

# Grace Notes

**Grace Lutheran Church**

The Reverend Heinz Raidel

May 28, 2023

**Pastor Heinz** 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 are invited to commune with us today, or come forward for a blessing. Those who are not baptized, and desire baptism, are encouraged to speak with the pastor.

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 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**

### **May 28, 2023**

**Asst. Minister:** Tina Siddle

**Lector:** Ed Thomas

**Pianist:** Pam Villarreal

**Altar:** Wanda Lynn

### **June 4, 2023**

**Asst. Minister:** Ed Thomas

**Lector:** Tim Bower

**Pianist:** Pam Villarreal

**Altar:** Wanda Lynn

### **June 11, 2023– 150th Anniversary Service**

**Asst. Minister:** Rod DuMond

**Lector:** Debbie Kelley

**Pianist:** Pam Villarreal

**Altar:** Wanda Lynn

**PRAYER CONCERNS:** Jan & Beth Rice; Mary Lapham; Pastor Heinz; Kathy Snyder; Peggy Holtzberger; Bernie Cantrell; Walt Williams (Uncle of Don & Debbie Kelley); Jennifer Huggins (niece of Don & Debbie Kelley); Mary Jo Daugherty; Bernie Daugherty; Robert Warren; Cole Kleinline & Matt Kleinline (Dana Bower); Linda & Larry Frazee; Barbara Heinlein; Rev. Siggy Benedict-Shields; Michael Styers, Jr.; Cancer Support Groups at Zangmeister; and members of our military.~~

### CALENDAR

**TUES 05.30.23**

9:30am Quilting

**SUN 06.04.23**

11:00am Worship



### SAVE THE DATE

- ⇒ 150th Anniversary Service June 11th @11am
- ⇒ Council Meeting, June 20th @1pm
- ⇒ Dorcas Circle, June 21st @9:30am
- ⇒ Newsletter articles Due 12pm, June 20th.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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**WELCOME TO WORSHIP;** Anyone who is unvaccinated is asked to continue wearing a mask during worship and group activities. Anyone who is fully vaccinated is welcome to make the choice as to whether or not to wear a mask.

\*\*Should you feel safer continuing to worship virtually, we will continue broadcasting the worship service at **11am**, on Facebook.

“The Chosen” Discussion group will meet June 13th and 27th at 7pm. Even if you have never come before, you are welcome to join us!

# Memorial Day



Thank you to Joe Biri for fixing up our Jesus statue outside!

Thanks also to Ed and Donna for beautifying our flower beds outside the church.

Now that people are re-emerging and returning to more normal activities, we need to once again be prepared in case the nursery is needed. Please sign up on the kiosk if you are available to help. You will only have to work the nursery on the your day, if there is someone who needs it. If not, you are free to join in regular worship. THANK YOU!

### **HELP THE HUNGRY**

There is a collection box on the ushers' table. Collect your change during the week and bring it in on Sunday. All your donations are going to the Pickerington Food Pantry.

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS!** Grace's 150th anniversary service will be June 11, 2023! The bishop will be joining us for worship and we will have a special worship experience that remembers our great history. Following the service, there will be a catered lunch for all in attendance. We would love for you to join us, but please RSVP to the office to let us know so we have enough food for everyone.

In addition, we would like fresh flowers to adorn our sanctuary for this service. Please talk to Debbi Dunlap or Judi if you can donate an arrangement for this day.

The annual Shred Day hosted by Dwayne R. Spence Funeral Home will be **June 3rd, 10am-1pm**. Documents can be brought for free shredding (5 box limit). They will also be taking donations of the following:

- ◆ Non-perishable food and cash donations for the Pickerington Food Pantry.
- ◆ Dog & Cat food/supplies for Fairfield County Humane Society
- ◆ Clothing/Household Donations for St. Vincent DePaul
- ◆ Old eyeglasses for Lions Club of Pickerington

Dwayne R Spence Funeral Home is located at 550 Hill Rd. N., Pickerington. Fliers are available on the usher's table.

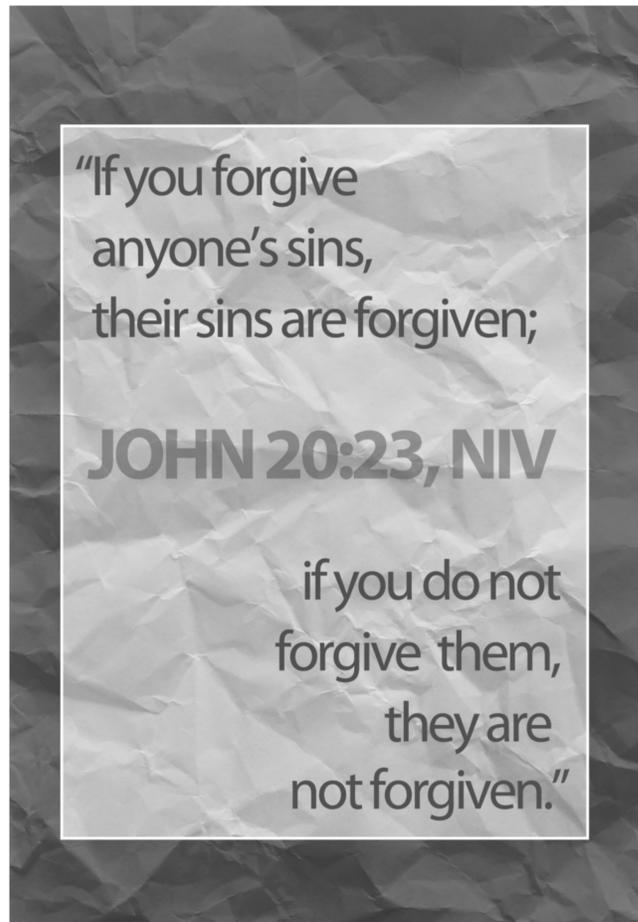
LSS is in desperate need of the following items. These items cannot be obtained through Mid-Ohio Food Bank and so LSS depends on donations for them. All these items and other food items can be placed into the metal bin marked "LSS". THANK YOU!

- Bar soap
- Deodorant
- Diapers
- Feminine hygiene products
- Gently used cook books
- Laundry detergent
- Shampoo
- Shaving cream/razors
- Toilet paper
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste

Questions? See Wanda Lynn

Have news? Hosting a church event? Helping the community? Get the word out by putting it in the Grace Notes! All submissions are due by noon on Tuesdays!

Please note that only PAPER is to be put in the blue recycling bin by the sanctuary. Tissues, paper towels, coffee cups, etc., should be placed in the trash can. Thank you!



**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.