

GraceNotes

THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF GRACE

From the Pastor

Pastor's Page



Strategic Planning

– What does Grace Mean to you? What are you doing at Grace? What do you think God's dream is for Grace? These are some of

the questions that our Strategic Planning team is asking us at Grace to try to answer – for yourself, and for us together. You'll be hearing more about this, including hearing some answers from some of our fellow members. But we're hoping you will spend some time to answer these questions for yourself.

I hope you'll answer these questions with an eye toward **zeal**. I preached in January about Jesus cleansing the Temple, which, the disciples noted, he did with zeal. That means he was excited, motivated, energetic. He was excited about God's dream for the world, that God so loved the world...(John 3:16-17) What gets your juices

flowing when you think about our life together at Grace? What motivates you? What would excite you for Grace to be about?

We're not looking to produce another Strategic Plan that ends up as a document in the filing cabinet, or a forgotten file on the computer, or in the recycling pile five years from now! We're looking for our zeal! In addition to Temple Talks continuing in February, we plan to have some time at our Annual Meeting on February 13th to give opportunity for you to give your input about our life together.

Sabbatical – I presented to Council in January my preliminary timeline for my sabbatical. I hope to begin my sabbatical Monday May 30, and resume work the week of August 14th. Pastor Karen Van Stee (a member of Grace who recently retired and became a member with her husband Steven; also daughter of Bob Shumate), and Pastor Mark

Mark Radecke (who served in the Virginia Synod, and then in campus ministry at Susquehanna University for many years) have graciously agreed to preach, and provide pastoral care and guidance while I am away. In the coming months, I will work with Council to formulate goals as well as needs for continuing the ministries of Grace during the sabbatical time. We're off to a good start!

Secretary Deadlines – We are blessed with a wonderful administrative secretary, Nancy Dowdy. Any typical week reveals the many ways Nancy is a blessing to Grace. She helps with our finances, prepares bulletins, newsletter, mailings, e-communications, serves as a liaison to outside organizations, answers phones, and is a great help to me in keeping our calendar, and preparing for the many different parts of the church year and its activities. She works with committee leaders, Council, executive committee and Grace members (and me!) who need help with copies, holiday flowers, sign-up sheets, communications with the congregation, and on and on. There are times when Nancy requests a deadline for newsletter, annual report and other documents, that is at times two, three, even four weeks before a newsletter is

published, a letter or a report needs to go out, etc. In our “needed it yesterday” culture, sometimes it is easy to forget the amount of time it takes to put things together, especially with the full plate that Nancy often has. So, please help Nancy by staying attentive to deadlines that Nancy has for bulletin, newsletter, reports, etc. It is a help to us all!





Highlights of Congregation Council

January 18, 2022

A special thank you to Jean Morgan for her work in making the Church look great for Christmas Eve services. Poinsettias, candles and flowers enhanced the three (3) worship services. Also thanks to all who helped decorate and undecorate the Church for Christmas.

The actual number of folks at the three (3) Christmas Eve services were 232. This is a wonderful number during Covid times. The loose offerings of \$670 were given to Sherando United Methodist Church that burned.

We ended the year with a deficit of \$6,351. This is due mainly to pledges not received by 12/31/21 (about \$6,900.00) and December expenses

Pastor's sabbatical plans are underway. Eleven weeks (including 10 Sundays) are in place. Pastor's last Sunday before Sabbatical will be Sunday, May 29. Pastor will return Sunday August 22nd. Pastor Radecke will be conducting Sunday services and pastoral care week of June 19th, June 26th and August 7, 2022. Pastor Karen Van Stee will be with us May 30th through August 21st (except the weeks noted above.)

Mission Outreach – Grace will be providing snacks, breakfasts and lunches to the WARM shelter January 24th to 30th at their motel shelter in Verona. There are about 40 guests currently staying at the shelter.

Grace provided lunch for approximately 50 people at Disciple's Kitchen on Thursday, December 23. We will provide bagged breakfast on Saturday January 22nd for 32 at Disciple's Kitchen at Basic UMC.

Waynesboro School backpack program continues with Grace and St. Johns Catholic Church alternating weekly packing for balance of 2021-2022 school year. Approximately 192 meals are packed each week.

Considering a Spring campaign to pay off our mortgage on Columbarium. Early payoff of our loan will save Grace about \$10,000. The loan presently stands at \$24,000.

Respectfully submitted,
Vivian Proctor, Council Secretary

Coming Soon: a new display and a lending library in the rear of the church. A list of suggested readings and videos is also available on www.Gracewaynesboro.org.

Grace Readers Seeking Racial Unity—A 2022 organizational meeting for the reading group will be held on Monday, February 7 at 7:00 p.m. on Zoom. New members are very welcome to join us.

We will

- Choose a new book to read and discuss
- Evaluate and enhance the bulletin board and lending library
- Plan future projects
- Determine the meeting schedule for the year (1st & 3rd Mondays have been suggested),
- Discuss The Vanderbilt Project on Unity & American Democracy.

We ask that participants view a 60 minute video prior to our meeting. The books that have been suggested are *My Grandmother's Hands* by Resmaa Menakem, *Just Mercy* by Bryan Stevenson, *Stamped from the Beginning* by Ibram X. Kendi and *The Soul of America* by Jon Meacham.

For the past two years, several members have been meeting, mostly on Zoom, to discuss our role as Christians and Lutherans in addressing racism locally and beyond. We have read and discussed *White Fragility* by Robin DeAngelo, *How to be an AntiRacist* by Ibram X. Kendi, *Dear Church* by Lenny Duncan and *The Sum of Us: What Racism Costs Everyone* by Heather McGhee.

In our desire to share what we have learned with other members of the congregation, we will have a display of information as well as books for congregational members to borrow. The books have been purchased through a grant from the Mission Endowment Fund. If you would like to become part of the group, please contact one of the coordinators or the church office to make sure you receive the Zoom link.

Rick Bump, Linda Meyer, and Carolyn Barrette are group coordinators.

Grace Youth participate in a "Green Hanger Project" - Grace youth joined with youth from four other downtown-area congregations for the second Youth Service Group event, that kicked off November of last year. This time, the Youth met at Embrace Community Center, located in the building of the former Wayne Hills United Methodist Church.

The Youth sorted through clothes donated primarily for High School youth, to have good clothes for school and the seasons of the year, which is the focus of Embrace's "Green Hanger Project." In addition to sorting clothes male/female, and warm/cold weather, the youth were also entrusted to sort clothes for wear and tear, and for "wear ability" - clothes would be the type that youth would want to wear without being made fun of - with the usable clothes not selected to be donated to local senior facilities with populations who do not have resources to buy their own clothing. Some of our Youth also prepared "orders" of clothing placed by Youth in need, based on the gender and clothing sizes, picking from sorted clothing and shoes from the Green Hanger Project.

Pastor Jenelle Watson, who serves as Embrace's director, as well as serving at Calvary UMC in Stuart's Draft, gave a wonderful history of Wayne Hills UMC and Embrace, and shared with the Youth the importance of providing these clothes to local youth. She began this clothing ministry to youth after noticing children in the local school she was volunteering at wearing summer clothing in winter, and the same clothing each day. Further investigation revealed the need was far beyond just a family or two. The ministry now serves hundreds in our area, and the idea has spread to other areas of the country.





worship WITH US

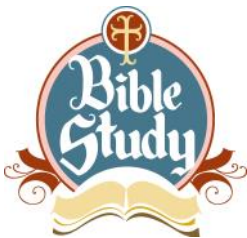
Welcome to Worship!

- During the Season after Epiphany, we celebrate our unity in Christ with sisters and brothers from around the world, and in our own communities, with songs of praise, hymns and other songs in the worship service that reflect our rich diversity in Christ. We'll be using this Worship Setting through January and February.
- We will also be using the contemporary form of the Lord's Prayer. The gift - and challenge - to doing so is to help us focus on what Jesus has taught us to pray. Using the Contemporary form helps us to pray with new ears and hearts!
- We continue to mask and distance, and remain mindful of each other's health and safety when we gather, and share in fellowship.
- Please mute, silence or turn your cell phone off prior to worship, to help you to hear the Word, share in God's Grace, and give God your praise.



REFUGEE ASSISTANCE

Refugee Resettlement - We have an opportunity to partner with Westminster Presbyterian Church in sponsoring an Afghan family in our area. We have had a great response from Grace (over 15 interested so far!). Church World Service in Harrisonburg is the organization we would work with. Contact Linda Meyer if you are interested (lameyer@cfw.org or 540-256-2277). We will have an informational meeting Monday, January 31, at 7:00 p.m. by Zoom or in-person (contact Linda Meyer for information). Additional meetings will be held in February.



New Bible Study— We will be studying the book Death By Baptism: Sacrament Liberation in a Culture of Fear. How can our Baptism into Christ's death and resurrection free us from fear in a world that sets us on edge with fear and anxiety? This six week class will offer great discussion about what our baptism means for daily life. Come join us at 11:00 a.m. or 7:00 p.m. on Thursdays, either in-person in the Conference Room or via Zoom. Order the book from Amazon, or call the Church Office to order a copy. The cost is



New Adult Sunday School Class! A new class will begin on Sunday, March 6th, at 9:00 a.m. We will begin with a study of the Gospel of John using the Books of Faith materials. Please contact the church office or use the sheet in the narthex to sign up so we can have enough books on hand. For questions call or text the facilitator Pastor Karen Van Stee at 540.325.0736.



Prayer Group on Wednesdays - We meet at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel. Our prayer is formed around "ACTS" - Adoration and Praise; Confession; Thanksgiving; and Supplication, asking God for what we need. We pray for the Church, the World, for the sick and those in need; for our household of faith and each other; for God's Creation; we give praise to God. Our time together is typically 30-45 minutes. Come to Grace Chapel for Prayer!



Christmas Eve Donation - At all three Christmas Eve services, we collected for Sherando United Methodist Church in light of their burned out worship space, and will be sending \$670 to them. We pray the donation will be a blessing as Sherando seeks to move forward.



Covid At Home Tests Available to Your Door - the Federal Government has made Covid at-home rapid tests available to you by mail. You can order up to four tests for your household at www.covidtests.gov.



WARM Shelter Meals: Thank You- Thank you for your support in donating food, packing meals and delivering the meals for the WARM Shelter during the week of January 24 to 30. Grace provided breakfast and lunch for 40 shelter guests a day during our shelter week.



Food Pantries - Thanks, and Continuing Need— Many thanks to those who have donated Peanut Butter, Mac 'n Cheese, Personal Hygiene items, and Dried Rice and Beans to our local food banks. We have made ***twenty-three deliveries*** thus far, ten to Main Street United Methodist, and thirteen to Calvary United Methodist, Stuarts Draft, with the donations gratefully received in the midst of great need. **Overall, we have given well over a TON of food!** If you can help, please donate to our box set inside the office door for you to drop off.

Raising Resources for Readers

October 25, 2021

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
500 South Wayne Avenue
Waynesboro, VA 22980

Dear Members of Grace:

Thanks very much for your generous, ongoing support of Raising Resources for Readers (3Rs). Your gift helped us reach our goal of raising \$22,000 for school year 2020-2021, which enabled us to purchase summer books for over 750 students at William Perry and Wenonah Elementary schools.

We have witnessed such dramatic gains for both schools over the course of the seven years 3Rs has been working to ensure all students have access to summer books, regardless of income level. The last two years of COVID-19-impacted learning has created new challenges for these students. We are working with our educator partners to find even more ways to help our local students achieve great things.

Our Grace family has enabled us to begin this program, watch it grow, and now sustain itself on a yearly basis – many thanks!

Sincerely,

Mike and Susan Myers

8368 BROOKSVILLE ROAD
GREENWOOD, VA 22943
FIND US ON FACEBOOK "@RAISINGRESOURCES FOR READERS"

Hearts
Touched
by the
Lord's
kindness...

...can't help
but be
grateful.

THANK YOU SO MUCH

Thank you so much
for the package of goodies!

Merry Christmas!

From,

Ethan Lynch



Dear Friends -

Thank everyone so much for
my Birthday Card and the
beautiful flowers. It was all a
lovely surprise.

Dwight MOOMAW



January 4, 2022

Dear Friends in Christ,
Thank you for the
beautiful vase of flowers for
my 90th birthday. I have
enjoyed them and thinking
of you and your thoughtfulness.
Sincerely,
Dick Quickel



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January 5, 2022

Grace Lutheran Evangelical Church
500 S. Wayne Avenue
Waynesboro, VA 22980

Friends
Dear Grace Lutheran Evangelical Church,

Your gift in the amount of \$452.00 on December 29, 2021 is so very much appreciated! Because of you, an increasing number of our older neighbors and their caregivers are joining a circle of care that will help them thrive as they age.

Whether they seek out VPAS for nutritious meals, Medicare consultation, education, socialization, homemaking, transportation or other vital service, older adults will discover experts ready to help them navigate every turn. Generous donors like you make that happen.

We hope you'll stay in touch. Please call us with any questions you have about VPAS. We also invite you to visit us anytime at vpas.info, on Facebook (Valley Program for Aging Services), Instagram ([vpasnavigatingaging](https://www.instagram.com/vpasnavigatingaging)) and on YouTube (VPAS-Navigating Aging Together).

On behalf of our volunteers, staff, and most especially the people we serve, thank you for helping to build a community in which everyone can age well.

Sincerely,

Jeri Schaff, Executive Director
Valley Program for Aging Services

*Thank you for caring about
the people we serve!*

PS: Valley Program for Aging Services, Inc. is a 501(c)3 charitable corporation that does not provide goods or services in whole or partial consideration for donations. Please keep this letter for your records as it is your receipt. FEIN 54-0958526

Valley Program for Aging Services

Serving older adults and their families in the counties of Augusta, Bath, Highland, Rockbridge, and Rockingham, and the cities of Buena Vista, Harrisonburg, Lexington, Staunton, and Waynesboro

Supported by federal, state, and local governments, United Ways, and the generosity of our neighbors
FEIN 54-0958526





WARM

Waynesboro Area Refuge Ministry

January 4, 2022

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
500 S Wayne Avenue
Waynesboro, VA 22980-4836

Dear Friends at Grace Lutheran,

Thank you for your generous support of Waynesboro Area Refuge Ministry, Inc. (WARM)! WARM has continued to be one of Waynesboro's front-line responders to challenges created by the pandemic. All our programs continue to operate during the pandemic including the addition of a year-around **Motel Emergency Shelter** that has literally saved lives and kept vulnerable community members out of harm's way.



Your gift allows us to continue to provide life-changing programs including **Ruth's WARM House**, offering transitional housing, case management and more to homeless mothers with children; **Community Outreach**, working to support the stability of formerly homeless neighbors, prevent homelessness, and respond to homelessness outside of shelter settings; and the future return of our **Cold Weather Shelter** which typically utilizes church partnerships and facilities to provide shelter and support to our community's most vulnerable during the coldest months of the year.



To us, YOU are a hero contributing to tangible change. We could not do any of this without the support of people like you... people who care. If you would like additional information on our work during challenging times, then please do not hesitate to contact me at (540)324-8166 or debra@warmwaynesboro.org.

WARM Regards,
Debra Freeman-Belle
Debra Freeman-Belle
Executive Director

*Every gift to WARM makes a difference. Thank you for your support & heart for others!
Debra*

*****CONTRIBUTION RECEIPT*****

Donor Name(s): Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
Gift Date: 12/27/2021
Amount: \$1,500.00
Type (Detail): Check (80340)
Fund (Detail): Bedroom Sponsorships (Warm_House)



Waynesboro Area Refuge Ministry, Inc. (WARM), Tax ID- 47-1937790, is a tax-exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. As such, your donation/gift is tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. No goods or services were provided in exchange for this contribution.

Sherando United Methodist Church

2022 Howardsville Turnpike
Stuarts Draft, Virginia 24477
Office 540-943-9425

December 21, 2021

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
500 S. Wayne Ave
Waynesboro VA 22980




Dear friends,

Sherando United Methodist Church is deeply grateful for your generosity toward our church in the aftermath of the devastating fire of October 29, 2021. You and many others responded with words of love and concern and a financial gift. Whether large or small, we appreciate it because we know it comes with love.

While this fire was devastating, the people of this congregation are fixed on being faithful to God in whatever God has in store for us. We will keep you informed of our progress so you can be assured your gift was honored and used wisely.

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

Sincerely,



Mrs. Phyllis Lowe Breedon
Financial Secretary

Donation description Re-Build Fund _____ Where needed most

Thank you for your gift of \$ 670⁰⁰

Sherando United Methodist Church is a certified 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization in accordance with the standards and regulations of the IRS. By our signature on this document, we declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America, that no goods or services were exchanged as part of this donation.
EIN: 54-1056871

12/2021

Thank You!

Multiplying Mission



To the members of
Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church
for your congregation's gift of
Mission Support to the Virginia Synod
in 2021.

Your gift helps ministry happen
in Virginia, around the country,
and across the world.



FAITHFUL + BOLD + SERVING
Virginia Synod, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America



FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p style="text-align: right;">30</p> <p>Fourth Sunday in Epiphany</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Service of the Word In Person and via YouTube</p> <p>10:50 a.m. Coffee Fellowship via Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">31</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Grace's Women's Group Meeting (Conference Room)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Afghan Resettlement Meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p>First Day of Black History Month</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Children/ Youth/ Christian Education Meeting (Conference Room)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Prayer Group (Chapel)</p> <p>12:00 Noon Strategic Planning Meeting (Conference Room)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Anti-Racism Book Study Planning Meeting (Conference Room)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Grace Walkers</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Study (Conference Room)</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Discussion with Christ Tabernacle via Zoom</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Bible Study Conference Room & Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">4</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">5</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Yoga (Fellowship Hall)</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">6</p> <p>Fifth Sunday in Epiphany</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Service of the Word In Person and via YouTube</p> <p>10:50 a.m. Coffee Fellowship via Zoom</p> <p>3:30 p.m. Pastor preaching at Summit Square</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">7</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">8</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">9</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Prayer Group (Chapel)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">10</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Grace Walkers</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Study (Conference Room)</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Discussion with Christ Tabernacle via Zoom</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Bible Study Conference Room & Zoom</p> <p>5:30—7:00 p.m. Virginia Organizing (Conference Room)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">11</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">12</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Yoga (Fellowship Hall)</p>



FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p style="text-align: right;">13</p> <p>Sixth Sunday in Epiphany</p> <p><i>Congregational Meeting</i></p> <p>10:00 a.m. Service of the Word In Person and via YouTube</p> <p>10:50 a.m. Coffee Fellowship via Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">14</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Valentine's Day</i></p> <p>6:30 p.m. Grace Anti-Racism Book Study Via Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">15</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Church Council</i></p> <p>7:00 p.m. Council (Conference Room and Zoom)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">16</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Prayer Group (Chapel)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">17</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Grace Walkers</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Study (Conference Room)</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Discussion with Christ Tabernacle via Zoom</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Bible Study Conference Room & Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">18</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">19</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Yoga (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Prayer Vigil for Racial Recon. (Constitution Park)</p>
<p style="text-align: right;">20</p> <p>Seventh Sunday in Epiphany</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Service of the Word In Person and via YouTube Pastor Karen van Stee Preaching</p> <p>10:50 a.m. Coffee Fellowship via Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">21</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Presidents Day</i></p>	<p style="text-align: right;">22</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Round Tables (Fellowship Hall and Zoom)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">23</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Prayer Group (Chapel)</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">24</p> <p>8:30 a.m. Grace Walkers</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Study (Conference Room)</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Discussion with Christ Tabernacle</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Bible Study Conference Room & Zoom</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">25</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">26</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Yoga (Fellowship Hall)</p>



FEBRUARY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	1	2	3	4	29
<p><i>Transfiguration of Our Lord</i></p> <p>10:00 a.m. Holy Communion</p> <p>10:50 a.m. Coffee Fellowship via Zoom</p>			<p><i>Ash Wednesday</i></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Backpacks (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Prayer Group (Chapel)</p>	<p>8:30 a.m. Grace Walkers</p> <p>9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. Church of God and Christ - WVA Jurisdiction (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>12:30 p.m. Bridge Club (Fellowship Hall)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Discussion with Christ Tabernacle</p>	<p>9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. Church of God and Christ - WVA Jurisdiction (Fellowship Hall)</p>	<p>10:00 a.m. Yoga (Fellowship Hall)</p>

Worship Assistants

<i>February 6</i>	<i>February 13</i>	<i>February 20</i>	<i>February 27</i>
Preaching & Presiding Pastor Paul Pingel	Preaching & Presiding Pastor Paul Pingel	Preaching & Presiding Pastor Karen Van Stee	Preaching & Presiding Pastor Paul Pingel
Altar Flowers Open	Altar Flowers Open	Altar Flowers Open	Altar Flowers Open
Altar Guild	Altar Guild Jane Stein	Altar Guild Kathy Meicke	Altar Guild
Assisting Minister Robin Crowder	Assisting Minister Tripp Franklin	Assisting Minister Marsha Howard	Assisting Minister Donna Gum
Communion Assistants Cathy Crowder Andrew Sell	Communion Assistants Quinn Franklin Thea Franklin	Communion Assistants Kathy Bump Susan Myers	Communion Assistants Gloria Nelson Jim Nelson
Council Person of the Week Jerry Kite	Council Person of the Week Jean Morgan	Council Person of the Week Nancy Schwiesow	Council Person of the Week Andrew Sell
Covid Monitor Karen Walck	Covid Monitor Carolyn Hite	Covid Monitor Bill Lucas	Covid Monitor Gail Johnson
Offering Stewards Pat Brady Robin Crowder	Offering Stewards Jean Morgan David Proctor	Offering Stewards Pat Brady Robin Crowder	Offering Stewards Jean Morgan David Proctor
Ushers Jack Eckstrom Jim Nelson	Ushers Gail Johnson Jerry Kite	Ushers Rick Bump Linda Meyer	Ushers Pat Brady Jean Morgan



February

BIRTHDAYS

02/04	Becky Jones	02/10	Irma Graf	02/13	Dick Tomey
02/13	Helen Moyer	02/17	Carolyn Hite	02/17	Peggy Caister
02/18	Mike Trauscht	02/26	Carol Bowers	02/28	Ed Driskill
02/28	Carol Varner	02/28	Kim Hull	02/29	Pete Rufe



FEBRUARY

Baptisms

02/19	Zaden Bandy	02/20	Andrew Sell	02/23	Dick Tomey
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Remember
Our Homebound Members

*Nursing Home,
Assisted Living and
Homebound Members*

<p>Genevieve Arneson 220 Adventure Trail Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>	<p>LizAnn Binns The Legacy 1410a North Augusta Street Apartment 3027 Staunton, VA 24401</p>
<p>Maribeth Faivre Summit Square 501 Oak Avenue, Apt. 130 Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>	<p>Sandra Hoy Accordius, Room 111 1221 Rosser Avenue Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>
<p>Phyllis Kite Summit Square 501 Oak Avenue, Apt. 217 Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>	<p>Bob Knemoller Summit Square 501 Oak Avenue, Apt. AL-13 Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>
<p>Glen & Flossie Myers The Legacy 1410a North Augusta Street Staunton, VA 24401</p>	<p>Pete Rufe Summit Square Healthcare 501 Oak Avenue, Room 7 Waynesboro, VA 22980</p>
<p>David and Carolyn Shields Brightview 21 Woodlee Road Staunton, VA 24401</p>	



Budget Barometer

December 2021

For the year, actual receipts are below budget and actual disbursements are below budget resulting in a deficit of \$6,351.

Comparison to Prior Year: Financial Barometer	Actual 2020	Actual 2021	Difference
Total Budget Receipts YTD	\$292,513	\$291,397	(\$1,116)
Total Budget Disbursed YTD	\$294,801	\$297,748	\$2,947
	(\$2,288)	(\$6,351)	(\$4,063)



Members of Grace Congregational Council

Robin Crowder, President
 Jerry Kite, Vice-President
 Bob Barrette, Fred Biggers,
 Kathy Bump, Kim Hull,
 Jean Morgan, Nancy Schwiesow,
 Andrew Sell, Amy Warren
 Ron Almarode, Treasurer
 Vivian Proctor, Secretary
 Donna Marshall, Assistant Treasurer
 Charles Goodrich, Financial Secretary



Rev. Paul Pingel, Pastor—Email: pastorpingel@gmail.com
Mike Myers, Organist, Director of Music—Email: mickhdking@aol.com
Nancy Dowdy, Administrative Secretary—Email: Grace.lc@comcast.net
Office Hours: 8:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m. (Lunch 11:30—12:30) Monday-Thursday;
Friday—Closed

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