

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES AND GROUP MEETINGS

1:00 pm MON Memory Lane Support Group & Respite
7:00 am WED Men's Prayer Group followed by Breakfast at Sugarmill
4:00 pm WED Choir Practice – new members are welcome
10:00 am THR SOAP Bible Study - led by Jan Wise
11:30 am THR Lunch Bunch Bible Study - led by Sharon Miller
10:00 am FRI Jan Wise Prayer & Bible Study - led by Jan Wise
10:15 am FRI Meadowcrest Bible Study - led by Pastor Bill

MONTHLY MEETINGS & GROUPS

9:00 am 1st WED Finance Committee Meeting
9:00 am 2nd WED Administrative Board -- May 14 @ 9:00
2:00 pm 2nd THR WOW (Women of Worship)
10:00 am 3rd TUES (LOG) Ladies of Grace - June, July, & August
2:30 pm 4th WED Trustee Meeting

PRAYER NEEDS

Walt Rudolph, Nelson Bell, recovering from surgery. Those with cancer: Luke Todd's brother Troy, Diane Swick, Kelly Chambliss, and Martin Gunter severe leukemia. Others with upcoming surgeries, tests and unspoken requests are JB (Doc) Stauffer, Deb Wackerman, Ed Bright, John Snowberger, Carolyn Bright and Katie Snowberger's Mom. Remember our shut-in Judith Funk. Our President and leaders of our Nation, unrest in the US, and wars in other continents. If you have a prayer request, praise, or if you wish to be added to the e-mail list to receive prayer notifications, contact Jan Metcalf at janmetcalf7@gmail.com

MISSION

Missions supported: Samaritan's Purse Evangelism & Disaster Relief (worldwide); Residing Hope Children's Home (Enterprise, FL); Gideons; Food Bank at 1st UMC (gifts of food); SOS Fund (Pastor's discretionary fund) to assist people in crisis. If you know someone in the church or community needing assistance, contact either Pastor Bill or Pastor Kip.

MINISTRIES

Karen Kline – Faith Community Nurse.
Karen Kline, Carol MacKenzie & trained Stephen Ministers are available to assist you in your time of crisis.
Card Ministry – Carolyn Bright
Comfort and Care Meals are available for those in difficult circumstances (illness, accident, surgery). Call June Kirschbaum 352-382-0424.
Laurie Painter – Children's Ministry during Sunday School at 10 am.

Easter Blessings



Redemption

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace.

Ephesians 1:7

May 18, 2025

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH

**We Celebrate, Serve, and Grow in Christ
We are a Stephen Ministry Church**

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WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Kip

LIGHTING OF ALTAR CANDLES Pastor Kip

PRELUDE *"Oh For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"* R. Wackerman

*CALL TO WORSHIP Colasians 3:12-14 Pastor Kip

*INVOCATION Pastor Kip

*HYMN #252 "Low in the Grave He Lay"

*TIME OF GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*SONG "Family of God" (See Screens)

CHOIR "Love of God"

*PRESENTING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS Pastor Kip

*DOXOLOGY #682 (See Screens)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTOR'S PRAYER – LORD'S PRAYER Pastor Kip

*SCRIPTURE John 13:31-35 Pastor Kip

SERMON *"Forgiveness: Easter's Blessing"* Pastor Kip

*HYMN #89 "Love Lifted Me"

*SONG *"I Love You with the Love of the Lord"* (twice)

BENEDICTION Pastor Kip

*Stand if you are able

If you have questions or want to talk to a pastor contact: Pastor Bill 260-241-4869, pastorbill@gracemethodistchurch.org or Pastor Kip 352-422-3493, pastorkip@gracemethodistchurch.org

HAPPENINGS AT GRACE



Each Sunday from 8:30am to 9:45am It's social time with coffee and goodies in Fellowship Hall. This is a fantastic way to meet people.

Help is still needed...please sign-up for the following activities. Sign-up sheet is in Fellowship Hall

- **Church Cleaning**
- **Bulletin Greeters** to hand out bulletins on Sunday.
- **Provide Goodies** for fellowship time.

Feel the joy of volunteering!! Just Do It!!

Father's Day on June 15, will be coming soon and sweet celebrations will be available for all our great fathers. Volunteer and donate goodies for Father's Day.

Pancake breakfast was another great success. Thank you to all who volunteered to help and all those who attended. The next **pancake breakfast will be June 21**. Pancake breakfast will take a rest July & August and back in September.

VBS is coming soon, **June 9-13**. If you are volunteering to help with VBS, please contact Karen Stone via e-mail or text/call her at 302-270-8273 regarding Ministry Safe Sexual Abuse Awareness Training which is required before you can work with children.