

Week of September 15th 2024



# GRACE HAPPENINGS

Stay up to date with all that is happening at Grace EC Church!



:Traditional Service --8:30

: Contemporary Service at 10:45am

:Adult Connection Groups and Children's Sunday School at 9:30am

Simply Loved Children's Church meets during the contemporary service and begins after the congregational singing

: Grace Youth Ministry (GYM) at 12:30

## CONNECTION GROUPS meet on Sundays at 9:30am

#1 OT Study--The Book of Amos with Todd Frehafer and Pastor Ted

Can the OT speak to the problems and challenges of modern nations like the US? Discover how God continues to speak even in the 21st century. Meets in connection room #1.

#2 RVL Discipleship: The Study (by Focus on the Family) with Ed Zipay and Diane O'Neill

This class will consider what it meant to be a disciple of Jesus in a first century Jewish context.

Meets in connection room #2.



Sept 18th and 25th

--Men's Bible study at 6:30pm

--Choir at 7pm in choir room

Sept 28th

--Borough Day

--Men's breakfast is cancelled

Next regular meeting is October 3rd at 6pm.



Sign up in the lobby to work on a project, to work in the kitchen, to be on a prayer team or to bring food for this ministry where we go BE the church in our community on Sunday, October 13th

No services will be held.



Donate \$5 for a shopping pass and Grace EC receives 100% of the donation to apply to the 100K capital fund. The pass gives you access to 25% off your purchase at Boscovs on October 22nd from 8am-11pm Passes are now available--see Jill Kulbitsky or contact the church office to purchase!



Women of Grace Ministry Outreach Day is at Jewel Women's Center Saturday, October 5th 9am to 12 noon

Help reorganize the Baby Boutique followed by going out for lunch together! Sign up in the church lobby.

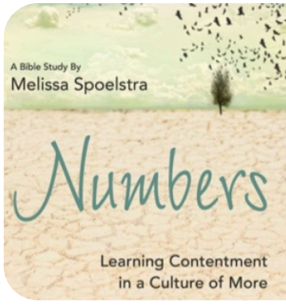


# This Week's Prayer Requests

- Mary Jean Manbeck will be having back surgery on Sept 26th.
- Erin McCready, Norma and Luke's granddaughter, is having surgery on Sept 19th.
- Kade Fasnacht is doing well after his adenoid surgery.
- Jean Bolton--prayer that doctors can manage her diabetes symptoms.
- Dennis Gibson is home recovering from surgery.
- Beverly Long will be having knee surgery.
- Kathy Reichert continued recovery from knee surgery.
- Dawn Emerich, Luke Lehman's sister is doing well after having radiation treatments.



**SCHUYLKILL HAVEN BOROUGH DAY**  
 SEPTEMBER 28TH 9AM-3PM  
 GRACE EC WILL HAVE FUN ACTIVITIES FOR KIDS  
 SIGN UP IN THE LOBBY FOR A TIME TO HELP!



**Women's Bible Study**  
 will start on Tuesday,  
 October 8th.  
 See sign ups in the  
 lobby!



The Schuylkill Haven Crop Walk is on October 6th at 1pm. It is a major fundraiser sponsored by the Church World Services to 'stamp out hunger'. One quarter of the monies raised are designated for our local food pantry. The walk starts and ends at the Food Pantry on 110 W. Market St in Schuylkill Haven. See poster in the lobby for more info!  
<https://events.crophungerwalk.org/cropwalks>



October 31st 6-8pm  
 in the church parking lot.  
 Sign up in the lobby to decorate your trunk  
 Theme: Jobs and Occupations



**Weekly Offering Report for September 15th 2024**

Offering: \$3,028	Weekly Goal: \$4,942
Year to Date: \$167,924	Goal Year to Date: \$182,854

*Current Balance of Capital Fund as of 8/31- \$43,488.05*

**STOCK THE PANTRY**

The Haven food pantry needs food and volunteers! Donations of canned veggies, soups, pasta sauce and cereal are appreciated! There are baskets provided in the lobby for drop off. Thank you!



Contact Julie Wisner for info on volunteering.

COMING UP IN **October**

- 3rd: MOMCO at 6pm
- 5th: Women of Grace at Jewel for a work day
- 6th: Worldwide Communion Sunday
- 11th: Coffee & Worship
- 18th-25th: Pastor Ted in Nepal
- 26th: Men's breakfast at 9am
- 27th: Friendship Sunday with a potluck lunch
- 31st: Trunk or Treat from 6-8pm