

Order of Worship: October 26th, 2025

Prelude/Postlude (Jacki Kline)

Bells of Grace

Welcome/Announcements

Candle Lighting

Call to Worship

Song: "To God Be the Glory" "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Scripture:

1 Thessalonians 4:1-2,9-12 Psalm 145:1-13 Matthew 25:14-30

Apostles Creed (UMH 882)

Unison Prayer (UMH 705)

Song: "Take My Life and Let it Be"

Message: Faithful Giving

Offering/Doxology/Offertory Prayer

Song: "Now Thank We All Our God"

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Song: "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"

Blessing

This Week at Grace

Tuesday: Bible Study 9am Bell practice 1030am

> Thursday: Carpet Cleaning

If you are planning to meet at Grace UMC, you need to call ahead or email the office to reserve space and to get your meeting on the church calendar. To adjust for heating/cooling needs, Pastor Jen needs to know if/when you are meeting.

Office Phone: 218-568-5755

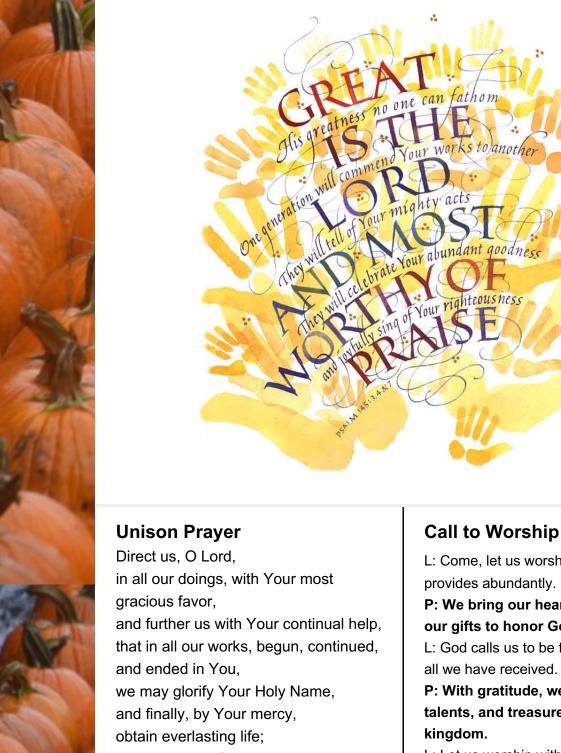
Grace Office Hours

Tuesday 9 a.m. to noon Wednesday 10-noon

Worship

Online--available at www.graceumcpequotlakes.org

In-Person Worship Sunday--9am



through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

L: Come, let us worship the God who

P: We bring our hearts, our hands, and our gifts to honor God.

L: God calls us to be faithful stewards of

P: With gratitude, we offer our time, talents, and treasures to serve God's

L: Let us worship with joy, trusting in God's provision and grace.

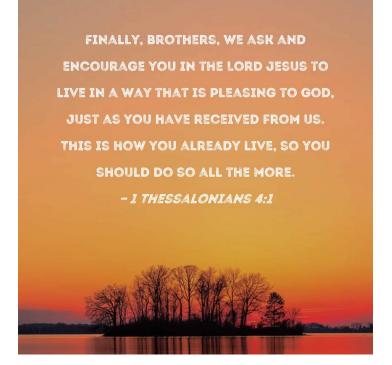
P: We come to celebrate and share the blessings of our generous God!



Scriptures for next week:

Hebrews 4:1-13 Psalm 23 Matthew 5:1-12





October Mission Giving

Our mission focus for October is the Brennecke family and their mission efforts. If you are giving by check, please note Brennecke in the memo or use a designated envelope available on Sunday morning.



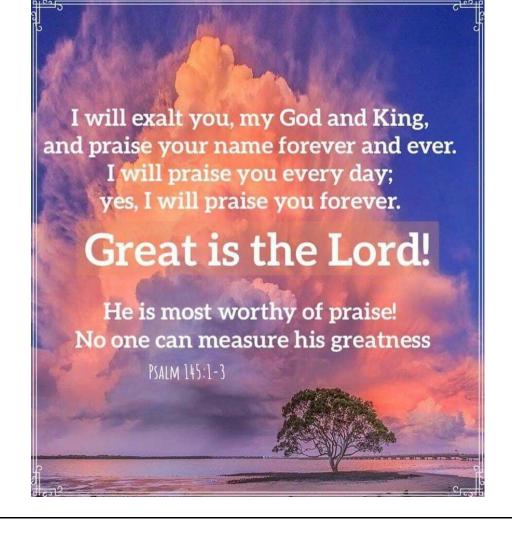
A word from the Brenneckes:

Dear Friends:

Thank you for your support and for your prayers. Kim and I greatly appreciate you!

Exciting times! In the last few months, we have watched as the Lord has provided for significant needs through a network of donors who love God and give to make Him known. Examples include several building projects in Brazil and a "Creative Access Nation" where missionaries have let us know of their financial needs, and we have been able to share those needs with others. Before long the Lord has burdened one or more of them to meet those needs! It is a thrill to share news of the Lord's provision with the missionaries. Then, once building has commenced, we become a pipeline of construction updates, photo updates & videos of the sites under construction. I share those images with the donors to "complete the circle" and to keep them up to date. As you can imagine, when a donor sees the project coming along toward completion, it is very inspiring! This builds that sense of joy in the heart of a giver that is so important.

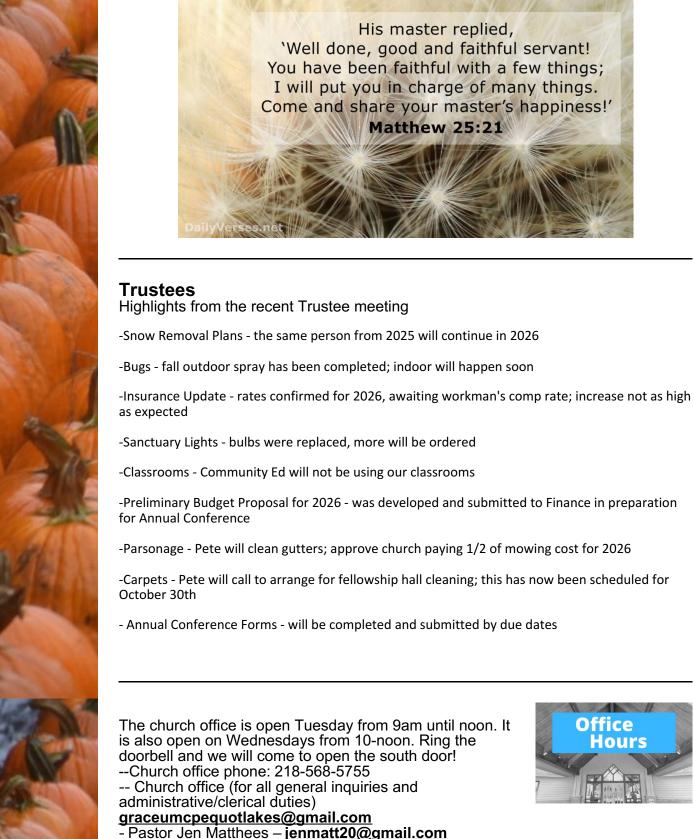
<u>Journal</u>--Click here to read the complete Fall update from Kim and Steve. Copies are available in the Narthex as well.





Annual Charge Conference to be held at Park UMC in Brainerd on November 2nd at 4pm.

All members welcome to attend. Committee chairs encouraged to attend. Please RSVP to Pastor Jen or Marsha Mower if you plan on attending.



Office Hours

- -- Ann Hutchings-Congregational Care Assistant- graceumccare@gmail.com

Communication Reminder.....

The church office email (graceumcpequotlakes@gmail.com) should be used to inform the office about ALL events, meetings, or use of the building you would like to schedule so they can be added to the master calendar. This enables us to avoid scheduling conflicts and make sure the areas of the building are cooled/heated as needed.

The official church calendar is maintained by volunteers.

Our Congregational Care Assistant, Ann Hutchings, is in the office on Tuesdays from **9:00-noon**. Her role is to follow-up with our church family, through telephone calls, notes and email, as well as greet and welcome those who visit our church and assist with any needs they might have. Ann's email (graceumccare@gmail.com) should be used for "congregational care" needs only.

If you have something that should be added to this newsletter from your group or mission, please speak with Pastor Jen or email the details to her at jenmatt20@gmail.com. The E-Grace is generally completed by noon on Thursdays, so articles need to be received by Thursday 10am.

If you wish to connect with me directly and it is not an emergency, please know that I will respond as needed during regular office hours. I am generally in the church on Tuesday (830-1130) and Wednesday (10-12), and Thursday (10-1) call the office to be sure, as my weeks vary. You may find me here at other times too! I check my emails frequently throughout the day, and this is the best way to contact me. **Friday is my day off** as needs allow, and **Monday is a full school day** (unless it is an emergency, Monday calls will be returned on Tuesday).

--Pastor Jen.

Did you know the church calendar is available on our website (graceumcpequotlakes.org)? There is a tab near the top, right side you can click to see the calendar!



Important note

If you are mailing something to the church, **you must use our P.O. Box for the address.**We do not receive mail at the church, and if you use the physical church address it will get returned and could delay your notices to us or offerings.

P.O. Box 276 Pequot Lakes, MN 56472

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