

GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

8:30 & 10:30 AM

October 7, 2018

9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

20th Sunday after Pentecost

Pastor Bob Kandels

Director of Youth & Family Ministries – Kari Schaefer

Please pass and sign the registration pads in the pews. The Outreach Ministry Team encourages everyone to wear a nametag on Sunday morning.

(The * indicates standing. It is always appropriate to remain seated, if standing creates a problem.)

“Christ in Us...With Us... Through Us!”

PRELUDE

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

*HYMN OF PRAISE “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” (Verses 1, 2, & 4) No. 154

*SAY HELLO TO ONE ANOTHER

*CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 119:105-112 On screens

A CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY TO OUR CHILDREN GUMppets – Peyton Hemmesch
Chloe Hemmesch, Katelynn Mehlhop

PRAYER FOR GUIDANCE FROM THE HOLY SPIRIT On screens

PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN “O How He Loves You and Me” TFWS 2108

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 14:3-9 Page 48

MESSAGE “She Did What She Could” Jerry Miller

PRAYER & REFLECTION

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY No. 95

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*CLOSING HYMN “Wonderful Words of Life” No. 600

*CLOSING CHALLENGE (Grace Church Mission Statement)

Grace Church exists to introduce people to Jesus Christ and to help them grow in their relationship with Him, enabling them to be examples of Christ’s love to everyone they meet. Amen!

*POSTLUDE

Core Values Statement: Grace Church exists to introduce people to Jesus Christ and to help them grow in their relationship with Him, enabling them to be examples of Christ’s love to everyone they meet.

Ministers: Members and friends of Grace Church

Pastor: Bob Kandels

Director of Youth & Family Ministries: Kari Schaefer

Uzone Site Manager: Kelly Kandels

Administrative Assistant: Nancy Hoeft

Custodians: Gary and Marilyn Herzberg

PARTICIPANTS IN MORNING SERVICES:

Audio/Visual: David Herzberg

Ushers: Tom & Nancy Deadrick
Scott Schaefer, Jim Schultz

Greeters: Jerry & Helen Olsen

Readers: Pete Fisk

Acolytes: Hayley Kluver

Banner Committee: Debbie Schmidt

Flower Committee: Betty Keller, Katy Hubred

Leta Stafford
Deb Bengtson
Larry & Denise Rien
Leta Stafford
Elizabeth Stafford

WELCOME: Sisters and brothers in Christ, welcome to this house of worship! May our praise and prayers be pleasing to God, and may we be eager recipients of his Word.

8:30 am Worship
9:30 am Coffee Fellowship – Serving: Karen Odberg
Thank you to all that donate treats!
9:30 am Sunday school
10:30 am Worship

THANK YOU to Jerry Miller & Kari Schaefer for leading the services today!

SPECIAL COLLECTION TODAY: A special collection for the Gideons ministry will be taken up today. There is a special envelope inside the brochure included in this bulletin today.

FINANCIAL UPDATE: Weekly Amount Needed: \$5453, Offering Total for Sunday, Sept. 30: \$4655

UZONE ENDOWMENT: Payments can be made at any time; please make sure you write out the check to the Uzone Endowment Fund, so that it gets credited to the right fund.

OFFERING: October missions will be going to our Uzone Outreach Ministry. Our congregation underwrites the majority of the Uzone budget through mission monies, grants and special offerings. Please consider giving to this worthwhile mission.

ANNUAL FUNERAL COMMITTEE MEETING: Monday, October 15, @ 2:00 PM in the Fireside Room.

CONGRATULATIONS to Ryan Peterson & Halie Heurung who were united in marriage on September 29, at Grace Church with Pastor Bob Kandels officiating. May God bless this marriage!

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY: Today is World Communion Sunday. However, since Pastor Bob is on vacation, it will be celebrated on October 14th instead, with Communion at both services. The World Communion Sunday offering will be taken up on that day. Special envelopes are included with this bulletin.

ALL CHURCH MEETING: There will be an all-church meeting on Sunday, Oct. 14th, in the Fireside Room to announce the HCI (Healthy Church Initiative) recommendations for Grace Church. Please attend if you can! There will be no Sunday school for adults on that day. Children will still have the usual Sunday school classes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Monday **Oct. 8**

Pastor Bob vacation

Tuesday **Oct. 9**

Pastor Bob vacation

9:30 am

Ruth Circle – Devotions: Katy Hubred, Hostesses: Betty Freiling and Carol Wegner. Elections will also be held

7:00 pm

Recovery Ministry

Wednesday **Oct, 10**

Pastor Bob vacation

6:30 am

Men's breakfast @ Hilltop

NO Prayer Group

5:15 pm

GUMppets

6:00 pm

WedGE Meal

6:30 pm

Youth Fellowship

Thursday **Oct. 11**

Pastor Bob back in office

2:15 pm

Staff meeting

7:00 pm

Grace Bells

Friday

Oct. 12

6:00 pm

Wedding rehearsal

Saturday

Oct. 13

2:30 pm

Wedding – Nick Schmidt & Megan Lomax

Sunday

Oct. 14

3rd Grade Bibles given out both services

8:30 am

Worship Service with Communion

9:30 am

Coffee Fellowship

9:30 am

All church meeting in Fireside Room – HCI Announcement of Recommendations

9:30 am

Sunday school – Children only

10:30 am

Worship Service with Communion

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8am-3pm

CHURCH DOORS OPEN 8-5 Mon-Fri, Sat 9-5