

Grace Notes

Grace Lutheran Church

The Reverend Heinz Raidel

September 13, 2026

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 silence electronic devices and sit quietly and pray.**



WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

September 13, 2026

Asst. Minister: Debbie Kelley

Lector: Tim Bower

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Debbie Kelley, Eveie Kelley

September 20, 2026

Asst. Minister: Tim Bower

Lector: Anna Fiehler

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Debbie Kelley, Eveie Kelley

September 27, 2026

Asst. Minister: Anna Fiehler

Lector: Rod DuMond

Pianist: Pam Villarreal

Usher: Joe Biri

Altar: Debbie Kelley, Eveie Kelley

PRAYER CONCERNS: John Gleason; Michelle Persinger; Barbara Gardner (Faith and Eveie Kelley); Elmer Burchett; Bo McCarty; Rev. Marti Fisher; Emma Pennell (Mary Lapham's Great Granddaughter); Phil Dixon; Holly Wilson (Tina Siddle); Charlie Reed (Judi Levernier's Son); Bobbi Allen; Ed Thomas; Mark Cantrell; Maria and Sadie Benedict-Shields; Tiffany Bylow (Heinz Raidel); Peggy Shields; Linda Styers; Aaron McComas (nephew of Debbie Kelley); Kathy Snyder; Peggy Holtzberger; Bernie Daugherty; Robert Warren; Linda & Larry Frazee; Barbara Heinlein; Rev. Siggie Benedict-Shields; Michael Styers, Jr.; Cancer Support Groups at Mt. Carmel and The James Cancer Center; and members of our military.~~

CALENDAR

TUE 09.15.26

1:00pm Council Meeting

WED 09.16.26

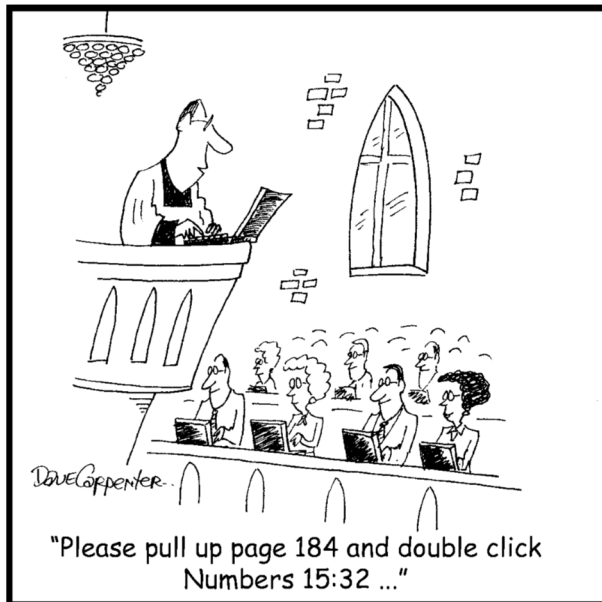
9:30am Women's Bible Study

THU 09.17.26

1:00pm Yarn Craft Group

SAT 09.19.26

8:00am LMM Breakfast @Scramblers



CONTACT INFORMATION

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Lutheran Church Grace



- Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:00am

- Open to cancer survivors and their relatives

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.



Join us for Bible Study Group on Sunday mornings before the service at 10:00am. Just bring your coffee/tea for some interesting discussion before the service!



**LUTHERAN
WORLD RELIEF**

We're in need of Items for PERSONAL CARE KITS:

- ONE light-weight bath-size towel (between 20" x 40" and 52" x 27"), dark color recommended
- TWO or three bath-size bars of soap equaling 8 to 9 oz., any brand, in original wrapping
- ONE adult-size toothbrush in it's original packaging
- ONE sturdy comb, remove packaging
- ONE metal nail clippers (attached file optional), remove packaging



**17 Sep
FBGC2 @ Grace**

Players should arrive 30 minutes early to practice before the 7:30pm game.



Southern Ohio Synod
Women of the ELCA
Biennial Convention

Saturday, October 17, 2026
8:30 AM - 4 PM
Zion (Hamilton)

Go to <https://tinyurl.com/36pvp2xa> for more information & to register!

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

Southern Ohio Synod Flood Relief

How can you and your congregation help?

Donations to the Southern Ohio Synod Disaster Fund

These may be received by mail or online donation

Please note on the check or online donation that the funds are for "SOS Disaster Relief"

Several of our congregations will receive funds shortly as they care for their neighbors.

Donations to Lutheran Disaster Response

You may donate directly to Lutheran Disaster Response or by sending donations through the Southern Ohio Synod

Save the Date Council President and Vice-President Bootcamp

Saturday, September 26th
10 AM - 2:30 PM

Southern Ohio Synod Office

Join Pastor Abrams and members of the Southern Ohio Synod Congregational Resource Team to learn more about how to faithfully lead your congregations, especially when things aren't easy.

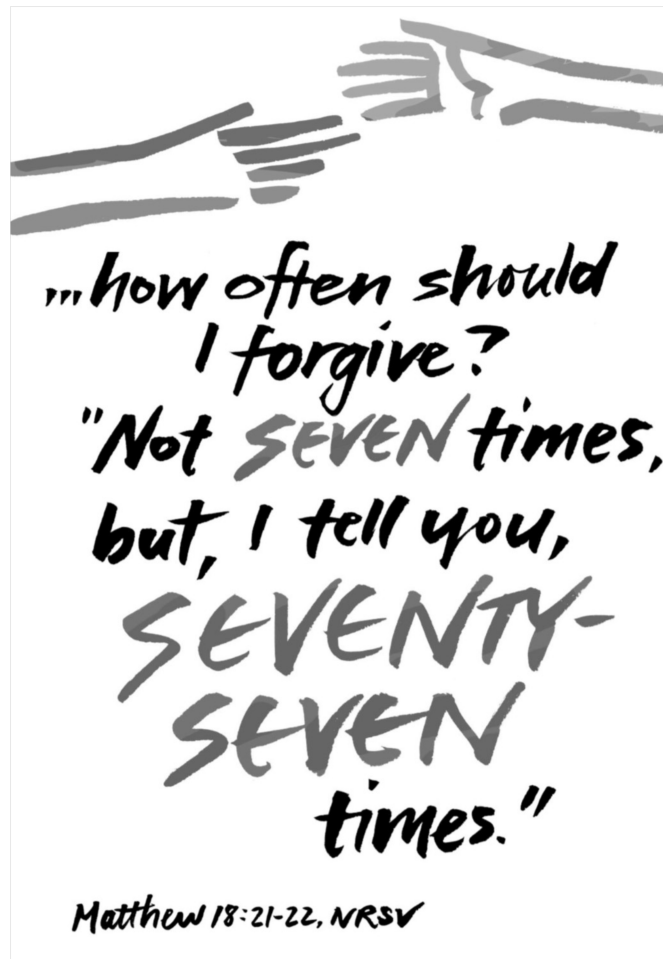
This event is open to all current Congregation Council Presidents & Vice-Presidents, even if you haven't yet attended the regular bootcamp session.

Cost: \$20/person
Lunch is included.

Registration closes Sept 21. <https://tithely/event-registration/#/11378232>

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.