

Articles for the October newsletter are due by noon on September 25th.

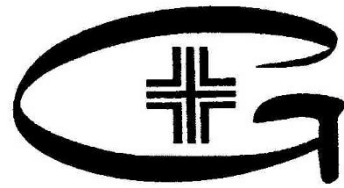
Have news? Hosting a church event? Helping the community? Get the word out and put it in the Grace Notes! All submissions are due by noon, the Tuesday before!

**Faith Mission** We are serving at Faith Mission on Tuesday, the 25th. Please see the kiosk to sign up for food/supplies, or to volunteer to serve. Questions? See Bonnie.

If you attend a church event and take pictures, please send a few to the secretary (office@gracecolumbus.com) to be posted on Facebook and on our website. Thanks!



**JOSEPH'S COAT:** On the kiosk, is a pamphlet from Joseph's Coat of Central Ohio. They are asking that while you are cleaning out closets, basements and storage lockers, please remember those who are in need. This organization needs items like: clothes, shoes, beds, mattresses, blankets, sheets, and furniture including tables, chairs, lamps, couches. They also accept large appliances like stoves, refrigerators, washers and dryers, and small appliances like microwave ovens, coffee pots, toasters, crock pots, as well as kitchen necessities, such as pots, pans, dishes and silverware. There are addresses to drop off donations, or call 614-863-1371 if you have something large to contribute.



**Grace Notes**   
**Grace Lutheran Church**  
Pastor Robert Heinlein September 16, 2018

We live in a world that is increasingly busy and noisy. Worship is a time in which we deliberately slow down and become quiet in order to hear the voice of God. **When the organ prelude begins, it is a sign for us to begin preparing for worship. Please turn off all electronic devices and sit quietly and pray.** Food and beverages in the Sanctuary should be limited to the needs of small children.

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS**

**September 16, 2018 Worship at 11:00am**

**Organist:** Karen Jackson  
**Asst. Minister:** Debbie Kelley  
**Lector:** Gary Bohrer  
**Ushers:** Joe Biri & Craig Norman  
**Altar:** Debbie Kelley, Athena Kelley, & Judi Layman  
**Greeters:** Mary Lapham & Ann Biri

**September 23, 2018 Worship at 11:00am**

**Organist:** Karen Jackson  
**Asst. Minister:** Debbie Kelley  
**Lector:** Doug Jackson  
**Ushers:** Joe Biri & Craig Norman  
**Altar:** Debbie Kelley, Athena Kelley, & Judi Layman  
**Greeters:** Mary Lapham & Ann Biri

**September 30, 2018 Worship at 11:00am**

**Organist:** Karen Jackson  
**Asst. Minister:** Debbie Kelley  
**Lector:** Linda Frazee  
**Ushers:** Joe Biri & Craig Norman  
**Altar:** Debbie Kelley, Athena Kelley, & Judi Layman  
**Greeters:** Mary Lapham & Ann Biri

**Pastor Heinlein** and the members of Grace Lutheran Church welcome you to our worship today. Guests are invited to sign the welcome book by the front door and/or complete a yellow welcome card (found in the chair pocket) and drop it in the offering plate. All who are baptized and believe that Jesus Christ is truly present in the consecrated bread and wine are invited to commune with us today. All others are invited to come forward for a blessing. Those who are not baptized, and desire baptism, are encouraged to speak with the pastor.

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Keith Speakman (brother of Debbi Dunlap); Ann Biri; Kathy Storhl (friend of Pastor Heinlein); Kitty Struckman; Rev. Siggy Benedict; Cancer Support Groups at Zangmeister; Chuck & Kathy Snyder; Dave Huston (step-father of Kathy Snyder); Carrie Dixon O'Neil; Carter Nance (student of Kim Schmuach); Karl Groezinger; family of Jim Dorion; Peggy Holtzberger; Inge Wurstner; Suzanne Fisk (daughter of Pr. Marti and Max Fisher); Armand Auclair; Barbara Heinlein; Elaine Hines; Alice Main (sister of Lucille Ables); Sam Patmon; Max Fisher; and members of our military.~

## CALENDAR

### MON 09.17.18

7:30pm Boy Scouts #256

### TUES 09.18.18

9:30am Quilting

2:00pm Council Meeting

### Thurs 09.13.18

7:30pm Dartball vs. Christ Lutheran

### SUN 09.23.18

9:45am Sunday School &  
Adult Education

10:00am Chancel Choir

10:45 Hymn Sing

11:00am Worship

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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[www.gracecolumbus.com](http://www.gracecolumbus.com)

### **FACEBOOK PAGE:**

Lutheran Church Grace

## **STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK : 55  
WEEKLY GIVING GOAL \$2,334.00  
LAST WEEK'S GIVING \$1,837.00

## SAVE THE DATE

- ⇒ Council meeting on Sept. 18th.
- ⇒ Hymn Sing on Sept. 23rd.
- ⇒ LWR Ingathering day on Oct. 5th
- ⇒ Game night on Oct. 26th

The Pickerington food pantry is in desperate need of canned fruit, canned pasta, laundry detergent and feminine hygiene products. Thank you for your support!

There is a council meeting, Tuesday, Sept. 18th at 2pm.

It is that time of year again! We are collecting items for back to school bags! Each bag will need

- 4- 70 sheet notebooks (wide or college ruled)
- 30 cm ruler (or at least cm on one side)
- Pencil sharpener
- Blunt scissors
- 5 unsharpened #2 pencils bound together with a rubber band
- 5 blue or black ball point pens bound together with a rubber band
- 1 box- 16 or 24 count crayons
- 1- 2.5 inch eraser

Please bring all donations to the church and we will assemble the bags. Thanks for your help!

Have you checked out our website lately? [www.gracecolumbus.com](http://www.gracecolumbus.com) has all the up to date information and pictures of our church family and life! If you haven't looked lately, check it out!

Recapping the Dartball game from last week, vs. Trinity: the 1-0 win, was a result of a home run, hit by Jim Siddle.

## TIME CHANGE

From now on, please note that worship is permanently moved to 11:00am. Sunday School and adult education will begin at 9:45am, and Chancel Choir practice will be at 10am. On select Sundays, Hymn Sing will begin at 10:45am.

Health kits are also being assembled now for LWR. Kits should be assembled at home. These kits will be delivered for distribution the first Friday in October. Items we need are:

- 1 bath towel (preferably dark colored)
- 2-3 bars of soap (8 or 9oz each)
- 1 adult size toothbrush in package
- 1 sturdy comb
- 1 metal nail clippers

Place all items inside the towel and wrap it like a present. Use ribbon (about 1 yard) to tie it up. Bring the completed kits to the church before October 5th!

## Meet the New Pastor

After much prayer and thought, the call committees have selected a "Primary Candidate" for the position of Pastor, to share with Faith Baltimore. You will have the chance to hear Pastor Heinz Raidel give a sermon, as well as get to know him, and his wife, on September 15th. He will be at Faith Baltimore at 12:30pm and at our church at 3:00pm. A congregational vote based on this event will take place on the 16th. A synod representative will be present at the vote!



## HELP THE HUNGRY

There is a collection box on the ushers' table. Collect your change during the week and bring it in on Sunday. This month we will give your donations to the Lancaster Food Pantry.