

October 18, 2020 The Twentieth Sunday After Pentecost

THE OCTOBER ETERNAL CANDLE is given by Heidi Hoffman

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Maria Parrish in
Celebration of October birthdays



TODAY'S BULLETIN COVERS are given by Lynn Ruff in memory of Granddaddy Milam

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Today, we celebrate the Holy Baptism of **Alek Dean Sieg**, son of Derik and Mikala Sieg, at the 11:00 AM service.
- The Committal of **Hank Soehlin** into the Columbarium will be on Saturday, Oct. 17th at 11:00 AM. The service is open to the congregation.
- **Young at Heart** will resume on Wed., Oct. 21st at 11:00 AM. We will be celebrating the Reformation. Lunch will be provided. Please sign up in the Narthex.
- The **Congregational Oktoberfest Event** is scheduled for October 24th from 11AM - 4PM. Sign- up sheets are located in the Narthex or you may sign up on-line by clicking on the event on the church calendar located on the Grace website.
- We will be dedicating the **Columbarium** on Saturday, Oct. 24th at 10:30 AM.
- **Operation Christmas Child:** For October, the youth will be collecting toys, stuffed animals, flashlights with extra batteries, jewelry, games and anything else that a child would love to receive. Remember, NO war toys, liquids, or candy/food are allowed. All items need to fit in a shoebox. Collection box is in the Narthex.
- The annual **Lowcountry Pregnancy Center Walk for Life** will be held on Nov. 7th. We will meet at GLC at 10:30 AM, complete a 2 mile walk in the neighborhood and end with lunch at the Dog & Duck. If you are interested in participating by walking and/or donating, please contact Deaconess Karen or go to LW4L.org to register.

SERVING SCHEDULE

October 18

Tabulators: Ed Marquardt
Kathy Hein, Carol Curtis

Usher—TBD

Elder— Fri.: George J. (L), Sam S.
8:00: Dave M. (L), Charlie M.
9:30: Sammy P. (L), George J.
11:00: George J. (L), Mike S.

Altar Guild— Fri.: Carol Skinner
Sunday – Nancy Blekicki, Brenda Tomlin

October 25

Tabulators: Ed Marquardt
Maria Parrish, Barbara Bruner

Usher—TBD

Elder— Fri.: John K. (L), Sam S.
8:00: Charlie M. (L), Dave M.
9:30: John K (L), Sammy P.
11:00: Mike S. (L), John K.

Altar Guild— Fri.: Maria Parrish
Sunday – Nancy Clowney

ATTENDANCE: Oct. 11th - 110

AUGUST INCOME REPORT: Receipts: \$38,698 Expenses: \$35,814

CALENDAR

Sun. Oct. 18 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM Service of Holy Communion
9:30 AM Sunday School/Adult Bible Study in GH

Mon. Oct. 19 6:30 PM Book Club at Maria Parrish's home

Tue. Oct. 20 9:30 AM Craft Group in GH
10:30 AM Bible Study in Sanctuary
7:00 PM AA Meeting in GH

Wed. Oct. 21 11:00 AM Young at Heart in GH
1:00 PM Canasta in GH
7:00 PM Confirmation Class at church

Fri. Oct. 23 10:00 AM Service of Holy Communion
11:00 AM Bible Study in the CR

Sat. Oct. 24 10:30 AM Columbarium Dedication
11:00 AM Oktoberfest

Sun. Oct. 25 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 AM Service of The Word
9:30 AM Sunday School/Adult Bible Study in GH

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

Sun. Oct. 18 Deut. 17: 1-20, Matt. 14: 1-21
Mon. Oct. 19 Deut. 18: 1-22, Matt. 14: 22-36
Tue. Oct. 20 Deut. 19: 1-20, Matt. 15: 1-20
Wed. Oct. 21 Deut. 20: 1-20, Matt. 15: 21-39
Thu. Oct. 22 Deut. 21: 1-23, (*Deut. 22: 1-24:9*), Matt. 16: 1-12
Fri. Oct. 23 Deut. 24: 10-25:10, Matt. 16: 13-28
Sat. Oct. 24 Deut. 25: 17-26:19, Matt. 17: 1-13
Sun. Oct. 25 Deut. 27: 1-26, Matt. 17: 14-27

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to place someone on the prayer chain or have a prayer request, you may contact the church office or Deaconess Karen at deaconess@gracesummerville.org

Please be in prayer for members of our congregation receiving cancer treatment. Members include David McElfresh, Donna White, Fred White, Terri Sheldon, Peggy Polomski, Elbert Parrish

10/18: UPDATE **Fred White** is still recovering at home after ankle surgery. Please pray for continued healing.

10/18: **Cindy Wroldsen** has requested prayers for the family of **Chad and Andrea Freeman** who were dear friends of her family. They were killed in an auto accident Sunday afternoon.

10/18: **Russell Zbierski** had surgery last week after suffering a stroke. The surgery went well and he is now home resting and recovering. Please pray for continued comfort and healing.

10/18: Please pray for **Ken Blekicki**, who will be having foot surgery on October 22. Please pray for relief from ongoing pain and a complete recovery.

10/11: Please pray for **Margaret Salow** who is suffering from vertigo.

10/11: UPDATE on **Chris Robertson**. Chris is still experiencing a lot of back pain and will be seeing a new Dr. on Oct. 27th. Please pray that she will find relief from her pain.

10/11: Please pray for Barbara Bruner's son-in-law, **Rev. Bryce Bereuter** who has been diagnosed with bladder cancer.

10/11: **Lynn Ruff** has asked for prayers for her **coworker** who was diagnosed with amyloidosis. He had surgery on Oct. 7 to receive his new heart! Prayers also requested for the family who lost someone to give Lynn's friend his new heart.

10/11: **Peggy Polomski** has asked for prayers for **Doug and Linda Travis** whose grandson, who was living with them, passed away from a drug overdose.

10/4: **Sylvia Stallings** had hip replacement surgery on Oct. 1st. Please pray for a complete recovery.

9/27: Please continue praying for **Cathy Hankel**, wife of friend of the congregation Doug Hankel. She suffers from debilitating back pain which is worsening. Please pray for her comfort and healing and pray also for Doug who cares for her.

9/20: UPDATE for seven-year-old **Landon Byers** who has cancerous tumors on his brain and spine. Please pray for Landon and his family as he will soon be under hospice care.

9/13: **Nancy Niedzwiecki** has asked for prayers for her friend, **Bill Przybylski** who suffers from weak lungs and a weak heart and now has COVID-19 and is on a ventilator, and for **Kevin Rose** who had a heart catheterization on Thursday, September 10.

8/9: Please pray for **Peggy Polomski's niece, Megan Mitchell**, and her husband Jacob. Megan gave birth this week to a stillborn daughter. Please pray for comfort and healing for this couple and their families.

8/2: UPDATE on **Friend of the Swensons, Jose Ayala**, who suffered serious electrical burns at work. It is estimated that he will need 123 surgeries. Please pray for healing and peace for his family, especially his wife and caregiver, Tracy.

8/2: UPDATE on **Friend of the Swensons, Edward Heusenger**, is now home but will be undergoing heart surgery in about a month.

7/26: Please continue prayers for **Vivian Shepard** as she is now continuing her rehab at home and for her daughter, Lynn, as she is her primary caregiver.

10/21: Please continue to pray for **Helen Marano's sister, Linda Kearney**, who is battling cancer.