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July 21, 2024

Sunday School 9am Worship Service 10am Office hours: Tues & Thurs, 10-2

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

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

Announcements

Sherwin Tusing, Worship Leader

Opening Prayer & Call to Worship

Music

Offering

Dismiss Children for Children's Church

Message: Pastor Josh "Leading With Humility" Philippians 2

Music

Sharing Time

Benediction

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

"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

	July 21	July 28	
PREACHING	Pastor Josh	Pastor Josh	
WORSHIP LEADER	Sherwin Tusing	Keith Bly	
CHILDREN'S CHURCH	Mathias	Roes &	
PreK-3rd Grade	Matinas	Nesselrodt	
4 th -5th Grade	Russell &		
1st & 3rd Sunday's	Brubaker		
TODDLER ROOM	Welsh & deJongh	Quinlan	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*If you have something you want to put in the bulletin or an announcement for Sunday morning, be sure to <u>email</u> the information to the church by Wednesday evening. Emails only to:

gracemennofellowship@gmail.com

Monday: Food Pantry/Clothing Ministry **Thursday:** Middle School Girls Meet

- **-Children's Ministry Meeting today July 21**st right after church. This is for all volunteers involved with this ministry or anyone wanting to help.
- **-Rock the Block** is scheduled for Aug 9-11. Talk to Pastor LaShonda if you are interested in going.
- **-Care Team is having our annual Senior Luncheon** in September. More details to come.
- **-New Member Class:** Coming up in August. Sign-up sheet is by the mailboxes. Please sign up asap if you are interested!
- -Credentialing Celebration on September 14th from 5PM-8PM, here at Grace for everyone in our new Blue Ridge District. This will include the recognition of credentialing for each of the pastors in our churches and the bishops. We will have bishop elders from LMC and anyone who would like to attend from the Blue Ridge District churches to celebrate with us as guests. Everyone is invited to bring side dishes, a meat will be provided. Schedule will be: 5PM Dinner, 6:30PM worship, Ice Cream following worship.
- -Associate Pastor search has begun! The Search Committee has been formed: Chris Grim, Chairman; Brian Bly, Elder Chair; Margaret Palmer, Council Chair; Chris Mathias & Pam Zens, members at large. Please talk to anyone of them if you have comments/suggestions.
- **-Josh Bacon has stepped down as Council Chair.** Chan Gingerich will finish out Josh's term. Thank you Josh for time spent as Council Chair.

JULY BIRTHDAY'S

24 Carl Callahan 25 Judy Comer 27 Larry Davis 30 Wayne Showalter 31 Butch Delp, Levi Coffman

GIVING AT GRACE

Easy Tithe Totals

Attendance Last Sunday: 122 Attendance 1 year ago: 106

All Giving Last Sunday: \$2990

Breakdown of Last Sunday
<u>To Budget Items</u>
General Fund: \$2190

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	April	May	June
General Fund	2970	2870	2950
Pantry	390	560	660
L. Stand	50	40	40
VCM	45	45	65
Philippines	90	90	90
Compassion	120	135	45
Youth	25	350	0
Totals	3690	4090	3850

Prayers and Praises from July 14

<u>Prayers for the following</u>: Mariah Clement, Margie Clement & Melinda Armentrout as they travel, Ossi Armentrout, Wren Whetzel, William Smith, Aaron & Sallie, Logan & TJ Wooddell.

Praises: Highland Retreat

<u>Please remember those in assisted living or home bound:</u> Sharon Ritchie, Frances Showalter, Paul & Catherine Mishler, Millie Early.



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 #:	 	