**SUNDAY**

**Note:** All Adult Faith Formation classes will meet in Fellowship Hall at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday, November 3, for a discussion led by Pastor Doug Bowden and Larry Hartman on Bonhoeffer’s Life Together.

- **The Forum Class** meets at 9:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room. The topic for October 27 is "The Lives of Lilias Trotter and Helen Keller," presented by Missy Hoekstra-Hecht. Contact Robin Schmuclack (robin.schmuclack@gmail.com) for more information.

- **Hearts on Fire (HOF)** meets at 9:15 a.m. in room 250. This class will begin studying Called: Hearing and Responding to God’s Voice by Susan Robb. Contact Bob Pacanowski (bpacanowski@franklinsports.com) for more information.

- **New Connections** meets at 9:15 a.m. in room 226. This class is studying The Tech-Wise Family by Andy Crouch. Contact Jeff Barbeau (jeff@barbeau.com) for more information.

- **Sunday Portico Collective** meets at 9:15 a.m. in room 231. This class will begin studying What is the Bible? by Rob Bell. Contact Traci Weilemann (traci.weilemann@peopleofgrace.org) for more information.

- **The Questors Class** meets at 9:15 a.m. in room 254. The topic for October 27 is "The Growth of North American Methodism" presented by Ed M’Cutcheon. Contact Roger Henderson (nh1458@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

**WEEKDAYS**

- **Sisters Bible Study** meets on Mondays at 1 p.m. in room 254. This class will be studying The New Testament: You Never Knew by N.T. Wright. Contact Pastor Cindy Marino (cindy.marino@peopleofgrace.org) for more information.

- **Prayer Ministry** meets on Mondays at 3 p.m. in the Chapel. Join us in this important ministry as we carefully pray for each prayer request received by the Church. Contact Pastor Bill Bryan (bande195@gmail.com) for more information.

- **Grateful Yoga** meets on Mondays at 9 a.m. in the Chapel. Grateful Yoga Ministry is a faith-based gentle yoga practice that encompasses fellowship, readings, and prayers. Contact Jane Abe (jabe@msn.com) or Laila Lindsay (christinegb66@gmail.com) for more information.

- **Progressive Christianity** meets on Mondays at 7 p.m. in room 254. This class will be studying Progressive Christianity by Michael Dowd. Contact Rev. Carol Findon ( weirdchurch@gmail.com) or Linda Rings (rings@lme.com) for more information.

- **Portico Collective** meets on Wednesdays at 5 p.m. in room 231. Childcare is available. Contact Traci Weilemann (traci.weilemann@peopleofgrace.org) for more information.

- **Sisters Evening Class** meets on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. in the Fireside Room. Our fall study will be Not a Silent Night by Adam Hamilton. Contact Sandy Bray ( braysnap@aol.com) for more information.

- **Thursday Morning Bible Study** meets on Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. in room 254. This class will be studying Disciple, “The Prophets.” Contact Pastor Doug Bowden (dbowden6@aol.com) for more information.

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**Join a Sunday Class!**

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**Upcoming at Grace Church**

**SUNDAY • OCTOBER 27**

- **Children’s Sabbath & Fall Festival**
  - 9:30 a.m. - Family Worship (Sanct)
  - 9 a.m. - Gathering (UL)
  - 9:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. - Classrooms
    - 3 - 4 Year Olds - Room 137
    - 4-7 Grades - Room 123
    - 2nd - 3rd Grades - Room 152
    - 4th - 5th Grades - Room 155
  - 10:30 a.m. Schedule

**MONDAY • OCTOBER 28**

- 9 a.m. - Temple Builders (AC)
- Parent’s Day Out (LL)
- Parent’s Day Out (LL)
- 7:30 p.m. - Chancel Choir (Sanc)
- 7:30 p.m. - CoDa Meeting (223)

**TUESDAY • OCTOBER 29**

- 8:30 a.m. - Moms in Prayer (232)
- 9 a.m. - Elderberries (UL)
- 5:30 p.m. - 360 Youth Council (231)
- 7 p.m. - Bonhoeffer Study (254)
- 7:15 p.m. - Grace Praise Team (AC)
- 7:30 p.m. - All Athletes (232)
- 360 Life Skills (231)

**WEDNESDAY • OCTOBER 30**

- 8 a.m. - District 260 (FH)
- 9 a.m. - Temple Builders (AC)
- Parent’s Day Out (LL)
- 4 p.m. - Children’s Bellas (166)
- 5 p.m. - Cherub Choir (232)
- 7 p.m. - Grateful Yoga Ministry (Chapel)
- 7 p.m. - Sisters Bible Study (FS)
- Fellowship Bible Group (231)
- Parents in Prayer (225)
- S.Y.M. (AC)
- 7:15 p.m. - New Life Singers (Sanc)

**THURSDAY • OCTOBER 31**

- 9 a.m. - Elderberries (UL)

**All Saints Service**

Join us as we observe All Saints Sunday on Saturday, November 2, at 5 p.m. and Sunday, November 3, at 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

The Grace Chancel Choir will present the timeless and poignant Requiem by Gabriel Faure accompanied by the Memorial Orchestra with Guest Organist Philip Spencer at 8 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

Our 9 a.m. Gathering Worship Team will be joined by a String Trio, featuring Joia Nicholson on cello, Cassie Ruiz and Leah Kahle on violin, in the Activity Center for a poignant time of remembrance.
Celebrate the Season
Join us for our 14th annual “Celebrate the Season,” a ladies-only event, to be held on Wednesday, December 4, at 6 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. The evening includes decorated tables, catered dinner, and entertainment by four singers from the group “Lakeside Singers.”

Table Decorators Needed! Our committee is taking reservations now for ladies that will decorate tables. As in the past, the tables are groups of 8 and 10. You do not have to sell all of your seats at your tables.

Tickets are $20 per person and will be on sale Sundays, November 10 and 17, from 9 a.m. -11 a.m. at the Welcome Center Desk (right outside of the Sanctuary). Contact Kim Scharafin (kim.scharafin@comcast.net) for more information and to let us know if you would like to decorate a table.

Silent Auction Items Needed!
We need your donations for the Silent Auction at Mistletoe Marketplace on Saturday, November 9! The more Silent Auction items we have, the more funds that are raised for Missions. Items needed are sports/entertainment tickets, holiday décor, antiques, gift baskets, and new/unused items that are appropriate for a Silent Auction. No “White Elephants” please!

Gift baskets are very popular items and raise the most money. You can design one of your own or donate items and UMW members will create one. The deadline to drop off items in the containers behind the Welcome Desk is Sunday, November 3. Contact Ro Willard (willardr1@sbcglobal.net) or Darlene Schille (darsquiltz@gmail.com) for more information.

Effects of Vaping in Youth
Grace Youth Ministry welcomes Matt Smith (a former youth at Grace) and colleagues from the University of Illinois Chicago School of Pharmacy on Sunday, November 10, from 9:15 a.m. -10:15 a.m. in room 234.

The pharmacy students will share a presentation on the effects of vaping in teens and pre-teens. Junior high and senior high students are invited into room 234 that morning to learn more. Parents are welcome to attend, though the students are the target audience.

RSVP to Gaye Lynn Loufek (gayelynn.loufek@peopleofgrace.org) no later than Sunday, November 3.

Over 50 Fellowship
Join us for an old-fashioned hymn sing at our November meeting on Thursday, November 14. Tom Colao, our former organist and pianist at Grace, will accompany us as we sing favorite hymns and carols. Join the group as we reminisce and usher in the holidays with this festive day of song!

The Over 50 Fellowship will meet Thursday, November 14, at noon in Fellowship Hall. We will start with lunch, then our program will begin promptly at 1 p.m. When you sign up at the Welcome Desk, each person should list a hymn or carol request. Sign-up will close at noon on Monday, November 11. The lunch will cost $10 in cash, payable at the door. Contact Martha Sanders (bmarzin@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

In Brief
Leaves and Fishes Collection — The Hunger Committee will be distributing grocery bags today, Monday, October 27, to any Grace Quilters, or at Mistletoe Marketplace. All women are welcome! Come for as long as you are able. Contact Kathy Carey (percula434@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

Parents in Prayer is a new prayer group, specifically for parents, guardians, and caregivers of children diagnosed with chronic or serious health conditions. Join us on Wednesday, October 30, at 7 p.m. at room 225 for a time of prayer and encouragement with those in similar situations! Contact Vera McDonald (veramc333@gmail.com) for more information.

Companions Journeying Together, part of UMW, are collecting Christmas cards and postage stamps for prisoners in Illinois. You are invited to join us on Tuesday, November 5, from 6-15 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. in the Fireside Room to address the cards to the prisoners. We are also collecting 2020 calendars for Leaves and Fishes. The donation deadline for 2020 Calendars is Sunday, December 22. Donations can be placed in the Get Connected center cabinet lower right-hand doors marked “2020 Calendars and Christmas Cards” located in the new Gathering Space. Contact Nancy Lindberg (nanjquilter@comcast.net) for more information.

Choral Evensong — Join us on Sunday, November 17, at 3:30 p.m. for Pre-Service Concert with the Krizalido Piano Trio performing Mendelssohn: Piano Trio No. 1 in D Minor. The trio features Daryl Silberman, orchestra director at Waubonsie Valley High School. (If you would like more about the trio at krizalidopianotrio.com.) Come and celebrate one of Naperville’s finest music educators and performers. Sung Evensong will begin at 4 p.m. with a reception in the Gathering Space at 4:45 p.m. Contact Dan Wagner (dan.wagner@peopleofgrace.org) for more information.

Mission Quilt — Our beautiful 2019 Money for Missions Quilt was pieced and hand-quilted by Grace Quilters and is called “Sweet Dreams.” It is a queen-size quilt and comes with two coordinated pillowcases. Tickets for the Mission Quilt Drawing as well as other hand-made items will be on sale between services at the Welcome Desk on Sunday, December 8 and can be purchased from any Grace Quilter. Tickets are $1 each or $5 for 6. Drawing for the quilt and other items will take place at our Mistletoe Marketplace on Saturday, November 9. Contact Nancy Lindberg (nanjquilter@comcast.net) for more information.

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