9 – 10 am	Each Sunday will be Fellowship Time
	Karen Stone will be coordinating this.
	Contact her to see how you can help.
10 am	Worship in Sanctuary

7:00 am WED - Men's Prayer Group - meeting at Family Restaurant

10:00 am THR – SOAP led by Jan Wise meeti	Location change this
11:30 am THR – Lunch Bunch Bible Study me	
10:00 am FRI Wise Bible Study meeting her	with the leader

10:15 am FRI -- Meadowcrest Bible Study/MC Club House

COMING SOON ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE, FEB 22 It will be a time for prayer and reflection. Laurie is moving her Children's Ministry here next month.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

We had a wonderful first service last week. Surely the presence of the Lord was in this place.

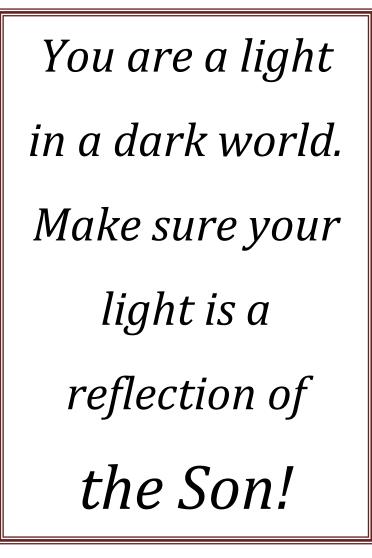
Carol Mackenzie (recovering from surgery)

Pat Taylor (broken hip) now at Black Diamond, friend of Pat Cram

Matthew Holmes (long recovery - multiple injuries from motorcycle accident) Grandson of the Jan & Tom Metcalf

Annette Rosebrock (advanced cancer) daughter of Leslie & Rosalie Rosebrock

We have trained Stephen Ministers available. Contact Karen Kline for more information or to request a caregiver.



Grace Methodist Church February 5, 2023

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS PRELUDE & CANDLE LIGHTING Karen Kline

*Indicates standing if you are able *CALL TO WORSHIP & INVOCATION

***OPENING HYMN**

The Light of the World is Jesus

RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS *DOXOLOGY

PRAYER HYMN (2times) *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

JOYS, CONCERNS AND PASTORAL PRAYER

A time of silent prayer for your personal concerns followed by the pastoral prayer.

SPECIAL MUSIC	Katherine Cornelius
I Was Touched and I Believe	

MESSAGE	You are the Light
PREACHING TEXT	Matthew 5:13 -16

RENEWAL OF WEDDING VOWS Neil & Karen Kline Pastors Younger and Famer officiating

*CLOSING HYMN *UNISON BENEDICTION

This Little Light of Mine

May the Father bless us, may Christ take care of us, The Holy Spirit enlighten us all the days of our life. The Lord be our defender and keeper of body and soul, both now and forever, to the end of ages. Amen

Matthew 5:13-16 from The Message

Let me tell you why you are here. You're to be saltseasoning that brings out the God-flavors of the earth. If you lose your saltiness, how will people taste godliness? You've lost your usefulness and will end up in the garbage.

Here's another way to put it: You're here to be light, bringing out the God colors in the world. God is not a secret to be kept. We're going public with this, as public as a city on a hill. If I make you light- bearers, you don't think I'm going to hide you under a bucket, do you? I'm putting you on a light stand. Now that I've put you there on a hilltop, on a light stand – shine! Keep open house; be generous with your lives. By opening up to others, you'll prompt people to open up with God, this generous Father in heaven.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please silence your phones - You may want to carry your Bible or read along on your silenced phone apt - we have no projection available at this time.

You can make checks payable to – Grace Methodist Church Envelopes are available on the table in the back and at the Food Pantry. Please indicate which fund and the amount along with your name.

Pastor Farmer can be reached during the week by email <u>billfarmer818@gmail.com</u> or call/text (260) 241-4869.

We are purchasing hymnals.

There are a few samples available on the table if you want to take a look.

If you would like to contribute please fill out an envelope and place in the offering basket.

You can give in Honor of or In Memory of someone if you wish. Please provide that information.

They are \$35/ea.