

Monday 4/28

9:00 am TOPS Weight Loss Support Group Meeting (Bell Hall)
 11:00 am Proverbs 31 (Bell Hall)

Tuesday 4/29

9:30 am Grace Bridge (Parlor)
 1:30 pm Yarn Group (Parlor)
 2:00 pm GP2 – Grace Prays at 2
 4:30 pm Yoga Bliss (Bell Hall)
 6:00 pm Cub Scout Pack 850 Meeting
 (Bell Hall, Room 202, 204, 205)
 6:00 pm Scout Troop 850 Meeting (Youth Room)

Wednesday 4/30

9:20 am Preschool Chapel 2's (Sanctuary)
 11:15 am Preschool Chapel 3's & 4's (Sanctuary)
 5:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday Dinner (Bell Hall)
 Menu: Taco Party
 5:45 pm Adult Bible Study (Bell Hall)
 5:45 pm Youth Activities (Youth Room)
 6:15 pm Music Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thursday 5/1 – National Day of Prayer

8:15 am Grace Cares Food Pantry (Front Entrance)
 1:00 pm Bridge Class (Parlor)
 1:30 pm PWCT Meeting (Room 202)
 3:30 pm Yoga Bliss (Bell Hall)
 4:00 pm Beach Drive Preservation Club Meeting (Room 202)
 7:00 pm Bay County Stamp Club (Room 202)

Friday 5/2**Grace Cares Food Truck Delivery**

9:00 am Bridge Class (Parlor)

Sunday 5/4

9:00 am Sunday School
 Children & Youth (Room 110)
 Wired Word (Room 202)
 Morning Glory (Room 204)
 Men's Class (Room 205)
 10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)

Stewardship is a Lifestyle, April**1 Corinthians 1:30**

“And because of Him you are in Christ Jesus,
 who became to us wisdom from God, righteousness
 and sanctification and redemption.”

Remember how much we are loved because of the sacrifice of Jesus.

God gave His only begotten Son to save us from
 sin and death to make us His children. It is only because of God,
 our Father, that we became heirs through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
 So, we wear a Breastplate, protected so that we can live as God
 would have us live, to remember the lessons of Jesus to sanctify
 us through redemption.

Two Cents a Meal**Sunday, April 27**

The 2 Cents a Meal Offering helps support our Grace Cares Food
 Pantry and other Presbyterian food assistance programs. Just set
 aside 2 cents for each meal you have during the month and show
 thanks to God for what you have received and to help others in
 need. You may leave your offering in the wooden bowl in the
 narthex following the worship service.

Last Wonderful Wednesday**Wednesday, May 7**

Wonderful Wednesdays will be wrapping up on May 7 for the
 summer but will be back strong in the fall. In our final few weeks,
 we will complete our Bible Study on the Book of Revelation
 and then finish our Wonderful Wednesday year with a
 cookout and ice cream social.

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Welcome to Grace Presbyterian Church!
 Thank you for worshiping with us today!
 We hope that you find the Holy Spirit moving in
 this place and in your life. If this is your first
 time with us or you are coming back after a little
 time away, please fill out a visitor card and drop
 it in an offering plate so we can further greet you.
 Thank you again for being here and we look
 forward to worshiping with you!

*Small enough to
 feel like family...
 Big enough to
 make an impact!*

*April 27, 2025
 Rev. Eric Spoon*

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude

Welcome

Chiming of the Trinity

Centering Music

Please take a moment of silence, listen to the music, and prepare your hearts for worship.

Call to Worship

*** Hymn** “In Christ Alone”
*Words and Music by Keith Getty and Stuart Townend.
Words can be found on the Screen.*

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Silent Prayer...

God of the empty tomb and our empty hearts, when we are afraid to speak our faith in the world, forgive us and help us to find our voice. When we are afraid to forgive and to love again, forgive us and give us the power to forgive. When we are afraid to stand up to misguided authority, join with the weak to make us all strong. When we are confined by our hurts, touch us with your wounded hands and set us free. When we are locked behind our doubts and fears, pass through our barricades, open our hearts, and give us peace. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*** Gloria Patri** “Glory Be to the Father”

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Children’s Message Lily Hoisington

Old Testament Psalm 150

Anthem “Because He Lives”

New Testament John 20: 19 - 31

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon “Why Am I Even a Christian?”
Rev. Eric Spoon

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Offering of Gifts/Two Cents A Meal

Ways to Give

- ~ *Offering Plate in the Narthex.*
- ~ *Offering Plate by the doors leaving the Sanctuary.*
- ~ *Anytime Online at our Church Website.*
- ~ *In Person in the Church Office During the Week.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*** Doxology**

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer
There will be a time of silence as part of the prayers of the people. In the silence, you are invited to lift your joys and concerns to the Lord.

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

*** Hymn 305** “Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!”

*** Charge & Benediction**

*** Benediction Response**
“I Love to Tell the Story”
Hymn 462, vs. 1, Refrain

*** Postlude**

* Please rise in body or in spirit.

Prayer Requests

Jerry & Peggy Lewis; Dana Barry; Ellen Rumph;
Martha Patterson; Becky Bell;
Bob & Kristi Rice, Missionaries

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