

# Grace United Methodist Church

“Reaching people with the love and teachings of Jesus Christ”

**9:30 Worship - Sunday, August 12, 2018**

**Prelude** “Wehmut” **Nicole Cloutier**  
*By: Schumann*

## News of Grace

### Call to Worship

Leader: God has given us breath to live and spirit to sing.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Leader: God has gathered us into a community of care and worship.

**People: Let us worship God with love, thanksgiving, and praise.**

**Hymn** “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!” **UMH 64**

### Unison Prayer

Almighty God, your people of all the ages live and praise you without ceasing. In our communion with you, we have communion with generations past and generations yet unborn. Grant to your church on earth that as we celebrate the triumph of your saints in glory we may profit by their example and enter with them into the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Pastor Prayer and Lord’s Prayer** **UMH 895**

**Special Music** “The Gospel in A Flat Major” **Eric Simmons**  
piano solo

### Offering Invitation

**Offertory** “Warum” **Nicole Cloutier**  
*By: Schumann*

**Doxology** “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” **UMH 95**

### Offertory Prayer

**Hymn** “A Mighty Fortress Is Our God” **UMH 110**

**Scripture Reading** **Mark 7: 5-15**

**Message** **Rev. Paul Hahm**

**Hymn** “The Church Is One Foundation” **UMH 545**

### Benediction

**Postlude** “We Are Called” **Nicole Cloutier**  
*By: David Haas*

## Announcements

### VOLUNTEERING FOR RESCUE MISSION FAMILY CENTER

Volunteers are needed for serving evening meals at the Rescue Mission Family Center on South Cedar. Several of our volunteers have had to stop. We need the following:  
2 people for TEAM B on November 14<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-8:00pm  
2 people for 5<sup>TH</sup> MONDAY TEAM on September 30<sup>th</sup> and December 30<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-8:00pm

If interested, please contact Mona Morgan at 517-282-0125 or [mmorgan1226@yahoo.com](mailto:mmorgan1226@yahoo.com)

### THE GIVING TREE

We are in the third quarter for Giving Tree Collections. We have partnered with our neighbor, Lewton Elementary, to provide “Back to School” supplies for the teachers. Please see the list below for supplies the teachers have requested for their upcoming school year classroom needs. These items will be collected from now until Aug 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Requested Items:** Dry erase markers, Glue sticks, Kleenex, Tissue paper, Hand sanitizer, Playdoh, Pencils, Notecards, Sticky note pads, 2 pocket folders, Pipe cleaners, Black sharpies, Elmer’s glue, and Clorox wipes

### MAKE THE CHANGE OFFERING (formerly Noisy Can offering)

**August’s** Make the Change offering will go towards UMCOR disaster relief (8/26/18). When disasters happen, it is local churches that provide the first response to their communities. This basic understanding—that disaster response is local—forms the foundation for UMCOR’s U.S. disaster training and response.

### CROP WALK

Crop Walk begin and end at Grace UMC on Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup>! Stay tuned for ways you can be involved as a walker or a site volunteer!

### ALTERNATIVE HOLIDAY GIFT FAIR

The Alternative Holiday Gift Fair & Bake Sale will be Saturday, Nov. 3 from 10:00am - 2:00pm. Several new participants are lined up as well as many others returning. This is a great event to help you with your holiday shopping while making a difference in the lives of those struggling to survive.

### COMMUNITY HYMN SING:

Sunday, August 12<sup>th</sup> is the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Community Hymn Sing aboard the Michigan River Princess. There will be performances by the Gracewood Singers! Boarding begins at 6:30pm at the Grand River Park. Admission is one non-expired, non-perishable food item that will benefit the Greater Lansing Food Bank! For more information, call 517-372-5830

## Announcements (continued)

### MEMORIES FOR FREE!

VHS video tapes were made of Grace Church worship services for over thirty years. Remaining tapes will be available in the Fellowship Hall during the month of August. Questions? See Trustees Chair, Eric Simmons.

## Education & Spiritual Formation

### Nursery (Birth to 3 years):

Our nursery is available during both the 9:30 and 11:30 services. It is currently staffed by Miss Elizabeth, Miss Angela, and our faithful volunteers. Our smallest children take home lessons of God’s love too! Little ones will engage in stories, creative time, and free play!

### Summer Kids Program (Pre-K – 6<sup>th</sup>):

Summer **Kids on the Move** is happening now. We are exploring the many Miracles and Parables of Jesus. As we read in the Bible about Jesus’ earthly ministry, we begin to understand more and more about the Kingdom of God through the stories Jesus tells, the miracles He performs, and the people He spends time with. Teachers and students together will experience the Miracles and Parables of Jesus! We begin together in the 11:30 service. At 11:45ish, children aged 4 years – 6<sup>th</sup> grade will be dismissed to the “Blue Room”. Class will end at 12:30 and parents can pick up children from the Blue Room!

### ENERGIZE! Youth Ministry Program (for students 4<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>):

Our regular meetings are on hold through the summer. We will restart on Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-7:00pm with food, games and fun at the Youth Center! Contact Jamie Young for special summer activities or information about fall programming.  
[jamiyoung1028@yahoo.com](mailto:jamiyoung1028@yahoo.com)

### Adult Sunday School Class: TASTING God’s Word:

Would you like to sample each book of the Old Testament? Join us in the green room at 10:55-11:25am beginning June 17<sup>th</sup> through August. Led by: Claudia Heineman.

### KICK-OFF SUNDAY!!

Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> is Kick-off Sunday. Our outdoor worship service and fellowship tailgate will begin at 10:30am. Get the word out now to invite your friends for a time of inspiring worship, great food (including an ice cream social for dessert), fun games with a bounce house, and giveaways! This date also marks a beginning of our program year – Sunday school classes, choir, youth group, mid-week studies **and more!** Stay tuned for more details and how you can be a part of making this event a huge success – tent lenders, giveaway donors, and set-up / clean up! Questions? Email Worship Chair, Mary Jane: [ladyanwen@yahoo.com](mailto:ladyanwen@yahoo.com)

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Welcome

**Worship Songs**  
 "Marvelous Light" – *Charlie Hall*  
 "Everlasting God" – *Chris Tomlin*  
 "Great Are You Lord" – *One Sonic Society*  
 "How Great Is Our God" – *Chris Tomlin*

**Children's Moment (Children are dismissed to classes)**

**Announcements**

**Pastor Prayer and Lord's Prayer** **UMH 895**

**Scripture Reading** **2 Timothy 3:16,17 and Romans 15:1-9**

**Message** **Rev. Paul Hahm**

**Closing Song** **How Great Is Our God – Chris Tomlin**

**Offering**

**Benediction**

## grace worship leadership & staff

Pastor	Rev. Paul Hahm
Today's Liturgist (9:30)	Kathy Anderson
Today's Liturgist (11:30)	
Choir Director	Xiaosha Lin
Accompanist	Nicole Cloutier
Worship Coordinator	Tabatha Hansen
Nursery Staff	Elizabeth Simpkins
Nursery Staff	Angela Lampert
Youth Director	Jamie Young
Office Administrator	Jamie Young
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**\*\*OFFICE HOURS\*\***

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM - Monday, Tuesday and Thursday  
 12:00 – 4:00 PM - Wednesday

Bulletin information deadline: Wednesdays at 12:00pm  
 Grace Notes article deadline: second Wednesday of the month at 12:00pm

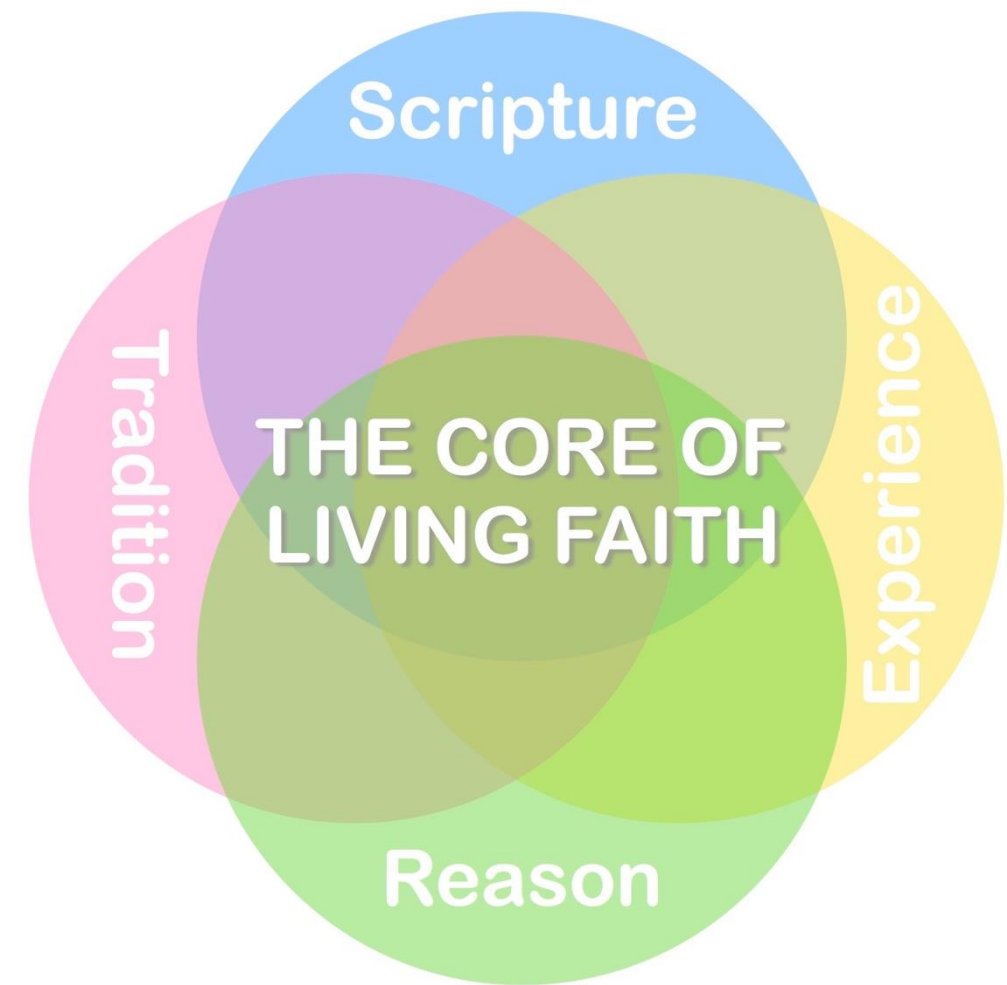
## THIS WEEK AT GRACE CHURCH

<b>SUNDAY – August 12</b> 9:00 am 9:30 am 10:30 am 10:55 am 11:30 am 11:45 am	Pick-up from Grand Haven Worship Fellowship Time Adult Sunday School Class Worship Summer Kids on the Move – Blue Rm
<b>MONDAY – August 13</b> 4:30 – 6:00 pm 7:15 pm	Prayer Shawl Trustees
<b>TUESDAY – August 14</b> 6:00 pm	Education Meeting
<b>WEDNESDAY – August 15</b> 8:59 am 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Grace GOLF group – Royal Scot Praise Band Practice AA in the Youth Center
<b>THURSDAY – August 16</b>	
<b>FRIDAY – August 17</b>	*OFFICE CLOSED* Family Camp Weekend @ Lakeview Campground (3pm Fri – 2pm Sun)
<b>SATURDAY – August 18</b> 1:00pm	*OFFICE CLOSED* All Church Potluck at Lakeview Campground (Family Camp)
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**Notes:**

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