

Grace at a Glance

God Calls Isaiah

Isaiah 6:1-8

Sunday, November 17, 2024



Scripture Isaiah 6:1-8

6 In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple. ² Above him were seraphim, each with six wings: With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they were flying. ³ And they were calling to one another:

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD Almighty;
the whole earth is full of his glory.”

⁴ At the sound of their voices the doorposts and thresholds shook and the temple was filled with smoke.

⁵ “Woe to me!” I cried. “I am ruined! For I am a man of unclean lips, and I live among a people of unclean lips, and my eyes have seen the King, the LORD Almighty.”

⁶ Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with tongs from the altar. ⁷ With it he touched my mouth and said, “See, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away and your sin atoned for.”

⁸ Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, “Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?”

And I said, “Here am I. Send me!”

Prayer of the Day

God of steadfast love,

We stand before you today, humbled by your majesty and glory. Just as Isaiah was filled with awe, so too are we. Help us to be your servants, called to love and serve our neighbors. May we be instruments of your peace in the world. Amen.



QR direct link to 'Give' feature on Grace website!



NOVEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

The November Mission of the Month at Grace is ELCA World Hunger. Every year, your gifts make it possible for ELCA World Hunger to respond strategically and help people living with hunger and poverty in more than 60 countries around the world and the U.S.

Nearly 1 in 10 - 733 million - in our world are hungry. As members of the ELCA, we are called to respond. From health clinics to microloans, water wells to animal husbandry, your gifts to ELCA World Hunger make it possible for the ELCA to respond supporting sustainable solutions that get to the root causes of hunger and poverty.

As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving with lavish and bountiful dinner celebrations, please take a moment to examine how you would like to share with those less fortunate and reach out in Christian love to our neighbors in need across the street and around the world.

Please use your blue multi-purpose envelope, mark mission of the month and place in the church offering or mail to the church office. Checks should be made payable to Grace. Thank you.

This Sunday we worship at 9:30 am in the Sanctuary.

Confidential Prayer Link: <https://forms.gle/oCUEbVJ6CkmdD3nB6>

We have established a confidential prayer email that we have added to our website which can be used by anyone wishing for prayers. This can be made available to just the pastor, the pastor and the prayer chain, OR the pastor, the prayer chain, and the congregation as you choose. Please feel free to test it out. This is just one more way you can access our pastor and/or the prayer team.

We have a dedicated free phone line which you can call in and listen to the livestreaming worship services. So if you don't have a computer or would rather just listen, call in on 1-(833) 579 - 2830. We are working on improving the quality of this experience. Please pass this number to your friends without computers.

We will continue to post recordings of the services each week on our website and Facebook page. Stay tuned for more information as we go forward. We pray for everyone to stay safe and healthy.

Your giving is very important to continuing our missions as always.

You can give electronically using the give button on the website (www.gracelutheranstpaul.fyi), mail it in to the church (1730 Old Hudson Road, St. Paul 55106) or place in the offering at worship on Sunday.

The office hours are M-Thurs, 9:30-1:30. Feel free to call the church (651-774-9617) with any questions, prayers, or requests for help.

Upcoming: November 14th XYZ's go to Mill City Museum 1:00 pm

Sign up for December 12 Holiday Lunch!

November 26th Ecumenical Thanksgiving service at

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church at 1390 Larpenteur Ave.

Sound & Video System - The upgrade in the Tower rooms is complete and the new system in the Sanctuary has been installed!! The Special Gifts and Memorials Committee has given a donation of \$10,000 toward the funding as well as another \$5000 in matching funds for any incoming donations. We are currently at \$22,165.00 including the SGM gifts. Please label any gifts for the Sound System so that they get to the right place. Thank you!!



Monday, November 11 – Sunday, November 17, 2024

Monday, November 11 Veteran's Day - Be sure to thank them!

10 am Mission Committee meets

1:30 pm Business Mgmt Committee meets

Tuesday, November 12 1:00 pm Worship Committee + Hymn planning

6:00 pm Property Mgmt Committee

6:30 pm Community Connections (virtual)

Wednesday, November 13 10-12 Coffee and Conversation

Thursday, November 14 Office closed - Linda on vacation

1:00 pm XYZ's meet to carpool to

Mill City Museum

Sunday, November 17 9:30 am Worship - Live streamed and recorded

Phone in line 1-(833) 579 -2830

10:30 am Fellowship & S. S.

New Feature: Sunday School question of the week -

Who replaced Moses to lead the Israelites to the promised land after Moses' death?

Last week's answer:

40 years

Construction and Traffic updates!

The Gold Line is progressing which affects our parking lot with construction and also the traffic pattern in the area. Since the east entrance to the lot has been drastically narrowed, consider using the other driveway (to the west of the church) to enter. When the project is complete we will make alterations as necessary to the east entrance.

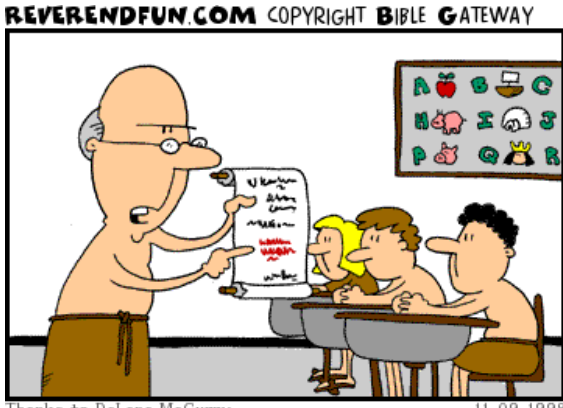
The bridge across 94 on White Bear is now open again as are the accompanying entrance and exit ramps!! And Old Hudson Road between McKnight and Ruth is now open again.

There are still several detours on many of the streets in the area due to repaving of streets, construction, etc. so we aren't back to usual yet, but getting there.

Thanks for your patience!!

Church Chuckles

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Thanks to DeLane McCurry 11-09-1998

I'M NOT SURE WHO WAS ALL PASSING NOTES TODAY, BUT THIS RED WRITING LEADS ME TO BELIEVE THAT JESUS WAS IN ON IT

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11-25-1998

WHILE I WAS PRAYING FOR SAFETY THIS THANKSGIVING THIS WORM FELL OFF OF MY BEAK ... AND HERE I HAD BEEN THINKING THAT I HAD A WATTLE