

# OUR LIFE TOGETHER... WEEK OF APRIL 7 – 14, 2024

## SUN 4/14:

8:45am Sunday School  
10:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online

## MON 4/15:

9:00am Quilters Multipurpose Room

## WED 4/17:

10:00am Bible Study Fellowship Hall and Zoom  
7:00pm Board of Elders Conference Room  
7:00 pm Choir Practice Choir Loft

## SAT 4/20:

5:00pm Youth Night Fellowship Hall  
5:00pm Yard Sale drop off Fellowship Hall

## SUN 4/21:

8:45am Sunday School  
10:00am Worship Service with Communion Sanctuary/Online

Online access: Facebook.com/glcva or glcvirginia.org/video-recordings



**ALTAR FLOWERS:** The sign up sheet for altar flowers for is hanging in the hallway near the water fountain. We have some open spots for this spring and summer. Please sign up as a way to remember a loved one who has passed away or perhaps to celebrate a birthday or anniversary. The arrangements are \$30 each (\$60 for both) and after the Sunday service, can be taken home and enjoyed. Please make checks out to Grace Lutheran Church and put “**Altar Flowers**” in the memo line.



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www.issuesetc.org

**1 PETER BIBLE STUDY...** The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon begins a study this week on the Book of 1 Peter. You can listen at your convenience at [thewordendures.org](http://thewordendures.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, the LPR mobile app or a podcast provider.



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## **WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE!**

If you are with us for the first time, please stop by our **Welcome Center** located in the Hallway to pick up a gift!

**LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS** are available. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

**A CHILDREN'S QUIET ROOM** where parents can follow the service is available. Please ask an usher for more information.

**BUDDY BAGS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN** are located in the Narthex. The bright, colorful bags are hanging off the staircases for your child to choose one. Each bag has a stuffed animal, coloring book, crayons and stickers. Please return the bag after the service

**HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES** are available for use in the Narthex. Please ask an usher if you would like one.

**YOUTUBE AND FACEBOOK LIVE STREAMING** Our Sunday Services are streamed on both Facebook and YouTube. Please continue to worship on Facebook, or view at [youtube.com/@glcvirginia](https://youtube.com/@glcvirginia). Wednesday Bible Study will only be streamed on Facebook. Video recordings are available after the services on [www.glcvirginia.org](http://www.glcvirginia.org), under Worship Services-Video Recordings or follow the YouTube channel.

# GRACE COMMUNITY PRAYERS

**DO YOU LOVE WORSHIPPING AT GRACE?** If you would like to learn more about Grace's ministries, Bible Studies, fellowship groups, events, or to learn more about joining the congregation, Please talk to Pastor Rueter, or one of the elders.



**VOTER ASSEMBLY:** The Spring Voter's Assembly will be **May 19th** following the service. We will be voting on the 2024/2025 Council Officers and Board candidates.

## BOARD OF FAMILY AND YOUTH MINISTRY



**DROP OFF STARTS THIS WEEK**  
**Tue, April 16 - Fri, April 19: 10am-3pm**  
**Sat, April 20: 5pm-7pm**  
**Tue, April 23 - Fri, April 26: 10am-3pm**

Please see Danielle Klein when dropping off your items.  
\*\*Reminder, all items not sold will be delivered to ACTS after the sale, please bring what ACTS can accept. For more details see the flyers located on the credenza's in the Narthex.

## BOARD OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

**VERSE OF THE MONTH:** "For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him." John 3:17

### **WEDNESDAY MORNING 10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY:**

April 17th: Pastor Rueter — Amos  
April 24th: Pastor Rueter — Hosea  
May 1st: Pastor Rueter — Hosea  
May 8th: Pastor Rueter — Hosea

### **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE THIS MONTH:**

April 14th: Pastor Rueter — Mark  
April 21st: Pastor Rueter — Mark  
April 28th: Pastor Rueter — Mark  
May 5th: Pastor Rueter — Mark

Send your prayer request to [prayerchain@glcvirginia.org](mailto:prayerchain@glcvirginia.org), the church office [grace@glcvirginia.org](mailto:grace@glcvirginia.org) or your Elder. You may also make a notation on the blue attendance cards. Prayers will remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise noted. This week we pray for:

### **HEALING**

Frank Marr  
Linda Seeman  
David Crushing (Jaeger)  
Lolly Dahlberg (Jaeger)  
Pearl Hawver (Jaeger)  
Wayne McCaughey (Jaeger)  
Riley Olphin (Owen)  
Craig Van Campenhout (Nancy)

**ELDERS**— Paul, Vern, Ferrin, Larry Gordon, Jenny, Bo, Sherman, Dave, Wayne

### **OTHER**

Call Committee  
Call Process  
Grace's Renovation Process  
VBS  
Those who struggle with mental illness



**SPRING MINISTRY FAIR:** Grace's Board of Christian Education is sponsoring a Spring Ministry Fair **Sunday, April 28 at 12:15 pm.** Fun, food, fellowship, and facts! Browse the various Ministry Tables for interesting ways to serve at Grace. Pick up some hotdogs, chips, and a drink while you search for Scavenger Hunt clues. Fun and prizes for all ages. Even a bounce house for the little kids. Please see the sign-up board in the hallway to let us know you will be attending.



**SAVE THE DATE:** VBS is June 13-15 this year from 5:30-8:15pm. There will be food, fellowship and Bible study for all ages. Don't think it will be boring because this year's theme is "Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus was a Kid." We need cooks, crafters, gardeners, and teachers! A truly hands-on experience in the life of Jesus that you don't want to miss. Look for more information in the weeks to come.

## BOARD OF EVANGELISM

**GREETER SIGN UP:** To all who are interested in another opportunity to serve, the Greeter Sign Up Sheet is on the bulletin board near the water fountains. Thank you!