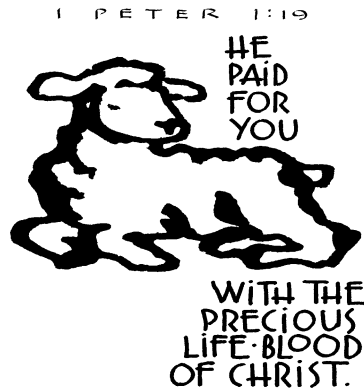


Grace Lutheran Church

24542 Melbourne Road
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Third Sunday of Easter

May 4, 2014

Living Our Faith Under His Grace

BIBLE CLASS. 9:00 a.m.
WORSHIP SERVICE. 10:00 a.m.

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PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP: We have so much in common with the Emmaus disciples, risen Lord. We, too, are often not sure what to think about all that is happening in the world. And we, too, are accompanied by You as we walk along the road, and as we sit in our homes. Open the Scriptures to us day by day, we pray, that we may learn from You.

Ever-living Lord, travel with us now.

WELCOME TO ALL OF YOU in the name of our Saviour, especially the visitors who have joined us this morning. If you do not have a church that you call home, we invite you to make Grace your spiritual home. Amid the trials and tribulations of life it's good that we can come to our Lord for strength through His Word. Please introduce yourself to the Pastor, and fill in the "Worship attendance registration" at the end of the pew.

OUR WORSHIP TODAY

ORDER OF SERVICE: Divine Service Setting 3. p.184

HYMNS: 812; 585; 878

FIRST LESSON: Acts 2:14a,36-41 (p.910)

EPISTLE LESSON: 1 Peter 1:17-25 (p.1014)

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 24:13-35 (p.885)

SERMON: "From the Prophets of the Old Testament we Learn Jesus is Lord and Saviour" - Luke 24:25-27

PHONE NUMBERS: Grace now has two phone numbers that you can use to contact the church. The main number is 519-245-3078. This number will ring at Grace on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. The other number that you could also use is 226-378-6924. This number will ring at Grace at all times.

NEW ADDRESS FOR THE CASTILLOS: It is 5 - 351 Highview Ave. East, London, ON N6C 5G5. If you wish to reach Pastor Castillo by phone, you can do so by calling 226-376-1692.

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY:**USHERS:** Mike Flikkema, Anne Flikkema**ELDER OF THE MONTH:** Matt Mulligan**ALTAR GUILD:** Betty Catanzariti, Rosemarie Gmehlin**ACOLYTE:** Mia Mulligan**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:**

Special Needs: Else Jacobsen, John and Maria Paal, Pat Phillips, Sandra Stewart, David and Imogen Strike, Sandra Stockman, Grace Woolner, Ellen Phillips, Pastor Kenneth Voege, Nancy Curtis, David Chamberlain, Frank Kleiber, Sophie Wilson, Joanna Bode, Jackson Lavers and family, Helen Livingstone, Doris Jensen, Sharon Beecroft, Rev. Ed Lehman, Keith Keller, Pastor Bode, Joshua Bode, Harry Weide, Sarah Lawson

Homebound: Becky Ames, Paul and Ana Greksa, Jean Mountenay

Family Focus: Stephen and Vanessa Sapp; Annie Schack; Brad, Juliana and Cameron Schieman; Alan Schmitt

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 42 ('13:40)**COMMUNION ATTENDANCE:** 31 **BIBLE CLASS:** 6

Our Stewardship of God's Gifts January-March	Current	Missions	Building
Faith	47,916.23	5,881.50	3,622.00
Grace	6,543.60	702.00	1,620.00
Needed	62,029.17	6,850.00	7,000.00

OUR STEWARDSHIP OF GOD'S GIFTS: Current 710.00; Missions 40.00; Building 65.00



NON-BUDGET GIFTS: Capital Improvement 5.00 Praise The Lord!

MISSION OF THE MONTH: The Ark

The Ark's mission objective is to aid their neighbours in need. They provide tools and services to help people get back on their feet and start to live more productive and joyful lives.



FLOWERS FOR GRACE: If you would like to bring flowers to adorn altar on Sundays for 2014 to commemorate something special in your life, please indicate this by signing your name and including the date on the flower calendar which is in the fellowship hall.

PLEASE REMEMBER to bring God our regular offerings and tithes as well for the ongoing work of His Church. God calls us here to be in His glorious presence, that He may bless us. Let us commit ourselves to Him who is our forgiveness, life and salvation.

LIFE QUOTES: "Babies are a gift from God—from the moment of conception. Every life is precious to God because He is the Creator of life (Jeremiah 1:5a)" *Kay Meyer, former director of development for Lutherans For Life* – A "Life Quote" from Lutherans For Life · www.lutheransforlife.org

THE MARCH FOR LIFE is May 8th in Ottawa, Ontario. Please join Lutherans for Life-Canada and show a strong witness to the Sanctity of Life. We will gather at St. Luke's Lutheran Church, 326 MacKay Street, Ottawa at 10:00 a.m. There will be a free will offering for lunch and dinner. To pre-register, contact Judy Obelnycki at jobelnycki@aol.com

FELLOWSHIP SUPPLIES NEEDED: Can you help? We are in need of creamer and cookies for our post-service coffee time. Please sign up for what you are willing to bring on the sheet posted in the parish hall. Thank you!

PLEASE SAVE YOUR POP TABS and bring them in to Grace. You can place them in the designated container.

A BIG "THANK YOU" TO ALL who came out yesterday to help with the spring clean-up at Grace. Your presence and efforts are greatly appreciated!

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We are looking for anyone who would be willing to co-ordinate a one-day VBS at Grace this summer. We also need people to assist with various activities. The date is yet to be determined. If you are able to help with this activity, please speak with the pastor.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW! Concordia Seminary's annual golf tournament is scheduled for Monday, June 2nd, 2014 at Sawmill Golf Course in Fenwick, beginning at 11:30 a.m. The \$100.00 per person registration fee includes BBQ lunch (sausages, hamburgers, hotdogs and a non-alcoholic beverage), green fees, golf cart, chicken/rib combo dinner, dessert and prizes. Look for a registration form in your bulletin. We are also collecting prizes; if you would like to make a donation to the prize table, please send it to the East District Office at 275 Lawrence Ave. in Kitchener, or to the seminary at 470 Glenridge Ave. in St. Catharines. Prizes need to be in by May 30th. If you would like your prize donation picked up, please contact Linda Lantz at 1-905-688-2362, ext. 22 (concordia@brocku.ca). I am also looking for committee members for the tournament.

MOTHER/DAUGHTER/FRIEND POT BLESSING DINNER will be held Tuesday, May 13th at Faith at 6:30 p.m. Please join us for an evening of fun, fellowship and good food. Ladies of all ages are welcome.



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TOM YOU WON'T BELIEVE IT I GOT FRONT ROW SEATING AGAIN OH MY GOODNESS RUN UP HERE NOW I'LL SAVE IT WHILE I CAN

THIS WEEK AT FAITH AND GRACE		
Mon.	9:30 a.m.	Office Prayers/Staff Meeting
Tues.	10:00 a.m.	Pastor Castillo at Grace
	6:30 p.m.	Confirmation (Faith)
	7:00 p.m.	Trustees
Wed.	8:00 p.m.	Council
	10:00 a.m.	Kathy Kaps at Good Shepherd
Thurs.	7:30 p.m.	Choir
	10:00 a.m.	Pastor Castillo at Grace
Sun.	5:00 p.m.	Confirmation (Grace)
	7:00 p.m.	Faith Bible Study at Anna Wissing's
	9:00 a.m.	Grace Bible Class
	9:30 a.m.	Faith Sunday School/Bible Class
	10:00 a.m.	Grace Morning Worship with Holy Communion
	11:00 a.m.	Faith Morning Worship with Holy Communion