

## Prayer and Praise

### Praise God for:

Praise Him for His grace, goodness, kindness and salvation.



### We Ask You to Pray:

For the Barnes family in the loss of four-year-old Samantha.

For Emma Lazicki and her family on her "Make a Wish" trip to Florida this week, and for Naomi who will either be with Dan and Judy or at Children's Hospital.

For Beth Webb's mother who is in the ICU in Denver with congestive heart failure. She is 87 and has a history of heart problems. Also pray for her 94-year-old father who was in the hospital last month with the same condition. Both are very fragile.

May our Father in heaven reveal His glory through those who suffer physical infirmity and other life crises.

For VBS preparations and recruitment of students.

For protection and safety for families traveling and vacationing.

Give Your suffering Church on earth the faith to persevere and the grace to respond in Christ's example and power. May her witness glorify You, and in your mercy bring peace.

Call Betty Plachta ~ 425-776-8864  
for any prayer requests or praise items,  
or to be added to the prayer chain.

## Sermon Notes

### Grace Glossary:

**Authority** is the right and the power of the author to do what pleases Him, as in the authority God gave His Son over all creation to accomplish His purposes in history.

"A Question of Authority"  
Matthew 28:18

**The Church's authority as Christ's ambassador to the world rests on His God-given authority.**

~~ Authority

~~ Responsibility

~~ Demonstration

### \* \* \* GETTING IN TOUCH \* \* \*

Whether you need a prayer, a listening ear,  
to talk through personal issues,  
to share a good story, or to just do business,  
You Are Welcome! Pastor Dan

# Grace Lutheran Church

July 4th, 2010  
Independence Day



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and videos of special events.  
A Church of the Lutheran Brethren.

A pre-service prayer group meets each Sunday at 9:50 am in Pastor's office. You are invited to participate.

## Worship Service

### Independence Day

#### "Celebration of National Thanksgiving"

Welcome ..... Gary Stueckle

Hymn: 631 ..... My Country! 'Tis of Thee

Call to Worship: ..... Psalm 66:1-9

Hymn: 633..O God, beneath Thy Guiding Hand

Old Testament Lesson: ..... 1 Kings 5:1-14

Hymn: 630 ..... America, the Beautiful

*Friendship Registration and Announcements:*

Worship in Giving: Time, Talents and Gifts  
Offertory

Hymn: 323 v.1 ..... Macedonia

Pastoral Prayer

Epistle Lesson: ..... Matthew 28:18

*"A Question of Authority"*

Pastor Dan Lazicki

Hymn: 632 ..... Battle Hymn of the Republic

Benediction: ..... Psalm 5:11-12

### Doxology:

Praise God from whom all blessing flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

### Prayer Circle

Following the morning service, some of the elders at Grace will remain at the front of the sanctuary for anyone seeking prayer for special needs.

## Announcements

Thank you for joining us at Grace Lutheran today.  
May the Lord bless you throughout this coming week.

### Today:

Please stay after the service for a time of refreshments and fellowship.

### Grace Week

July 5th through July 11th

*Our Grace Mission is to be an instrument of God's love through which our world will come to know Jesus as Savior and follow Him as Lord.*

### Wednesday

7:00 pm: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.  
"That the World May Know" DVD series  
"Israel Leaves Egypt"



### Sunday:

10:00 am: Worship Service.  
"Going, Going, Gone"  
Matthew 28:19



## Other Opportunities

**Lynnwood Food Bank:** Needs food items each week. Please bring at least one canned food item per week. See list for suggestions.

**Understanding Grace:** A seven-session class taught by Pastor Dan for those interested in membership at Grace, and for those who are just interested. Day and time will be determined by the class. See Pastor Dan.

**Nursery:** Attendants are needed for service times. If you are willing to assist in this ministry, contact Marit Stueckle.

**Grace Extra** and **Prayer Notes** are in your mailbox.

**Sunday mornings in July and August:** "The Church in Action," an in-depth look at Jesus' mission for the Church based on Matthew 28:18-20.

### Planning Ahead:

#### July:

18th: 6:00 pm, VBS Concert of Prayer and Communion Service.

19th–23rd: 9:30 am to noon, VBS.

23rd: 6:00 pm, BBQ and Program.

28th: 7:00 pm, Wedding Shower for Emilee Eisinger.

31st: 7:00 am, Men's Prayer Breakfast.

### Ushers Serving You in July

Thomas Gainza ~ John Holmer  
Ken Johnson ~ K.W. Park