

PARISH NOTES

April's Communion offering will benefit **Grace Church Children's Ministries**. Please use the Communion envelope in your monthly packet or a blue envelope.

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, picked up at the church office, or by calling (814) 723-8011 during school hours. Questions? Email Promisepreschool@myyahoo.com



Waldameer Church Trip Saturday, July 11

Rain or Shine. Pavillion Coaster #1 reserved. Lunch is provided. Transportation is self-provided. Tickets for non-riders (\$10) and riders (\$30-\$45). We are about halfway to our minimum of 50 riders to hold this event. Sign-up on the bulletin board across from the church office by **April 19th**!

The outreach team will be holding a rummage sale on **Saturday,**



April 25th from 8 am to 1 pm. Please drop off your items on Friday April 24th from 4 to 6 pm. Kids' clothes are welcome but no adult clothing please. Please contact Chuck Keeports at 814-688-8534 with any questions. Donations will go toward mission projects.

Have gently used shoes another could use? The House of Hope collects these shoes. It serves a dual purpose: it's a fundraiser for the HOH and the company who collects them provides them to several organizations or recycles them. A win-win. As you clean out for our rummage sale; please consider cleaning out shoes as well. Collection containers will be available at the church.

Come Join Our Messy Church Messy Church? It's a time for family



games, crafts, worship, Bible story, and dinner together. Monthly on the third Wednesday of the month from 5:00 – 6:30pm. Our next event is

Wednesday, April 15th. Messy Church is in need of **old newspapers** (for stuffing into a giant whale) and some **old or unwanted jewelry** (we will be using this for various crafts). There will be a donation bin in Wesley Parlor. We do **not** need any more cardboard tubes and kleenex boxes! Thank you for your donations!

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, April 12

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, April 13

8:30 a – Pickleball

10:30 a – Touch Tennis

5:15 p – Christian Yoga

6:00 p – *Worship*

7:00 p – Ping Pong

TUESDAY, April 14

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 – *Property Trustees*

WEDNESDAY, April 15

7:00 a – Men's Ministry Breakfast

10:30 a – Gym Reserved – Preschool

5:00 p – Messy Church

5:15 p – Christian Yoga

5:45 p – Handbells

6:30 p – Choir

6:30 p – CREW (Youth Group), Gilfillan Room

THURSDAY, April 16

8:00 p – Pickleball

10:30 a – Gym Reserved – Preschool

6:00 p – Disciple I

7:00 p – Gym Reserved

FRIDAY, April 17

8:00 a – Pickleball

9:30 a – Yarn Angels, Library

11:15 a – Fitness Class

12:15 p – Christian Yoga

SATURDAY, April 18

9:00 a – Praise Team

11:00 a – Sanctuary & Higginbotham Reserved

LAST WEEK'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (in person)	TOTAL
8:30 – 16 9:30 – 130 11:00 – 117	263
WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (online)	TOTAL
9:30 – 150 11:00 – 131	281
TITHES & OFFERINGS	\$7,487.83

MARCH'S BUDGET INCOME & EXPENSES

TOTAL INCOME	\$32,215.07
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$34,664.33
NET INCOME (LOSS)	-\$2,449.26



The Food Pantry is in need of **canned fruit, boxed jello/pudding, canned pasta, and canned meat** at this time. Thank you to all who contribute!

Items for the **May 2026** Newsletter need to be delivered to Mary at mary@graceumcwarren.com by **Wednesday, April 15**. Thank you.



There are still **many** dates left to sign up for altar flowers. The list is on the website www.graceumcwarrenpa.com. You can also call or email the church office to reserve your spot. Write your dedication and special flower requests in the sign up.



Wednesday, May 13th is Warren Gives day! From 6am-10pm visit www.warrengives.org to donate to several organizations throughout Warren County. 100% of your donation to Grace UMC will go to the **HOPES Fund**. Find out more about how to donate on their website.



ATTENTION 2026 HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE GRADUATES!

Grace Church would like to recognize you on **Sunday, May 31st**! Please email a picture, full name, school you're graduating from, and any future plans to meghan@graceumcwarren.com



Welcome

April 12, 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 or our Facebook group 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.