

### THIS WEEK AT GRACE & AT MEADOWCREST

1:00 pm MON – Memory Lane Support Group & Respite  
9:00 am TUE – Weight Accountability Group – all are welcome  
7:00 am WED – Men’s Prayer Group & Breakfast  
5:00 pm WED – Choir Practice - newcomers are welcome.  
10:00 am THR – SOAP Bible Study- led by Jan Wise  
11:30 am THR – Lunch Bunch Bible Study- led by Sharon Miller  
10:00 am FRI – Wise Bible Study- led by Jan Wise  
10:15 am FRI – Bible Study at Meadowcrest Clubhouse (in Crystal River) led by Pastor Bill - everyone is welcome.

### JOYS AND CONCERNS

**Matthew Holms** [Metcalf’s grandson] long recovery from motorcycle accident with multiple injuries, **Annette Rosebrock**, [Pastor Bill’s niece] passed away on Thur, [Kathie Henderson’s son] **Jay and the family** – cancer involving every organ, **Dawn Oliver** – doing well following bypass surgery. **Lady** that was physically and emotionally abused by her son. Carol MacKenzie is collecting encouragement cards for her - there is a basket on the Food Bank Table. **If you would like to be on our email Prayer Chain** send an email to Jan Metcalf and ask to be added [janmetcalf7@gmail.com](mailto:janmetcalf7@gmail.com). She will do her best to keep us up to date and our prayers current.

### MISSIONS AND MINISTRIES

**Our long term mission is Samaritan’s Purse Evangelistic and Disaster Relief around the world. We also support the Food Pantry at 1<sup>st</sup> UMC.** Please designate on your check and/or giving envelope if you want a portion of your offering going to either of these missions.

**Karen Kline –Faith Community Nurse.**

**We have trained men & women available to assist you if you or someone you know would like a caring friend to listen.** Contact Carol MacKenzie or Karen Kline for more info or to request a caregiver.

**Carolyn Bright** – Card ministry – if you would like someone to receive a card from the congregation let Carolyn know.



**APRIL 23, 2023**

**GRACE METHODIST CHURCH**  
We Celebrate, Serve, and Grow in Christ

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## ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Nancy Krebs  
PRELUDE AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

\*Indicates standing if able

\*INVOCATION *Pastor Kip Younger*

\*HYMN #89 *Love Lifted Me*

\*THE APOSTLES' CREED #691

\*GLORIA PATRI #33

CHOIR *Because He Lives*

\*DOXOLOGY

PRESENTING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

JOYS, CONCERNS AND PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER #700

HYMN # 580 (2X) *My Tribute*

SCRIPTURE *Luke 24:13-35*

MESSAGE *Pastor Kip Younger*

\*CLOSING HYMN #570 *Blessed Assurance*

\*BENEDICTION *Pastor Kip Younger*

You can contact Pastor Bill at [billfarmer818@gmail.com](mailto:billfarmer818@gmail.com) or call or text 260-241-4869

Children's Church meets in Fellowship Hall – invite your neighbors and especially the children to come each Sunday. Let's help Miss Laurie build this ministry for children.

If you want to mail your offering send it to our mailing address: P.O. Box 530, Homosassa Springs, FL 34447

WE ARE RAISING MONEY FOR A BUILDING FUND (not to build but for a down payment). We were given \$10,000 to start the fund. Our goal is \$80,000. Watch the thermometer in the classroom as it goes up. Please help as you are able. Mark Building Fund on your check or envelope.

### BLOOD MOBILE IS COMING TO GRACE

APRIL 30, 8:30 – 11:30am. Donors will receive a \$20 gift card from LifeSouth. You can sign-up to give before or after our worship service. Questions – ask Carolyn Bright

POTLUCK DINNER FOLLOWING WORSHIP ON APRIL 30. Ham & table service will be provided - you bring the side dishes and desserts. **There is a sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall - to let the cooks know how many will be coming and what you will be bringing.**

### CHANGE FOR LIFE BABY BOTTLES

Deadline extended to May 7 – to return your baby bottle if you received one. We are collecting money for the Pregnancy & Family Center of Citrus County. You can also drop loose change (or bills) in the jar on Food Bank Table.