ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR APRIL 10, 2022

Parking | spots are available in the parking lot and on the Park Drive side of the church. Additional Parking spaces are available across the street, at the school.

Large Print Bulletins | If you would like to use a large print bulletin, please help yourself to one on the back pew or ask an usher for assistance.

OFFERING |No offering plates will be passed. Stationary plates are placed at the rear of the pews for your offerings. Online giving through the church's website is also encouraged. https://www.gracethornville.org/giving

PRAYER | Dean Boyer, Mary Winegardner, Donna Winegardner, family of Maddy May, Leanna, Jim, Karen Hypes, Linda Dittoe, the people in Ukraine. Prayer-line: 740.246.6576, or Sharon Roshon 740.467.3198.

Holy Week Schedule:

Today - Palm Sunday - Worship at 8:00 & 10:30am April 14 – Maundy Thursday - Soup Supper at 6:00pm, Worship at 7:00pm April 15 - Good Friday - 12:00pm Worship at South Shore Ministries 7:00pm Worship here, at Grace April 16 - Easter Vigil - Worship at 7:00 pm April 17 - Easter Sunday - Worship at 8:00 & 10:30am

Last Chance to order Easter Lilies! Cost is \$20.00. The lilies will be used to adorn our sanctuary on Easter Sunday, then you may take them home following the 10:30 service. Please use a Lily-order envelope found on the table in the gathering space to place your order, contact the church office 246-6576.

First Communion Classes for 3rd and 4th graders, or older youth that missed the class, are being held now, 9:15am in Noah's Club. Students' First Communion will be Sunday, May 8. Leader: Kate Simmons 740-605-3230.

New LWR Quilt Group - Each year, dedicated quilters across the US donate an average of 400,000 quilts to LWR (Lutheran World Relief). These quilts provide warmth in the form of bedding, shelter in the form of a roof, privacy in the form of a door. They also serve as a tangible reminder of God's presence, love, and hope. The 2022 LWR Quilt Campaign is a great time for Grace Lutheran to join this ministry. Don't be intimidated! Quilts are not the same as that hand-stitched heirloom quilts your grandmother made. Even men and youth can easily get involved. On Wednesday morning, April 20 from 9:00 am to noon, we hope to kick off Grace's own Quilt Campaign. We will be meeting at the Lahman's house at 191 Craig Drive (2 minutes from the church). Be looking for more information over the next few weeks. For more information, contact jenimlahman@gmail.com or 614-371-4851 with questions.

Manna Monday Community Suppers will begin at 6:00pm on Monday, April 25 and continue weekly. Volunteers will be needed each week!! Contact Sue Cottrill 740-258-8060 or Jeff Stought 740-407-0617 to volunteer. Thanks in advance for your help! Carl Keaser will be leading a weekly Bible Study in Noah's Classroom on Mondays beginning at 4:30pm. All are welcome to attend. Come, feed your soul, then stay for the Manna Monday meal to nourish your body!

Adventures in Faith for Kids is currently meeting as one group, although we are hoping for enough kids and teachers to eventually return to classes grouped by age. Classes are held on Sundays at 9:15am in the fellowship hall. Adults - We need teachers! This is NOT a weekly time commitment. You can teach as little as 6 Sundays a year. The lesson plans are already created for you, too. All you need to do is show up and spend some time with the amazing kids at Grace. Contact Amber Feyh 740-475-9155 or Kate Simmons 740-605-3230.

Ministry Directory 2022 Corrections: On page 4, Jeni Lahman's phone number should be 614-371-4851. On page 24, Handbell Choir practices on Mondays at 7:00pm; not 6:00pm. Copies of the directory are available in the gathering space.

NALC Disaster Response is trying to prepare for the 2022 hurricane/flood season and is in need of emergency relief supplies. They will host a "Stuff the Truck" at the Ohio Mission Region Convocation on May 7, and hope that each congregation is able to collect Gift Cards from Walmart, Home Depot and Lowes. Other cards can be accepted also! Pastor Tom will take the cards to the Convocation. Grace Westerville Youth are working the disaster warehouse on May 14, so they can construct kits with items purchased from the donated gift cards. Cards need to be given to Pastor Tom by May 5.

Capital Campaign pledge update: \$169, 200 has been pledged towards the \$300,000 needed for the loan down payment.

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| <u>Today</u> | | |
| | 9:15am | Adventures in Faith |
| | 9:15am | Confirmation Class |
| | 9:15am | First Communion Class |
| | 10:30am | Worship |
| Monday | 11:30am | Friendship Circle |
| | | Handbells |
| Tuesday | • | Levy Meeting |
| Wednesday | | |
| Thursday | 6:00pm | Soup Supper |
| | 7:00pm | Worship |
| 10:00am Extension Homemakers | | |
| | 7:00pm | Choir |
| Friday | 12:00pm | Community Worship at South Shore |
| | 7:00pm | Worship - here at Grace |
| | | AA Meeting |
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Attendance: 8:00am - 29 10:30am - 92 Lent: 42

Giving: General: \$8363.33; Ukraine: \$350.; LWR: \$12.50; NALC: \$510.; Local Food: \$335.; Backpack: \$315.; Vogt family: \$10; Scholarship: \$10.; Flower Fund: \$40.; Choir: \$10. Total: \$9,955.83. Lent: \$42.00

Serving this Sunday:

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tom Jacobson Assisting Minister: Jim Lewis Lector: Karen Lewis (10:30) Organist: Sue Ellen Simmons

Serving Maundy Thursday:

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tom Jacobson Assisting Minister: Jeff Stought Organist: Sue Ellen Simmons

Serving Good Friday:

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tom Jacobson Assisting Minister: Tom Rodgers Organist: Sue Ellen Simmons

Serving Easter Vigil:

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tom Jacobson Assisting Minister: Kelly O'Reilly Organist: Sue Ellen Simmons

Serving Easter Sunday:

Presiding Minister: Pastor Tom Jacobson Assisting Minister: Tom Rodgers Lector: Bob Reynolds (10:30) Organist: Sue Ellen Simmons