Grace United Methodist Church



October 12, 2025 - 10:00AM

Order of Worship – 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Grace United Methodist Church is a Family of Faith striving to share God's love with all.

*Please Stand If You Are Able

Opening Voluntary - "Prelude in C Major, BWV 531" by J. S. Bach

Welcome/Greetings

Choral Introit

*Opening Hymn # 368 - "My Hope Is Built"

THE SOLID ROCK

*Call to Worship

L: People of Faith, come and see what God has done!

P: God has guided us and walked with us.

L: See how God has protected us.

P: God has brought us to this sacred space.

L: Let us give glory to God!

P: Let us sing praises to God!

*Opening Prayer

Holy One, we gather to sing your praises! We are grateful for the gift of this day and all the ways you make your presence known. We are grateful for your abiding Spirit and the ways the Spirit empowers us to be your people. In this time or worship, deepen our faith. Restore our souls and heal us. After we have spent time with you, return us to our community, that we may share your love and grace with everyone we meet. In the name of Christ, we pray. Amen.

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, there are times in our lives when we turn away from you, when we mess up, when we push aside the needs of our community, and when we ignore your presence in our lives. It is during these times that we cry out, "Have mercy on us!" In your loving, forgiving way, you reach out to heal us, forgive us, and renew us. May your everlasting faith strengthen our resolve to follow Christ's ways. Amen.

Words of Assurance

Brothers and sisters, siblings in Christ, hear the words Jesus spoke to the leper: "Your faith has made you well." In the name of Christ, you are forgiven, renewed, and loved. Thanks be to God!

Passing of the Peace of Christ

L: The living Christ is here with us!

P: Praise be to God!

L: May the peace of Christ dwell deeply in our souls.

P: We will share this peace with the entire community.

L: Let us do so now.

Children's Message

Rev. Eumin Kim

Scriptures

Old Testament – Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 (NIV)

This is the text of the letter that the prophet Jeremiah sent from Jerusalem to the surviving elders among the exiles and to the priests, the prophets and all the other people Nebuchadnezzar had carried into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon. ⁴ This is what the Lord Almighty, the God of Israel, says to all those I carried into exile from Jerusalem to Babylon: ⁵ "Build houses and settle down; plant gardens and eat what they produce. ⁶ Marry and have sons and daughters; find wives for your sons and give your daughters in marriage, so that they too may have sons and daughters. Increase in number there; do not decrease. ⁷ Also, seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper."

L: The Word of God, For the People of God. P: Thanks be to God.

*Gospel Reading – Luke 17:11-19 (NIV)

¹¹ Now on his way to Jerusalem, Jesus traveled along the border between Samaria and Galilee. ¹² As he was going into a village, ten men who had leprosy met him. They stood at a distance ¹³ and called out in a loud voice, "Jesus, Master, have pity on us!" ¹⁴ When he saw them, he said, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." And as they went, they were cleansed. ¹⁵ One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. ¹⁶ He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked him—and he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ Jesus asked, "Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine? ¹⁸ Has no one returned to give praise to God except this foreigner?" ¹⁹ Then he said to him, "Rise and go; your faith has made you well."

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*Hymn before the Sermon # #2203 - "In His Time" (Sing Twice)

(The Faith We Sing Hymnal)

GOD'S TIME

Sermon – "Our Faithful Response in Good Times and Tough Times" Rev. Eumin Kim

Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Tithes and Offering

God has done amazing things in our lives! Now is the time to offer our gratitude for all the blessings we have received. With thanks and praise, let us offer our gifts to God.

Anthem - "The Summons" arr. John L. Bell and Gary Daigle

Gracious God, we come to say thank you for all the ways you bring forth life and health and renewal. Bless these gifts, that they may bring forth life and healing in our community. Amen.

^{*}Hymn No. 95 - Presentation of the Offering

^{*}Prayer of Dedication

*Closing Hymn # 377 - "It Is Well With My Soul"

VILLE DU HAVRE

*Dismissal with Blessing

Closing Voluntary - "Galeries ancien" by Dennis Janzer



FLOWERS HAVE BEEN GIVEN TODAY "In loving Memory of my parents Charles and Helen Phillip" by Eleanor Phillip

Pastors: Rev. Eumin Kim

Rev. Prumeh Lee

Liturgist/Reader: Coleen Murray

Director of Music: Drew Banzhoff

Counting Team: Debbie Nicosia

Ushers: Everett Fitch, Carol Provenzano, Mike Provenzano

Audio-Tech: Brandon Gauntlett

Nalli Medina (student of Naomi Brown), ♥Barbara Woodford, ♥Pat Panzarino, ♥Sonia Elliott, ♥Family of Darreyl Avery Johnson, ♥Amanda Brown (Naomi Brown's mother), ♥Diane Rutledge (Naomi Brown's aunt), ♥George and Jeanne Simmons, ♥Maudlyn Scarlett, ♥Marianne and Don Pike, ♥Jerry Noble (Tom Noble's dad), ♥Lionel Brown, ♥Chris Ukanwoke, ♥Diane Vitacco, ♥Heather Manning (friend of Kim Neri), ♥SofiaRose Curry (relative of Sing Larson), ♥Edie Zipperlen, ♥Mary Flynn (mom) and Maureen Andersen (daughter), ♥Manny Kurz, ♥Debbielee Thomsen, ♥Cliff McBride (friend of Debbielee Thomsen), ♥Everon Palmer (son of Enid Simpson), ♥Carol Whyte, ♥Winston Scarlett (brother-in-law of Maudlvn Scarlett), ♥Jennifer LaRochelle (friend of Kim Neri), ♥David Biegler, Michael Kurz, Vin Dowling, Garvin Phillip (nephew of Eleanor Phillip), ♥Elaine Treske, ♥Marilyn Eller (sister of Elaine Treske), ♥Jim Poch, ♥All our Military men and women, ♥Barbara Siegl, ♥All UMW in Rehabilitation and Nursing Homes, ♥Castells Family (family of Elaine Treske, ♥Evelyn Neber (friend of Elaine Treske). Note: Prayer List names will continue to be listed for two weeks. After that period of time, the names will be removed unless you call us with current information. † - Death in family, ♦ - New entry

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