

Grace Lutheran Church - Fremont, Ohio

# Grace and Truth

October 2016

## Fall Happenings...

Mark your Calendar for  
Saturday, October 1 to participate in  
**LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR DAY!**



Women's  
Fall Brunch

Saturday, October 8



Hymn Fest 2016

Sunday, October 30, 2016 - 6:30 p.m. - St. Joseph's Church

REFORMATION SUNDAY

# Upcoming Events

**EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**, 3557 W. St. Rt 20, Hessville, will be celebrating their 175th Anniversary on **Sunday, Oct. 2 at the 10 a.m.** worship. We would be honored if you would attend. A luncheon will follow the worship.

**NEW MEMBERS** will be received on **Sunday, Oct. 2.** Please join us as we welcome them into the family of Grace Lutheran Church.

## LADIES FALL BRUNCH

Ladies, mark your calendars for **Saturday, Oct. 8** for the Ladies Fall Brunch. Brunch will be served at 10 a.m. followed by our guest speaker, Alisa Florio. Alisa is a face you will recognize from our community. She owns her own business, is an artist and now author! She will discuss what her life was like before knowing Jesus. While battling cancer, experiencing divorce, and watching loved one deal with mental illness and addiction, Alisa feared she was at her breaking point. It was at this point that she opened her heart to Jesus and now wears His armor everyday. Please save your spot for this incredible morning by calling the church office at 419-332-1558, by October 5.

**GRACE FELLOWSHIP** will meet at Bethany Place on **Tuesday, Oct. 11 at 2 p.m.** for an afternoon of fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there.

## BISHOP'S FALL CONFERENCE

The Northwest Ohio Synod invites and encourages you to attend the Fall Conference meeting on Tuesday, October 18 at St. Peter, 243 Benedict, Norwalk. Please RSVP by October 11 to Jennifer Prueter by phone, at 419-423-3664, or by email at [jennifer.prueter@nwos-elca.org](mailto:jennifer.prueter@nwos-elca.org)

## PRAYER SHAWL BLESSING SERVICE:

It's time to start bringing in the prayers shawls you have been working on. We will have a prayer shawl blessing at each service the weekend of **October 22 & 23.** You are welcome to start bringing your prayer shawls to the church office anytime. Then that weekend we will drape them over the pews and give thanks to God for the healing found in the work of your hands.

## VETERANS THANK YOU DINNER

On **November 6 at 11:15 a.m.** following the late service we will honor those here at Grace who have served our country in the armed forces. Please mark your calendars and turn in the form included in your newsletter.

## GRACE BOOKWORMS

During the September meeting the group met to discuss *The Martian* by Andy Weir. They will begin reading the book *Boston Girl* by Anita Diamant and meet to discuss this book in November. Anyone interested in participating is welcome to buy a copy of the book and join us to discuss it. For more information please call the church office.

## REFORMATION SUNDAY - OCTOBER 30

We invite you to **wear red** on this Sunday as we celebrate Reformation Sunday - the anniversary of the day that Martin Luther nailed the "95 Theses" to the castle church door in Wittenberg, Germany.

## 125<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Preparations are under way for Grace's 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. All former pastors and associate pastors will be invited to join us on September 17, 2017. Pr. Joel Remmers will be our preacher for the day.

## THANK YOU NOTES

Thank you to the following individuals and business that donated items for the Hat Box Auction: 818 Club, Arby's, Beck Suppliers, Bella Cuisine, Comfort Inn & Suites, Dairy Queen East, Foster Auto Body, Fremont Batting Range, Fremont Recreation Center, Frisch's Big Boy, Grund Drug, Jan Harris, Hal and Diane Hawk, Heather Hawn, Hayes Presidential Center, Jazzercise, Jimmy John's, Kirwen's Supermarket, Lee's Famous Recipe Chicken, Maui Sands Indoor Waterpark, Al & Kathy Mehlow, Miller Ferry, Paramount Cinema, Ritz Theatre, Sleepy Hollow Golf Course, Taco Bell, Wendy's Restaurants and Whirlpool. Thank you to all of the individuals who helped support the Hat Box Auction by buying Tickets! Winners were drawn after the 10:00 worship on Sunday, September 18. Thank you to Karina Seem for drawing each of the winning tickets, and here are the winners!

Gift Box #1 "Crafting" - Al Mehlow  
Gift Box #2 "Taste of Italy" - Joyce Wickert  
Gift Box #3 "Day at the Beach" - Briallen Reau  
Gift Box #4 "Night Away" - Alicia Klohn  
Gift Box #5 "Sweetest Day" - Al Mehlow  
Gift Box #6 "Fun & Fitness" - Natalie Wilfong  
Gift Box #7 "Card Creations" - Michele Klohn  
Gift Box #8 "Day Tripping" - Jan Harris  
Gift Box #9 "Gift Card Tree" -  
Larry & Judy Overmyer

*Congratulations to these  
"Hat Box" Auction winners!*

The flowers that were delivered were beautiful and brightened my room. I would like to give a big "thank you" to you all.

Sincerely,  
June Valent

We would like to thank Kathy Burmeister for the delicious chicken noodle soup and very enjoyable visit. Also, thanks to those that sent cards of sympathy for the loss of Bob's Uncle Carl Hese-man.

Bob & Joyce Wickert

## Bible Studies

**PASTOR'S SUNDAY AND MONDAY BIBLE STUDIES** are continuing their year-long study based on the book *Introducing the New Testament: A Historical, Literary, and Theological Survey* by Mark Allen Powell. The group meets on Sundays at 9 a.m. in the dining room and on Mondays at 1 p.m. in the lounge.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL WITH MAUREEN

This class has moved to the conference room and is studying current events. This is a casual setting with lively conversation. Please join us to share your voice and point of view!

**MAUREEN'S TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY GROUP** is studying the book of James each Tuesday at 1:15 p.m. in the lounge.

**SLAM** (Scripture, Life And Me) meets each **Wednesday from 6:15 - 7:15 p.m.** in the large Sunday School. We are currently kicking off a year of prayer by doing a study based on the movie, *War Room*.

### CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

*"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another" Proverbs 27:17*

This group will be of men helping each other by: learning about Christian values through Bible study, exchanging ideas, sharing concerns and thoughts, and offering support. The group will meet every other week at Grace at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays. For more information contact Les Widmer, 419-341-1850, or Jim Scranton, 419-680-2877.

### THANK YOU TO THE USHERS & GREETERS

who came to the brunch on September 11. There were 26 people there and they enjoyed a delicious brunch and great conversation.

# Council Minutes September 12, 2016

September 12, 2016

- 125th Anniversary - September 17, 2017 - Pr. Joel Remmers will be guest preacher
- **Budget Hearing/Congregational Meeting - Sunday, November 13 at 11:15 a.m.**
- Approved - one worship service on Christmas Day (Sunday) to be held at Grace
- Approved - one worship service on New Year's Day (Sunday) to be held at St. John's
- Stewardship - planning for all-member campaign is underway
- Camino de Vida will be housed at Share & Care
- LIFT update - the search continues for a senior pastor for St. John's
- Veteran's appreciation dinner to be held Sunday, November 6 at 11:15 a.m.
- Trunk or Treat - Sunday, October 23 at 5pm in church parking lot

### FINANCIAL REPORT

General Fund  
As of AUGUST 2016

	<u>2016 Actual</u>	<u>2016 Budget</u>	<u>2015 Actual</u>
Year to date receipts:	307,040	310,726	304,142
Year to date expenses:	<u>317,542</u>	<u>334,984</u>	<u>314,577</u>
Receipts less expenses:	(10,502)	(24,258)	(10,435)

Respectfully submitted,  
Bill Armstrong  
Financial Assistant

### *A Note from your Church Council...*

Holy Communion or the Lord's Supper is a sacrament instituted by Jesus Christ. The elements (bread & wine) are consecrated on an altar or communion table. We believe that the true body and blood of Christ are present "in, with, and under" the bread and wine.

The manner of receiving the Eucharist differs in the world. Throughout the history of Grace Lutheran Church, we have practiced a variety of distribution methods: at the altar, from the sanctuary floor, intinction, private communion at homes and hospitals, and even at outdoor worship.

God is with us through the word and elements of bread and wine. Whether we offer Holy Communion in church, in fox holes, or at a traffic accident, God comes to us.

Starting on Sunday, October 2, we will be having Holy Communion on the floor like we do at the Saturday evening service and 10:00 Sunday service. We are doing this for several reasons:

1. God is with us no matter where we take Holy Communion.
2. For the safety of our members, we will no longer require them to climb the stairs.

Please be patient with us as we begin to try this new method of distribution. May we celebrate the gifts given to us by a loving God.

Grace and peace,  
John Avers, President  
Pastor Jody Rice

# in **YOUTH** **Action**

## Preschoolers - Fifth Grade

### **SPIRIT**

All Wednesday evening Spirit activities are in full swing! The evening starts with a meal at 5 p.m., Kid's Club and Little Lambs at 5:30 p.m., SLAM and Children's Choirs from 6:15 - 7:15 p.m., and confirmation from 7:15 - 8:30 p.m. A staffed nursery is also available for the evening beginning at 6 p.m. There is something for everyone ... infants through adults! All children first grade and up are invited to the auditorium from 5:30 - 6:10 p.m. to learn about the Superheroes of the Bible. Join us as we learn about David, Daniel, Joshua and more through skits, object lessons and crazy science experiments!

**THE SCHOOL UNIFORM ROOM** has changed locations! The Uniform Room is now located in the activities office, which is located in the Sunday school hallway, right next to the elevator. The room is open Monday - Friday from 10 a.m. - noon and on Sunday mornings. Please feel free to take what you need and drop off what your children have outgrown.

**ATTENTION PARENTS** - as the children's events and activities start for the new school year, please remember to walk your child into the building to their appropriate activity. Then when activities are wrapping up please come in to pick your child up from their activity. Your child's safety is a top priority, so no child will be permitted to leave the building and meet you outside. Thank you!

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR TRUNK-OR-TREAT** on *Sunday, October 23 at 5 p.m.*! Each year the event has grown and last year we had over 75 people attend! Lots of help is needed this year, as we anticipate an even larger number of people attending. If you are able to spare a couple of hours to volunteer, please let Stacey Reau know in the office. Help is needed with the children's games, costume judging contest and preparing and serving the hot dog meal. The time commitment would be from 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. Thank you in advance!



## **TRUNK - OR - TREAT**

Sunday, October 23 at 5 p.m.  
Grace Lutheran Church ~ Parking Lot  
705 W. State St., Fremont



It's the ultimate treat. . . Come together as a family and construct a Halloween-inspired theme in the trunk of your car. Then gather with other families in the parking lot and let the kids trick-or-treat from trunk to trunk in a protected and entertaining environment!

**Please bring along your own candy to pass out to the kids!**

There will also be games for the kids to play, a free hot dog supper, costume judging contest and most creative trunk contest! Prizes will be awarded!



# County Fair Results



Congratulations to all of our Grace Lutheran Family Fair Participants!  
Thank you to all those who submitted their final fair results.

Grace Ball - 2nd in class Dairy Beef Feeder  
 Travis Bowlus - Multiple ribbons and honors in photography  
 Veronica Bowlus - Best of Show Photography Multiple ribbons and honors in photography  
 Brogan Biller - 3rd place Lightening McQueen Car Collection  
 Briana Fraley - "A" rating on a Market Hog  
 Christy Fitzpatrick - 4th place in the Halter Horse category with horse Beau  
 Clair Fitzpatrick - 2nd place in Horse Showmanship 3rd place in Halter Horse category with horse Betty White  
 Madison Hawn - 1st place in Walk Trot Trail with horse Nora  
 1st place in Walk Trot Pony with horse Nora  
 Jaidyn Harris - 1st place Button Crafts  
 2nd place sewing  
 Honorable Mention in Marshmallow Creations  
 2nd Pastel Artwork  
 2nd place in Tempera Paints  
 1st place in Felt Tip Marker Art  
 Lexi Harris - Participation Ribbon in Cookies in a Jar

Cydne' Jess - 2016-17 Sandusky County Fair Pork Princess  
 1st place General Livestock Competition  
 Honorable Mention in Decorated Cupcakes  
 2nd place in Pictures  
 2nd place with FFA Collection  
 Alicia Klohn - 2016-17 Sandusky County Fair Queen  
 Emmersyn Pump - 2nd place Lead Line for Horses  
 Briallen Reau - 4th place Pee-Wee Goat Showmanship  
 Brooklyn Reau - Reserve Grand Champion Pee-Wee Goat Showmanship  
 Paige Russell - 2nd place Pastel Chalk  
 Honorable Mention in Visors  
 Honorable Mention in Can Coozie Decorating  
 3rd place in Rice Krispie Treats  
 1st place in Photography  
 2nd place in Photography  
 Pamela Russell - Honorable Mention in Ceramics  
 Honorable Mention in Visors  
 Honorable Mention in Can Coozie Decorating  
 3rd place in Rice Krispie Treats  
 Tanya Schardt - Four 1st place finishes in Photography  
 Three 3rd place finishes in Photography  
 Two Honorable Mentions in Photography  
 2nd place in Metal Sculpture  
 1st place Knitted Guest Towel and Washcloth  
 Two 1st place finishes in Ceramics  
 1st place for Horse Collection

## Middle & High School

### 5TH QUARTER

All Middle & High School Youth are invited to the youth room at St. John's, 212 N. Clover St. after the Fremont Ross home football games **Oct. 7 & 28** from 9:30 - 11:30 p.m. for food, fun, games, and music. Please enter through the back door. Bring your friends!

### BRONDOS MISSIONARY NEWS

Keep up with the latest happening from our missionary, Pr. David Brondos by visiting [www.sites.google.com/site/dbrondos](http://www.sites.google.com/site/dbrondos) or via email at [david.brondos@elca.org](mailto:david.brondos@elca.org)

### SNOW EMERGENCY POLICY

**AS WINTER WEATHER APPROACHES**, please keep in mind our Snow Emergency Policy –

#### When Fremont City Schools are closed

- ALL YOUTH ACTIVITIES at Grace are cancelled
- Soup Kitchen is cancelled.
- **LEVEL 2** – Please use your own judgement; we want you to be safe.
- **LEVEL 3** – WORSHIP CANCELLED; church office closed.

*...from Pastor Scott*

**When things in your life seem almost too much to handle, when 24 hours in a day are not enough, remember the mayonnaise jar ... and the coffee...**

A professor stood before his philosophy class with some items in front of him. When the class began, he picked up a very large and empty mayonnaise jar, and began to fill it with **golf balls**. He then asked the students if the jar was full, and they agreed that it was.



The professor then picked up a box of **pebbles** and poured them into the jar. He shook the jar lightly. The pebbles rolled into the open areas between the golf balls. He asked the students again if the jar was full. They agreed it was.

The professor next picked up a box of **sand** and poured it into the jar. Of course, the sand filled up everything else. He asked once more if the jar was full. The students responded with a unanimous, yes.

The professor then produced **two cups of coffee** from under the table and poured the entire contents into the jar, effectively filling the empty space between the sand. The students laughed.

“Now,” said the professor as the laughter subsided, “I want you to recognize that this jar represents your life. The golf balls are the important things; God, family, your children, your health, your friends, and your favorite passions - things that if everything else was lost and only they remained, your life would still be full. The pebbles are the other things that matter like your job, your house, and your car. The sand is everything else - the small stuff.

“If you put the sand into the jar first,” he continued, “there is no room for the pebbles or the golf balls. The same goes for life. If you spend all your time and energy on the small stuff, you will never have room for the things that are important to you. Pay attention to the things that are critical to your happiness. Play with your children. Take time to get medical checkups. Take your partner out to dinner. Play another 18. There will always be time to clean the house or fix the disposal. Take care of the golf balls first, the things that really matter. Set your priorities. The rest is just sand.”

One of the students raised her hand and inquired what the coffee represented. The professor smiled.

“I’m glad you asked. It just goes to show you that no matter how full your life may seem, there’s always room for a couple of cups of coffee with a friend.”



A Letter from the Interns:

We would like to thank everyone for welcoming us into your churches, and allowing us to spend time with your children. This summer has been a blast and has allowed us to experience the many aspects it takes to run the youth programs through LIFT.

This summer we were able to lots of ministry through VBS, LOMO Camps, Parents Night Out, and the Children's Sermons with the LIFT churches. We would like to inform you of some of the highlights of these events.

**VBS**

- 95 children total
- We reached out to 10 neighborhood kids
- Pete the Pig was a huge hit
- Several participants attended both
- Thank you to everyone who donated or helped at either location

**Lutheran Outdoor Ministries of Ohio (LOMO)**

- 35 children total
- Several children who attended VBS came along with a few new children
- The children had a blast interacting with the LOMO counselors
- Imagination Station, Ballville and Sandusky Township Fire Departments did presentations
- Thank you to everyone who donated or helped at either location

**Parents Night Out**

- 11 children
- Dinner and snack were served
- The night consisted of games and movies
- Great opportunity to bond with the youth
- Thank you for allowing us to get to know your children!

Along with these programs we were able to take part in a LIFT breakfast retreat, help out at Share & Care, prepare for the School Supply Giveaways, gave children's sermons at St. Mark, Grace and St. John's, prepared and informational center piece about LIFT for the Bishop's Installation and attended, and help out with the Ice Cream Socials at Faith, St. John's and St. Mark.

All of the children had a great time at all of the events. We are so thankful to have had this opportunity, and are glad we were a part of this learning experience with the LIFT churches.

Thank you, Becca, Jessica, Aaron and David

**LIFT NOTES**

Love Your Neighbor Day is fast approaching on October 1. We will gather at Hayes Memorial UMC at 7:30 a.m. to obtain or work assignments, and to participate in a very short commissioning service. To date we have 51 projects and only 81 volunteers. LIFT is still accepting volunteer forms, so please join us if you are able. This is a good opportunity for the confirmation class to get service hours. Lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m. for volunteers and homeowners at Hayes following the work day.

God Loves You And So Do I (GLYASDI)  
Pastor Scott





**WHAT:** Hymn Fest 2016

**WHO:** All churches and everyone who loves to sing!

**WHEN:** Concert on Sunday, Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM

**WHERE:** St. Joseph's Catholic Church (they have graciously offered their sanctuary!)

We are inviting everyone to come and participate in our joint singing of our Hymn Fest 2016.

Dr. Michael Shirtz of Terra Community College will be our director! We will have a mass rehearsal on Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm. We will ask that everyone wear black slacks and white shirts/blouses. All music will be provided. Please let us know if your church would like some music...we will deliver to your church/office/etc.!

Here is the schedule:

- 2:30-4:30** Choral Rehearsal
- 4:30** Dinner in Social Hall
- 6:00** Time with Choir and Michael-Social Hall
- 6:30** Great Hymns of Faith Concert
- 7:30** Reception for everyone

We will have many rehearsals before Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>. If anyone would like to join into one of these, please notify Grace Lutheran at 419-332-1558.

## LOCAL MISSIONS

**THE NEXT FOOD PANTRY CHALLENGE** will be held the weekend of *October 15 & 16*. Let's see how full we can fill our carts with canned tuna and canned vegetables.

**NOISY OFFERING UPDATE:** Thanks to your generous donations during the Noisy Offering we collected \$217.79 in September. The next Noisy Offering will be collected the weekend of *October 1 & 2*. The offering for the third quarter was donated to the Women of the Church to help with the cost of shipping the quilts and kits that they make to send to other countries in need. Christian Missions and Outreach will choose a mission for the last quarter of the year during their September meeting.

**QUARTERLY NEWS FROM THE GRACE LUTHERAN ENDOWMENT BOARD**

The Grace Lutheran Endowment Board met recently to review the second quarter 2016 investment and spending report. There were disbursements of \$23,5958.56. Investment return was \$13,878.37. The value of the fund as of June, 30 2016 was \$1,068,266.19.

The GLC Endowment Fund was created to accept gifts to Grace Lutheran Church. These gifts are tax deductible. The principal from these gifts are perpetually maintained in the fund. A predetermined percentage of the investment return is available for Christian stewardship.

Contributions to the GLC Endowment Fund allow all of us to share in God's blessings to us. Please remember the Endowment Fund when you want to share your blessings whether it be an outright gift or when you are making estate planning decisions. Any Endowment Board member or Pastor Jody can answer any questions on how you can share your blessings.



**ATTENTION:  
VETERANS**

We want to invite you, and a guest  
to our Veterans' Day Brunch on

**November 6, 2016 at 11:15 a.m.**

Please fill out the form below and  
bring it to the church office or  
drop it in the offering plate.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch of the military? \_\_\_\_\_

How many guests will be attending?  
\_\_\_\_\_

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

*Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating 75 years and more!*

October 1	Samuel Otermat	880 Co. Rd. 99
October 4	George Gibson	916 North St., Apt. 1
October 5	Lyle Smith	121 Norbert Dr.
October 9	Thomas Savage	10 Tracy Lane
October 9	Terrance Shanahan	39 Linda Dr.
October 10	Lorraine Crawford	1883 Morrison Rd.
October 11	Ruth Druckenmiller	175 Thomas Dr., Apt. 2
October 15	Kenneth Klohn	1740 Co. Rd. 229
October 15	Elizabeth Parsons	1402 White Ave.
October 16	Carolyn Smith	15 Westwood Dr.
October 22	Donna Imler	1865 Countryside Drive, Rm. 237
October 23	Sandra Weickert	318 E. Co. Rd. 89
October 25	Robert Wickert	2375 McGormley Rd.
October 27	Eugene Dierksheide	16 Linda Dr.
October 28	Nancy Stoner	2317 Buckland Ave.
October 28	Robert Zilles	1232 Clinton St.
October 31	Edwin Mitchell	1300 Croghan St.



**DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER  
ARTICLES IS WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12.**

**The newsletter will be assembled on  
Thursday, October 20.**

*With Sympathy*

*Dale Shimer*

**ALTAR GUILD - OCTOBER**



Dan & Jan Linder

Take some time to check out what's new in our  
Church Library ... from **CRAZY TALK**



**Incarnation:** The out-of-this world notion that the eternal and infinite God came down to this Earth in the finite and first century Jesus of Nazareth.

**Interpretation:** The act of reading, learning, seeing, hearing, absorbing or understanding anything in this world, including scripture.

**Baptism**

**September 18 - Adele Antoinette Zieber,**  
daughter of Jarrette & Alisa  
(Lorentz) Zieber.

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**Worship Services**

Saturday 5:00pm - Traditional Worship  
Sunday 7:45am - Liturgical Worship  
9:00am - Christian Education  
10:00am - Celebration Worship/  
Holy Communion


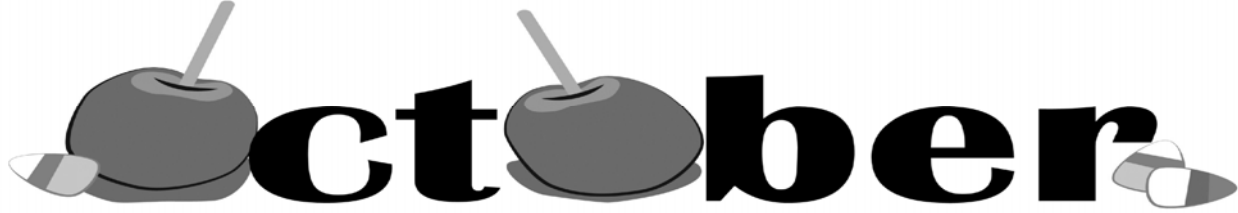


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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>2</b></p> <p><b>NOISY OFFERING RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS</b></p> <p>7:45 Worship/Communion/Mission Moment 8:55 Senior Choir 9:00 Christian Education 10:00 Celebration Worship/Communion</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>3</b></p> <p>9:00 Project Day</p> <p>1:00 Bible Study - Lounge</p> <p>7:00 Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>4</b></p> <p>1:15 Bible Study - Lounge</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>5</b></p> <p>5:00 Spirit Meal 5:30 Kid's Clubs 6:15 Kid's Choirs/Study Hall 6:15 SLAM 7:00 Men's Bible Study - Conference Room 7:15 Confirmation 7:15 Bell Choir</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>6</b></p> <p>11:30 Soup Kitchen</p> <p>1:15 LIFT Evangelism Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>7</b></p> <p>5:00 Wedding Rehearsal</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>1</b></p> <p><b>LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR DAY</b> 5:00 Worship/Communion/Noisy Offering</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>8</b></p> <p>10 - Noon Ladies Fall Brunch 1:30 Stacy/Szymanowski Wedding 5:00 Worship/Communion</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>9</b></p> <p>7:45 Worship/Communion 8:55 Senior Choir Practice 9:00 Christian Education 10:00 Celebration Worship/Communion/Baptism</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>10</b></p> <p>9:00 MOPS</p> <p>1:00 Bible Study Lounge</p> <p>7:00 Scouts</p> <p>7:00 Church Council Devotions 7:15 Standing Committees 8:00 Church Council</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>11</b></p> <p>1:15 Bible Study - Lounge</p> <p>2:00 Grace Fellowship meet at Bethany Place</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>12</b></p> <p><b>G &amp; T DEADLINE</b></p> <p>5:00 Spirit Meal 5:30 Kid's Clubs 6:15 Kid's Choirs/Study Hall 6:15 SLAM 7:15 Confirmation 7:15 Bell Choir</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>13</b></p> <p>11:30 Soup Kitchen</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>14</b></p> <p>5:00 Wedding Rehearsal 6:00 Wedding Rehearsal</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>15</b></p> <p>2:00 Ratliff/Ellis Wedding</p> <p>5:00 Worship/Communion/Billings/Williams Wedding</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>16</b></p> <p><b>FOOD PANTRY CHALLENGE</b> <i>(tuna &amp; vegetables)</i></p> <p>7:45 Worship/Communion 8:55 Senior Choir Practice 9:00 Christian Education 10:00 Celebration Worship/Communion</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>17</b></p> <p>9:00 Project Day</p> <p>1:00 Bible Study-Lounge</p> <p>7:00 Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>18</b></p> <p>1:15 Bible Study - Lounge</p> <p>2:30 Joy Circle - Dining Room</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>19</b></p> <p>5:00 Spirit Meal 5:30 Kid's Clubs 6:15 Kid's Choirs 6:15 SLAM 7:00 Men's Bible Study - Conference Room 7:15 Confirmation 7:15 Bell Choir</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>20</b></p> <p><b>G &amp; T ASSEMBLED</b></p> <p>11:30 Soup Kitchen</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>21</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>22</b></p> <p>5:00 Worship/Communion/Prayer Shawl Blessing</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>23</b></p> <p><b>PRAYER SHAWL BLESSING</b></p> <p>7:45 Worship/Communion 8:55 Senior Choir Practice 9:00 Christian Education 10:00 Celebration Worship/Communion 5:00 Trunk or Treat Parking Lot</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>24</b></p> <p>9:00 MOPS - Kitchen</p> <p>1:00 Bible Study - Lounge</p> <p>7:00 GLCW Board Meeting - Lounge 7:00 Scouts</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>25</b></p> <p>1:15 Bible Study - Lounge</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>26</b></p> <p>5:00 Spirit Meal 5:30 Kid's Clubs 6:15 Kid's Choirs 6:15 SLAM 7:15 Confirmation 7:15 Bell Choir</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>27</b></p> <p>11:30 Soup Kitchen</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>28</b></p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>29</b></p> <p>5:00 Worship/Communion</p>
<p style="text-align: right;"><b>30</b></p> <p><b>REFORMATION SUNDAY</b></p> <p>7:45 Worship/Communion 8:55 Senior Choir Practice 9:00 Christian Education 10:00 Celebration Worship/Communion 6:30 Hymn Fest at St. Joseph</p>	<p style="text-align: right;"><b>31</b></p> <p>1:00 Bible Study - Lounge</p> <p>7:00 Scouts</p> 					<p style="text-align: right;"><b>2016</b></p>



# OCTOBER



## GREETERS

### October 2, 16 & 30

7:45 - J. & J. Lajti (Front)  
C. Paeth (Baptistry)  
S. Myers (Chapel)

10:00 - W. & A. Lamson (Front)  
J. Overmyer (Baptistry)  
T. McElfresh (Chapel)

### October 9 & 23

7:45 - D. & C. Polter (Front)  
J. Guthrie (Baptistry)  
J. Gangwer (Chapel)

10:00 - RaeAnn & Levi Cooper (Front)  
L. Halm (Baptistry)  
J. Long (Chapel)

## USHERS

### October 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

7:45 - D. Knepper  
K. Klohn  
B. Zilles  
J. Dupey

### October 2, 16 & 30

10:00 - C. Amor  
L. McElfresh  
M. Dabrunz  
D. Curliss

### October 9 & 23

10:00 - D. Cooper  
M. Mullholand  
D. & S. Burmeister

## OCTOBER 2

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - M. Dupey  
10:00 - B. Fraley, I. Fraley  
DEACONS: 7:45 - B. Seibert, A. Klohn, M. Spriggs, B. Klohn  
10:00 - M. Billings, J. Serwin  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: 10:00 - L. & J. Overmyer, L. Stewart, L. Wadsworth  
SOUND SYSTEM: D. Pump (5:00), G. Dupey (7:45), M. Dupey (10:00)

## OCTOBER 9

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - R. Dabrunz  
10:00 - R. & C. Overmyer  
DEACONS: 7:45 - R. House, M. Spriggs, H. Aspacher, J. Damschroder  
10:00 - C. Amor, D. Linder  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: 10:00 - S. Brickner, McElfresh Family  
SOUND SYSTEM: D. Pump (5:00), J. Oliver (7:45), R. Hawn (10:00)

## OCTOBER 16

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - M. Dupey  
10:00 - C. Wiersma, I. McElfresh  
DEACONS: 7:45 - K. Lindsay, D. Burmeister, A. Klohn, B. Klohn  
10:00 - B. Prasuhn, J. Serwin  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: 10:00 - E. & B. Muffler, C. & J. Star  
SOUND SYSTEM: N. Mayer (5:00), L. Klohn (7:45), D. Prasuhn (10:00)

## OCTOBER 23

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - A. Klohn  
10:00 - B. Gedeon, T. Bowlus  
DEACONS: 7:45 - M. Spriggs, H. Aspacher, B. Seibert, J. Damschroder  
10:00 - C. Amor, M. Billings  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: 10:00 - Wiersma Family  
SOUND SYSTEM: D. Pump (5:00), G. Dupey (7:45), E. Muffler (10:00)

## OCTOBER 30

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - L. & R. Reau  
10:00 - G. Gallagher, C. Durrell  
DEACONS: 7:45 - K. Lindsey, D. Burmeister, J. Scranton, B. Klohn  
10:00 - D. Linder, B. Prasuhn  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: 10:00 - T. & C. Troxel, F. Keller, L. Merrill  
SOUND SYSTEM: N. Mayer (5:00), J. Oliver (7:45), T. Wiersma (10:00)

## NOVEMBER 6

ACOLYTES: 7:45 - G. Ball  
10:00 - C. Jess, I. Fraley  
DEACONS: 7:45 - R. House, M. Spriggs, B. Seibert, K. Lindsey  
10:00 - G. Jess, M. Billings  
COMMUNION ASSTS.: Gedeon Family  
SOUND SYSTEM: D. Pump (5:00), L. Klohn (7:45), M. Dupey (10:00)