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#### March 16, 2025 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!

Prelude

Welcome & Opening Prayer

Brian Bly, Worship Leader

Music

Announcements

Offering

**Dismiss Children for Children's Church** 

## Message: Pastor Josh Cox "Fasting, Prayer & Treasures" Matthew 6:1-24

Hymn

**Sharing Time** 

Benediction

Ear buds back are available at the sound booth for those that need hearing assistance.

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

	March 16	March 23
PREACHING	Pastor Josh	Pastor LaShonda
WORSHIP LEADER	Brian Bly	Mike Oswald
CHILDREN'S CHURCH PreK-3rd Grade	Pastor LaShonda & Renee' deJongh	Denise & Kacey Lam
Jr. Church 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday's	Ginger Brubaker & Billie Jo Mohler	
TODDLER ROOM	Joe & Sheila Garber	Johnny & Brittany Quinlan

## March Birthdays

21 Payden Mathias 23 Ellie Stratton

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\*Announcements for the bulletin need to be *emailed* to the church by Wednesday evening: gracemennofellowship@gmail.com

-Chocolate Covered Easter Eggs are being made again this year! The proceeds will go to our new playground. Orders in by March 30<sup>th</sup>. Pick up is April 10<sup>th</sup>. Forms are in the bulletin today.

#### Liz Landis Will be moving to Crestwood soon. Here is her address: 140 Virginia Avenue, Room 314, Harrisonburg, VA 22802 Rhonor 540, 433, 7317. I'm ours che would leve to have some visitered

**-Family Movie Nite, March 22, 5:30pm**. Showing the movie "Encanto! There will be ice cream with all the toppings and popcorn! Bring your friends too.

-There will be a meeting for <u>all Worship Leaders</u> on March 30<sup>th</sup> immediately after the service. Please plan to attend.

-Mennonite Women of Virginia's first gathering of 2025 will be on Annual Missions Day at Lindale Mennonite Church on Saturday, April 26. The event starts at 8:30 am with fellowship and coffee and will conclude with lunch together around 1 pm.

-Ladies, mark your calendar for June 21<sup>st</sup>. We will be having a Ladies Retreat here at Grace. Details are coming soon!

-VBS! Save the Date for June 22-26. More details to come!

-A few weeks ago, Woody Driver shared about the work being done with MDS. If you would like to donate to the local MDS unit, you can donate thru GMF and it will be forwarded. Earmark your check to MDS.

-Save the date 2025 Mennonite Women of Virginia Retreat, Oct 31- Nov 2. We heard your feedback and have made a change in location this year! It will be held at the Skelton 4-H Center, located east of Roanoke, near a lake and hiking. More information and details to come.

## THIS WEEK...

Sunday: Monday: Food Pantry, Clothing Ministry; Elders Tuesday: CC Home School Group; Church Cleaning Wednesday: Church Council Thursday: Ladies Luncheon at Vinney's 11:30am Friday: Saturday: Youth Movie Nite



## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN FAMILY MINISTRY

## <u>Children's Church News</u>

As a parent, have you wondered what your children will be learning today in Children's Church? Today's lesson...

"Jesus Accepts" Scripture: Luke 19:1-10

**Prayers**: Shirley-Chris Grim's mom; Butch Delp; Liz Landis; Quinlan family; Dustin (Jennifer Crouse's son); Praises for Mariah Clement! **Remember our shut-ins**: Dan & Flo Benner, Frances Showalter, Sharon Ritchie, Paul & Catherine Mishler, Millie Early.

## **GIVING**...

<u>Attendance</u> Last Sunday: 116 One year ago: 132 <u>All Giving Last Sunday</u>: \$3112 <u>Breakdown of Last Sunday</u> General Fund: \$3012 Philippines: \$100



# <u>Ministries of Grace</u>

**GMF Philippines Learning Center** 

Grace has a school in the Philippines, that is for 3-5 year old children. We have been supporting them since 1999. For more information, please talk to Wayne & Joanne Showalter.



If you know someone in need of food, have them talk to us. We are here to help! We are a mission here at Grace Mennonite Fellowship.

<u>Vertical Connections Ministry</u> Available on Mondays from 10am-2pm. For more information, talk to Glen Adams.



VERTICAL CONNECTION MINISTRIES MOBILE CLOTHES BANK 540-405-1568

# **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.

#### 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 flowthrough us to the world.