

April 19, 2026

THE APRIL ETERNAL CANDLE is given by Billy & Janis Milam

TODAY'S ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Bull Halsey in celebration of April Birthdays and Anniversaries



TODAY'S BULLETIN COVERS are given by Lynn Ruff in celebration of her parents wedding anniversary

ANNOUNCEMENTS: The Blessing box complete pancake mix and maple syrup

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 19th, 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.

Help support our **Youth Bake Sale** during the Grace Spring Yard Sale by donating baked goods! Packaging supplies (bakery boxes, cookie bags, etc.) and a sign-up sheet are available in the Narthex, or you can drop off items by noon on Friday, April 24 and we'll package them for you. All proceeds go towards upcoming youth events, including the 2028 National Youth Gathering in San Antonio.

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.*

Young Adult Group: will be meeting at Tideland Brewing on Thursday, April 23 for team trivia. Trivia starts at 6:30, Deaconess will be there at 6.

On Sunday, April 26th, we will have the **committal for Vivian Shepard** at the end of the 9:30 AM service, in the Columbarium.

The **Jr. Choir** will be singing at the 11:00 service on Sunday, April 26th.



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 for more details!

April MTD giving: \$17,350.29 MTD Expenses: \$26,656.87

SERVING SCHEDULES

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

April 26

Tabulators Sherri Marquardt

Kyle and Christina Sinisi

Elders

8:00: John K. (L), Jon M.

9:30: Steve H. (L), Kyle S.

11:00: Josh G. (L), Paul O.

Ushers

8:00: Ken Blekicki

9:30: TBD

11:00: Grant & Christine Barsuhn

Altar Guild Nancy Blekicki

Acolyte 11:00: Lucy Ott

Reader 11:00: Jane Mary Gay

BIBLE READINGS

April 19 Ex. 32:15-35, Luke 6:39-49

April 20 Ex. 33:1-23, Luke 7:1-17

April 21 Ex. 34:1-28, Luke 7:18-35

April 22 Ex. 34 :29-35 :21, (*Ex. 35 :22-38 :20*), Luke 7 :36-50

April 23 Ex. 38 :21-39 :8,22-23, 27-31, Luke 8 :1-21

April 24 Ex. 39:32-40 :16, Luke 8:22-39

April 25 Ex. 40:17-38, (*Lev. 1 :1-7 :38*), Luke 8:4-56

April 26 Lev. 8:1-13, 30-36, Luke 9:1-17

WEEKLY CALENDAR:

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
Mon. April 20	7:00 PM AI-Anon meeting in GH
Tues. April 21	10:30 AM LifeLight in CR 6:00 PM Men's Group Mtg. in GH 7:00 PM Book Club meeting at Meh Tai, Old Trolley Rd.
Wed. April 22	9:30 AM Craft Group in GH
Thu. April 23	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM Yard Sale in GH 6:00 PM Young adult group at Tideland's Brewing 7:00 PM Men's AA Meeting in GH
Fri. April 24	8:00 AM – 3:00 PM Yard Sale in GH
Sat. April 25	8:00 AM – 1:00 PM Yard Sale in GH Grace Youth Group Bake Sale 8:00 – 12:30 PM
Sun. April 26	8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 AM Service of Holy Communion 9:30 AM Service: Committal of Vivian Shepard 9:30 AM Adult Bible Study in GH, Sunday School Classes in GH

***Yard Sale Set up: April 19 – 22: 9:00 AM – 7:00 PM**

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: **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***

4/19: Please be in prayer for the following:

Please pray for Sarah, the Marquardts' niece and cousin, who had a stroke on Saturday and is in the hospital. Doctors discovered clots in her lungs and brain.

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

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 continues to recover at home from brain hematoma surgery.

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.