

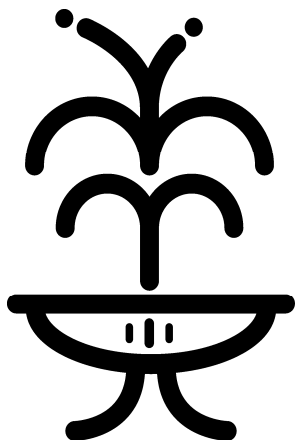
Grace Notes

July 2022
"Come Home to Grace"

Worship in July

- July 3 Amos 7:7-17 "The Plumb Line"
The Prophet Amos has confrontation with the Priest Amaziah.
When does patriotism go wrong?
- July 10 Ray Wagner is leading the service.
- July 17 Communion Meditation: Matthew 21:33-43 "God's Vineyard"
Communion will be observed.
- July 24 Coffeehouse Worship Service:
Interactive/Intergenerational Project on the Atonement
What is it you believe about the atonement?
What is it anyway?
- July 31 Various scriptures "The Secret Life of Grass"
- August 7 Amos 8:1-12 "Ripe for the Picking"
- August 14 "An Inheritance Beyond Belief"
What is it the Bible promises we inherit as God's children?





Grace Church would like to thank Connie & Gary Scullion for the new water fountain in the dining hall. It was contributed by Connie & Gary in loving memory of Connie's parents, John & June Wolford.

Thank you, thank you!

GRO News:

The July GRO meeting will be Tuesday, July 12 at 7:00 p.m. Please join us if you can—lots happening with GRO! Come, be a part!!

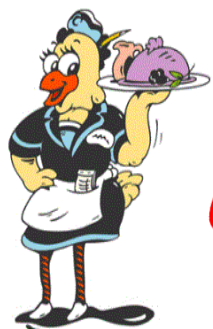


And guess what time it almost is — STREET FAIR CHICKEN BBQ 2022!
It's in the works!

Mark your calendars for Friday, September 9 and Saturday, September 10.
Applesauce day is scheduled for Saturday, August 27.
We need EVERYONE to make this a successful event.
Look for more details in the August newsletter.

Questions? Contact anyone on the committee:
Russ & Diane Barnes
Matt Bell
Jolane Day
Chris & Leslie Eisenbraun
Alex & Laurie Heintzelman
or Pastor Rob

And Gracie the Chicken is back this year!



Gracie

Consistory Meeting of June 2022

Members Present: Diane Barnes, Matt Bell, Chris Eisenbraun, Leslie Eisenbraun, Alex Heintzelman, Rob Joy, Gary Scullion, Jack Sitler, Jim Brinker, Steve Barnett, Tim Reeser, Mark Frost and Sharon Frost.

Excused: N/A

I. Devotions – June: Tim Reeser July: Diane Barnes

II. Duties – June: Usher: Gary Scullion Elevator: Alex Heintzelman

July: Usher: Sharon Frost Elevator: Gary Scullion

Communion

July 17th – Summer; Jack Sitler October 2nd – World Wide; Gary Scullion

Consistory Terms

2020 – 2022: Mark Frost, Alex Heintzelman, Tim Reeser, Gary Scullion

2021 – 2023: Steve Barnett, Chris Eisenbraun, Leslie Eisenbraun, Jack Sitler

2022 – 2024: Diane Barnes, Matt Bell, Jim Brinker, Sharon Frost

III. Informal Discussion/Goal Setting: Wayne Sitler spoke on the approved repairs to the Church; work should be done this week. Presented item# 2 for repairs to the aluminum siding and overhang (\$20,550.00). Presented item# 3 to paint all louvers in the bell tower (\$19,810.00).

Discussion on improving attendance on Sunday's and getting more youth to attend.

IV. Communications: Marcy requested the following days off July 14th, 18th and 19th. Dates are approved by Consistory.

V. Approval of Minutes: May minutes reviewed. 1st: Leslie Eisenbraun, 2nd: Tim Reeser, motion passes.

VI. Financial Secretary Report (M. Bell):

May Current Fund income: \$12,221.74. Budget monthly income \$13,382.00, \$3,787 under budget. 32% received. The Current Fund is in the red \$8,183.76.

May Current Fund expense: \$11,698.04. Budget monthly expense \$13,382.00. \$943.75 over budget. 42% expensed
Motion to accept the report. 1st Mark Frost, 2nd Jack Sitler, motion carries.

VII. Financial Committee Report (M. Bell):

Church Insurance: Property and Financial committee has recommended changing the insurance company. Jack Sitler made a motion to change the insurance companies, Mark Frost 2nd the motion, motion carries.

Community Outreach Funds: in the works of investing money.

VIII. Pastor's Report:

Worship: 4 regular services

Communion: 0

Deceased/Funerals: 1, for Carol Czarneski on 5/14

Marriages: 0

Ministry of Visitation: 12

Counseling: 2

Ministry of Youth/Teaching: No meetings in May.

Administrative Ministry: Consistory 5/2. CCMA meeting 5/24: Sheriff spoke: drugs, church security: cameras, security team.

Evangelism: 0 meetings

Communication: 1 newsletter, 4 newsflashes.

Various activities: Charles Sagay visit was 5/3-9. Nursing home outreach service: 5/17.

Looking Ahead:

Upcoming communion dates: I propose 7/17 not 7/10.

Book study: *The Beauty of What Remains* to start up this Fall.

Next Consistory: 07/11/22

Looking ahead:

Rev. Charles Sagay visit 5/3-9



- 1 Rich Berryman
Ginny Snyder
Cindy Perorazio
Emily Barnes
- 2 Chris Neiheisel
- 4 Dick McKee
Steve Neiheisel
- 9 Pat Keylor
Marilyn Swope
- 13 Jim Nulf
- 16 Hannah Reeser
Ryan Barnett
- 21 Amanda Frost
- 22 Jack Sitler
- 23 Bruce Wise
Tyler Wessling
- 25 Amanda Butler

Those Ministering
This Month:

Usher: Sharon
Elevator Attendant: Gary
Candles: Alison Hoskinson

★ Thank You! ★
★ THANK YOU! ★

To Whom it May Concern,

We would like to send a warm “thank you” for letting us use your beautiful hall for our annual meeting. We really appreciate it.

Sincerely,

The Board of Managers for The Village at Jamestown Trace.

Dear Grace Church,

Thank you for your recent gift to the National Association of Congregational Churches, in the amount of \$1,155. The NACCC, after careful review, will apply your donation as follows:

\$1,155 to the Mission School of Hope fund.

We are grateful for your commitment and expression of fellowship represented by your gift.

Blessings in Christ,

Rev. Dr. Ashley Cleere, Ex. Director, NACCC



Pat & Wayne Sitler
July 3, 1955

Joyce & Dick McKee
July 21, 1969

Pat & Hube Keylor
July 5, 1972

Christal & Wayne Bonsall
July 14, 1979

Marsha & Terrance Wolf
July 23, 1997

Service for Carol Czarneski, Saturday, May 14, 10:00 a.m.

Mother/Daughter Banquet 5/15 @6 p.m.

OACCC Nominating Committee (and anyone else who may be interested) meets out at Ewing Woods 5/21 @10:00 a.m.

Vacation request July 7th – 11th (Thursday – Monday). Leslie made a motion to approve the vacation request, Sharon 2nd, approved by consistory. Also gone August 10th – 13th.

IX. Unfinished Business: Church Constitution Revision Committee has met and are making corrections. No change/meeting this month.

Chris presented to the congregation on 6/5/2022 for approval of repairing the parking lot. This is to be paid in full by the money given by Carol Czarneski.

Chris went over the rental fees for the dining hall/kitchen rental. Chris will take this to the Property Committee. The committee will seek other committee's input. No change/meeting this month. *No update, will keep this listed for a future update*

X. New Business: nothing to report

Diane spoke that she is starting to work on the Street Fair.

XI. Committee Reports:

-Street Fair (Diane) – will be reporting during the committee reports.

-Evangelism (Leslie) – Kim Davis has reached out to the NACCC for support.

-Worship Design (Rob) – Pastor Rob has been talking w/ Ray about music and ideas.

-Music (Diane) – Ray is working on summer music.

-GRO (Diane) – Rummage sale was a success. Next meeting will be in July.

-Pastoral Relations (Rob) – have not meet.

-Endowment (Sharon) – Laurie requested we use Memorial Mundy fund money to set aside \$1000 to be used incrementally for special music. (Approved by Endowment committee). Asking Consistory for approval. Mark Frost made the motion to approve, Diane Barnes 2nd, motion carries.

Laurie and Matt being recommended to Consistory to act on behalf of the Church/committee and direct fund disbursement for the Trust fund being established with Stifel. Mark Frost made a motion to accept this, and Jack Sitler 2nd, motion carried.

-Property (Chris) – Gary spoke with the grounds manager from Heartland School. Money that was left by June Wolford will cover the expense of a new water fountain.

-Elders (Jack) – nothing to report

-Women's Guild (Diane) – Mother Daughter Banquet was successful. June 15th is a salad supper.

XII. Adjournment & The Lord's Prayer

Next Meeting July 11th, 2022, at 7pm.



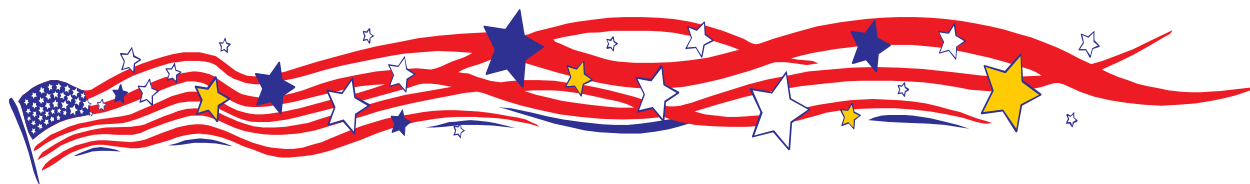
Puzzle!

Search for and circle all the bold words from Psalm 18:2, which reminds us where we find our strength.

The **LORD** is **MY ROCK**, my **FORTRESS** and my **DELIVERER**; my **GOD** is my rock, in whom I **TAKE REFUGE**. **HE** is my **SHIELD** and the **HORN** of my **SALVATION**, my **STRONGHOLD**.

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GOD ROCKS!



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