

## PARISH NOTES



We extend our sympathy to the family of Mona Rosequist on her passing on Monday, January 12, 2026.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Marlene Avery on her passing on Thursday, January 15, 2026.



We extend our sympathy to Dick & Julie Hitchcock on the passing of Dick's mother, Patricia Hitchcock on Saturday, January 17, 2026.

2025 giving statements will be emailed out soon. Please contact Meghan in the office to make sure your correct email address is on file. If you do not use email, your statement will be mailed.

**Grace Promise Preschool registration is now open!** A completed registration form and **\$20 non-refundable fee** is required to hold a spot for the 2026-2027 school year. A handbook and registration form can be found on the church website [www.graceumcwarrenpa.com](http://www.graceumcwarrenpa.com), picked up at the church office, or by calling (814) 723-8011 during school hours. Questions? Email [Promisepreschool@myyahoo.com](mailto:Promisepreschool@myyahoo.com)

The Food Pantry is in need of **powdered milk, box pudding/Jello, pancake mix, and baked beans** at this time. Thank you to all who contribute!



**Church Safety Training** – Family Life is excited to have Dr. Barry Young, President of Serving Watchmen, for a Church Safety Training in Pennsylvania. They believe safety and security is everyone's responsibility and they want to give church members practical tips, tools, and techniques to stop a wide variety of threats at church including health issues, child protection issues, active violent threats, and more. This training is open to all church volunteers and staff or anyone who has a heart to keep others safe. The training event is on **Saturday, January 31** at Clarion, PA. If you are interested in attending, please contact Pastor Bill or the church office.

## CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, January 25

8:30/9:30/11:00 a – Worship  
9:00 a – Children's Choir  
9:30 a – Agape Sunday School, Winger Parlor  
9:45 a – Children's Sunday School  
6:00 p – Community Worship at The Crossing

### MONDAY, January 26

8:30 a – Pickleball  
10:30 a – Touch Tennis  
5:15 p – Christian Yoga  
6:00 p – Wesley Parlor Reserved  
7:00 p – Ping Pong

### TUESDAY, January 27

8:00 p – Pickleball  
10:30 a – Gym Reserved – Preschool  
12:15 p – Christian Yoga  
1:30 p – Pickleball  
6:00 p – Pickleball  
6:00 p – *Church Council*, Eaton Parlor

### WEDNESDAY, January 28

7:00 a – Men's Ministry Breakfast  
10:30 a – Gym Reserved – Preschool  
5:15 p – Christian Yoga  
5:45 p – Handbells  
6:30 p – Choir  
6:30 p – CREW (Youth Group), Gilfillan Room

### THURSDAY, January 29

8:00 p – Pickleball  
10:30 a – Gym Reserved – Preschool  
6:00 p – Disciple I, Eaton Parlor  
6:00 p – Gym Reserved  
7:00 p – Gym Reserved

### FRIDAY, January 30

8:00 a – Pickleball  
9:30 a – Yarn Angels, Library  
11:15 a – Fitness Class  
12:15 p – Christian Yoga

### SATURDAY, January 31

9:00 a – Praise Team  
10:00 a – Eating for Energy & Weight Management  
11:00 a – Yoga - Am I Doing It Right?

## LAST WEEK'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (in person)			TOTAL
8:30 – 26	9:30 – 81	11:00 – 72	179
WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (online)			TOTAL
9:30 – 87	11:00 – 79		166
TITHES & OFFERINGS			\$5,503.35

The Covered by Grace ministry allows anyone needing winter items to take them from a clothesline on the front porch of the church. Donations can be placed in the bin across from Pastor Bill's office or visit the church website for the link to our Amazon wishlist.



The 2026 altar flowers list is on the website [www.graceumcwarrenpa.com](http://www.graceumcwarrenpa.com). You can also call or email the church office to reserve your spot. Write dedication and special flower requests in sign up. Centerpiece is \$45. **Flower container must be returned to the church.**



### A Healthy Fresh Start!

**Saturday, January 31<sup>st</sup> in Higginbotham Hall**

**10:00am - 10:45am** "How to Eat for Energy and Weight Management" Join us for an informative talk on nutrition and its impact on our energy and overall well-being. This is an interactive talk that invites questions and will answer your concerns about healthy lifestyle choices.

**11:00am - 12:15pm** "Am I Doing it Right?" Yoga Class  
Whether you are new to yoga or have been attending for years, this class will help you build and maintain a strong and confident foundation. You will benefit from understanding the point and purpose of each pose. Even if you don't feel flexible enough or fit enough, learning to modify and regain your health is within reach.

Both classes are taught by Sue Toombs, Certified Fitness Trainer and Yoga Instructor. Please bring a mat for the yoga class. Chairs are available for the Nutrition class. The cost is \$5 for one class or \$8 for both.



## January 25, 2026

WELCOME TO GRACE CHURCH

**AND A SPECIAL WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS!**

It is our desire and goal for you to know Christ and to make Him known as part of this worship experience. If you are looking for a church home, please consider us.

### Members, Guests, and Visitors:

Please fill out a **YELLOW CARD** including any prayer requests or comments on the back. *If you wish your prayer request to be confidential, please indicate that on the card.*

**PLEASE NOTE:** Handicapped seating for those in wheelchairs and their families is available in the sanctuary – just in front of the sound booth.

**DVDs** of each Sunday's service are available. Call the church office.

**LARGE-PRINT HYMNALS** are available on the literature tables for your use each week.

**WATCH** Sunday's services live at 9:30 and 11 am on our YouTube channel [www.youtube.com/GraceLiveWarren](http://www.youtube.com/GraceLiveWarren) or our Facebook group [www.facebook.com/groups/embracegrace](http://www.facebook.com/groups/embracegrace)

## ***To Know Christ and To Make Him Known!***

### **Our Core Values**

#### **Extravagant Generosity**

We give joyfully of our time, talent, and treasure.

#### **Authentic Engagement**

We want to shine the light of God's love in our whole community.

#### **Transformational Discipleship**

We seek God's will and God's way for our lives.

#### **Extraordinary Grace**

We are all sinners seeking God's grace together.

#### **Word-Centered Mission**

We believe the Word of God provides the foundation for all that we do.