Come celebrate the work of the Grace Lutheran Church Women.



**FALL BACK
SUNDAY
NOV. 6, 2022**

To America's Veterans



Thank You

**Nov. 13th, 2022
Military
Appreciation
Sunday**



**CONGREGATIONAL
MEETING**

The Semi-Annual Congregational Meeting is Nov. 20

Immediately following the service, the 2023 Budget will be presented and a Nominating Committee for church council will be elected.



If you have had a change in your name, mailing address, email, or phone number, please contact Keri in the Church Office at 605-347-2713 or gracelutheran@rushmore.com. This will help in keeping our members connected and our Church database current.

November 6

Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18

Psalm 149

Ephesians 1:11-23

Luke 6:20-31

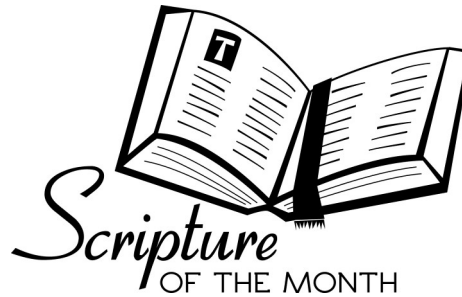
November 13

Malachi 4:1-2a

Psalm 98

2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Luke 21:5-19



November 20

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Psalm 46

Colossians 1:11-20

Luke 23:33-43

November 27

Isaiah 2:1-5

Psalm 122

Romans 13:11-14

Matthew 24:36-44

9 AM SUNDAY WORSHIP RADIO BROADCAST SPONSORS

The radio broadcast calendar for 2022 is posted on the bulletin board in the entryway of the church. You are invited to place your name on the date you wish to sponsor. You may also call the office 347-2713 to reserve a date. The cost per broadcast is \$65. Partial sponsorships are invited and encouraged.

Nov 6 - The Boy family, in memory of Merle Boy.

Nov 13 - In memory of Ray and Peggy Glaeseman.

Nov 20 - In memory of Chris (Bob) & Ruth Mechling's anniversary & in honor of Kris & Rick Little's 15th anniversary.

Nov 27 - Darlene Mullins, in loving memory of Arlie Mullins.

Offering Information

Send your offering to PO Box 577, Sturgis, SD 57785, or drop off at the church in the Cross box outside the Office

To Use Venmo:

1. Scan the QR code with your smartphone.
2. Login or setup your account (first time only).
3. Make your gift.



The Red Bucket Ministry For the 4th Quarter

Camp Scholarships for all 5th Grade Students

Leave a donation in the Red Bucket located in the back of the church and your donation will help send all of our 5th grade students to summer camp at Outlaw Ranch.

Thanksgiving Dinner

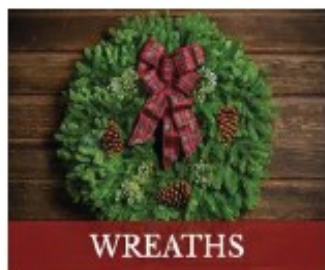


**Sunday November 20,
11:30 a.m.**

The youth group will be hosting the Annual Thanksgiving Dinner for the Seniors of Grace. Anyone 60 years old or older is invited to attend.

**Please RSVP by November 11,
to the church office 605-347-2713.**

GLC Youth Group Fundraiser



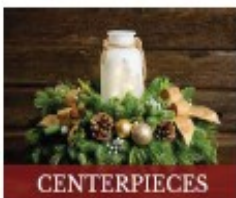
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WE EARN 15%

*Supporting our fundraiser is easy...
Simply decorate your home or send
an elegant evergreen gift!*



FALL



CENTERPIECES



GARLAND

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- 2 Click on a product category or Shop Online
- 3 Choose a Team Member to support (if applicable)
- 4 Click Shop Now to give back 15% of your purchase!



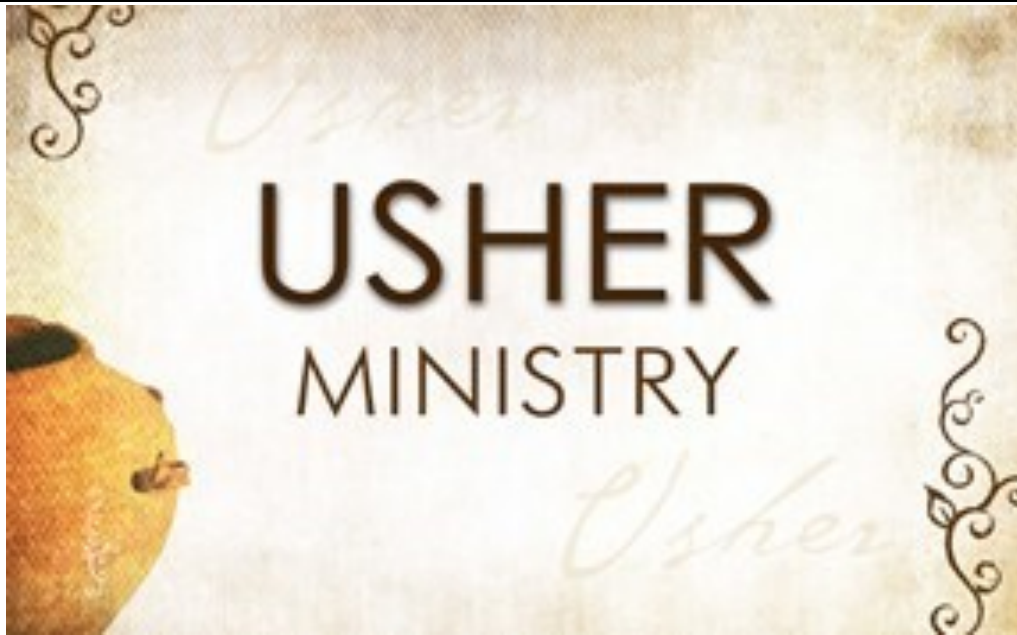
TABLETOP TREES



HOME DECOR

ENTIRE PRODUCT AVAILABILITY ONLINE

PREFER TO ORDER BY PHONE? CALL 1-888-426-0781 AND REFERENCE CAMPAIGN #299591



Grace is in need of Ushers for Sunday Service

We need 4 new ushers on the 1st and 5th Sunday of the month and need 2 additional ushers for the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sundays. If you would be interested, please contact Keri in the Office at 605-347-2713 or gracelutheran@rushmore.com. Below is a sample of the guidelines for ushers and a full list can be found in the church entrance.

GUIDELINES FOR USHERS

GREETING:

Arrive at least 20 minutes prior to the service.

2 ushers welcome the worshipers at the front doors while the other 2 ushers greet worshipers with a bulletin inside. You may usher people to their seats.

WORSHIP SERVICE:

After the service begins, one of the ushers must count the worshipers (including all the children and the worship leaders).

Help with the Offering.

COMMUNION/AFTER SERVICE:

Guide worshippers to the front to take communion.

After the service, pick up any papers/trash left in the pews and put hymnals in their proper place. Place all bibles between the hymnals and in front of the Other Song Book.



Mothers & Daughters Outdoors at Outlaw Ranch October 14-16th, 2022

A weekend for mothers, daughters, aunts and sisters to spend quality time with family in the beautiful Black Hills. **Friday 7:00 p.m. through Sunday 11:00 a.m.** Mothers, daughters, aunts, sisters, grandmothers, and women of all ages gather at Outlaw Ranch in the Black Hills for a weekend of home-cooked meals, relaxing over coffee and crafts, worship and singing, and trying a variety of outdoor activities. We don't check family trees—so you can invite anyone to be your mother, daughter, or sister for the weekend! Activities Include: Canoeing, Hiking, Low ropes course/team building, Games, Horseback riding, Crafts, Worship, Music. **Cost:** Adult: Lodge/Barn - \$118; Cabin - \$99 Child: \$78 To Register visit: <https://www.losd.org/mothers-and-daughters-registration>

Fall 2022 Passionate Quilters

A relaxed weekend of quilting, home-cooked food, making new friends, and sharing creative ideas and expertise.

2022 Fall Quilting Dates (Registrations Available by Season):

Weekend 2: November 11-13: EVENT IS CURRENTLY FULL. Please contact matt@losd.org if this is your only option.

Weekend 3: November 18-20: Two nights, three-day stay beginning Friday morning and ending Sunday afternoon. Meals include Friday dinner, Saturday brunch and dinner, and Sunday brunch. (Add-ons available)

Thursday Night/Sunday Night Add-on

If you would like to come early, stay late, or both, Thursday night and Sunday night add-on options are available. The Thursday night add-on allows you to come in Thursday morning and quilt until Friday morning when the Weekend retreat begins. The Sunday night add-on allows you to stay from Sunday morning until Monday morning.

Cost: Weekend: Lodge/Barn Retreat Center - \$155 Lodge/Barn Retreat Center, \$135 Cabin, \$110 Commuter. *Includes Friday dinner, Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner, and Sunday brunch.*

Add-ons (Choose Thursday and/or Monday, cost is per night): Lodge/Barn Retreat Center - \$55, Cabin - \$45, Commuter - \$35: *Includes dinner, and brunch the next morning*
Register at: <https://www.losd.org/fall-quilt-registration>

Creative Souls Retreat

A weekend to gather to grow in community and creativity.

November 4-6, 2022 Friday 10:00 a.m. through Sunday 2:00 p.m.

Whether you scrapbook, knit, stamp, embroider, draw, make jewelry, or enjoy other crafts and projects, it can be hard to find the time to actually finish something. This retreat offers you the time, space, and fellowship to work on your passions. Bring your own projects and tools and honor your gifts by spending time on them, sharing ideas and techniques, going for a walk in the woods, and meeting new friends. You can stay at Outlaw for the weekend or commute!

Cost: *Includes Friday dinner, Saturday brunch and dinner, and Sunday brunch.* Adults in Barn - \$125 Adults in Cabin - \$106, Commuter - (no overnight stay) - \$9

FALL/WINTER 2022/2023 PLANNED GENEROSITY PROMOS September 25-February 26

(NOTE: Most of these pieces are not date-specific and may be used whenever time and space permit.)



NOVEMBER 6: **Winners and Losers.** When you sell taxable assets (stocks, bonds, farm machinery, grain or real estate) with a Give it Twice Trust, you'll win with a tax-free sale, lifetime income for you and/or your spouse, and income for your children after you're gone. The ministries you name as ultimate beneficiaries also win. The only loser is the IRS! Don't miss the opportunity to take advantage of these tools and the services offered by Lutheran Planned Generosity (605.274.5030 or www.lpgsd.org).

NOVEMBER 13: **Pass it on.** Would you like to know that your faithful support for the work of insert name of church/ministry will continue after you're gone? With intentional planning, it's possible to create an endowment that will make gifts each year, memorializing your faith and your family's legacy. Contact Lutheran Planned Generosity of South Dakota at 605.274.5030 or lpgsd@sdsynod.org for ideas and information. *Your life can make a difference.*

NOVEMBER 20: **Thank you!** If you haven't heard it lately, listen up. "THANK YOU!" The gifts you share with this congregation matter. Whether your invaluable time, your unique talents or your generous financial support, never forget that you are appreciated and we couldn't do what we do without the blessings God shares through you. *Your life makes a difference!*

NOVEMBER 27: **Can you imagine?** It's a guessing game, and numbers vary, but many experts state that if everyone made a gift to their local congregation as a part of their legacy plan (anywhere between 2.5% and 10%), there would never be a need to pass an offering plate. Can you imagine? Lutheran Planned Generosity of South Dakota is a free service provided by the SD Synod and ELCA ministry partners across the state to help you create an estate plan honoring your faith and supporting your family. Visit www.lpgsd.org for more information.

DECEMBER 4: **A gift to last a lifetime.** When you give your family the gift of a carefully thought out estate plan, your gift is more than the assets you leave behind. It's peace of mind, it's preservation of relationships, and it can be a testament to your faith and values. An envelope containing your promise to make that plan might be the most valuable gift you give this year! Lutheran Planned Generosity of South Dakota can help you walk through the process. Call 605.274.5030 or email lpgsd@sdsynod.org for more information.

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November

BIRTHDAYS

1 Lorayne Schaefer
Levi Sjomeling
Breanna Shoun

2 Brennen Aldren

3 Allan Weidenbach

4 Tessa Gunderson

5 Tim Atyeo

6 Arvid Meland
Rosalie Wolf

7 Kainoa Pua
Allen Hemmah

8 Michael Erion
Teddy Sigman
Keegan Wilcox

9 Deb Haivala
Kathy O'Dea

10 Zachary Bergman
James Heinert
Morgan Myers

11 Clay Lange

12 Darla DeKraai

14 Dale Kreutz
Kaitlin Haier

15 Garland Dobler
Lydia Gibson

16 Lynelle Chapman

17 Jan Weimer

19 Cole Hemmah
Heather Kreutz
Tenlee Koontz

20 Grant Rush

24 Todd Collins

26 Vivian Herbst
Jeff Ward

27 Cathrine Selting

29 Pete Wilson



November

ANNIVERSARIES

19 Kevin & Maria Alejandra (Alex) Boy

21 Rick & Kris Little

22 John & Eileen Raforth

23 Pete & Mikayla Wilson

26 Bill & Sandy Molitor

Grace Lutheran News and Events

November 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 8:30 am Quilters	3	4	5 
6 Confirmation 9:00 am Worship (HC) with Pastor Neugebauer 10:00 am Confirmation Reception 10:00 am Journey with Jesus 10:30 Choir 	7	8  7:00 pm GLCW Meeting	9 8:30 am Quilters 5 pm Kids Alive 5:30 pm WNL Supper 6:30 pm HS Youth 6:30 pm WNL Service	10 5:30 pm Council Meeting	11 	12
13 GLCW Thankoffering 9:00 am Worship with Pastor Neugebauer 10:00 am Thank You Breakfast for Pastor Neugebauer 10:00 am Journey with Jesus 10:30 Choir	14	15 5:30 pm Worship Meeting	16 8:30 am Quilters 5 pm Kids Alive 5:30 pm WNL Supper 6:30 pm HS Youth 6:30 pm WNL Service	17	18	19
20 9:00 am Worship (HC) with Pastor Neugebauer 10:00 am Semi-Annual Congregational Mtg. 10:30 Christmas Decorating 10:30 Choir 11:30 Thanksgiving Meal	21 Newsletter Deadline	22 GLCW Circles 1:30 pm Martha/ Rachel Circle 7 pm Mary Circle	23 8:30 am Quilters	24 Office Closed 	25 Office Closed	26
27 9:00 am Worship with Pastor Steiner 10:00 am Coffee Hour 10:00 am Journey with Jesus 10:30 Choir	28	29	30 8:30 am Quilters 5 pm Kids Alive 5:30 pm WNL Supper 6:30 pm HS Youth 6:30 pm WNL Service			