

➔ The Church Gathered for Worship

- Enjoying the Presence of the FAMILY

Greeting...Testifying...Sharing

- Entering the Presence of the FATHER

Lighting of the Advent Candle

Lily McCulloch

Singing His Songs...

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty
Behold, What Manner of Love
Be Still and Know

Remembering His Death...

What Wondrous Love is This?

Giving His Tithes and Our Offerings...

"The Wonderful Cross"

- Engaging the Truth of the SCRIPTURES

"Grit and Grace" – Ruth 2

➔ The Church Scattered for Witness

- Closing Song

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

- Benediction

"If you are a guest with us today, we extend a sincere welcome and hand of friendship. Please take a moment to complete and place in the offering plate a "Response Card", available in the pew rack or from an usher. Any questions or concerns, ushers can be identified by their usher badge. Thank you, and please visit again real soon!"

Information for Parents

Nursery is available in Room 209 for children 3 and under. **4-year-old Preschool – 5th grade** are to meet in the Kid's Quest room at 10:30 am.

This Week "at Grace"

TODAY, SUNDAY, December 7, 2014

Sunday School..... 9:15 A.M.
Kids Quest..... 10:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.

MONDAY

CE 7:00 P.M.
Men's No Regrets..... 6-7:30 P.M.

TUESDAY

Ladies Prayer Team..... 9:30 A.M.
NO Ladies Bible Study 1:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting..... Noon
Awana 6:25 P.M.
Back to Basics..... 6:25 P.M.

THURSDAY

Trek/Journey 6:25 P.M.

SATURDAY

Prayer Initiative 7-8:00 P.M.



A BENEVOLENT OFFERING

will be received at the door today. This fund provides a helping hand to individuals who are experiencing temporary difficulty paying bills or providing for family needs.

Events Next Week

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Churchtime Schedule

Nursery – 3 yr old Preschool, Room #200

December 7 Destiny and Lucia
 December 14 Judy and Angela
 December 21 Nempha and Leslie
 December 28 Ann & Jeff Hay

Kid’s Quest: 4 yr Preschool – 8th, Room #105

Begins at 10:30 am.
 December Judy, Marjie



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Grace News & Notes

December 7, 2014

ALL CHRISTMAS CHOIR MEMBERS: Rehearsal today from 12:15 to 1:00. Please note the final rehearsal on Saturday, Dec. 13 at 10:00 with the kids at 11:00

LET'S SHOW OUR LOVE and appreciation to Pastor Carlson with a gift again this year. **Envelopes are provided in today's bulletin.** We'll present his gift on 12/21. (Need an extra envelope? Have an extra envelope? Stop off at the envelope box in the foyer.)

2014 YEAR END GIFT will be used to repave the west parking lot **Please use the envelopes with the green labels which are available in the foyer.** Don't forget that all gifts and contributions to Grace Missionary Church are tax deductible.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **The Christmas Cantata and Children's Program** will be held during the morning service on December 14, 2014, followed by a luncheon.
- **PrimeTime Christmas Brunch** is scheduled for Thursday, December 18 at 10:00. There is a sign up sheet at the welcome center in the foyer. Please bring a wrapped, edible gift (no more than \$5) for the take-away Christmas game.
- **FullScore Chamber Orchestra**, will be performing here on December 13 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$15 at the door.
- **Chicagoland Toys for Tots** collection box will be at the Zion Police Department now through December 21. Toys must be unwrapped, in original sealed package, no stuffed animals.