

GRACE LUTHERAN WEEKLY

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT GRACE

Today: NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
Pastor's Bible Study – 8:45am
Confirmation Essay Presentation – 9:00am
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class – 9:00am
Worship w/Holy Communion – 10:00am
Coffee Fellowship – 11:00am
VOTER'S MEETING – 11:15am

Monday: Call Committee – 7:00pm

Tuesday: Stronghold Dinner/Bible Study – 6:00pm
Worship Committee – 6:00pm
Youth Board Meeting – 6:00pm
Parish Planning Council – 7:00pm

Wednesday: Breakfast Bible Study – 6:30am
Women's Bible Study – 10:00am
Bell Choir – 6:15pm
New Member Class – 7:00 to 8:30pm
Vocal Choir – 7:30pm

Thursday: (*Oregon Tuba Ensemble – 7:00pm*)

Saturday: (*Oregon Genealogical Society – 7am to 5pm*)
(*E.A.R.S. – 10:00am*)

Next Sunday: MITE BOX SUNDAY
FEAST OF PENTECOST WITH RITE OF CONFIRMATION
Pastor's Bible Study – 8:45am
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class – 9:00am
Worship w/Holy Communion – 10:00am
Service of Prayer and Anointing - after Worship service
Coffee Fellowship – 11:00am

Those activities in () indicate outside groups meeting in the building.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: The Newsletter deadline for submitting articles for the June newsletter is **TODAY, May 16th**. Please submit your articles to the church office.

USHERS: Please check the “**Unavailable Usher Schedule**” which is located in the narthex. The schedule for **JUNE** is posted. If you are unable to usher in June, please mark the schedule or talk to Todd Baker.

VOTER'S MEETING

TODAY after the worship service. Please plan to attend!

Agenda

- * Vote for new Board Chairpersons
- * Vote for new Executive Director and Assistant Executive Director
- * Report from the Call Committee

REMEMBER IN PRAYER.....



- + Betty Kirtley, Jovita Hunt, Ralph & Alice Boring, Al Prigge, Margie Murphree, Bob Sylwester, Judy Rust, Johnny Fuller (grandson of Mike & Arline Link), Ken Leom (father of Kari Hovet), Bill Rice (nephew of Jean Harsch), Drew Haines (cousin of Jamie King), Jerry Gauche (brother of Dan Gauche), Arlen Shira (brother of Arline Link)
- + Shut-ins: Jeannine Brauner, Walter & Mary Krumdieck, Frances Bradshaw, Ann Porisch, Margie Murphree, Dorothy Beikman, Evelyn Moore, Anita Colcord

ADULT CLASSES ON SUNDAY MORNINGS!

- * Pastor Joel Nickel will lead a class in Room #5 starting at **8:45am – Gospel of John.**
- * “All the Scary Stuff in Revelation” video series is held in the parish hall starting at **9:00am**, led by Randy Ronne. See description below about the class.

IF YOU HAVE AN EMERGENCY... please call the Church Office - Monday through Friday at 541.342.4844. On the weekends, Saturday/Sunday, please call Bert Wheeler at 541.747.1442.

SERVICE OF PRAYER AND ANOINTING

On the fourth Sunday of each month we will hold a semi-private service of prayer and anointing for those who have health concerns. This will be held following the close of the worship service. Those who would like anointing of oil and prayers for the sick should come to the front pews. Pastor Nickel will join you after greeting people at the door following worship.



RITE OF CONFIRMATION

Next Sunday – May 23rd at 10:00am

The following young people being confirmed are:

Luke Boysen	Jordon Dunteman
Rebecca Farnham	Hunter Frank
Kendra Helgeson	Sarah Hovet
Devon Kirkpatrick	Joshua Tanke
Matt Thompson	

We pray God's blessings for these young people and their families.

VOTER'S MEETING IN JUNE

Sunday – June 6th after the worship service

Agenda

- Issue a Call for a New Pastor

We will have a Potluck meal after the Worship Service. Fellowship Board will provide coffee and punch. Please bring the following:

- A-G -- Bring a Main Dish
- H-M -- Bring a Salad
- N-Z -- Bring a Dessert

BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

- * **Stronghold Dinner/Bible Study – Tuesday, May 18th at 6:00pm – individuals of the Bible and how their lives relate to or impact us**
- * **Breakfast Bible Study – Wednesday, May 19th at 6:30am**
- * **Women's Bible Study – Wednesday, May 19th at 10:00am – Gospel of Luke**

REMINDER: BULLETIN/WEEKLY DEADLINE – If you would like something in the bulletin or Weekly (blue notes) – please have your information to the church office by **10:00am on Wednesdays!**

PORTALS OF PRAYER is a quarterly booklet that contains daily devotions and prayers. The **New April-June booklet** is available on the table in the narthex. Take one home for your daily devotions.

SIGN –UP SHEETS FOR COFFEE AND FLOWERS are found in the narthex area. For Coffee sign-up, if you would like to provide goodies for the coffee time after the worship service, the sheet is on the window by the Fireside Room. For giving Altar Flowers, the sheet is located by the mailboxes in the narthex. There are still some Sunday's available for this year! Floral arrangements can be from your garden, a store or from a floral shop. You will receive a reminder the week prior to your Sunday. Please remember to take your flowers with you after the 10:00am service.

STRONGHOLD - CAMPUS MINISTRY

STRONGHOLD (college and young adult small group) meets on **TUESDAY evenings at 6:00pm for dinner and Bible study**. College age folks: If you haven't been coming to Stronghold, consider joining the group. It's a great way to meet some new friends and grow in the Word of God with other Christian young people. The group will be studying individual heroes of the Bible and how their lives relate to or impact us. Contact Jeff at bolinger@uoregon.edu.

ONE MORE MEAL STILL NEEDED.... Check the sign-up sheet on the small table near the church mailboxes the day still available for dinner hosts. God's blessings, Paula Walker.



***Come to Hero Headquarters,
where kids join forces with God!***

**June 21-25 from 9:00am to Noon
At Grace Lutheran Church**

Each day at Hero Headquarters kids will participate in the large-group excitement of Hero HQ, experience God's Word at Amazing Bible Heroes, create craft projects at Power Projects, enjoy super snacks and read about real-life kid heroes at Super Snacks, and play great games at Action Games! And, through it all, they will learn that with God's power they can make a difference in the lives of people around them! VBS forms will be on the table in the narthex soon! Contact Terri Kirkpatrick at 541.285.5090 if you have questions or would like to help with VBS.

CAMP LUTHERWOOD MINISTRIES... Summer camping season starts in just a bit more than a month, so sign up now if you haven't already! The schedule and registration forms are posted on the youth bulletin board in the narthex. Further information and registration forms are available at Camp Lutherwood's website, www.lutherwood.org.

WANTED – USED INK CARTRIDGES! To earn store credit to buy school supplies, we are collecting ALL TYPES of used computer ink cartridges to take to Staples. We can get \$3.00 store credit for EACH cartridge collected and turned in. Store credit will be used to purchase sale school supplies to fill SCHOOL BAGS this Fall. Please put ink cartridges in a SEALED PLASTIC BAGGY and place in the box in the narthex. THANK YOU! Questions? See Jean Harsch.

LUTHERAN SCHOOL NEWS

Phone: 342-5433

Email: office@lifeschool.us

Website: www.lifeschool.us

LIFE! Lutheran School's new 2010-2011 enrollment is happening now! Packets are available at the school office. Take time to view the website at www.lifeschool.us. If you know of anyone who is interested in receiving information about enrolling at LIFE! Lutheran School, please contact the school office at 541-342-5433.

GOOGLE US! GOOGLE LIFE! It is very important to the future of our school that we maintain accessibility on the web. We have moved our school up to page one when anyone googles "christian school eugene". Please help us maintain visibility. If every web-active family would google "christian school eugene" DAILY and then select LIFE Lutheran SCHOOL, we can maintain prominent listing and be able to attract more families! Thank you for your partnership!

The Lutheran Hour Broadcast

Sunday Mornings – 8:00am ---- on KKNX – 840 AM

May 23 – “The Right Name” (Acts 2:21) Antique appraisers know that an object associated with a big name is worth considerably more at auction. Being connected to the right Person is incredibly important when it comes to our eternal salvation.

May 30 – “The Hall of Heroes” (2 Samuel 23:8) Guest Speaker: Chaplain Mark Steiner
All the heroes of faith had something in common: they were sinners and they knew it. By the power of the Holy Spirit, they repented and trusted in God’s promise of forgiveness through Christ.

The Lutheran Hour can also be heard on the internet or downloaded onto an MP3 player at <http://www.lutheranhour.org/> If you would like to listen to The Lutheran Hour message and need assistance with the above options, please call Barb Ronne at 343-0327.

3rd Annual Born to Run Challenge

Saturday, May 22 – 8:00am

Alton Baker Park

A fundraiser for Lane Pregnancy Support Center

The Born to Run Challenge for runners and walkers will be on May 22 at Alton Baker Park. For registration forms, go to www.lanepregnancy.org and select 'events'. Every dollar you raise equips LPSC to provide life-giving support to the teens, women and families we serve every day with pregnancy tests, clothing, diapers, and ongoing support.

Entry Fees

- \$20 Pre-registration.
- \$15 Pre-registration for groups of 5 or more. Please be sure to note your group name on each registration form.
- \$30 registration the day of race.
- Waived registration fee with \$50 or more in pledges.

Race Schedule

- 8-8:45 AM Packet Pickup and registration
- 9:00 AM 5K & 15K walk/run begins
- 11:30 AM Awards & Raffle Distances 5K (3.1 miles) and a 15K (9.3 miles) walk/run.

“Imagine” – Women of Faith conference... is coming to Portland, Oregon **October 8-9** at the Rose Garden. We have received information about the conference which includes a 3 minutes DVD telling about the conference. If any women are interested in attending this conference or looking at the information we have received, please see Peggy in the church office.

Thrivent Financial members are eligible to vote online at Thrivent.com/choicevote to help Thrivent distribute \$1 million among 10 nationwide Lutheran and non-Lutheran charities. We are thrilled to announce that among the ministries selected are LCMS World Mission and LCMS World Relief and Human Care! The amount each charity receives is based on their total number of votes. Thrivent Financial is waiting to hear from you before May 21, 2010. It’s quick. It’s easy. Record your vote today at www.Thrivent.com/choicevote. You must be a Thrivent Financial member to vote.

Grace Lutheran Church Officers/Board Members

July 2010 – June 2012

Executive Director – Todd Baker
Treasurer – Wayne Feddersen
Secretary – Carolyn Newsom

1st Assistant Director -
2nd Assistant Director -

Board of Lay Ministry **(up to 12)**

Chr. - John Stoecker
Lynne Coates
Clarence Henshen
Dick Jenkins
Bob Jones
Bert Wheeler
Bryan Hodges
Judy Klupenger
Elaine Barbisan

Board of Outreach/PR **(up to 8)**

Chr. –
Judy Klupenger
Mike Link
Arline Link
Jan Stoecker
Carolyn Newsom
George Walker
Sarah Koester

Board of Christian Ed. **(up to 7)**

Chr. – Tammy Smith
Terri Kirkpatrick
Dan Gauche
Mary Jenkins
Ralph Krumdieck
Mary Friehe
Kari Hovet

Board of Youth Ministry **(up to 8)**

Chr. -
Rob Wiesert
Luda Wiesert
Jamie Farnham
Terry Farnham
Sarah Boysen
Michelle Murphy
Annette Harkins
Michael Gauche

Board of Stewardship **(up to 8)**

Co-Chr. – Bill Blade
Co-Chr. - Randy Ronne
Don Harkins

Board of Church Property **(up to 8)**

Chr. - Rick Krumdieck
Ben Bopp
Jerry Fibelstad
Gayle Fibelstad
Bob Jones
Jerry Lacey
Ken Reffstrup
Kevin Helgeson
Pete Boysen
Reuben Leapaltd

Board of Fellowship **(up to 8)**

Chr. – Dolores Dixon
Kirk Gunson
Lennie Tritt
Dave Tritt
Kathy Baule
Byron Baule
Cheryl Gauche
Jan Bachhuber

Board of Social Ministry **(up to 6)**

Chr. - Brenda Miller
Corene Jackson
Dee Wheeler
Sandy Smith
Anna Zemke
Rachel Lowensohn
Jan Richmond

Campus Ministry

Chr. -
Paula Walker
Delia Lundeen

Grace Lutheran Foundation **(5 Members)**

Chr. – Tim Hovet (4 yr term)
Rob Wiesert (4 yr term)
Truman Baird (4 yr term)
Len Freitag (up for re-election)
Dolores Dixon (up for re-election)

Updated 5/4/10

