



Palm Sunday, April 2 through Easter Sunday, April 9



April 2 ~ Palm Sunday

*"Blessed is the king who comes in
the name of the Lord!"*

Luke 19:38

Grace Kids will triumphantly wave palm branches as they enter the sanctuary to begin our service. We will then walk through the last week of Jesus' life, hearing from ordinary items that were crucial to Jesus' story. You won't want to miss this special service!

Easter Sunday, April 9

**JESUS HAS RISEN!
HALLELUIA!**



- 9:30 am Fellowship Time with a light breakfast of donuts, fruit, yogurt, coffee and juice.
- 10:00 am Easter Egg Hunt for the Kids & Kids at Heart!
- 10:30 am Worship with Holy Communion, led by Rev. Jeff Japinga



MN FoodShare



This is a gentle reminder that all donations to MN FoodShare must be received in the church office, by mail, dropped off in the secure lock box, or in the offering plate by **Sunday, April 9.**

GPC Fundraiser

**Drive Through Chicken-Q
Saturday, April 22, 2023**

**Grace Presbyterian Church
222 E Broadway
452-4608**

**11:00 am until gone
\$11.00 per dinner**



Menu: 1/2 chicken, baked beans, Coleslaw, and a roll

Dessert: The Youth of Grace will be selling Frosted Brownies and Rice Krispie Treats for \$1 each. All proceeds from the desserts will fund Youth Activities

Of the Chicken-Q proceeds, 25% will go to Family and Children's Center

Sunday School News



"I have no greater joy than to hear that
my children are walking in the truth."
3 John 1:4

**Winter Quarter
Sunday School Attendance**
December 4, 2022 –
February 26, 2023



Just One Miss: Andrew Schantzen, William Schantzen

Two Misses: Brycen Hansen, Matthew MacAskill,
Dash Roessler, Willian Roessler

There will be **NO Sunday School** on **Easter Sunday, April 9, 2023.**

Grace Kids will sing during worship on
Sunday, April 16, 2023.

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From the Church Office

Cheri will be out of the office from
Friday, April 7 through **Monday, April 17.**

We are very excited that Jack will be admitted to a Rehab Hospital in Grand Rapids, Michigan. He will be close to our daughter, our siblings, and cousins. At this point we do not know how long he will be there. I will be back in Winona, and working in the office intermittently during the week of April 18-21.

While I am away, calls coming into the church phone will be forwarded to Pam Lica's phone.

During the week of April 18-21, please call ahead if you plan to stop by the office.



Many different community groups use our building on a regular basis.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets:

Monday - Friday at Noon
Tuesday and Thursday at 5 p.m.
Saturday at 7 p.m.

Women's Bible Study meets:

Monday at 9 a.m.

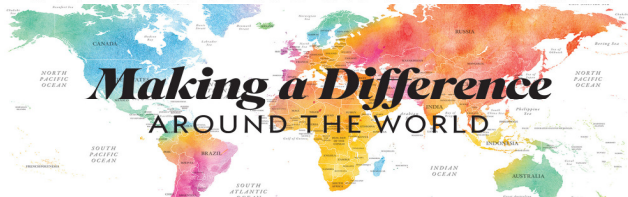
Lions meet:

3rd Monday at 5:30 p.m.

From the Mission Committee



ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING



In a world of disaster, hunger, and oppression millions of people lack access to sustainable food sources, clean water, sanitation, education, and opportunity.

The three programs supported by One Great Hour of Sharing - Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People - all work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope.



We have a giving opportunity for relief from the 7.8 magnitude earthquake that hit Turkey and Syria in February. The earthquake is estimated to affect more than 23 million people.

Starting on April 15, 2023, you can donate to the relief efforts by making checks out to Grace Presbyterian and writing "PDA Earthquake" on the memo line.

Donations will be accepted through May 21, 2023.

The Mission Committee

Session Summary

Session held its regular meeting on Wednesday, March 8, 2023, and approved the following items:

- * Minutes of the Annual Congregational Meeting held on February 19, 2023, and moderated by Rev. Larry Olson.
- * To hold a Chicken BBQ on Saturday, April 22, 2023, with 25% of the proceeds going to the Family & Children's Center and donating \$100 to St. Martins for the use of their grill. The youth will hold a dessert sale in conjunction with the Chicken Q with those proceeds going to the Youth Activities Fund.
- * Following March Foodshare and One Great Hour of Sharing, to offer an extended giving opportunity for earthquake relief through Presbyterian Disaster Assistance.
- * To approve an Audit Committee consisting of Kjersti Anderson, Nancy Dornfeld, Pam Lica, and Christine Schantzen.

DID YOU KNOW? That our special offering for the Deacon's received \$830 during the month of February.

Pam Lica, Clerk

Happy Birthday!

Ray Lafky	April 2
Janice Jacobson	April 7
Tammy Engstler	April 9
McKay Schultz	April 11
Mary Lowery	April 15
Ann Lubinski	April 19
Gayle Arndt	April 22
Audrey Olson	April 23
Marty Jacobson	April 26
Moe Stark	April 28

Happy Anniversary!

Henry & Chris Schantzen	April 22
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*Because we are
unconditionally loved by
God, we are called to do the
same in thought, word, and
deed with our family,
community, and world.*

Mission

Thank God!

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Office Hours

9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Tuesday - Thursday

8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Friday

Sunday Morning

Sunday School

9:00 am

Sunday Worship

10:30 am

Fellowship Time

11:30 am

Minister

Rev. Rachel Rosendahl

***Office Administrator
& Newsletter Editor***

Cheri Looman

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Various

Treasurer

Jennifer MacAskill

Church School Director

Kathy Rosendahl

Session Elders

Kjersti Anderson

Ron Dietrich

Rena Dornfeld

Nancy Dornfeld

Pam Lica

Jennifer MacAskill

Chris Schantzen

Board of Deacons

2023: O. J. Jacobson, Jeanette Karjala

2024: Kathy Rosendahl; Tori Schultz

2025: Candi Kohner