GRACE NOTES

Welcome to worship on this special Sunday! Today we install Rev. Jim Bae as the Pastor of Community Engagement, and we welcome

Behzad Firouzabadi, as we look forward to hearing some of his testimony. Continuing to explore Luke 9, the disciples were overwhelmed by the need to feed more than **5000 people** with a little bit of bread and fish. But when they gave what they had to Jesus, He used what they gave to do more than **they could ever imagine**. God still does amazing things **TODAY** through the willingness of His people when they do what they can.

The Worship Team,

Prelude, Hymns and Postlude:

Julie Probert, organ and Grace Winds & Strings As the Deer, and Shine, Jesus Shine

Building A Community of Grace; A Christ Centered Mosaic

MANY PEOPLES-ONE COMMUNITY

PRAYER MINISTRY TEAM Looking for someone to pray confidentially with you? A member of the **Prayer Ministry Team** will be available after worship each Sunday at the front of the sanctuary. Someone will then bring you into the private Prayer Room.

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At Home: Heather Fletcher-Switzer, Maureen Arp, Lisa Lohnes, Teddy & Claire Randall, Rose Marie Patterson, Shirley Pierpoint, Sheila Martin, Edgar & Dorothy Barrieau, Stephanie & Marg Pollock, Helen Currie, James Rankine, Lawrence Steeves, Erma Hawkes, Ron & Sherrie Evans, Doug Cook, Guna Kulasegaram Shannex: Velma MacDonald, Gregory Nickerson, David Ridley, Mavis Hallett Pine Grove: Enide Smith Windsor Court: Eileen Wallace York Manor: Ruth Steeves Farraline Place: Phyllis Betts

YOUTH PRAYERS — Please pray for:

- Grace Youth will be starting on September 29th! Pray for Christ to reveal himself to our leaders, volunteers, and youth. That each may learn more about him as we start the Fall program.
- **Our youth group** to be a safe space for young people. They would be willing with an open heart and genuine curiosity. Allow them courage to ask questions.

Thank you for praying for our youth as they grow in CHRIST

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY — Please pray for:

The Graceland program might minister to all involved; leaders, • volunteers, children and parents. Pray for a firm foundation to be build for these relationships with these families.

PRAYER MINISTRY is always available and welcomes your prayer requests. Please send them by email to Kathleen Brewer at kbrewer168@qmail.com or by phone 449-0848. New members are always welcome.





Thank you for your faithful giving. We currently have five methods of giving:

AT WORSHIP — At each of the three doors to the sanctuary, there are offering boxes just inside the room. You can drop your offering into one of those boxes at any worship service.

PRE-AUTHORIZED DEBIT – You can set up an automatic withdrawal from your account to Grace. If you wish to start, contact the office.

DROP-OFF – Please use the Northumberland Street door during office hours (Tues.- Fri. 8:30am-4:30pm). Please call ahead.

E-TRANSFER – Please clearly note in the message section of the etransfer how much you are directing to particular funds (For example: Current, Missions, Building, Easter). Funds that are not designated will be directed to Current expenses. Send etransfers to our **Financial Treasurer**, at **treasureratgrace536@gmail.com**.

CANADA HELPS - Canada Helps is a registered charity that collects online donations, then passes them on to the charity. Go to canadahelps.org, search for Grace Memorial Baptist. Then follow the instructions to make a donation.

New to GRACE? If this is your first or second time coming to Grace, welcome! We would love to meet you and get to know you. The pew in front of you should have a yellow **Connection Card**. Please fill it out and drop it in the one of the offering boxes as you exiting the sanctuary. We look forward to hearing from you!

FERNE SEWELL WMS—Thursday, Sept 28, 2023 at 1:15 PM, join us for our meeting in the Parlour. We are looking forward to our special guest speaker: Kathryn Scott. Rita will doing the Devotional. New members are always welcome.

An Overwhelming Mess Luke 9:10-17

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