

Welcome!

Welcome to worship at Grace Church, we hope you feel at home here. Please help us get to know you better and if you are a visitor fill out the portion below and drop in offering plate or in one of the baskets at the door as you leave the sanctuary.

(For Visitors)

- This is my 1st time visit to Grace Church
- I have visited Grace Church before
- I am a frequent visitor to Grace Church

Name _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Children : Name(s) & Age(s)

1. _____ Age: _____

2. _____ Age: _____

3. _____ Age: _____

4. _____ Age: _____

I would like a call from the Pastor

I'm new to the area

I'd like information about the church

I would like more information about a personal relationship with Jesus

I would like the newsletter emailed to me

This week at Grace

Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service—Sanctuary	
12.1.24	9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School—Class Room	
	10:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday School—Jr Room	
	10:45 a.m.	Private Event—Fellowship Hall	
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	Cub Scouts—Jr Room	
12.3.24	7:00 p.m.	Trustees—Board Room	
Wed 12.4.24	6:00 p.m.	Girl Scouts—Fellowship Hall	
Thurs 12.5.24	7:00 p.m.	Celebration Choir—Sanctuary	
	7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts—Fellowship Hall	
	7:00 p.m.	Men's Bible Study—Len Petratis'	
Sat 12.7.24	7:30 a.m.	Men's Breakfast—Fellowship Hall	
Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service—Sanctuary	
	12.8.24	9:30 a.m.	Children's Sunday School—Class Room
	10:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday School—Jr Room	

Contact Us

Grace Church of Pen Argyl

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Call or email Pastor Tim if you would like to speak with him.

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You're always welcome here at
Grace Church

Nurture — Outreach — Witness

Our ministries do N.O.W.



FIRST SUNDAY
OF
Advent

December 1, 2024

Prayers and Praises

O God, our heavenly Father, we ask that your healing, comforting power bring these persons recovery, strength and encouragement; though Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

- ✝ Matt Wagner
- ✝ Jesse Smith
- ✝ Carol Voorhees
- ✝ Nichole Smith
- ✝ Lois Shelly
- ✝ Jervaise Surotchak

We also lift before you:

- ✝ The Leadership of Grace
- ✝ Safety for all military
- ✝ Missionaries around the world
- ✝ The homeless
- ✝ Strengthening of marriages and families
- ✝ Every child and adult struggling
- ✝ Shut-ins
- ✝ Those affected by natural disasters
- ✝ Unspoken requests

Note: Contact the church office to submit prayer request. Only submit requests with permission from the person you wish to list. Concerns are listed in Grace Today for two weeks. If you or a loved one is hospitalized or in need of a Pastoral visit please contact the church office.

JUST A REMINDER

When Passing the Peace, if people are remaining seated, please respect their need for social distancing. Let's return to our seats as the music begins playing.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

Men's Breakfast is scheduled for Saturday, December 7th at 7:30am in Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to Dick Stiles or the church office if you are planning on attending. **All** men welcome and encouraged to bring a friend.

MISSIONS MOMENT

Dec 15th, Pam D'Andre will be joining us at our Service. Pam is our missionary serving in Ukraine. We are anxious for her visit with us.

POINSETTIAS

Poinsettia orders are due TODAY! You can place them *in memory* or *in honor* of loved ones. The cost this year is \$15 per plant. Forms can be placed in the offering baskets or given to Jessica in the office.

ANGEL TREE

For those of you participating, if you have taken an "ANGEL" ornament, please do not wrap your gifts but attach the Angel to any packages. If you chose a "LANTERN", please wrap those gifts and attached the ornament to the outside of the gift. Please bring all gifts by December 8th. If you have any questions, please contact Pat Weber at 610-484-5754.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JESUS CELEBRATION

The Sunday School will hold a celebration of Jesus' birth on Sunday, December 15th at 9:30am in Fellowship Hall. All children are invited to attend. There will be a story, crafts and singing. Following the 9:30am service, the congregation is invited to join the children for birthday cake.

FAMILY FUN NIGHT

On December 13th at 6pm the Celebration Choir will be hosting the Family Fun Night with Christmas caroling around the area. We will be carpooling to as many places as time will allow. (If you know someone who we could go to, call the church office to add to the list). After caroling we will return to the church for refreshments and Christmas fun.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Join the Adult Sunday School at 10:45am in the Jr Room.

LOVE FUND OFFERING

This morning there are Love Fund offering envelopes in your bulletins. We take this special collection on Sunday's when we celebrate Holy Communion. The Love Fund is used to help those in our church family or community with financial needs. If are in need of financial help, please see Pastor Tim. All information is kept confidential.

Sight and Sound Bus Trip

The bus trip to see *Noah* on May 17, 2025 is almost full. If you are interested in going, contact Denny Miller for more information 610-703-1412 or Dmbm74@outlook.com

Prayer Request

List in Grace Today Keep Confidential

I would like to be contacted about this

NAME: _____

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