

## Calendar

## This week at Grace

Today, November 22

8:00 & 10:45 am Worship
9:30 am Sunday School
Adult Forum
Special CollectionChristmas Baskets
Monday, November 23

10:00 am Newsletter planning

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Wednesday, Nov 25 10:00 am Word Watchers

Thursday, Nov 26
Thanksgiving
Church office closed
Sunday, November 29
10:00 am
Worship – 5th Sunday

**Announcements** 

Grace is now gluten free! Starting today we will begin offering a gluten free option for communion wafers/bread. Please let the Pastor know before or during Communion.

Faith building intergenerational get-together is today in the fellowship hall. Breakfast will be served starting at 9:30 am with a group activity to follow. Please come and join the Grace community as we fellowship together.

Community Christmas Baskets - There is a special collection today for the community Christmas basket supplies. If you wish to contribute please place cash in an envelope marked "Christmas baskets". If you wish to give a check please mark "Christmas baskets" on the check. Gifts for children have all been selected. Food donations continue to be collected in the box between the outside entrance doors. We are still in need of donations of turkeys. We also need assistance with delivering the baskets on December 19. Please see the signup sheets in the narthex if you can help.

November 23 – NO Monday Adult Forum on Monday, November 23rd.

Fifth Sunday – November 29th – One service held at 10 am, Sunday School at 8:45 am. Social Activities is planning to have a brunch after service. Everyone is welcome, a dish to pass is helpful but not mandatory.

Sarah Circle - On Wednesday, December 2, Sarah Circle will be having a Christmas gathering with a short business meeting following Vespers. All women of Grace are invited. Please bring a snack and gift to exchange if you are able.

Advent suppers and Wednesday night services will be held on December 2, December 9 and December 16th. Supper at 6:00 pm, worship at 7:00 pm.

Coffee Hour - Starting December 6 and going through March, coffee hour will take place in thenarthex. Please stop at the hospitality table after worship and enjoy a beverage and snack!

Holly Trolley Signup Today - The sign-up sheets are in the narthex to participate in this years' Holly Trolley event at the trolley stop on the courthouse lawn. The date has been set for the evening of Friday, December 4th. Please stop by today and volunteer to take part in this event.

Brothers of Grace - Attention all men 18 yrs. and older, join the Brothers of Grace in a dinner night out at Kloosterman's Sport Tap, Tuesday December 8th at 6:00 p.m. Enjoy a time of good food and fellowship. Please sign your name on the sign-up sheet on the BOG bulletin board.

Grace is in need of another Shepherd. If you are interested, please contact Margaret Wood.