

Events for the week of September 11, - 18, 2016

Sunday, September 11, 2016— 17th Sunday after Pentecost

KICK-OFF Sunday

9:00 am Adult Sunday School

10:00 am Worship

10:15 am Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Potluck Dinner and Carnival
Fellowship—New Life center

Monday, September 12, 2016

1:00 pm Quilting

Tuesday, September 13 - 2016

6:00 pm HCI

Wednesday, September 14, 2016

6:15 pm Hand Bell choir

6:30 pm Youth Group

7:15 pm Choir

Thursday, September 15 2016

9:00 am Bulletin Deadline

6:00 pm Pastor Roger @ Citizens Police Academy

7:00 pm Lydia Circle at Jean Graning's

Friday, September 16, 2016

Saturday, September 17, 2016

Sunday, September 18, 2016— 18th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 am Adult Sunday School

10:00 am Worship

10:15 am Children's Sunday School

11:15 am All Women of Grace—Lounge
Fellowship—Food Pantry



DONUTS

Donuts will be made on Wednesday, September 21st, 2016. To place your order for donuts, call the office, 233-1857, by September 20th. There is also a sign up sheet on the table in the Narthex.

HELP

One nice person is wanted to help represent Grace UMC at the Auxiliary Meetings at the New Life Center. The Auxiliary meet once a month. Please contact Shirley Mohr or JoAnn Oelke for more information. You will receive many blessing each month.

MINISTRY

Are you a part of a Grace Ministry? We want to Bless Grace Ministries on the 18th. Please let the church office know the ministry and a contact person with one or two sentences of what your group's ministry does would be helpful.

THE FRIENDLY CHURCH

A young couple sought a church in which to worship.. They visited a church one Sunday and later complained to a retired pastor, “No one in the congregation welcomed us. After the service, the pastor stayed in the chancel and spoke only to those who sought him out. No one was at the door to greet us when we arrived or when we left. Of course, we won’t go back there.”

How friendly is your church? It’s as friendly as you make it. Why not engage anyone who appears to be a visitor with a warm handshake, a smile and your name. Find out their name and later make a note of it so you can greet them by name the next time you see them. Introduce the visitors to others in the congregation and guide them to any fellowship event after worship.

Remember that no act of kindness toward others is ever wasted.

WELCOME

The author of Psalm 122 wrote, “I was glad when they said to me, ‘Let us go to the house of the Lord!’” (verse 1, NRSV). May the same spirit of gladness be in the hearts of all who have come here to worship. We Joyfully welcome you all.