GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MINISTRIES The Fourth Sunday of Easter News & Notes – April 21, 2024 Please silence electronic devices.

GLC MISSION STATEMENT: We go in service to all people –sharing, caring, and teachingto bring them to Christ.

"Loyal Love"

Interested in the **Impact Men's Group?** We're seeking to allow Christ to have a greater impact in our lives so that we, in turn, would impact the lives of others. Join us on Saturday, May 4th at 12:00 pm in the Bean Redeemed Café at Grace. Pizza lunch and drinks will be provided.

Sunday School helpers are needed. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Portals of Prayers subscription have been renewed. If you would like to reimburse Grace, price is \$12.75.

EMPTY PAPER TOWEL ROLLS are needed for Grace Braille work instead of toilet paper rolls. Thank you.

All women are invited to help make **Fidget Mats** for local Memory Care Centers this Wednesday, 10:00 am-1:00 pm at Zion Lutheran Church. See bulletin boards for complete details.

The LWML Cincinnati Zone Missions in Motion Event is April 28, 2-4:00 pm at Amazing Grace in Harrison, Ohio. The event will highlight two diverse missions-Pastor Ritchie's "Tent Mission" and Leja Bulela, a mission supporting women and young girls in West Africa. Ingathering items to be collected: Period underwear in sizes <u>small and medium,</u> cotton underwear in sizes <u>small and medium,</u> reusable pads, headscarves, and certain fabrics (see bulletin boards for exact type). Items can be put in the baskets at Grace by April 28th. Thank you to all who contributed so generously to this project for women in West Africa. We'll let you know the final count purchased after next Sunday when we take <u>more than</u> 60 pairs of panties and 162 reusable pads to Amazing Grace. If you would like to go, and need a ride, call Sherri Thompson, 513-900-7208.

The **2024 LWML Ohio District Convention** is June 21st and 22nd in Canton, Ohio. Theme is Psalm 28: 7a, *The Lord is my strength and my shield; in Him my heart trusts, and I am helped.* Registration forms are in the narthex and lower sanctuary.

The 2024 flower calendar is in the narthex. When signing up, put your phone number and Sue McCabe will be in touch with you about what kind of arrangement you would like. You may put your \$30 payment in the offering plate marked "altar flowers".

Community Dinners are the second Tuesday of each month, 5:30-6:30 pm. <u>Funds are</u> <u>needed for the dinners.</u> You may put your gift in the offering plate marked "Community Dinners." Thank you.

Westfed Pantry needs food, monetary donations and brown paper grocery bags. April items are canned fruit, toilet paper, and mac & cheese. Boxes are upstairs and down. Checks can be made out to GLC, with *Westfed* in the memo.

We pray for: Billie Beinkemper, Elaine Cheesebrew. Linda Eisele. Betty Jackson. Gwen Linthicum, Mike McCabe, Terry McCabe, Sue McCabe, Nancy Niehaus, Donna Nimmo, Charlie Otten, Lester Rampage, Ken Ross, Hugh Schaffer, Kay Schmithorst, Rita Sohn, Becky Stamper, David Stamper, and Lois Young; friends of the parish: Landon Amand, James Berry, Dan Brinkman. Tom Bucher, Paul Chapman, Steve Cheesebrew, Phyllis Corbin, Bryan Evangeline Devol, Beth Earles, Dehner. Christopher Farmer, Jerry Froehlich, Sandy Fuller, David Hensley, Phyllis Hodges, Rev. John Huss, James Kohrman, Sue Kuehm, Kurt Kuwatch, Sue Kuwatch, Terrence LaFollette, Jen Lichtenbarger, Bob and Sandy Mercer, Dan Metzler, McKenzie, Monica, Beth Papin, Lisa Pfaehler, Diane Reis, Jack Robben, Reggie Rowland, Jan Shively, Bethany Siebert, Traci Smith, Ken Spille, Marti Stefaniak, Nancy Thomas, Eric Thompson, Gary Vice, Jon Veite, Shirley Walden, Nadine Weber, Steve Westerkamp, Jeffrey Wolber, Robin Wood, the Wood family, Reagan Woodburn, Amy Wullenweber, & Hannah Ziesmann,; those serving our country: Andy Goff, Craig Martin, Ashley Miller, Joe Miller, Dylan Mitchell, Jeff Schwoeppe, Nick Stern, Nolan Wullenweber; Missionaries: Kayla Gundermann, Ramy Yousef and family, Roeske and Esala families.

Stewardship Corner: "I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loves me and gave himself for me."

Happy Birthday to:

26th-Bruce Johnson, Linda Schuster

Serving in April: Altar Guild: 9:00 am-Phyllis Uffman, Carol Smith; 11:15 am-Donna Nimmo

Elders: 9:00 am-Tom Knabe; 11:15 am-Tom Knabe

Lector today-Ryan Moyers; Lector next week-Bill Thompson

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Today_Traditional Communion-9:00 am
Christian Ed for all-10:15 am
Contemporary Communion-11:15 am
Mon. Braille-1:00
Tutoring-4:30 pm
Tues. Women's ChristCare-6:30 pm
Thurs. Adult Bible Study-10:00 am
Westfed Pantry-1:30 pm
Sun. Traditional Worship-9:00 am
Christian Ed for all-10:15 am
Contemporary Worship-11:15 am

Attendance last week: 9:00 am-32; 11:15 am-39; total-71 Christian Ed: Adult-8; SS-13; Conf.-11; Tues. pm-9; Thurs. am-12; Thurs. pm-4

Offering on 4/7: \$2,810.00

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VISION MARKS:

Together we will <u>G</u>row in God's Word Proclaim the <u>R</u>edemption through God's Grace Be increasingly <u>Active</u> in service to the Lord Bring Christ's <u>C</u>are to our community & beyond Constantly <u>Equip</u> believers for a life of discipleship

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