

**April 12, 2026**

**THE APRIL ETERNAL CANDLE** is given by Billy & Janis Milam

**TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS** are given by John & Roxanne Rinehart in  
Memory of John's parents, John & Kathleen



**TODAY'S BULLETIN COVERS** are given to the Glory of God!

**ANNOUNCEMENTS: The Blessing box** needs mayo, catsup and mustard

**Yard Sale** – We will be **sorting clothes** on April 13th from 9:00AM – 1:00PM in Grace Hall.  
**Help** is needed to complete this ahead of the yard sale. POC: Shirley M.

**Farm Festival & BBQ**, Sat., April 18<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-3:00 PM at All Aboard Boarding, 123 Twig Lane, Summerville. Join us for a fun-filled day at the farm! Support the ministries of Sowers of the Kingdom! For more information go to [sowersofthekingdom.org](http://sowersofthekingdom.org) or pick-up a flyer in the narthex. Volunteers needed to make cornbread, baked beans and coleslaw. Please sign-up in the narthex. See John Kinney for tickets between the services or use the QR code on the flyer to purchase tickets.

**Yard Sale** - April 23, 24, 25. You may bring your items for the Yard Sale beginning April 16th. Costume Jewelry is needed. **Please plan to help move items from the shed to Grace Hall next Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, after third service.** We will also be setting up tables in Grace Hall beginning at 10:30 am. **Help is needed.** A sheet is in the narthex to sign up to help during set up and at the Yard Sale. Please contact Shirley Marquardt with questions.

Our Youth Group will be holding a **Bake Sale** on Saturday, April 25th, during the Yard Sale, and we invite the congregation to help make it a success! We are gratefully accepting donations of baked goods to sell. A sign-up sheet is in the narthex.

**Grace Lutheran Nominations.** If you are interested in serving on a board or would like more information, please contact a member of the *nominating committee*: *Christine Barsuhn, Ben Harding, Lindsay Ott, Kyle Sinisi, Sherri Marquardt, or Jodell Jenkins.*

A thoughtful **estate plan** includes both family and ministry gifts, but communicating those plans can feel complicated. When possible, involve your family early, celebrating God's blessings together and helping them understand your intentions. For guidance, contact Pastor John Denninger, LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor, at [John.Denninger@LFND.org](mailto:John.Denninger@LFND.org).



There are several ways to give to Grace Lutheran Church. Offering plates are passed during all three Sunday services. Regular contributors may request numbered envelopes to receive periodic giving reports. You can also give online, including recurring gifts through ACH bank transfer or Vanco. Email [office@gracesummerville.org](mailto:office@gracesummerville.org) for more details!

**April** MTD giving: \$10,965.14    MTD Expenses: \$1,691.95

**SERVING SCHEDULES**

**April 12**

**Tabulators** Jen Miller  
Ed & Shirley Marquardt

**Elders**

8:00: Paul O. (L), John K.  
9:30: Josh G. (L), Sammy P.  
11:00: Ben H. (L), Josh G.

**Ushers**

8:00: Rich Wilson  
9:30: TBD  
11:00: Ed & Shirley Marquardt

**Altar Guild** Susan Star

**Acolyte** 11:00: Caleb Brindis

**Reader** 11:00: Ben Harding

**April 19**

**Tabulators** Jen Miller  
Bill & Kathy Dinges

**Elders**

8:00: Jon M. (L), Sammy P.  
9:30: Kyl S. (L), Brian B.  
11:00 Brian B. (L), Ben H.

**Ushers**

8:00: Greg Sheldon  
9:30: TBD  
11:00 Aaron & Jodell Jenkins

**Altar Guild** Carol Skinner

**Acolyte** 11:00 Claire Ott

**Reader** 11:00: Sherri Marquardt

**BIBLE READINGS**

- April 12    Ex. 20:1-24, Luke 4:1-15
- April 13    Ex. 22:20-23:13, Luke 4:16-30
- April 14    Ex. 23:14-33, Luke 4 :31-44
- April 15    Ex. 24 :1-18, Luke 5 :1-16
- April 16    Ex. 25:1-22, (Ex. 25:23-30:38), Luke 5:17-39
- April 17    Ex. 31:1-18, Luke 6:1-19
- April 18    Ex. 32:1-14, Luke 6:20-38
- April 19    Ex. 32:15-35, Luke 6:39-49

## WEEKLY CALENDAR:

Sun. April 12	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 AM Service of Holy Communion 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study in GH, Sunday School Classes in GH
Mon. April 13	7:00 PM Al-Anon meeting in GH
Tues. April 14	10:30 AM LifeLight in CR
Wed. April 15	9:30 AM Craft Group in GH 11:00 AM Lunch and Learn in GH
Thu. April 16	10:30 AM Stephen Ministry in CR 7:00 PM Men's AA Meeting in GH
Fri. April 17	11:00 AM Bible Study in CR
Sat. April 18	12 – 3 PM Sowers of the Kingdom Farm Festival/BBQ
Sun. April 19	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 AM Service of Holy Communion 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study in GH, Sunday School Classes in GH 10:30 AM Yard Sale Set up in GH

## 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](mailto:deaconess@gracesummerville.org). Please be in prayer for members of our congregation receiving cancer treatment: **Peggy Polomski**, our shut-in members: **Shirley Rephun, Joanne Iserman, Johnnie Rowe, Judy Dojan, Christine Smith, Marlene Sievert, Peggy Inabinette, Mike Sullivan, Tom & Sylvia Stallings, Linda Pierce***

### **4/12: Please be in prayer for the following:**

For Eric Smith and the family of Debbie Smith who passed away on April 6<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your prayers for **Susan Star's friend, Carol Hain**, who had surgery for a uterine mass. The surgery was a success and there is no cancer.

Thank you for your prayers for **Bill Dinges' brother-in-law Steve VanDuesen**. He is much improved!

Thank you for prayers for **Janis Milam's sister-in-law, Deanna Rahe**, who is now cancer free after treatment for Hurthle cell thyroid cancer.

Thank you, also, for your prayers for **Barbara Bruner**. She has been released from rehab and is regaining strength in the comfort of her own apartment.

Please continue to pray for **Joy Cook** as she recovers from brain hematoma surgery in a rehabilitation facility.

Please continue to pray for **Deaconess Karen's mom, Julie**, as she deals with a lingering infection. She is now on an additional course of oral antibiotics and the surgery site is still irritated and swollen.

**Maria Parrish** has asked for healing prayers after a complete shoulder replacement last week.

For the **family of Marion Roseman, brother of Peggy Polomski**, as they mourn his death.

Please pray for **Judy Dojan** as she deals with health issues.

For the **family of Taylor Graham**, Phillip Graham's brother, as they grieve his death on March 14.

For the **family of Rev. Jim Pierce** as they grieve his death on March 15, especially for his wife, Linda.

For the **family of Paul Ott's aunt, Gloria Music**, as they grieve her death.

For all those affected by the **conflict in Iran**, that God would bring comfort to those suffering and turn hearts to Him, that there may be peace and stability.

For **Charlie Messersmith** as he recovers from health challenges.

For Nancy Clowney's brother, **Don Wiita**, who has been found to have a large aneurysm across his stomach and who will also be undergoing biopsies on a kidney and lung.

Please continue prayers for **Rod Gorham's friend, Charmion Summitt** who has been diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer. It has spread to her liver & lungs.