

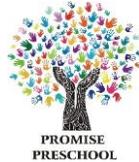
PARISH NOTES

Ash Wednesday service will be Wednesday, February 18th at 6:00 pm in the sanctuary.

February's Communion offering will benefit **Kane Regional Ramp Ministry**. Please use the special Communion envelope in your monthly packet or a pew pocket 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



Messy Church needs you! YES - YOU



I am very excited to continue the Messy Church program that Amanda Slattery has started. I have some big shoes to fill, but I know that the Lord will supply the help I need.

We need prayer warriors to lift up our program and our church. We need a core team of 3-4 people willing to work with me, and also volunteers (of all ages) willing to help out once a month. If you are interested or have any questions, call or text 412-735-5906 or email lori@graceumcwarren.com Messy Church is not a drop off program for kids - it is an intergenerational night with crafts, Worship, and a meal. Just a reminder that the February session will be held from **5:00 - 6:00** because of Ash Wednesday service. Normally the session time runs from 5:00 - 6:30.

Below are a few items that we could use if you feel led to make any donations. There is also an Amazon wish list for Messy Church on our church web page.

Thanks!! Lori Beatty

Items Needed (There is a drop off Basket in Wesley Parlor)

Toilet paper and paper towel tubes; Sand toys - buckets, scoops, funnels, colander, measuring cups and spoons; Rectangular plastic tablecloths (any color); Ziploc type freezer bags (Quart and Gallon sized); Small gift boxes; Buttons - any shape, size or color; Beads - any shape, size or color; Pipe Cleaners - all colors; Ribbon - any color; Scraps of Fabric and Fur; Wire coat hangers; Glitter; Small toys (like animal figurines); Matchbox cars/trucks; Shaving cream (not the gel type); Heavy duty paper plates; Napkins; Clear plastic cups

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, February 8

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, February 9

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

TUESDAY, February 10

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, February 11

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, February 12

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, February 13

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

SATURDAY, February 14

9:00 a – Praise Team
10:15 a – Pickleball

LAST WEEK'S TITHES AND OFFERINGS

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (in person)	TOTAL
8:30 – 24 9:30 – 80 11:00 – 53	157
WORSHIP ATTENDANCE (online)	TOTAL
9:30 – 134 11:00 – 130	264
TITHES & OFFERINGS	\$9,785.52

JANUARY'S BUDGET INCOME & EXPENSES

TOTAL INCOME	\$29,393.43
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$34,485.50
NET INCOME (LOSS)	-\$5,092.07



The Covered by Grace gave out **576 items** in January! Donations of hats, gloves, mittens, and scarves 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 Food Pantry is in need of **boxes potatoes, pancake mix, syrup, canned pasta (Chef Boyardee, SpaghettiOs), baked beans, and tuna** at this time. Thank you to all who contribute!



The 2026 altar flowers signup is on our website 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. **Please note:** Flower container needs be returned to the church within a week or so.

The Outreach committee is hosting a trivia night on **Saturday, February 21st** at 6:00 in Higginbotham Hall. Join us for an evening of food, fun and prizes. Invite family, friends and neighbors to form a team. The theme will be American history. Any questions, you can contact Stacy Vavala cell# 814-730-1064 or vavala5@atlanticbb.net We hope to see you there!



Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball is holding a conference updates gathering at Grace UMC on **Thursday, March 19th** from 6-8pm. You can find the link for more information and to register on our website www.graceumcwarrenpa.com



February 8, 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.