

Grace Notes

Grace Lutheran Church

The Reverend Heinz Raidel

July 7, 2024

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.



WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

July 7, 2024

Asst. Minister: Anna Fiehler

Lector: Rod DuMond

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Mary Lapham

July, 14 2024

Asst. Minister: Ed Thomas

Lector: Tim Bower

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Mary Lapham

July 21, 2024

Asst. Minister: Tina Siddle

Lector: Bonnie DuMond

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Mary Lapham

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.**



PRAYER CONCERNS: Hans Raidel (Heinz' son); Jim Esswein's Nephew; Stephen Kimberly; Linda Styers; Eric Darr; Aaron McComas (nephew of Debbie Kelley); Grace Bower, Jan & Beth Rice; Kathy Snyder; Peggy Holtzberger; Bernie Daugherty; Robert Warren; Cole 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

WED 07.10.24

9:30am Quilting

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.



CONTACT INFORMATION

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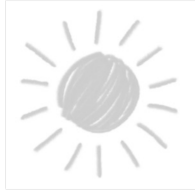
Kroger will donate a percentage of all purchases to Grace Church! All you need to do is call 1-800-576-4377, or go to Kroger.com and click the community rewards link. To register you will need our account number: **QS108**. Last year, we earned \$1200 through this program and we can earn up to \$4000. Register yourself, friends and family!

If you have not yet linked your Rewards card to Grace, please do so ASAP, our account number is QS108. Let's see how much we can earn in the next three months.

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



Summer Heat Safety

Stay Hydrated

- Drink plenty of fluids. Encourage others to drink plenty of fluids, too.
- Replace salt and minerals with snacks or a sports drink.

Stay Cool

- Stay in an air-conditioned place as much as possible.
- If your home does not have air conditioning, go to your predesignated cool location.
- Wear lightweight, loose clothing and take cool showers or baths.
- Limit your outdoor activity. If you must work outdoors, schedule tasks earlier or later in the day.

Prevent Heat Illness

Check on your friends, family, and neighbors. Help them prevent heat illness. Act fast if you notice someone with symptoms. Anyone can develop heat illness



What the most effective way to get new members in the church? Invite a friend. 86% of people who join congregations found them by being invited!



Southern Ohio Synod
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

2024-2025 Leadership Academy Registration Open!

The Southern Ohio Leadership Academy seeks to form and prepare lay leaders for service in the congregations of the Southern Ohio Synod. In Baptism, God establishes us all as members of the priesthood of believers and service to the church is part of the common mission shared by all believers.

These lay leaders may be either a Lay Worship Leader (LWL) or a Synod Authorized Minister (SAM).

Go to <https://southernohiosynod.org/lay-leaders/leadership-academy/> for more information

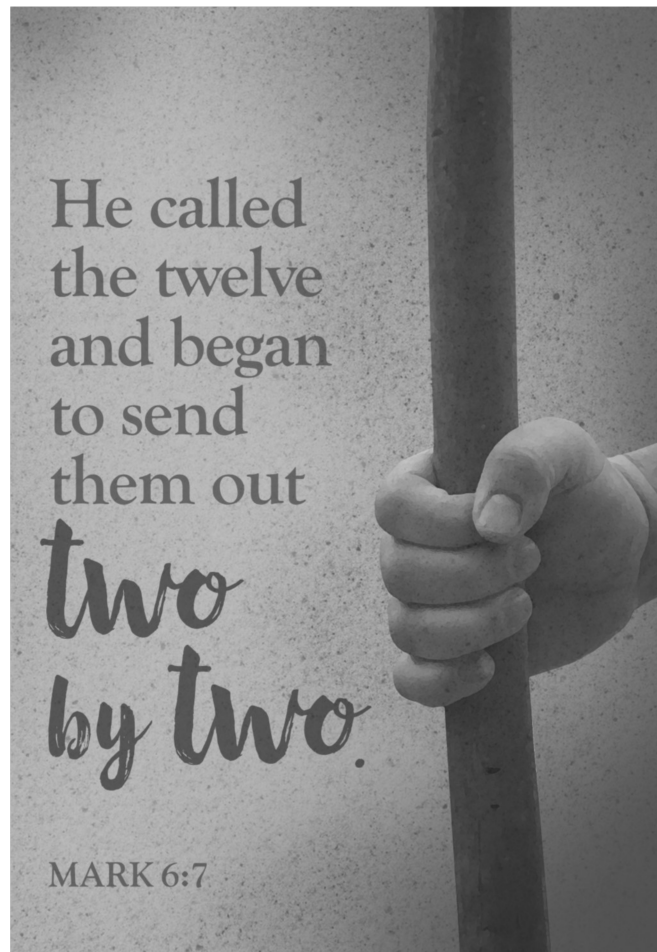
Questions? Please contact Pr. Steve Kimm, Coordinator for the Leadership Academy.



The Garage Sale is coming on 23 and 24 August. Bring any items you want to contribute and keep an eye out for requests for baked goods closer to the day. Let us know if you need help to move items to the church!

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.