



Grace Notes P.S.

Week of Mar 15, 2020 – Mar 22, 2020

"God's Work – Our Hands"

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday. Mornings:

9:00 a.m. – Noon

Monday-Thursday. Afternoons:

12:30 – 3:30 p.m.

Office Phone:

Sharing the *Love*
Spreading the **WORD** of God
Serving the *Children*

Weekly Events & Class Listings

Updates can be found on calendar @ gracemuscatine.org

Sunday, Mar 15

<i>Abundant Life Worship</i>	<i>8:15 a.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>
<i>Coffee Hour</i>	<i>9:30 a.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>Christian Ed for Youth</i>	<i>9:30 a.m.</i>	<i>Sunday School Rooms</i>
<i>Christian Ed for Adults</i>	<i>9:45 a.m.</i>	<i>YOT</i>
<i>Amazing Grace Worship</i>	<i>10:45 a.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>
<i>Grace Night Out</i>	<i>5:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Family Diner</i>

Wednesday, Mar 18

<i>Staff Meeting</i>	<i>2:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Pastor's Office</i>
<i>Lenten Supper</i>	<i>5:30 p.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>Cross Generational Study</i>	<i>6:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>Lenten Worship</i>	<i>6:40 p.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>
<i>Choir Practice</i>	<i>7:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>

Thursday, Mar 19

<i>Grace Quilters</i>	<i>8:30 a.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>MMA Lenten Prayer Service & Lunch</i>	<i>12:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Bloomington Friends</i>

Saturday, Mar 21

<i>Loaves & Fishes Lunch</i>	<i>Noon</i>	<i>MCSA Building</i>
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Sunday, Mar 22

<i>Abundant Life Worship</i>	<i>8:15 a.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>
<i>Coffee Hour</i>	<i>9:30 a.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>Christian Ed for Youth</i>	<i>9:30 a.m.</i>	<i>Sunday School Rooms</i>
<i>Christian Ed for Adults</i>	<i>9:45 a.m.</i>	<i>YOT</i>
<i>Amazing Grace Worship</i>	<i>10:45 a.m.</i>	<i>Sanctuary</i>
<i>Faith Partner Group Session</i>	<i>1:00 p.m.</i>	<i>Social Hall</i>
<i>GLY</i>	<i>3:30 p.m.</i>	<i>YOT</i>

Prayer Concerns: Cory Shank, Betty Hoffman, Ray Dietrich, Ila Barrington, Shirlee Staley, Mike Fuller, Dennis McClure, and family and friends of Peter Allinger and Antonio Valenzuela.

Cross Perspective March 18 Schedule: Weekly Lenten Meal at 5:30 p.m. The March 18th meal sponsored by WELCA will be a Ham & Potato Casserole, dessert, and drinks. Cross-Generational Study will be at 6:00 p.m. to be followed by Worship at 6:40 p.m. This week's theme will be "Felling Helpless; Crucifixion Character-Mary".

Chili Cook-Off Results: There was excellent attendance and interest in the cook-off held Sunday evening, March 8. Twelve individuals brought a variety of chili's to be voted on by the those attending and by a panel of three judges. Tammy Stein's chili won People's Choice, Andy Torres won the Judge's Panel Choice, and Kristy Cox won the most original chili prize with her Pumped-Up Pumpkin Chili. Raffle prizes were won by Payton Stein, JoAnne Fisher, Tibe Vander Linden, Shawna Moss, and Erin Kelly. The event raised over \$1,100 for the Youth Gathering 2021 Trip. Thank you to everyone who participated, volunteered, and who supported the event.

Property Board: Saturday, April 4, the Property Board will be doing an in-door Spring Clean-up. All are welcome to volunteer to help with the project. Please bring buckets, towels, brooms, mop, etc. We will get started at 9:00 a.m. and plan on being done by noon. Any questions talk with Don Kelly or Richard Alexander.

Current General Fund Position:

Attendance: Sunday, March 8 121
 Wednesday, March 11 52

General Fund Actual Income to date Versus Expenses **\$8,468.38**

Youth Gathering 2021 **\$1,147.34**

Capital Improvement Projects **\$1,181.00**

Ministry Support to Date in Year 2020

Lutheran Chaplaincy Outreach **\$300.00**

Lutheran World Relief **\$100.00**

Domestic Disaster Relief **\$ 0.00**

World Hunger **\$ 0.00**

Lutheran Services in Iowa **\$100.00**

Muscatine Food Pantry **\$ 90.00**

Muskie Locker **\$ 0.00**

Crop Walk **\$ 0.00**

ELCA Synod Support **\$ 0.00**

2019 External Ministry Support to Date **\$590.00**

All account balances are posted on the bulletin board in the Hallway.

Electronic giving capability is now in place on www.gracemuscatine.org. Joyce Figg, Financial Secretary.

	March 15 Abundant Life- 8:15 a.m.	March 15 Abundant Life- 10:45 a.m.	March 18 Mid-Week Worship-6:40 pm	March 22 Abundant Life-8:15 am	March 22 Amazing Grace- 10:45 a.m.	March 25 Mid-Week Worship-6:40 p.m.
Assisting Minister/Worship Leader	WL-Al Bengtson	AM-Traci Lippelgoes	WL-Ramona Allenbaugh	WL-Don Kelly	AM-Logan Skipton	WL-Jane Theobald
Ushers	Sue Bengtson, Carol Dieckman, Don Duncan, Mary Hovick,	Vinton & Nancy Cromer	Crucifixion Character: "Mary"	Vicki Lawhead, Beth Lemkau, Denny & Lynn Schuur	Paul & Joanna Wilts	Crucifixion Character: "Pontius Pilate"
Reader	Tibe Vander Linden	Sharon McCleary		Margaret Stych	Connie Fuller	
Worship Assistants	Katei & Kylie Green	Jeanette Billingsley, Nathan Schmitt		Carol Dieckman, McKenzie Kissell	Chale and Elsie Lewis	
Greeters	Don Ager, Karen Hessel	Ruthann Hoffman, Marvin Krieger		Don & Janet Duncan	Jim & Cindy Edmond	
Coffee Hour	Jay & Lea Ann Logel			Art & Mary Hovick		