

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ♦ **Sunday Fellowship & Worship time will change through the end of June** to 10:30am Coffee & Fellowship with 11:00am Worship.
- ♦ **Need more offering envelopes?** Let Susie in the office know, and she will print some up for you.

ATTENTION GLC MEMBERS

The time has arrived to update the pictorial directory for Grafton Lutheran Church. The Evangelism committee has made arrangements with Tweten's photography and Morgan Publishing for the completion of the new directory.

We are planning to begin the directory in May and have them completed by early December. **Please call Tweten's at 352-1513 to set up your appointment.**

The membership to Grafton Lutheran Church has had many changes since the last directory in 2020 -- new members and new staff so we encourage you to have your photo added to the directory so it is as complete as possible, every member is very important.

If you are not yet a member but wish to join and be included in the directory please contact the church office at 352-2638.

The Evangelism Committee

Community Events

- Chapter X PEO Scholarship Fundraiser June 12 @ 11AM-1PM
St. John's Catholic Church tickets \$16 in advance \$20 at the door.
- God With Us is this Summers Theme at the Park River Bible Camp, register today at: prb.com/reg
- Grief Support Group will meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm at Our Saviour's Lutheran of Park River.

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Grafton Lutheran Church (ELCA)

"Believe. Belong. Be Sent"

8th Sunday of Easter

11:00am

June 8, 2025

Welcome to our Worship Celebration!

We join together as God's people to be nourished by God's gifts and to offer our thanks and praise. Let us extend a warm welcome to our new and familiar friends in Christ.

Gathering

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

**Please stand if able*

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Confession & Forgiveness

***Gathering Hymn** "O Holy Spirit, Root of Life" #399

***Greeting**

***Kyrie** pg.203

***Canticle of Praise** "Glory to God" pg.204

Prayer of the Day

Word

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching and song.

First Reading Acts 2:1-21 screen

Psalm Psalm 104:24-34, 35b screen

Second Reading Romans 8:14-17 screen

***Gospel Acclamation** pg.205

***Gospel Reading** John 14:8-17, 25-27 screen

Sermon

Hymn of the Day "Spirit of Gentleness" #396

***Apostle's Creed**

***Prayers** pg.206

***Peace** pg.206

Thanksgiving

God's gifts move us to respond with grateful word and action.

Offering

*Offering Prayer

*Canticle of Thanksgiving *"Salvation belongs to our God"*

*Thanksgiving for the Word

*Lord's Prayer

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pg.219

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Sending

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

*Blessing

*Sending Hymn *"God of Tempest, God of Whirlwind"*

#400

*Dismissal

June's Mission of the Month
will be collected for
Salvation Army

Serving Today

Pastor Brooke Phelps

Music Cathy Tweten

Sound Doug Johnson

Greeters Kande Koehmstedt, Michelle Flanders

Ushers Warren Bogert, Jason Flanders

Lector Max Sillers

Coffee Jane Mohagen, Sarah Wollitz

Chairpersons Michelle Flanders

This Week

Sun. 6/8

Synod Assembly

10:30am Coffee & Fellowship

11:00am Worship

Wed. 6/11

9:00am Quilters Meet

1:00pm Bible Study (6 Week Study)

Next Week

Sun. 6/15

10:30am Coffee & Fellowship

11:00am Worship

Mon. 6/16

9:00am Gather Circle meets at Jan A.'s

Tue. 6/17

6:30pm Council Meeting

Wed. 6/18

9:00am Quilters Meet

1:00pm Bible Study

Thurs. 6/19

10:30am Marilyn Demester Pribula Funeral

A Heartfelt Thank You

It has been over 4 months since we said goodbye to our loving husband and dad, Phil Larsen, who passed away following a courageous 2 year battle with glioblastoma, considered a common and highly aggressive brain cancer. While our hearts remain heavy with loss, we are deeply grateful for the outpouring of love, kindness, and support we have received from friends, extended family, neighbors, caregivers, and our community.

To those who visited, called, sent cards, prepared meals, offered prayers, or simply sat with us in silence-please know how much your presence meant. Your gestures reminded us that we were not alone in our grief and gave us comfort in the hardest of moments.

We are especially thankful to our church family, the medical teams, hospice caregivers, and everyone who walked this difficult road with us. Your compassion and dedication were a gift not only to Phil but to all of us.

Though words can never fully express our gratitude, please accept this message as a heartfelt thank you from our entire family. Your kindness will never be forgotten.

With love and appreciation,

The Larsen Family

Darcey, Matthew, Andrew & Heidi, and John