



welcome to  
**Grace Mennonite Fellowship**  
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*"For it is by grace you have been saved,  
through faith – and this is not from  
yourselves, it is the gift of God." Ephesians 2:8, NIV*

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**May 26, 2024 Sunday School 9am Worship Service 10am**

**Office hours: Tues & Thurs. 10-2**

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**Pastor Joshua Cox/919-616-7782/revjoshcox@gmail.com**

***We welcome Pastor Richard Early as our speaker this morning!***

***"Why do we choose to Remember?"***

***Luke 22:19***

***Welcome to all guests this morning! We are glad you are here!  
We look forward to seeing you again!***

**Announcements**

**Keith Bly, Worship Leader**

**Opening Prayer & Call to Worship**

**Music**

**Offering**

**Dismiss Children for Children's Church**

**Message**

**Pastor Richard Early**

**Music**

**Sharing Time**

**Benediction**

***Please turn your cell phones off or silence them during the service.  
Wifi Network: Connect to Graceguest Password JesusSaves***

	May 26	June 2
<b>PREACHING</b>	<b>Pastor Richard</b>	<b>Pastor Josh</b>
<b>WORSHIP LEADER</b>	<b>Keith Bly</b>	<b>Loyd Whetzel</b>
<b>CHILDREN'S CHURCH</b> <b>PreK-3rd Grade</b>	<b>Stratton family</b>	<b>Angelique Liskey &amp; Logan Dorenzo</b>
<b>4<sup>th</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday's</b>	_____	<b>Pastor LaShonda &amp; Ginger Brubaker</b>
<b>TODDLER ROOM</b>	<b>Quinlan family</b>	<b>Lam family</b>

## ***ANNOUNCEMENTS***

**\*If you have something you want to put in the bulletin or an announcement for Sunday morning, be sure to email the information to the church by Wednesday evening. Emails only to: [gracemenofellowship@gmail.com](mailto:gracemenofellowship@gmail.com)**

**-The Pantry** is closed on Monday for Memorial Day but will be open regular hours on Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup>.

**-Children's Church for 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders** will begin next Sunday. Remember, they will meet on the first & third Sundays.

**-“Philly Trip”** has been cancelled. However, **Rock the Block** is scheduled for Aug 9-11. Again, talk to Pastor LaShonda if you are interested in going.

**-Please remember...when using the church**, all lights need to be cut off. Whoever is in charge of the event or meeting needs to do a walk-through and check the building. Make sure outside doors are locked too. Thanks!

**Highland Campout is June 28-30.** Mark your calendar and get ready! It's a time for us to have the Grace Days of Connection again! It's the best time to know each other! And staying overnight - in whatever accommodations is the easiest way! But if you can't stay or don't want to stay, consider spending all day! Kids activities, games, conversation, laughs and fun! Saturday is the best potluck around! Be there or be square! Oh-and did you know?! The pastor has a special Highland fork. And he is allowed to move from site to site tasting your delicious food but he must have his fork to enjoy any!



**MAY BIRTHDAYS**  
 29 Kacey Lam, CL Russell  
 30 Sydney Layman

***GIVING AT GRACE***

**Easy Tithe Totals**

**Attendance Last Sunday: 153**  
**Attendance 1 year ago: 138**

**All Giving Last Sunday: \$2882**

**Breakdown of Last Sunday  
To Budget Items**

**General Fund: \$2582**

**Philippines: \$100**

**Compassion Fund: \$200**

<i>General Fund</i>			
<i>Pantry</i>			
<i>L. Stand</i>			
<i>VCM</i>			
<i>Philippines</i>			
<i>Compassion</i>			
<i>Youth</i>			
<i>Totals</i>			

**Prayers and Praises from May 19**

**Prayers for the following:** Dana Shields, Jesse Fedden, Cox family, Bruce Deeter, Wimer family, Stratton family, International Students at EMU.

**Praises:** Caelin Martin!

**Please remember those in assisted living or home bound:**

Sharon Ritchie, Frances Showalter, Paul & Catherine Mishler, Millie Early.



Lacey Spring Food Pantry

***Our Pantry is here for anyone in need of food. If you know someone that is struggling with food insecurities, please let them know that we are here to help!***

***Please don't let you or your neighbors go hungry...come see us!  
 Open every Monday. We are open from 1pm and close at 5:30pm.  
 There are many volunteers that are right here in this congregation.  
 Talk to any of us about the Pantry.***



**Vertical Connections Ministry**

*Available on Mondays from 10am-2pm  
along with our Food Pantry here at  
Grace Mennonite Fellowship.*

*For more information, talk to Glen Adams.*

**Grace Mennonite Fellowship**

**Mission Statement**

**We will endeavor to faithfully give ourselves to prayer, worship, and study of the Bible. We acknowledge that God invites us to practice love, forgiveness, and hospitality to all humanity. We commit ourselves to invite others to faith in Jesus and to seek God's peace in our homes, work, neighborhoods, & the world.**

**Grace Mennonite Fellowship**

**Vision Statement**

**God calls us to be followers of Jesus Christ and, by the power of the Holy Spirit, to grow as a witnessing community of love, grace, joy and peace; so that God's healing and hope flow through us to the world.**

**VISITORS/MEMBERS/ATTENDEES**

If you would like a call from our Pastor or one of our Elders, please leave your name and contact info here and please leave this in the offering plate or hand it to one of our ushers.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_