

Grace GATHERINGS

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

*Our VISION is
"to be a Christ-centered
Community who
welcomes all, grows in
faith, and reaches out
In love."*



*Our MISSION is
"to follow Christ into our
community and world
manifesting with caring
hearts and helping hands
the good news of the
Kingdom of God."*

Thank you, Worker Bees!

Thanks to Molly Hallgrimson, Hospitality Coordinator Extraordinaire, and her team of Worker Bees for the lovely, delicious "Thank You Brunch" they hosted for our outgoing Office Administrator, Carol Terrill on June 8th. Pictured above (left to right) are: Marna Renshaw, Molly Hallgrimson, Meredith Junge, Linda Noland, Dayle Christensen, Becky Kiersky and Kathy Scroggins. Note they are wearing their new Worker Bee aprons with a busy bee buzzing above the Luther Rose emblem.



We believe that God loves us without regard for our race or culture, national origin, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, relationship status, physical or mental health, life circumstance or socio-economic situation. Therefore, we extend that same grace-filled love to you.

The work of welcome is hard; the way of love is always a work in process. But we're committed to the biblical call of reconciliation and to change what we need to, both personally and as a community, so that we – all of us together – become a living sign of God's extravagant grace.

In Christ's name, all are welcome here. We are honored by your presence and by your participation in helping us make this vision of welcome a reality for all people.



Whoever you are, Whatever your past, However you live, Whomever you love – You are welcome here.



This prayer list is a compilation of the prayer requests we have received at Grace from April to May 20. For a more timely update to the prayers, send your email address to

Prayers

*Please pray for those not included on this list, by request or accidental omission.
Pray for those who are infirm and/or secluded.*

Illnesses and Other Concerns:

- ⇒ Doris Peters
- ⇒ Cathy Mueller
- ⇒ George Long, Friend of Jim and Nancy Hemming
- ⇒ Arline Bergman, Diane Burnett's Mother
- ⇒ Mary Jane Weber
- ⇒ Jim Norlie
- ⇒ Ross Hinshaw
- ⇒ Denise Cardinali

Births:

- ⇒ Ori Gevirtz – Mike and Marjorie Kinch's Grandson



New Directory Coming Soon.

Keep watch, dear Lord, with those who work or watch or weep, and give your angels charge over those who sleep.

Tend the sick, give rest to the weary, bless the dying, soothe the suffering, comfort the afflicted, shield the joyous, and all for your love's sake. Amen.

Grace Personnel

**Pastor Netsie Griffith &
Pastor Wendell Hendershott**

**Bookkeeper - Robin Comforto
Custodian - Sam McKay**

**Director of Discipling Ministries - Donna King
Director of Music Ministries - Br. Christopher Buckley, AF**

**Facebook Administrator - Rebekah Hadlock
Financial Secretary: Mary Stephens**

**Nursery - Nate Olsen
Office Administrator - Andrea Barnhurst (eff. 6/4)**

**Office Assistant - Jody Parker
Organist/Pianist - Sunghee Kim**

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If you would like a visitation or to schedule an appointment with a member of the ministerial staff, please call the office at 541.757.1600. You are welcome to leave a message on the answering machine at any hour.

Visit our Grace web page at: www.grace97330.org

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Pastor's Page

Perceiving the New

⁸Do not remember the former things,
or consider the things of old.
¹⁹I am about to do a new thing;
now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?

--Isaiah 43:18-19a



Wow! There's lots of new things to perceive at Grace this month. Last month we introduced our new Office Administrator, Andrea Barnhurst, and her guide dog, Bali. Most likely many of you haven't yet had an opportunity to meet them. So, perhaps sometime this summer you might drop by the office during office hours Tuesday through Thursday and introduce yourself.

Also, July 1st marks the end of the old, a past ten-year period where Pr. Wendell and I were co-equal, co-pastors because we were each called to pastoral positions at three quarters time each. Thus, we have, to the best of our ability, equally shared pastoral responsibilities here at Grace. We have equally shared and alternated preaching, presiding at Holy Communion, presiding at funerals/memorial services, and presiding at weddings. We have tried to equally split pastoral calls, home visits and hospital visitation.

Beginning this month, we began what is a new pastoral era for all of us at Grace. Pr. Wendell's time is reduced from three quarters to one third time. Thus, you will see less of him during the week. He will be taking an additional day off. (See box to the right.) Usually, except for the once a month when council meets, that will be Monday. On council meeting days he will switch his day off from Monday to Wednesday for that week. This means that his usual week days in the office will be Wednesday and Thursday. His primary area of focus and responsibility will be Worship and Music, although he will continue to serve in an advisory capacity to the committees and ministry groups to which he has previously related. He will also continue to do some pastoral care.

My time is reduced from three quarters to two thirds time. While I will not take an additional day off, I will be modifying my hours a bit during the week. A reminder that, as I have done in the past, I post my weekly schedule on the outside of my office door. So, if you're wondering when to catch me in my office, you may take a look there or contact Jody or Andrea in the main church office. At the same time that I am reducing my time in some areas, I will be doing more in other areas such as pastoral care, preaching, special services and certain administrative responsibilities. Needless to say, it will be a new, intriguing balancing act and will probably take some time to sort it all out.

Both Pr. Wendell and I will individually be taking some Sundays off (him once in a 6-week period and me once in an 8-week period). So, there will be some Sundays when just one of us will be present to lead worship. This summer we will be taking our allotted 4 weeks of vacation split up between July and August, so you will benefit from guest preachers and presiders on those Sundays.

In addition to the new ways of doing pastoral ministry here at Grace, beginning on September 15th of this year, our approach to worship and Christian education will change. (See article elsewhere in this issue about that)

With so many new things before us, the above verses from Isaiah will need to become an important mantra for us all. God is about new things here at Grace. Will we be able to perceive them? Perhaps, we might make a mutual commitment to continue to ask God's help in doing just that. As we break away from "the old," our past ways of doing things, new things will emerge. Let's anticipate that and name and celebrate them as they present themselves. We might also remember and be encouraged by the African call and response: *Call: God is good. Response: All the time.* / *Call: All the time. Response: God is good.*

Looking for the new with you,

Pr. Netsie

Pastor Netsie Griffith

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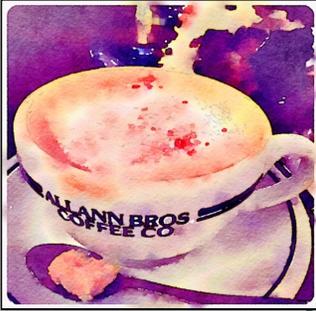
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Thursday & Friday

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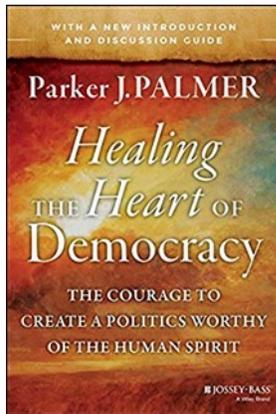
Pastor Wendell's
Days Off
Mon., Tues, & Friday

Summer 2019 Meeting Schedule for Tuesday Bible Study



July 11
2nd Thursday's
Women's
Luncheon at
Grassland Cafe.
@ 11:45am

July 23
4th Tuesday's
Women's
Luncheon at
New Morning
Bakery
@ 11:45am



For the summer we are reading and studying Parker Palmer's book, *Healing the Heart of Democracy: The Courage to Create a Politics Worthy of the Human Spirit*. Instead of meeting every Tuesday, we are meeting sporadically throughout the summer. So, here are the dates we meet in July and August and the chapters we will cover during each session.

July 2nd – Chapter 4

July 23rd – Chapter 5 July 30th – Chapter 6

August 6th – Chapter 7

August 27th – Chapter 8

All sessions will be at Grace Lutheran Church in the Fireside Room.

If you are interested in this book but unable to join us for our study, I encourage you to explore the online study guide material with short video clips of Parker Palmer discussing themes within each chapter. If you click on (or type into your search engine) the below link, it should bring up links to the study guide and the video clips.

<http://www.couragerenewal.org/democracyguide>

“Learn it & Live it!”

Sunday School Bible Challenge Leads to Service Project

Thanks to us, a lot of area foster kids have a chance at a happier summer this year. It's like Easter new life opening up right before our eyes.

Alyssa Mahr, Service Coordinator for CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates,) took one look at all the gifts we'd gathered for their foster kids and said, "Wow! I've never seen anything like this. I thought I was coming here to pick up maybe one basket of things...but you did all this!"

Grace youth used the proceeds from this year's Easter Breakfast to buy summer clothes for 15 CASA boys and 15 CASA girls. In addition, they donated two gift cards so CASA could buy shoes that fit for kids who need them. Usually, when children are removed from home and placed in care, they arrive with only the clothes on their back. As seasons transition, they need appropriate clothes just to be comfortable and feel like kids.

In addition to the clothes, we offered up bins of outdoor toys. On June 2, a parade of about 25 of us from Sunday School walked up to Fred Meyer's for a shopping field trip. We had \$200 to spend that we'd earned in the Bible Challenge - and all of it was going to help foster kids "go outside and play" this summer. We want them to discover joy!

On June 9, CASA came to visit. Our gifts were celebrated, blessed, and sent to carry God's love to kids who need it.

Later, Alyssa said, "Our office loved the photos from this weekend, and were completely taken aback by the sheer amount your kiddos have gathered, just as I was. Your donation of summer items makes a pretty big impact, it allows our kiddos to focus on being kids again. When they have fun toys and activities, they take their minds off the daily difficulties of foster care and get out there and play! Thank you and your youth for making a tangible difference in their lives."



Gods Work... Our Hands

God's Work....Our Hands

"God' Work....Our Hands." is Sunday, September 8, 2019.

This day is an opportunity to celebrate who we are as the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America – one church, freed in Christ to serve and love our neighbor.

Service activities offer an opportunity for us to explore one of our most basic convictions as Lutherans: that all of life in Jesus Christ – every act of service, in every daily calling, in every corner of life – flows freely from a living, daring confidence in God's grace.

*You work every day to make your **community** a better place. Let us continue doing this work together in 2019!*

This year's site is still being negotiated. If you need a tee shirt, please sign up at display table in the church entry from Sunday, July 7-28.



Grace Library Book Review

Saving Little-Fish

by Richard M. Cary

Accurately set in the Pacific Northwest in 1806, near a Chinook village close to the mouth of the Columbia River, this book lets us experience the times and traditions of Native Americans and early American traders. This series of Richard Cary's books are geared toward readers ages 8 to 12 but this old lady learned a lot and thoroughly enjoyed them!! We met the author at one of our regional church library conferences – he was also one of the devotion leaders. He is passionate about teaching accurate history and letting his readers understand the importance of making good decisions when faced with hard choices.

Born to a white trader and an Indian mother (both former slaves in a nearby native village), ten year-old Miriam's life is formed by both cultures. From the first moment she sees a sickly slave baby, she longs to find a way to set her free. When she and her twin brother Moses find a gold coin on a forest trail, her whole life moves toward that goal. But how can a pair of ten year-olds make that happen?

I think this would make great summer reading for young and old.

Other books in this series (all in the Grace Library) are:

The Boston Kitty, Village of the One-Eyed Frog, and Summer of the Black Bear
published soon!--Linda Samuels



And more will hopefully be published soon!



Partners in Faith

Come one, come all, join the fun as Partners in Faith meets on Friday, July 12th. Barbeque supper starts at 6pm in the courtyard at Grace Lutheran Church. If you are interested in hosting this event in your backyard or an event in August, please contact Sue.

Please contact Sue Musil with questions and comments about Partners in Faith at 541-908-6636.

Labor Day Sunday—September 1, 2019, 10:00

Each year we celebrate Labor Day Weekend with an ecumenical service in Central

Park. Come join us this year if you'd like to meet your friends and neighbors from the mainline churches in Corvallis.

Each year we have repeating responsibilities: we set up chairs, we provide (5 dozen) cookies, we provide ushers, who also greet worshipers, we distribute communion, and everyone pitches in to help take down the chairs we set up earlier. Grace also has a unique responsibility we provide the wine, although it looks like Good Sam is going to help with this too (the other churches generally use grape juice). Each year we have some specific responsibilities. This year we provide punch cups and napkins. We are also responsible for the "Call to Worship," the First Testament Reading and the Benediction. In 2021, Grace will be the coordinating congregation for this worship service and we will have a great deal more to do. So let's just enjoy this coming Labor Day Weekend while we can.

We will put up a poster in August so you may sign up, but if you want to make sure you get a head start on the sign up, contact Pastor Wendell about helping with your favorite part. This end of summer worship service has become a highlight for many. Hope to see you all there.



**HAPPY
LABOR
DAY!**

Globaliers — Grace Book Discussion Group

First Thursdays in the Fireside Room @ 7pm

The book discussion group is off for the summer, and will return in September.

September 5 Sharon Rosenkoetter *From the Land of Green Ghosts*, Pascal Khoo Thwe

**Books are in for the 2019-20 season! Pick up a list from the office counter and start reading. :)
Please contact Mary Ann Matzke with any questions at 541-753-3729 or maryann.matzke@gmail.com.**

Sunday Worship Times

Here are some of highlights between now and the end of summer:

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| June 9 | Pentecost Sunday , 2 services
<i>The congregation is invited to wear red.</i>
<i>Congregational Picnic at Thompson Shelter in Avery Park</i> |
| Sept 1 | Labor Day Weekend Worship in Central Park |
| Sept 8 | God's Work Our Hands Sunday ,
<i>Service Projects after worship</i> |
| Sept 15 | New Worship/Christian Education schedule begins (see article on page 8) |





Birthday Blessings!

Please let the office know if there is a birthdate listed incorrectly, or if we have omitted someone in error.

Tina Risen	07/02	Rebekah Hadlock	07/10	Nicole Gelser	7/21
Jena Collins	07/02	Jackson Junge	07/11	Carole Boersma	7/22
Milt Larson	07/03	Pat Corkill	07/13	Mary Stephens	7/24
Sandie Williams	07/04	Anthony Cardinali	07/14	Abigail Foster	7/25
Ron Anderson	07/05	Marna Renshaw	07/15	Ryan Nichols	7/26
Anne Howard-Orwick	07/05	Sara Gourley	07/15	Helen Hildebrandt	7/29
Jody Parker	07/05	Keith Levien	07/17	Dana Howe	7/29
Cody Levien	07/06	Marshall Hill-Tanquist	07/17	Netsie Griffith	7/30
Kendal Zwang	07/06	Avery Anderson	7/18	Alyssa Weeber	7/30
Annabritt Coakley	07/07	Tim Stock	7/20	Edward Hall	7/31
Natalie Cardinali	07/07	Erika Lundahl	7/20	Dean Aulerich	7/31
Dayle Christensen	07/08	Seth Byers	7/21	Jose Vega	7/31
Matthew Triebes	07/08			Alexander Reher	7/31

June Council Minutes

June Council Minutes, along with minutes and notes from all previous Council and Executive Committee meetings can be found in the church office. Feel free to stop in and read the notes, or join us at a council meeting. You may also contact our council secretary, Shelley Chamberlin, to request a copy of the minutes.

Volunteer Interfaith Caregivers (VIC) is pleased to announce they've been selected to receive an ITNAmerica "Trusted Transportation Partner" grant, with support from Regeneron Pharmaceuticals. ITNAmerica awards TTP grants to well-respected transportation non-profits to support free or discounted rides to medical eye care appointments. This grant will allow VIC to provide visually impaired individuals with free transportation to eye care services. This award also recognizes VIC as offering the highest quality transportation services for seniors. VIC is one of 54 non-profit organizations nationwide to receive this recognition. For information about VIC services, please contact the VIC office at 541-757-0980.

Worship Decision and the Path which led There

Thanks be to God that we have been led in faith to what we celebrate as a Spirit filled process of a path forward in regard to worship and Christian education for fall 2019.

Your pastors, our Director of Discipling Ministries and our Director of Music Ministry were pleased when we brought together the input of those involved in Christian Education and Music and Worship. We are very enthused about the schedule that emerged, because it does not exclude musicians from participating in Christian education nor Sunday School teachers from participating in music ministry. Also, it allows for much potential in community building and strengthening our ties as a congregation. Here's what has been decided for our schedule beginning September 15, 2019.

9:30 a.m. – Worship

10:30 a.m. – Fellowship Time

10:45 a.m. – Christian Education for all ages

11:40 a.m. – Sending ritual for all present for Christian Education (in the Fireside Room)

11:45 a.m. – Stepping out into the world for service

It's good for all of us to remember that the process which led to this decision began with the congregation. At our annual meeting in January those assembled tasked the church council to make a decision regarding our approach to worship beyond our summer worship schedule. The Church Council then invited input from the congregation by hosting a series of four meetings which were well attended. Some council members, your pastors and your Director of Music Ministry were present for all four meetings. We also made an online survey available to those who were not able to meet.

Following these open sessions, council member, Nancy Hemming, then took on the challenge of compiling information into a couple of Word documents from newsprint sheets, our online survey, email messages, and the high school class's input.

Council then tasked the pastors and a representative from Music and Worship (Erin Radniecki), and a representative from Christian Education (Wendy Geist) to study this input and put it in a form which might then be discussed by Church Council. Wendy and Erin attended our April council meeting to help present the work of this group.

After further discussion at both the April and May meetings church council decided, by vote, to move from two services to one service on Sunday morning. They also expressed a strong desire to explore the possibility of an additional evening service at some future point. Regarding the actual times of worship and Christian education the council then tasked our pastors, Director of Discipling Ministries and Director of Music Ministry in consultation with musicians, the Christian Education team and parents of Sunday School children to create a schedule that best served all.

So, the above schedule is what we will launch in the fall. After we live into it and try it out if it is felt changes are necessary then we will adjust and work to make it better. Thank you all for your important roles in this process from January until now.

Camp Lutherwood



A **Women's Retreat** will be at Camp Lutherwood Aug. 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Former Grace Lutheran Church Pastor, Martha Meier, will be the Retreat Leader. For further information, contact Darlene Leklem, 541-753-1072.

Grace Lutheran Church Foundation

A copy of the Grace Lutheran church Foundation's July 2019 Newsletter can be found at

<http://grace97330.org/Foundation/news/newsletter.html>

Grace Center News — from Betty McCauley

One of the most refreshing things about spring is gardening, whether you do it yourself or you enjoy the benefits of others who share the bounty. In this case you and I can enjoy what happens in Grace Center's garden behind the white fence by reading about it (here), or by buying some of their canned goods from the Gift Shop. I can tell you that the participants have a really good time making and watching the garden grow. They say that tomatoes are already growing nicely to be ready to make (and eat) salsa. This year the seedless grape vines will have a crop. Participants are gathering strawberries for strawberry fizz drinks or homemade short cakes. (Yum!) They are also gathering herbs and drying them for a season mix (golden safe, oregano, thyme, celery, parsley, and garlic powder). And they are watching new additions this year - Marion berries and a rhubarb plant. In the meantime the chickens go on laying eggs that participants enjoy gathering and using in their baking projects and deviled eggs.

Would you have believed how much gardening joy goes on in Grace Center? You can take some satisfaction from the support Grace Church has given all these years. And we are



Luther House Campus Ministry

SAVE THE DATE!

Lutherfest 2020 is set for **Sunday, February 23, 2020**, 1:30-4:30 pm @ the Boulder Falls Conference Center in Lebanon. Lutherfest is a craft beer and artisan cheese pairing event. Proceeds from ticket sales support Luther House Campus Ministry, your ELCA college ministry at Oregon State University. Mark your calendars and plan to join the fun on February 23rd!



As promised in the Sunday bulletin, here's the list of those providing transportation:

Thanks to our wonderful, dedicated Grace on the Move Drivers, who provide and/or coordinate rides to worship and Bible Study for those in need of transportation: Ron & Kay Larson, Marna Renshaw, Wayne & Carolyn Kradjan, Darlene & Jim Leklem, Debbie Kuehn, Norma Moody, Juan Guzman, Jerry Koester. *(if you provide this service and your name is not here, please let the church office know, 541.757.1600)*

As promised in the Sunday bulletin, here's the list of our Sunday Musicians:

All are grateful to the many members dedicated to bringing the gift of music to our Sunday worship services. Our Director of Music Ministries, Christopher Buckley, lends expertise and dedication to provide us with joyful music. Sunghee Kim, accompanies the choir and plays organ for our early worship service. We are also grateful for the many volunteers who provide special music from time to time. In addition we want to recognize those who provide music Sunday in and Sunday out:

- **Chancel Choir:** Sue Davis, Carol Erickson, Netsie Griffith, Ardis Koester, Jaya Lapham, Darlene Leklem, Erin Radniecki, Sue Speulda, Donna Wernz, Sandie Williams, Glenn Chaffin, Wendell Hendershott, Marshall Hill-Tanquist, Jim Wernz
- **Grace Alive!:** Michael Beachley, Wendell Hendershott, Tom Kiersky, Dave Lundahl, Angie Kingsley, Noel Vineyard

If any of these names are incorrect, please let the office know at office@grace97330.org. My sincere apologies if we've left someone off or are still listing someone who stopped showing up for rehearsal months ago.

Youth @ Grace

Sunday School and the Amazing 2019 Bible Challenge!

Wow! Once again, Grace kids, youth, and teachers surpassed our wildest dreams – what a fantastic job with the 2019 Bible Challenge!

Last fall, Grace Foundation approved a grant of \$1000 to help us buy everyone who wanted to participate a beautiful, brand new RSV Bible to use in the Sunday School Bible Challenge. The youngest kids received Story Bibles. The older ones received Study Bibles. Little did we know what was about to happen.

From January to June, everyone in the Challenge got a star for everything they learned from or about the Bible. All together, Grace Sunday School earned 794 stars. And every star 'earned' Sunday School 25 cents toward our Spring Service Project, for a total of \$198.50 earned by Grace kids to serve others!

On the last day of Sunday School, we celebrated with a party. Every class got to show off something they learned this year. The PreK-K class led us in the "Jesus Loves Me" song.

Grade Schoolers put on a skit to teach us how Jesus healed a paralyzed man. (Don't worry, Property Committee, no hole was ut in the roof this time! ;-)

Middle Schoolers taught us the "who, what, when, where, and why" of the Beatitudes. They decided, "We wouldn't need school counselors if everyone believed this!"

High Schoolers performed the amazing feat of using props to tell the whole story of the Bible - in less than 5 minutes!

We played "Stump the Pastor" with questions the kids and teachers suggested, and presented our Service Project gifts to CASA (to benefit foster kids.)

Then the teachers got a really big surprise. Some Grace kids got so excited by the Bibles that they read lots of stories at home, sometimes with their moms, dads, or grandparents, and sometimes on their own. Five Grace kids read the WHOLE Bible this year. They are our "Star Readers." Trophies for all!



Congratulations to All Our Grads!

Christopher Abbes, grandson of Dale and Mary Jane Weber – Diploma, Catholic High School, CA.

Jensen Amens – Master’s Degree, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.

Christina Barnhurst, daughter of Andrea Barnhurst – Diploma, South Albany High School, Albany, OR.

Lauren Heather Berklund, granddaughter of Linda Roberts – Diploma, Philomath High School, Philomath, OR.

Sabrina Black, great niece of Lew Nelson – Diploma, Ridgefield High School, Ridgefield, WA.

Katie Bode, “bonus daughter” of Martha Anderson – Master of Speech-Language Pathology, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO.

Laurel A. Buckley, daughter of Br. Christopher Buckley – Diploma, Redmond Proficiency Academy, Redmond, OR.

Anna Buss, niece of Cathy Mueller – Diploma, Reedsburg High School, Reedsburg, WI.

Madison Ficek, granddaughter of Bob Keith – Diploma, Marist High School, Eugene.

Maia Hope Acres Gelser, daughter of Peter and Sara Gelser – Diploma, Corvallis High School, Corvallis, OR.

Trevor Gourley, son of Mark and Joyce Gourley – Bachelor of Science in Mathematics, Linfield College in McMinnville, OR

Justin Honda, nephew of Pr. Wally Gustav – Master of Science in Kinesiology, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA.

Cameron Jackson-Osborn, son of Rick Osborn – Diploma, Crescent Valley High School, Corvallis, OR.

Quinn Koch, nephew of Linda Noland – Master of Divinity, Luther Seminary, St. Paul, MN.

Johanna K. Lundahl, daughter of Shelly and Dave Lundahl – Bachelor of Arts in Geography, University of Washington, Seattle, WA.

Molly Matzke, niece of Gordon and Mary Ann Matzke – Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Valparaiso University in Valparaiso, IN.

Kevin Muga, international student from India – Master’s Degree, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.

Victoria Ray Redman, fiancé of Bryan Williamson – Juris Doctor, University of Oregon School of Law, Eugene, OR.

Casey Andrew Smith, son of Tony and Karen Smith – Diploma, West Albany High School, Albany, OR.

Melissa Ann Smith, daughter of Karen and Tony Smith – Diploma, West Albany High School, Albany, OR.

Samuel Sparks, son of Ryan and Jennifer Sparks and grandson of Neil and Dayle Christensen – Diploma, Santiam Christian High School, Adair Village, OR.

Mark Stephens, son of Bruce and Mary Stephens – Master of Science in Statistics, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR.

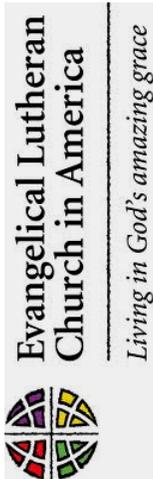
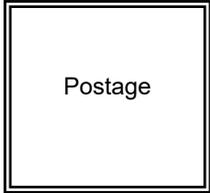
Mitchell Stewart, grandson of Carole and Larry Boersma – Diploma, West Linn High School, West Linn, OR.

Bryan Russell Williamson, fiancé of Victoria Ray Redman – Juris Doctor, University of Oregon School of Law, Eugene, OR.



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Grace Gallery



Next up in the gallery is a display of silk painting by Jeanine Lawrence, a member of the Corvallis Art Guild and a retired ESOL teacher who has worked all over the world.



Do you have a hobby or skill that you would like to share with our community? From sculpture to prose, we are looking for future features for Grace Gallery. Please contact Sharon Rosenkoetter if you have questions or comments at 541-752-1846 or sharon.rosenkoetter@oregonstate.edu