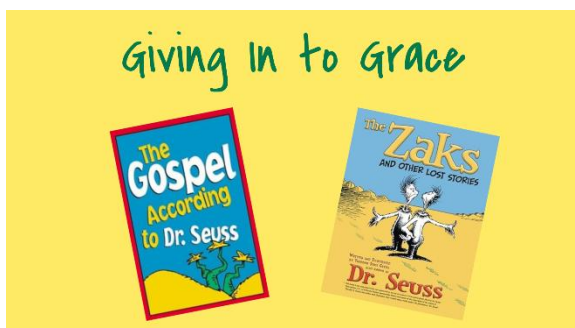


Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church!!

Sunday – July 6, 2025 – 9:00 am



Meditation Verse *“I will get up and go to my father,
and say to him, “Father, I have sinned against heaven
and against you.” - Luke 15:18*

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Order of Worship

Welcome and Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn: #2149 - Living for Jesus

Call to Worship:

Leader: Come, let us celebrate the forgiving, reconciling
love of God.

People: For once we were lost and felt so far away;

Leader: Now we have been found,

People: And welcomed home.

Leader: Know that God's love is lavished upon you forever.

**People: We rejoice at the news of forgiveness and
hope!**

Leader: Come, let us celebrate and praise the God of
Love.

People: AMEN!

*Passing of the Peace

*Hymn #357 - Just As I Am without One Plea

Scriptures Luke 15:13-19

Kids Message

Message "Giving in to Grace"

*Holy Communion

- Songs of Response: Broken Vessels (Amazing Grace)
& Change My Heart O God

Morning Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Announcements

*Closing Song: No Longer Slaves

*Blessings

*(Please stand as you are able.)

GPS – Grow, Pray, Study

- 1) *Grow*. When has your willingness to consider another perspective or a different way of understanding led to growth in your faith or to healing in a relationship?
- 2) *Pray*. We often want to make excuses or to rationalize our prideful behaviors. Tempted to go there? Go there as a first option? Pray for God to bring you to a place of humility.
- 3) *Study*. Read Galatians 6:1-5. What do Paul's words here add to your understanding of living a life of grace, mercy, forgiveness, and reconciliation?

This Week's Gospel and Seuss Readings:

Monday: 1st Timothy 6:5-12

Tuesday: Acts 13:48-52

Wednesday: Isaiah 35:5-10

Thursday: Obadiah 1:12-15

Friday: Luke 6:27-36

Saturday: Philippians 4:10-14

Sunday: Luke 19:1-6

To go a little deeper into the reading for each day this week, go to pastorjohnb.org

Dr. Seuss: *How The Grinch Stole Christmas*

Next Sunday's Message: "A Mighty Powerful Combo" - We long for happiness, contentment, and love. But misery and discontent are part of our world too. As Christians we will surely encounter these people — these "Grinches." Even though these are the hardest to love, they often need it most, along with grace. Love and grace — a mighty powerful combo.

This Week at Grace

- Wed. - 1:00 PM - Chat – Chapel
- Wed. – 6:00 PM - Summer with Seuss – Picnic Shelter
- Thur. – 5:30 PM – Men's Group – Fellowship Hall
- Fri. – 6:30 AM – Women's Study – SS Room

Upcoming Happenings at Grace

- July 9, 16, 23, 30 – 6 PM
– Summer with Seuss – Picnic Shelter

Announcements

The Mission of the month for July is Love INC's.
Clothe-a-Kid.

To make a one-time gift to Grace UMC or to the Mission of the Month (or to set up a recurring gift), please scan the QR code.
Thank you for your generosity and support!



Please check the sign-up sheets across the hall from the drinking fountains to see when YOU could serve as a greeter, reader, or treat provider.

Don't forget the church garden! Helpers are welcome on Wednesday evenings@6 and Saturday morning@9.

Please keep food and drinks in Fellowship Hall. Thank You!

Save the Date – August 11-13 – VBS 2025

May God bless you throughout the coming week!!