

Welcome to Grace Presbyterian Church! We are pleased that you are here and look forward to discovering ways that we can grow in faith and service together. We pray that you will be blessed in worship today. If you have any questions, we encourage you to contact the church office at (337) 984-6400 or gracpreb@lusfiber.net. For Pastoral Care, please contact Rev. Pat at (337) 781-1806.

Nursery provided in Room 4 on Sunday Mornings

THIS WEEK IN OUR CHURCH:

Sunday, August 7

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School
10:30 a.m. – Worship in Sanctuary
11:30 a.m. – After Church Fellowship

Tuesday, August 9

MDO Fall Semester Starts

Wednesday, August 10

6:00 p.m. – Choir Practice

Thursday, August 11

Lafayette Parish Public Schools start

Sunday, August 14

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School
10:30 a.m. – Worship in Sanctuary
11:30 a.m. – After Church Fellowship

UNITED CHRISTIAN OUTREACH - TODAY is our collection of non-perishables and paper products. The Presbyterian Women collect these items to donate to UCO on the 1st Sunday of each month. Any & All donations are appreciated!

CHOIR PRACTICE – everyone is invited to join us on **Wednesday, August 10th at 6:00 p.m.** for the start back of the Grace Choir. Please consider joining us in making a joyful noise. We hope our previous choir members, along with some new voices join us on Wednesday night. Choir will meet weekly on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

REFRESHMENT HOSTS – We need volunteers to bring refreshments on Sundays. There is a signup sheet outside the Sanctuary, or you can call Sarah in the church office if you would like to help. We need more people to volunteer!

Grace Presbyterian prays for..... (new in bold)

Elaine Hamm

Donna Causey
Jim & Jean McLain
Lynne Castle
Pam Fontenot
Bill Grubb
Ellyn Macpherson
Mary Ann Daigle
Ray Montgomery
Imelda Savoy (Sandy Stewart)
Colin Smith
Troy A Lillie (Sarah's Brother)
Tiffani Bass & Mazen Lee McCoy (William Baker)
Byron Hebert (Betty Couch)
Patsy Lewis (Melissa Gonzalez)
Melanie Lillie (Sarah's Mother)
Vicki Boudreaux (Danny Jones)
Jess Kebodeaux (Sandy Stewart)
Larry Baker (Nancy Sorbet – Nick's mom)
Frances Smith (Ellyn Macpherson)
Linda Scholes (Jean McLain)
Mildred & Maryann Baker (William Baker)
Joyce Sorbet (Nick Manzo)
Claire Guidry (Lana Gaspard)
Cherry Taylor (Betty Couch)
Michelle Shipley (Betty Couch)
The Boyette Family (Montgomery)
Calen Rodgers Aultman (Carol Rodgers)

**Please review this list, and call or email Sarah in the church office with any additions or deletions.*



Grace Presbyterian Staff

Pat Wadsworth
Sarah Gaspard
Gray Guillot
Katharine Schendel
Nick Manzo

Interim Pastor
Administrator
Custodian
Organist/Pianist
Music Director

Grace Presbyterian Church of Lafayette

Unashamed in
Jesus' Name, we will

**Gather,
Grow,
and
Go**

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Celebration of Worship

August 7, 2022

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Gather - Assemble in God's Name

Prelude Katharine Schendel

Silent Meditation

Announcements

Call to Worship

Leader: From east to west, the powerful Lord God has been calling together everyone on earth.

People: God shines brightly from Zion, the most beautiful city.

Opening Prayer (in unison)

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the Word of his kingdom. Renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

*Opening Song "Safely Through Another Week" Red #74

Call to Confession

Leader: Our God approaches, but not silently;

People: a flaming fire comes first, and a storm surrounds him.

Leader: Let us confess our sin together.

Prayer of Confession (in unison)

God all-powerful, we know that you alone have the power and the will to save us from sin. Yet we turn

time and again to other sources for our support, and our rescue from the troubles that plague us from day to day. Many would lead us astray in our search for comfort! Forgive us, we pray, our misguided attempts to replace you, and to escape the inevitable discovery that we have failed once more. In your mercy, lead us back to the path of Christ in all we do and say, that we may not only please you, but also enjoy the blessings of life as you intend it for all people; in Jesus' name we pray, amen.

Silent Prayers of Personal Confession

Declaration of Forgiveness

Leader: The sacrifice that honors me is a thankful heart.

People: Obey me, and I, your God, will show my power to save.

Leader: In the name of Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God!

*Praise Response

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

Grow - Proclaim God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Reading Isaiah 1:1, 10-20

Special Music Nick Manzo

Epistle Reading Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16

Gospel Reading Luke 12:32-40

Message

Rev. Pat Wadsworth

*Communion Hymn

Blue #502

"Bread of the World in Mercy Broken"

Give Thanks to God

Offering and Offertory

*The Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's table

Prayer of Consecration

The Lord's Prayer

Communion of the People

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Go - In God's Name

*Closing Song

Blue #282

"If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee"

*Benediction

Rev. Pat Wadsworth

*Postlude

Katharine Schendel



*Those that are able please stand.