

## Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church!!

Sunday – October 30, 2022 – 9:00 am



**Meditation Verse:** *Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?" And I said, "Here am I; send me!" - Isaiah 6:8*

### Grace United Methodist Church

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Lisa Teachout  
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## **Order of Worship**

\*Opening Hymn: #64 – Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

\*Call to Worship

Leader: O Sovereign of the universe, we stand in your temple,

**People: Proclaiming your splendor and majesty.**

Leader: You are the Holy One!

**People: You are full of glory!**

Leader: You speak,

**People: And the oaks whirl and the cedars fall!**

Leader: We stand in your presence

**People: In awe and humility.**

Leader: We stand in your presence

**People: With boldness and courage.**

Leader: We look and listen

**People: For your presence here today. Amen.**

\*Welcome and Opening Prayer

\*Passing of the Peace

\* Hymn #133 – Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

Scriptures: Isaiah 6:1-8

Kids Message

Message: *Lay Preacher Jerry Bottger*

The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Song: Revelation Song

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

\*Closing Songs:

- Take My Life

- Holy Is the Lord

\*Announcements

\*Blessing (*\*Please stand if you are able.*)

## **GPS – Grow, Pray, Study**

- 1) *Grow*. In light of the call stories and in hearing of God's call upon all of our lives, where might God be calling you to offer healing and wholeness to the world?
- 2) *Pray*. When have you recently heard God calling your name or nudging you to love one who is on the margins? In prayer, ask God to flesh out that call.
- 3) *Study*. Re-read Luke 19:1-10. When have you run into Jesus? How can you share your experiences so that others pursue Jesus as well?

### **Next Week's Lectionary Readings:**

Haggai 1:15b-2-9  
Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21  
2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17  
Luke 20:27-38

To go a little deeper  
with these readings  
each day this week,  
please go to:  
[pastorjohnb.org](http://pastorjohnb.org)

**Next Sunday's Message:** "Band of Puzzlers" - Jesus encounters some who want to trick him, to trip him up. Instead of avoiding, he engages. He mostly answers their question about legacy and the resurrection... then pushes on to plant seeds in those minds, inviting them and us to being open to seeing the world and the creator in new ways. Join us as we begin a new worship series, "Face to Face with Jesus!"

### **This Week at Grace:**

- Sunday – 8:00 AM – Adult Sunday School – Education Wing
- Sunday – 6:00 PM – Grace Small Group Study – Fellowship Hall
- Monday - 3:00 PM – After School Program
- Tuesday – 3:00 PM – No Art with Heart this week
- Wednesday – 9:00 AM – Women's Study – Fellowship Hall
- Wednesday – 5:30 PM – Youth Group – Fellowship Hall
- Thursday – 5:30 PM – No Men's Study this week
- Friday – 6:30 AM – Women's Study – Fellowship Hall

## **Announcements:**

This is the final Sunday for the October Mission of the Month designated for Socktober. We have been collecting Socks, Hats and Gloves for our local schools and the Hope Center in Rapid City.

The November Mission will gathering supplies and donations to make and provide Hygiene Kits for the Hope Center.

Please consider signing up to serve on a Sunday morning. Simply choose a Sunday that is convenient for you and sign up on the sheets opposite the drinking fountains! Remember simple treats and store-bought cookies are just fine.

Please also consider volunteering to commit from 10:30AM to 12:30PM once a month to Feeding South Dakota's effort to end hunger in our state. You can help by loading food into vehicles or directing traffic. There are openings on the first Monday of each month starting in January. To sign up go to this link:

[Piedmont Mobile Distribution - Our Lady of the Black Hills | Feeding South Dakota \(galaxydigital.com\)](#)

**May God Bless you throughout the coming week!!**

**\*\*\*\*\*Message Notes\*\*\*\*\***