

♪♪ GRACE NOTES ♪♪

March/April 2021

Pastor Mark's Article—March & April 2021

As I write this, I can hardly believe it has been a year that we have been dealing with this pandemic. We have all been through a lot...and in a sense, we can all call ourselves survivors. In the Bible we are promised, "to those who overcome/endure...I will give to them the tree of life....in the paradise of God." (Revelation 2:7)

As your pastor, I ask myself, "What resources can we draw upon to help us in our faith journey?"

To me lately, I have called upon humor and old Gospel Songs.

In regards to humor, I'll share a little sign that was in our screening room at the nursing home. It said, "I got tested for patience...and I was negative!"

In regards to Gospel music, I remind myself of the song "Children Don't Get Weary." The day in and day out case numbers and death counts...can get anyone weary. Trying to stream and view our worship services online can get tiresome. However, this song gives us the example of Jesus who "he died for you and me...Yes, he died upon the tree...And he was not weary...till his work was done." And then it urges us to *walk and sing and don't get weary...till our work is done.*

And in the words of another gospel song, "He Never Has Left Me Alone." The words go:

Since I gave to Jesus...my poor broken heart...he never has left me alone

Since I for the homeland eternal...did sought...he never has left me alone

When sorrows have taken...taken my heart by surprise...Jesus never left me alone

It seems to me that COVID took most of the world by surprise...but even-so...it wasn't a surprise to Jesus...and he has never left us alone.

So, let us not grow weary and seek to do the work of the church together...Pastor Mark

PS: For more analysis of the power of music and faith, I'd recommend the theologian and author James Cone who wrote *The Spirituals and the Blues* and *The Cross and the Lynching Tree*.



Dear Friends,

I am writing to you to request your thoughtful prayer. As we begin the year 2021, the finances of our congregation are at the forefront of our concerns as a Consistory. For years, we have not been paying our bills primarily through offering. We have had to use our investments to cover monthly bills and needed repairs and improvements. It is very difficult to prepare and meet an annual budget.

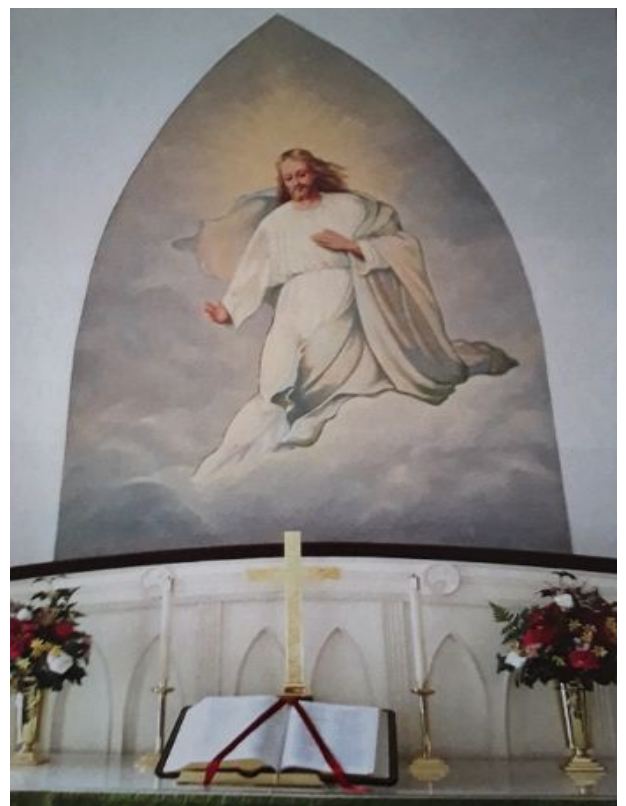
It has been a long time since we have asked you to consider your commitment to tithe/give offering regularly. This is a faith-based decision for each of us. I invite you to prayerfully consider how you have been blessed by God and how God, in turn, has led you to generously share these blessings with God's church. We are not asking you to complete a pledge card. We are asking you to give what you are able to give and be consistent in your giving even when you are unable to attend in person.

We have a beautiful, historical building that houses a faithful congregation who is actively doing God's work in our community. Please take some time to reflect and pray on your personal tithing/giving to continue the ministry of the congregation at Grace Church.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Margaret Stouffer

President of Consistory



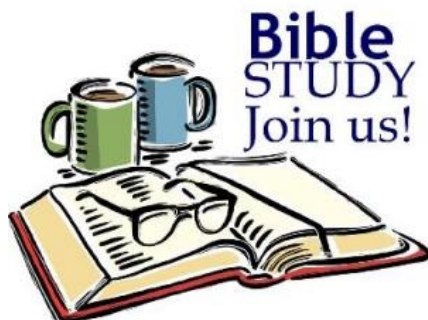
Live Streaming of Worship

Live streaming of our services will continue for those who view from the comfort of your home. You will be able to access the service through our Facebook page, Grace United Church of Christ at:
<https://www.facebook.com/GraceChurchGreencastle/>



LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Our six-week Lenten Bible study has begun on Wednesday evenings, they started this past week, February 24 and will continue through March 31st, at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. We will be studying "24 Hours that Changed the World" by Rev. Adam Hamilton. If you still have your book from last year, please bring it along or drop it off at the church office for others to use. Pastor Mark and Marg Stouffer will be the facilitators. Everyone welcome to join us!



Activities & Fundraising News

We're Back . . .

First Saturday Free Community Meal

Saturday, March 6th

11AM – 1PM

A Grab and Go lunch to pick up in the Social Hall

Menu includes:

Steamers, chips, applesauce, brownie, and water

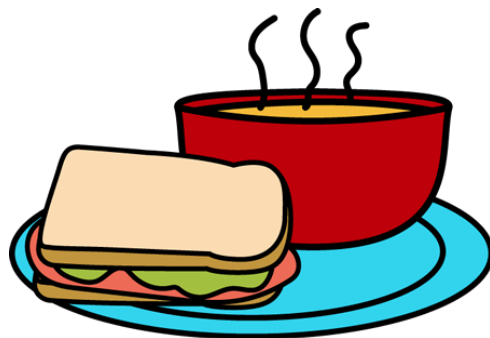
If you are homebound church member and would like a lunch delivered, please call Elaine at the church office.

Everyone Welcome. Donations Appreciated.



Ham Sandwich and Soup Sale

Mark your calendar for April 15th for our ham sandwich and soup sale! Join us in selling and making our delicious ham sandwiches and two kinds of soups: chicken corn soup & ham and bean soup. Sandwiches are \$3.50 each and soups are being sold by the pint for \$2.50 or by the quart for \$5. Sandwiches will be made and available to be picked up on April 15th starting at 12 noon, in the social hall. Order forms will be available later in March. Deadline to place orders is April 11th. Payment is due at time of pick-up. We accept cash or checks (with valid ID). Checks can be made payable to Grace UCC. If you can help us out or have further questions, please contact Chet Nye or call the church office.



ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

The theme for the 2021 One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS) offering is "Let Love Flow". When you share your gifts to OGHS, you Let Love Flow. The gifts you give to OGHS are leveraged with those of others across the UCC bringing a greater impact to the work being done with local and global partners. Your support enables the Wider Church Ministries to respond to a variety of concerns by addressing advocacy, sustainable development, refugee and asylum issues, migration, and disasters. Your generosity ensures that, even in the midst of uncertainty, the transforming power of love will continue to help and change lives of those who are most vulnerable among us.

We will be receiving offerings for One Great Hour of Sharing during service on March 14.

As soon as offering envelopes are received they will be placed on the front table in the vestibule and by the elevator area.



Palm Sunday

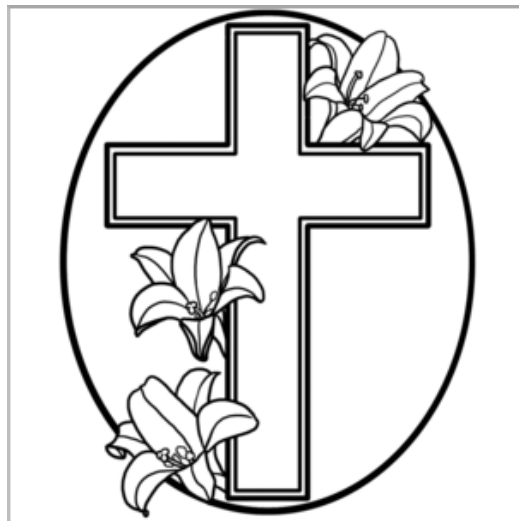
Please join us for our special *Easter Cantata Service* held on Palm Sunday, March 28, at 10 am.

Maundy Thursday & Day of Prayer

Day of prayer will take place on Thursday, April 1, in the Sanctuary from 8am till 7pm. Maundy Thursday communion service will begin at 7pm.

Easter Sunday

Please join us for our Easter Sunday Service, with communion, on April 4, at 10am.





GRACE'S FREE CLOSET

Grace's Free Closet has re-opened. Their hours are Monday and Wednesday, from 9:30am till 12:30pm. The Closet is full of nice clothes and household items. Please stop by! To keep updated on any changes, please 'like' their Facebook page 'Grace's Closet Greencastle' or contact Nancy Myers.

Laundry Love

Postponed till further notice. We hope to re-open when the weather gets warmer. Contact Carolyn Shoemaker with any further questions.

Coffee & Refreshments

Postponed till further notice

Single Ladies Luncheon

Postponed till further notice

Chancel Choir

Choir rehearsals have started back up in February. Please join us for practice on Wednesday evenings, at 7:15pm, in the sanctuary. As the choir has begun singing their weekly anthems, we ask that the congregation please sit back a few pews from the front so everyone can be safely distanced from the choir while they perform. Please contact Patty with any further questions or concerns.

Worship & Spiritual Committee

Meetings are scheduled for the 2nd Sunday of each month at 9am, in the social hall. We will be practicing social distancing and wearing masks. Please contact Rev. Mark, Jeff or Marg Stouffer for further details.

You are welcome to join us!



Scholarships:



Grace United Church of Christ Scholarship application forms are now available in the front vestibule of the church. Applications need to be returned to the church office by April 1st.

The following scholarships are available:

Kathryn Didier - available to any member of Grace UCC

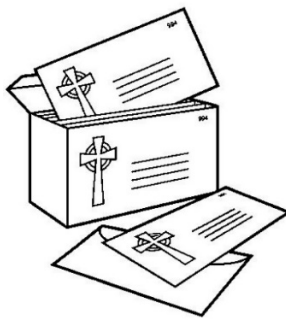
Julia M. Bodes - available to any GAHS senior planning to enter into the business field

Ralph S. Geiman - available to anyone entering the ministry

Any questions, please see Lorna Thomas or call the church office.

CHURCH SERVICE VOLUNTEERS:

We have open spots for Greeters/Ushers, Readers and Communion servers for the upcoming weeks. Sign-up sheets are located on the table in the front vestibule. Please help us out and sign-up for a Sunday or two!



2021 Boxed Offering Envelopes

There are still a few envelope sets which need to be picked up. They are located on the front table in the vestibule area. Please pick them up after Sunday worship services or contact church office to make other arrangements.

Facebook



If you have access to Facebook, please 'like' our page, Grace United Church of Christ, it will help keep you updated on events and changes. If you are out of town, or want to watch our worship service from the comfort of your home, please gather on our Facebook page at 10am on Sunday mornings for a live stream of

our service. This is a great way to stay connected with everyone!

Easter Flowers

We are currently taking orders for Easter tulips and lilies. If you would like to place an Easter flower in memory of, or in honor of, your loved one, we are accepting orders during worship service on February 28 and March 7.

We have 6 ½” potted tulips available in choice of yellow or purple for \$9.75 each, or 6” potted lilies for \$10.75 each. An order form can be found towards the back of this newsletter, and additional order forms are located on the table in the vestibule and by the elevator area along with envelopes. Please place your order form with payment inside the envelope, then place it in the collection basket during service on the above listed dates or drop off your orders at the church office during the week. Deadline to order is March 7. Checks can be made payable to Grace UCC. The Easter flowers will be displayed in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday in dedication to your loved one. You can pick-up your flowers after Easter worship service. Please contact the church office if you have any further questions (717) 597-2983.



GUCC Website

Our weekly worship programs along with our newsletters can be downloaded from our website at anytime!

You can also make donations through our website. Just click on any DONATE button, use drop down box to choose where you would like your donation to be used. You will need your credit card. Once you submit any contributions, you will receive an email receipt for your tax purposes. Any questions with this new donate button, please contact Kate Kennedy or Elaine in the church office.

You can find us at: <https://www.graceuccgreencastle.com>

Information Update and Directory

It has been 9 years since Grace Church has updated its directory. This project has been put on hold due to covid; but Cathy Keefer is now leading this project for us. You may get a phone call from her if you didn't turn in your directory forms, or she may just need to confirm all the information you listed is correct and updated. You will received a copy of the directory once this is completed. This will help each of us stay connected and support our

church family. Any questions, please contact Cathy or call the church office.



Additional dates to mark on your calendar:

May 15: Breakfast Buffet

More information to come

July Sidewalk Sale Days, Yard Sale and Lunch

We are hoping to be open both days if we have enough help.

Start putting aside your donations for our church yard sale. We will not be taking clothes. Items will not be accepted until the later part of June.

More information to come.

Consistory Minutes of Meeting

December 13, 2020

Roll Call: Margaret Stouffer, Jeff Stouffer, Mark Stahl, Carolyn Shoemaker, Sydnae Vanner, Steve Miller, Lu Miller, Larry Stepler, Pastor Mark Ruzicka

The meeting was called to order by President Margaret Stouffer at 8:32 am.

Devotions and Prayer by Pastor Mark.

Work of the Church: Continue to follow the guidelines set forth in previous meeting. For the Cantata we will ask congregation to set back 7-10 rows for less exposure.

Church Work:

Additions to the Agenda: Dependable roofing contract, Insurance letter, Appraisal, Pastor Brenda contract, PPP, Budget

Consent Agenda: Motion to accept the Consent Agenda by S. Vanner/S. Miller passed unanimously.

Information Agenda:

1. Update on candidates for Consistory – Chet Nye and Cathy Keefer agreed to serve, Lorna Thomas and Barry Shoemaker would like to wait until the following year.
2. Worship and Spiritual Life committee meeting has been rescheduled for 1/10 at 9am
3. Activities Committee –Grace's Closet will be closed at the end of the month and re-evaluate in the New Year. It was suggested the Angel Tree be left up and to put members of the congregation on it for others to take a name and then be in contact with that person by card, phone call, etc. Throughout the year. Possibly to have a Ham Sandwich sale in April depending upon any restrictions.
4. Update on parsonage sale – Settlement would like to be done before 12/31/20. Margaret, Larry and Lu will need to be present to sign paperwork. Margaret will let them know an exact date and time.
5. Committee to work on Procedures to support by-laws was established with Margaret, Lu, Sydnae and Jeff as members.

Action Agenda:

1. Finance Committee – PPP Loan is forgiven. We owe no money back.

- a. Budget – Projected income as well as expenses should be presented. Pastor Mark contract and direction for payroll increases will be discussed by the Finance Committee.
2. Update on Pastor Brenda contract – An email was sent 12/12/20 to Mike and Brenda with the three options for payment of \$10,996. They included one for full payment, one for 12 payments and one for 24 payments. Names on the contract will include Brenda Clark, Mike Evans, Larry Stepler, Jeff Stouffer, and Steve Miller. Responses will include all committee members. They will do a ZOOM call to get verbal acknowledgement as to which payment plan is chosen. It was decided to do this as well as a written acknowledgement. The first payment would be due on January 15, 2021 on all options.
3. Insurance Appraisal – Jeff investigated more into the letter that was received and the consistory did not think an appraisal from an outside company was necessary at this time.
4. Building and grounds –
 - a. The heating pipe leak was found and fixed. Mark Stahl will be looking at estimates to repair and replace the floor.
 - b. Roof – Motion for Dependable Roofing to repair the roof was made by C. Shoemaker/M. Stouffer and passed unanimously. It was decided the maintenance on the entire roof would be put on hold at this time.
 - c. Electric to the 2 car garage– Two estimates were obtained and on a C. Shoemaker/L. Miller motion it was decided to go with Troy Layton to run electric from the social hall electric box to the garage, as well as the light pole in the parking lot
5. Annual Meeting was discussed and proposed to be held Feb. 7, 2021.

The next consistory meeting will be January 17, 2021 at 8:30am in the social hall.

Respectfully submitted,
Lu Miller

Roll Call: Margaret Stouffer, Jeff Stouffer, Mark Stahl, Carolyn Shoemaker, Sydnae Vanner, Steve Miller, Lu Miller, Larry Stepler, Pastor Mark Ruzicka

The meeting was called to order by President Margaret Stouffer at 11:14 am.

1. Three people actually agreed to have their names on the ballot to be part of consistory for the year 2021, for a 4 year term. They are Chet Nye, Cathy Keefer and Deb Homer. Deb, Lorna Thomas and Barry Shoemaker agreed to wait until 2022.
2. Settlement for the sale of the parsonage is set for December 23, 2020 at 4 pm at A Plus Settlement on W. Baltimore Street. Margaret, Lu and Larry will attend.
3. Roof leak has been repatched and seems to be fixed. The carpet may need to be cleaned at some point.
4. Heating pipes banging was explained by Steve. It was suggested that the thermostat be set at 65° and only pushed up to 68° when the sanctuary is in use.
5. Electric for the 2-car garage is finished.
6. The By-Laws state that the congregational meeting must be held in January. Therefore, the annual meeting will be held on January 24, 2021. The Worship and Spiritual Committee will meet January 10, 2021 at 9:00am and the next Consistory meeting will be held January 17, 2021 at 8:30am in the social hall.
7. Mark Stahl got estimates to replace the floor at the front door. On a S. Vanner/S. Miller motion it was decided to award Innovative Kitchen Flooring the contract at approximately \$2007 for the material. Passed unanimously. Mark Stahl will install the carpet.
8. Larry Stepler reported that he has heard back from Mike Evans that the contract for 24 month plan would work best. Larry will set up a ZOOM call to include Brenda Clark, Mike Evans, Larry Stepler, Jeff Stouffer and Steve Miller.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 am.

Respectfully submitted,
Lu Miller

Consistory Minutes of Meeting

January 17, 2021

Roll Call: Margaret Stouffer, Steve Miller, Lu Miller, Jeff Stouffer, Mark Stahl, Sydnae Vanner, Carolyn Shoemaker, Pastor Mark Ruzicka. Guest: Cather Keefer

The meeting was called to order by President Margaret Stouffer at 8:30 a.m.

Devotions: Prayer was given by Pastor Mark.

Church Work: Planning to start in person services on Feb. 7, 2021. All were in agreement.

Agenda Additions and Subtractions: None

Consent Agenda: Motion to accept the Consent Agenda by M. Stahl/ C. Shoemaker passed unanimously.

Information Agenda:

1. Annual Meeting will be Feb. 14, 2021 after services in the sanctuary.
2. Candidates for consistory are Cathy Keefer and Chet Nye.
3. Worship and Spiritual Life committee met and would like input from consistory on the following:
 - a. Choir should do an Easter Cantata. Practice can start Feb. 3.
 - b. Special music in place of the anthem was discussed with possibilities of small group performing, solo, special organ or piano music or video music. Steve will speak with Patty Stepler in more detail. It was decided we do not need to pay to have special music for services.
 - c. There will be Ash Wednesday Service on Feb. 17 at 6:30 pm.
 - d. Plan for Lenten Bible Study to start Feb. 24 at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary for social distancing.

4. Activities Committee talking about starting the First Saturday Meal in March to be a grab and go. Also looking to have Ham Sandwich and Soup sale in April
5. Building and grounds Committee reported the power line was connected from the church to the garage, Dependable Roofing completed a temporary repair of where the roof meets the bell tower and the steam leak was repaired. Tasks needing to be addressed include assessing a water leak around the range hood in the kitchen and the repair of the floor in the church entrance is making progress. The baseboard is being repaired and painted with the carpet tiles projected to be installed by Feb. 7.
6. Parsonage sale is completed as of December 23, 2020. Selling price \$175,000, final monies to the church \$168,000. \$30,000 has been set aside for repairs. The balance is placed in the Morgan Stanley account.
7. Parsonage payment plan with Brenda Clark and Mike Evans. We have received the first payment, however, the signed and notarized contract/agreement has not been received. Margaret will ask Larry Stepler to follow up on getting the agreement back for our records. Payment is due the 15th of each month.
8. Personnel Relations Committee asked for recommendations from consistory regarding some choir director duties when the choir is not singing. Steve M will meet with Patty S to discuss searching for appropriate music when the choir is not singing (summer months) or when there are no volunteers to sing. The committee will meet again to clean up the job descriptions for both the choir director and organist
9. Finance Committee – Jeff S reported at present, volunteers will take the trash to the dump when needed. If trash becomes an issue we will investigate Worthy's as possible trash collector. Comcast bill will be approximately \$60 lower as we do not need some of the service we were being billed. Columbia Gas was contacted by Jeff to explain their bill. It was decided to stay with Columbia Gas instead of a third party at a savings. Jeff will investigate more on Columbia Gas. Jeff

also contacted West Penn Power, but with no help in reduction of monthly bill.

10. It was decided to set a finance meeting for consistory to review the proposed budget when Larry Stepler can be present. This was set for January 26 at 6:30 pm in the Social Hall.
11. Committee to work on Procedures/Policies to support By-Laws still needs to meet. Information needs to be collected as to what has been discussed so far. Committee members include Margaret Stouffer, Lu Miller ????????
12. Margaret will meet with Kate to discuss possible grant applications. Pastor Mark suggested going to www.ucc.org website to look for grants.
13. Items for Annual Congregational Meeting should include the Voting on Designated Pastor for another year, information on the sale of the parsonage and update on the payment plan with Brenda Clark and Mike Evans.

The meeting was adjourned with the Lord's Prayer at 9:45 am.

Respectfully submitted,
Lu Miller

Special Consistory Minutes of Meeting January 26, 2021

Roll Call: Margaret Stouffer, Jeff Stouffer, Mark Stahl, Sydnae Vanner, Carolyn Shoemaker, Steve Miller, Lu Miller, Mark Ruzicka, Larry Stepler.
Guest: Patty Stepler

The meeting was called to order by President Margaret Stouffer at 6:30pm.

Prayer was given by Pastor Mark Ruzicka.

Addition to agenda: Choir director, Patty Stepler asked the consistory for direction regarding starting choir practice and singing an anthem when in person services begin. Motion by J. Stouffer/M. Stouffer that congregation

sit back a few pews and choir distanced while performing can sing weekly anthems starting February 21, 2021 passed unanimously.

Information and discussion of Finances: Larry Stepler explained the line items for the proposed 2021 budget. Line items were discussed with suggestions and corrections. Larry explained the different funds that are set up including the cemetery fund, which is to pay for restoration of the grave markers and the organ fund, which is for repairs to the organ. The insurance package was discussed with Jeff Stouffer to investigate with other UCC churches in the area to compare cost. Ideas to help the church bring in funds to help meet the budget were discussed including possibly renting the social hall to outside groups and looking online at UCC website for ideas for Stewardship Campaigns. Also discussed was a “Welcome Back Day” or Rally Day when the church resumes in person services. The church will be celebrating 275 year of Grace UCC in the next year or two. Margaret will work on a letter to send to congregation explaining the budget items and the different needs/changes.

Action items: Proposed guidelines for the Organist and Choir Director were discussed. Motion by L. Miller/C. Shoemaker to accept guidelines as follows: 3 Sundays (full pay) to be used for vacation, sick, or emergency, the 4th, 5th and 6th Sunday absence will be 50% of weekly pay. Any additional absences on a Sunday will be 25% of weekly pay. Any absences need to have advance notice to Consistory President who will notify the Pastor and Office Manager. Motion passed unanimously. Handouts were distributed to consistory members regarding Officers, Consistory Members and Committee Chairs, as well as 2021 Committees, Groups and Chairpersons.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25pm with the Lord’s Prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Lu Miller



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| <p style="text-align: center;">Grace United Church of Christ Statement of Financial Income and Expenses 4th Quarter Ending: December 2020</p> |
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General Operating Account:

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| Beginning Balance | \$1,151.12 |
| Income | \$190,295.71 |
| Expense | \$176,153.25 |
| Ending Balance | \$15,293.58 |

Building/Outreach/Fundraising/Grants Account:

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|-------------------|--------------|
| Beginning Balance | \$16,477.37 |
| Income | \$170,564.62 |
| Expense | \$166,647.57 |
| Ending Balance | \$20,394.42 |

Organ Fund Account:

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| Beginning Balance | \$3,739.93 |
| Income | \$2,378.21 |
| Expense | \$304.55 |
| Ending Balance | \$5,813.59 |

German Reformed Cemetery Fund

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| Beginning Balance | \$1,300.00 |
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| Income | \$0.00 |
| Expense | \$0.00 |
| Ending Balance | \$1,300.00 |

* Please contact Church office if you would like a detailed report of the income and expense statement. Thank you.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(Please contact committee members, board members or church office for any questions or updates about any items listed below.)



- 1** Activities & Fundraising Committee, 7pm, social hall
Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
- 3** Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary
- 6** First Saturday Community Meal, 11-1pm, social hall

- 7** 10am Worship with Communion, Sanctuary
Communion Servers: TBA
Greeters/Ushers: Tammy Hockenberry and Mildred Minnich
Reader: Deb Homer
Scriptures: Ex 20:1-17, 1 Cor 1:18-25, Jn 2:13-22
Deadline to place your Easter flower orders is today!
- 8** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
Grace Snyder Circle, 1pm, social hall
Consistory reports for February due to church office
- 10** Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary
- 14** Worship & Spiritual Life Committee, 9am, social hall
10am Worship Service, Sanctuary
Greeters/Ushers: Sydnae Vanner & Jim Thomas
Reader: Lu Miller
Scriptures: Num 21:4-9, Eph 2:1-10, Jn 3:14-21
Receiving One Great Hour of Sharing offering
- 15** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
Consistory agenda packets will be sent to board members via email this week
- 17** **Happy Saint Patrick's Day**
Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary
- 21** Consistory Board Meeting, 8:30am, social hall
10am Worship Service, Sanctuary

Greeters/Ushers: Jean Rice & Cathy Keefer

Reader: Tony Homer

Scriptures: Jer 31:31-34, Heb 5:5-10, Jn 12:20-33

22 Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm

24 Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary

28 Palm Sunday

10am Cantata Worship Service, Sanctuary

Greeters/Ushers: Ed & Gladys Doyle

Reader: Lu Miller

Scriptures: Ps 118:1-2, 19-29, Phil 2:5-11, and
Mk 14:1-15:47

29 Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm

31 Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Lenten Bible Study, 6:30pm, Sanctuary
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary



- 1** Day of Prayer, 8am-7pm, Sanctuary
Maundy Thursday Communion Service, 7pm, Sanct.
Scriptures: Ex 12:1-4, 11-14, 1 Cor 11:23-26, and
Jn 13:1-17 & 31-35

- 3** First Saturday Community Meal, 11-1pm, social hall

- 4** **Easter Sunday Service**
10am Worship with Communion, Sanctuary
Communion Servers: TBA
Greeters/Ushers: Tammy Hockenberry and
Mildred Minnich
Reader: TBA
Scriptures: Acts 10:34-43, 1 Cor 15:1-11, Jn 20:1-18

- 5** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
Activities/Fundraising Committee, 7pm, social hall
Consistory reports for March are due to church office

- 7** Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary

- 11** Worship & Spiritual Life Committee, 9am, social hall

10am Worship Service, Sanctuary

Greeters/Ushers: Sydnae Vanner & Jim Thomas

Reader: TBA

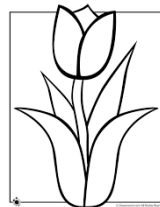
Scriptures: Acts 4:32-35, 1 Jn 1:1-2:2, Jn 20:19-31

Deadline for Ham Sandwich and Soup Orders

- 12** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
Grace Snyder Circle, 1pm, social hall
Consistory agenda packets will be sent to board members via email this week
- 13** Deadline to submit articles for May/June newsletter
- 14** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary
- 15** Ham Sandwich & Soup Sale – orders available to be picked-up from the social hall starting at 12 noon
- 18** Consistory Board Meeting, 8:30am, social hall
10am Worship Service, Sanctuary
Greeters/Ushers: Jean Rice & Cathy Keefer
Reader: TBA
Scriptures: Acts 3:12-19, 1 Jn 3:1-7, Luke 24:36-48
- 19** Grace's Free Closet open 9:30am-12:30pm
- 21** Grace's Free Closet open from 9:30-12:30pm
Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary
- 25** 10am Worship Service, Sanctuary
Greeters/Ushers: Ed & Gladys Doyle
Reader: TBA
Scriptures: Acts 4:5-12, 1 Jn 3:16-24, Jn 10:11-18

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Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:15pm, Sanctuary



2021 Easter Flower Orders

Please complete below form and place in offering basket, with provided envelope, during service on Feb 21, 28, March 7 or drop off at church office. Payment is due with your order. Please make checks payable to **Grace UCC**. **Deadline for ordering is March 7.** Please print.

- _____ 6 ½" Potted Tulips (**Yellow**).....\$ 9.75 each
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