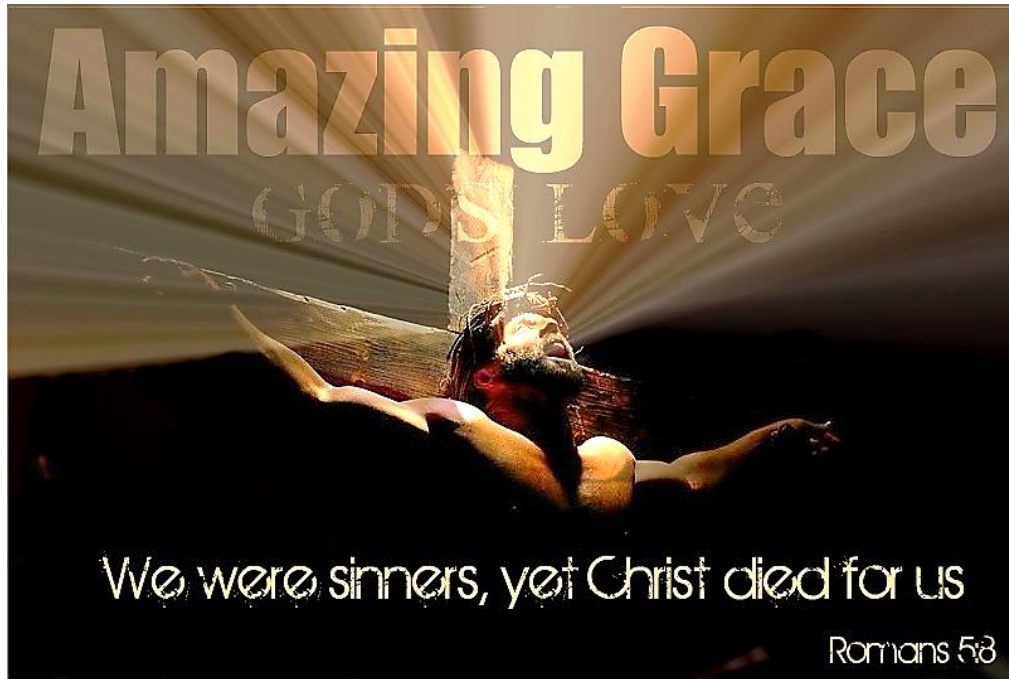




Tidings of Grace Weekly Newsletter

September 13, 2019



Verse of the Week: Luke 15:2

“And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, ‘This man receives sinners and eats with them.’” Thanks be to God: Jesus receives us sinners. What the Pharisees can’t understand, we praise with all our being. We live by the grace of God. The more of it we receive, the more we will want to conform ourselves to the image of our generous and gracious Lord. Knowing the Lord and trusting Him come first, and the desire to imitate Him cannot help but follow.

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Shepherd’s Ministry Pew Cards

Please use the Shepherd’s Ministry pew cards to list the names of those not present in church on Sunday. Upon completion, place the card in the offering plate or contact Nancy Hess. We’d like to let those absent know that they are missed.

News and Events

**Denotes updated information

****Prayer for the Persecuted Church: India**

Pray for those translating children's Bibles and other Bibles into various languages.

Portals of Prayer Reminder

Portals of Prayer devotional booklets, for the months of October through December, will be available this Sunday. These booklets are complimentary to you from the church and can be found on various tables throughout the foyers and narthex.

* Four large print books are available on a first come, first served basis.

Grace Kitchen

Roseann Costantino would like to pass along that the kitchen is still needing paper towels. Thank you to those who have contributed so far.



Matthew 25 Ministries Tour

On Thursday, September 26, I have a visit planned to tour *Mathew 25 Ministries* at 10:30 a.m. We will have to leave the church by 8:45 a.m. *Mathew 25 Ministries* is the organization for which we collect pill bottles. If anyone is interested in joining the tour, please see Diane Jergens at church on Sunday or email me at, dmjergens11@gmail.com. *Matthew 25 Ministries* will accommodate 10 people for the tour. Thank you all for your support. Our church members truly have big hearts!

~ Diane Jergens

Grace Flower Beds

As the fall season approaches we enjoy the last of the blooming plants of summer. Many thanks to those who have diligently maintained our flower beds throughout the year. Watering, weeding, and trimming take time and we have several stewards who take care of these plants, preserving God's beautiful creation. Your efforts are appreciated.

~ Gretchen Walther



GLC Annual Diaper Drive Becomes A Baby Shower!

The Benevolence Committee has decided to change the name of our annual *Diaper Drive* to *Baby Shower for MVWC*. The need for items, in addition to diapers, has changed the focus of our annual project. The MVWC is currently in need of the following: new or used items: 24M -5T clothes, infant/toddler shoes sizes 9-13, hooded towels, washcloths. New items needed include: diapers size 6, pull-ups all sizes, girls crib sheets, baby health care kits. Other sizes of diapers, baby wash, baby lotion, baby

clothes, blankets, and other baby related items are always welcome. A playpen will be located in the front entry way of the church for these items the whole month of October. If you have questions see Gretchen Walther.



West Carrollton Food Panty Needs

The food pantry is in need of the following items: Peanut butter, jelly, crackers, spaghetti sauce, and canned peas. Be a blessing to those less fortunate, please consider donating. A labeled basket can be found in the hall outside of the kitchen for your items. Thank you.

Needs for Jeremiah's Letter

One of our benevolence organizations, *Jeremiah's Letter*, is in need of the following items: manual can openers, pots/pans, and silverware. Diane Jergens will have a labeled bin placed near the kitchen for your items. Thank you for helping support the many ministries of God in the Dayton area!

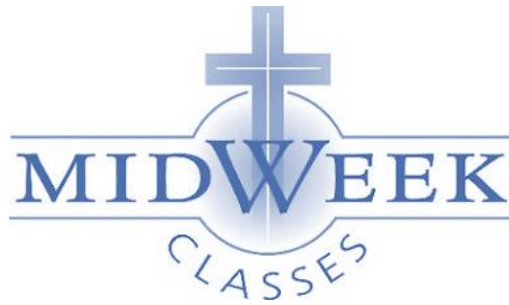
A Conversation about Haydn's "Creation"

Star City Music Studios is excited to announce a rare opportunity to experience the best of the arts that Dayton has to offer! Join us on September 22, 1:45 p.m. at Discover Classical for a behind-the-scenes tour of Dayton's only 24-hour classical music radio station. After the tour, we'll enjoy a lecture on Haydn's "Creation" oratorio by Aaron Mood, followed by a performance of "Creation" by the combined talents of the Dayton Philharmonic, the Philharmonic and Opera Choruses, and Dayton Ballet. The tour and lecture are free; tickets to the DPAA performance will be available at a discounted price. Contact Samee or Aaron Mood for more details.

****September 15-21 Shepherd's Ministry Contact(s): Shirley Gordon (435-0092)**

Joyce Mears (866-3196)

This ministry exists to take the love of Christ to the sick and homebound. Please contact the weekly listed member(s) above if you know of anyone in the congregation needing a visit and/or communion.



All classes held at Grace unless otherwise noted.

Adult Sunday School

9:00 a.m. – Todd Hampson's, "The Non-Prophets Guide to End Times Prophecy."

Wednesday Evening Bible Study

7:00 p.m. – Todd Hampson's, "The Non-Prophets Guide to End Times Prophecy."

Friday Women's Prayer & Bible Study

9:30 a.m. - Melissa Spoelstra's, "Elijah ~ Spiritual Stamina in Every Season".

Women of Grace

10:30 a.m. – Meetings, held on the fourth Monday of each month, are open to all women of the congregation; informal with a brief inspirational presentation, light refreshments, and plenty of fellowship.

Men's Fellowship Group

10:00 a.m. – Meeting the first and third Saturday of each month. All men are invited to enjoy a time of prayer, Bible study, and fellowship.



Happy Birthday!

- 1 - John Michael
- 4 – Bill Mobley
- 6 – Diane Jergens
- 7 – Jason Rice
 Aaron Mood
- 10 – Joshua Pfeiffer
- 13 – Tom Teague
- 18 – Gary Ross
- 26 – Annemarie Stein
- 27 – Mark Eastman

September Servant Schedule

	<u>Assistant Minister</u>	<u>Reader</u>
September 1	N'Anne Knight	Gary Ross
September 8	Sandy Rice	Bob Wheeler
September 15	Joe Costantino	Julie Hohulin
September 22	Sandy Rice	Steve Gross
September 29	Joe Costantino	Josh Pfeiffer

Sunday, September 15 Servants:

Sermon: Pastor Phil Hohulin

Usher/Greeter: Bill & Evie Wheeler

Communion: Joe & Roseann Costantino

Choir Director: Cynthia Michael

Organist: Aaron Mood

Pianist: Samee Griffith-Mood

Violinist: Bill Slusser

Children's Nursery: Deb Ross

September Calendar of Events

Sunday, September 1 12 th Sunday of Pentecost	10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service Fellowship
Monday, September 2		
Tuesday, September 3		
Wed., September 4		
Thursday, September 5		
Friday, September 6	9:30 -11:30 a.m.	Women's Prayer & Bible Study
Sat., September 7	10:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m.	Men's Fellowship Choir Blitz
Sunday, September 8 13 th Sunday of Pentecost	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.	Sunday School Traditional Worship Service Fellowship Choir Practice Southwest OH Mission District Evening of Worship & Celebration
Monday, September 9		
Tuesday, September 10		
Wed., September 11	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study
Thursday, September 12		
Friday, September 13	9:30 -11:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Women's Prayer & Bible Study Music & Worship Meeting
Sat., September 14	10:00 a.m.	Rosalie Wasson Memorial Service
Sunday, September 15 14 th Sunday of Pentecost	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	Sunday School Traditional Worship Service Fellowship Choir Practice
Monday, September 16	6:30 p.m.	Council Meeting
Tuesday, September 17		
Wed., September 18	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study
Thursday, September 19		
Friday, September 20	9:30 -11:30 a.m.	Women's Prayer & Bible Study
Sat., September 21	11:30 - 3:00 p.m.	Church Picnic
Sunday, September 22 15 th Sunday of Pentecost	9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.	Sunday School Traditional Worship Service Fellowship Choir Practice
Monday, September 23	10:30 a.m.	Women of Grace
Tuesday, September 24		
Wed., September 25	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study

Thursday, September 26	8:45 a.m.	Matthew 25 Ministries Tour
Friday, September 27	9:30 -11:30 a.m.	Women's Prayer & Bible Study
Sat., September 28	10:00 a.m.	Men's Fellowship
Sunday, September 29	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship Service
	11:30 a.m.	Fellowship
16 th Sunday of Pentecost	12:30 p.m.	Choir Practice
Monday, September 30		

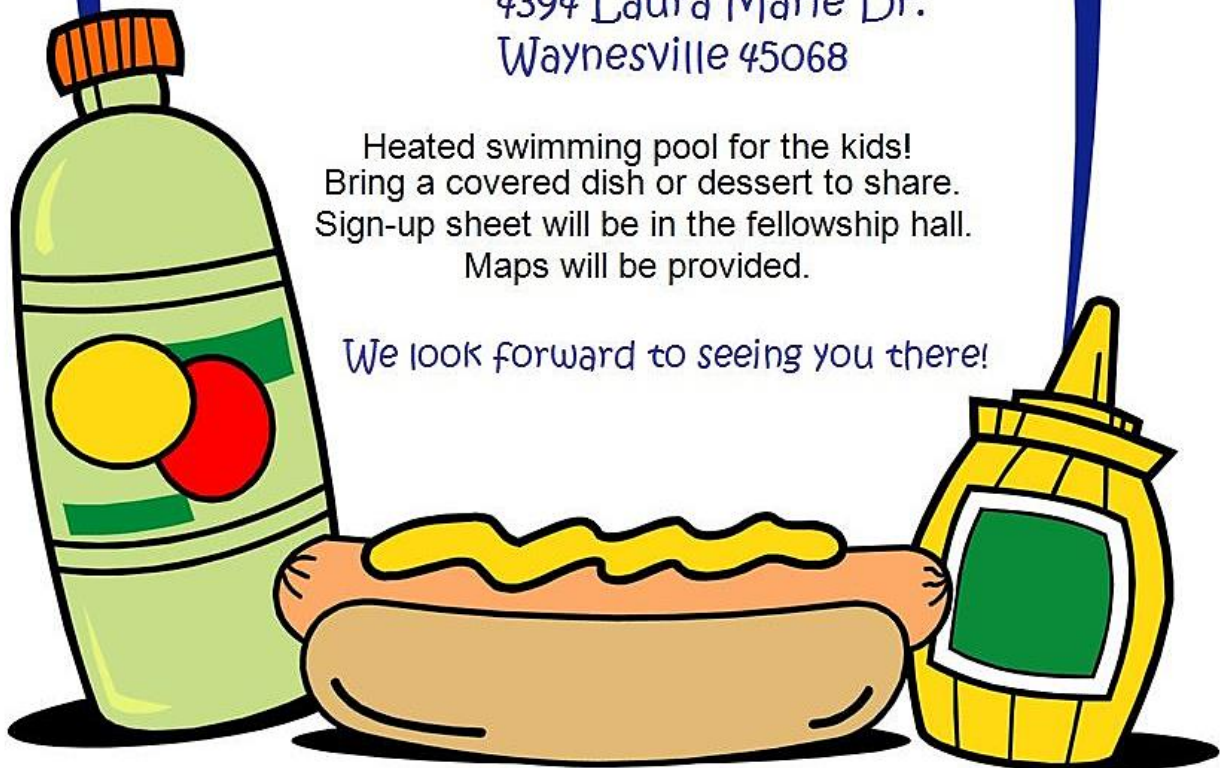
Church Picnic!

When: Sat., September 21
11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Where: Pfeiffer Home
4394 Laura Marie Dr.
Waynesville 45068

Heated swimming pool for the kids!
Bring a covered dish or dessert to share.
Sign-up sheet will be in the fellowship hall.
Maps will be provided.

We look forward to seeing you there!





*Denotes Grace Member

Our Member's Prayer Concerns:

Jacob (Last name withheld) – Leukemia diagnosis (Friend of Mick & Pam Mehlhorn)

Lynda Bragg – complications from Goodpasture Syndrome (Nancy Oliver)

***N'Anne Knight** – foot surgery recovery (N'Anne Knight)

***Nancy Hess** – broken leg (per Bill Wheeler) recovery and rehab (Paul Hess)

Family and Friends in our Hearts:

Ryan Morgan (Mary Kay Reed), **Chris Baker** (Barb Baker), **Paul & Sylvia Yeager** (Jay & Judy Yeager)

Those with Continuing Health Concerns:

Judy Yeager, **Lynda Bragg** (Nancy Oliver), **Janet Dovayak** (Shirley Pappas), **Robin Jergens** (Diane Jergens), **Ryan Adams** (Don Stamm), **Sally Fiste** (N'Anne Knight), **Irene Bartus** (Deb Ross), **Joe Costantino Sr.** (Joe Costantino), **Farralee Baldwin** (Becky Reinhart), **Mary Welker** (Sandy Rice), **Judy Andrews** (Joyce Mears), **Kaye Lenz** (Joyce Mears), **Georgene Bonsteel** (Becky Reinhart), **Fran McDaniel** (Roseann Costantino), **Lore Anders** (Shirley Gordon), **Robin Connellee** (N'Anne Knight), **Cindy Puskar** (Becky Reinhart), **Gary Rothermel** (Annemarie Stein), **Yvonne Becker** (Joyce Mears), **Clayton Daniels** (Cassie Pfeiffer), **Lois Costantino** (Roseann Costantino)

Those Confined to Care:

Ada Doty (aunt of Roseann Costantino)

Those Serving in the Military:

Josh Weiland, Cian Morgan