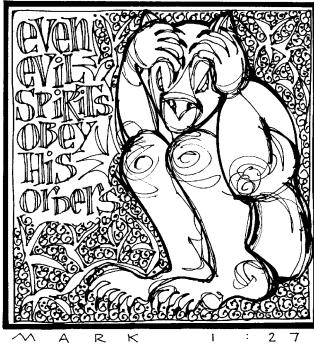


Grace Lutheran Church

24542 Melbourne Road
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Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

February 1, 2015

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: Lord Jesus Christ, You have authority over everything in heaven and on earth. May we respect Your power and trust in Your ability to overcome the forces of evil all around us.

Lord of all, protect us by Your might.

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: Confession / Absolution. p. 151
Prayer and Preaching. p. 260

HYMNS: 842; 692; 583

FIRST LESSON: Deuteronomy 18:15-20 (p.161)

EPISTLE LESSON: 1 Corinthians 8:1-13 (p.956)

GOSPEL LESSON: Mark 1:21-28 (p.836)

SERMON: "Do Not Believe Everything You Hear!" - Deuteronomy 18:15-20

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

MARCH BREAK VBS 2015: Plans are underway for the March Break VBS 2015 at Faith and volunteers are needed! The one-day VBS will be held on Wednesday, March 18th from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. The theme is "Fully Rely on God" (F.R.O.G.), so take a "Leap of Faith" and prepare to have a "hopping" good time as we share God's Word with our families and friends from the community. To volunteer, please see Judy Balasch or contact her at judybalasch@yahoo.ca



FLOWERS FOR GRACE: If you would like to bring flowers to adorn the altar on Sundays for 2015 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.

SERVING IN GOD’S HOUSE TODAY:

USHERS TODAY: Lorne & Susan Campbell

USHERS NEXT WEEK: Mia & Logan Mulligan

ELDER OF THE MONTH: Gene Makish

ALTAR GUILD: Marianne Issendorf & Betty Catanzariti

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:



Special Needs: Else Jacobsen, John and Maria Paal, Pat Phillips, Sandra Stewart, David and Imogen Strike, Sandra Stockman, Ellen Phillips, Pastor Kenneth Voege, Nancy Curtis, David Chamberlain, Frank Kleiber, Sophie Wilson, Joanna Bode, Jackson Lavers and family, Doris Jensen, Sarah Lawson, Marianne Muller, Jean Mountenay, John and Nancy Crowther, Ritva Kingo and family, Shane Harrison, Ken and Sharon Beecroft, Ellie Lawson, Marsha Kennedy, Katie Gross

Homebound: Becky Ames, Ana Greksa

Family Focus: Fred, Carolyn, Mark, Eric and Ed Neumann; John Jr., Suzanna, Michael, David and Kristen Obeda; Rev. John and Marian Obeda; Ed, Pam and Garth Oelke

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK: 26 (*14:18)

COMMUNION ATTENDANCE: 19 **BIBLE STUDY:** 5

OUR STEWARDSHIP OF GOD’S GIFTS:

Current 452.00; Missions 50.00; Building 25.00 **Praise the Lord!**



NON-BUDGET GIFTS: Memorial Fund 10.00

MEMORIALS AND SPECIAL GIFTS:

* to **Memorial Fund** in memory of *Elizabeth Edler* from Lorne and Susan Campbell



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: “The danger of Roe [v. Wade] is that it legalized the idea that MIGHT makes RIGHT.” Dr. Jean Garton, past president of Lutherans For Life – A “Life Quote” from Lutherans For Life • www.lutheransforlife.org

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES: “The Gospel’s Power for Gracious Living” (1 Corinthians 9:18-23)

Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Greg Seltz

Christ empowers His followers to live lives that encourage, affirm, and serve others. Hear this inspirational message on 1290AM CJBK on Sunday, February 8th at 9:00 a.m. Streaming audio and pod-casts at www.lutheranhour.ca

BIBLE STUDY AT GRACE: There will be Bible Study on Thursday, February 5th at Grace at 7:00 p.m. We are studying 1 Peter 4. Everyone is welcome to come and learn more about God’s love for us in Jesus Christ.

OUR FAITH/GRACE CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held at Faith on February 15th at 12:30 p.m. A lunch will be provided. We encourage all voters to be in attendance. If you are not a voting member and wish to be, please speak with chairman Dan Johnston or one of the pastors.

MISSION OF THE MONTH: Lutheran Hour Ministries

Traditional time of support for the Lutheran Hour and Lutheran Television throughout the Synod.



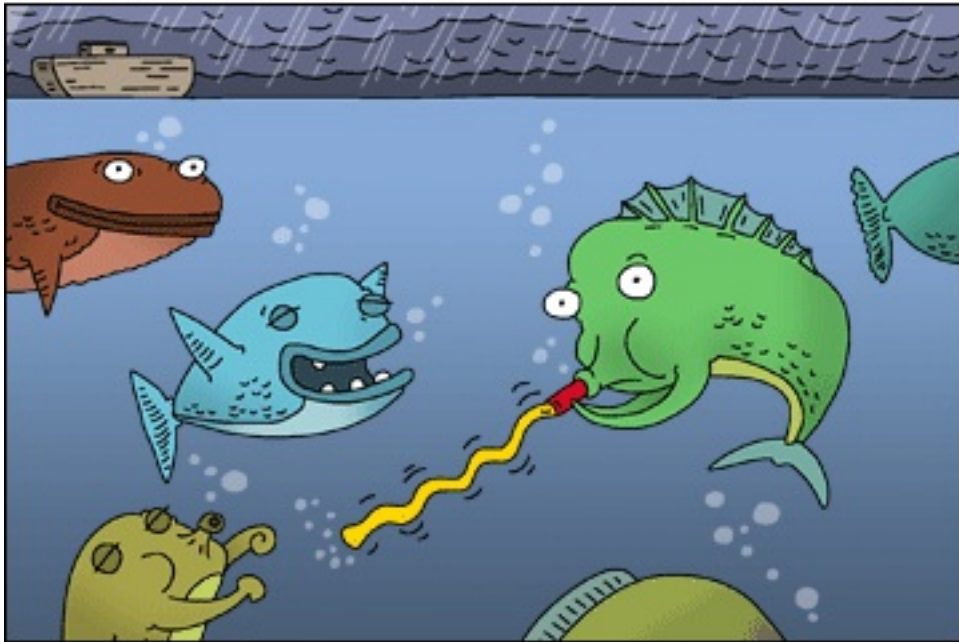
PLEASE JOIN MARTHA FONGER AND THE LADIES OF FAITH/GRACE for a Valentine Luncheon in the dining room of her residence @ Royalcliffe Retirement Residence, 609 Wharncliffe Road South, London on Saturday, February 14th, 2015 at 12:30 p.m. Cost is \$15.00 per person (at the door). Please speak with the

pastor if you would like to attend or call the church office to have your name added to the list. This will ensure that the chef knows the quantity of food to prepare.

SHROVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER will be held Tuesday, February 17th from 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at Faith. A free will offering will be taken and proceeds will be directed to the Love Fund.

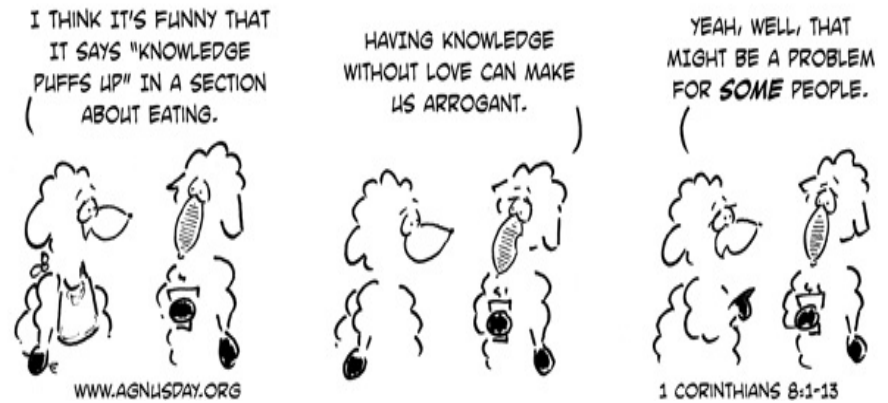


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THIS WEEK AT FAITH AND GRACE

- Mon.** 9:30 a.m. Office Prayers
- Tues.** 10:00 a.m. Pastor Castillo at Grace
- 6:30 p.m. Confirmation (Faith)
- Wed.** 10:00 a.m. Bible Study at Faith
- 6:30 p.m. Chimers
- 7:30 p.m. Choir
- Thurs.** 10:00 a.m. Pastor Castillo at Grace
- 7:00 p.m. Grace Bible Study at Grace
- Sat.** 9:00 a.m. Trustees' breakfast
- 4:00 p.m. Estudio Biblico en Español
- Sun.** 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