



Sunday, October 4, 2026
9:30 AM Worship Service



Welcome and Opening Prayer

Opening Song: Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing - LSB 686 (1-4)

Confession and Absolution

Share Grace

Old Testament Reading: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (pg. 178, ESV)

Epistle Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 (pg. 1131, ESV)

Song: In Christ Alone

Gospel Reading: Mark 12:28-34; 37b-40 (NIV)

Message Song: Yes I Will

Message: "Listening with Delight!" - Pastor Doug Widger

Apostles' Creed

Connection Points

Offering

Women's Choir: "Go into the World"

Communion

Your Table I Approach – LSB 628 (1-6)

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing – LSB 633 (1-6, 8)

I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say – LSB 699 (1-3)

Not All the Blood of Beasts – LSB 431 (1-5)

Prayers of the Church

Lord's Prayer

Ways to Follow Jesus

Benediction

Sending Song: How Great Is Our God

COMMUNION NOTES

A traveling tray will be available for those who desire it.

Gluten-free wafers are available. Grape juice is provided on the inner ring of the communion tray.

We ask ourselves questions of examination:

- Do I believe that I am a sinner and am I sorry for my sins?
- Do I believe that Jesus is my Savior and that through faith in Him my sins are forgiven?
- Do I believe that in this meal I receive the true Body and Blood of Jesus, for the forgiveness of my sins, not just a symbol of it?
- Do I intend, with the help of God, to live a Christian life?

We welcome to the altar all who answer yes to these questions and believe as we do.

Those who have never communed with us before are asked to speak to the Pastor or Elder before the service. If you're not ready to participate in the Lord's Supper with us, please feel free to come forward. Folding of your arms will indicate to the Pastors your desire to receive a blessing.

PLEASE CHECK IN!



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ELDERS AND THEIR ASSIGNED MEMBERS

Joe Masterson A-B
Hank Jacobs C-E
Keith Mangels F-H
Mike Kennedy I-L
Mike Curtis M-O
Ernie Owens P-R
Brian Bassett S
Ernie Owens T-Z

Head Elder:
Joe Masterson

~ Sundays @ 10:45 a.m. ~

- ♦ Jim Runzheimer's Bible Class - *Fireside Room*
- ♦ Pastor Widger's Bible Class: The Gospel of Mark - *MR2*
- ♦ Young Adults Bible Study on Chris Kennedy's book "Jesus Said What?" - *Conference Room*
- ♦ Biblical Parenting Group on Gary Thomas' book "Sacred Parenting" - *GLEE Wing*
- ♦ Grace Youth (Grades 9 - 12) - *Youth Shed*
- ♦ Confirmation (Grades 6 - 8) - *Meeting Room 4*
- ♦ Grace Kids (Preschool 4's/Kinder, Grades 1-5): *GLEE Wing*
- ♦ Nursery for Babies - 3 year olds - *GLEE Wing: Mesquite Room* (throughout the morning) - A Comfort Room is provided at the back of the Sanctuary for small children with their parents. A Nursing Room is also available for mothers and their babies in the Seedlings Room. Changing tables are in the main Narthex/Lobby bathrooms and in the FLC women's bathroom.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Sunday, October 4, 2026

- 9:30 AM Worship Service - *Sanctuary*
- 10:45 AM Bible Classes for all ages
- 12:00 PM Spanish Worship Service - *Sanctuary*
- 12:15 PM Family Mess Fest & Lunch - *Gym*

Tuesday, October 6, 2026

- 1:00 PM Grief Share - *Meeting Room 2*
- 6:30 - 7:15 PM Drum Classes - *Gym*
- 6:30 PM Women's Choir Rehearsal - *Music Room*
- 7:30 PM Coed Community Basketball - *Gym*

Wednesday, October 7, 2026

- 6:30 PM ESL Classes
- 6:30 PM Embrace Life - *Meeting Room 2*
- 6:30 PM Grace Kids - *Meeting Room 4*
- 6:30 PM Handbell Rehearsal - *Sanctuary balcony*
- 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal - *Music Room*

Thursday, October 8, 2026

- 12:00 PM Grace Seniors: OktoberFest - *Fireside Room*
- 6:30 PM Guitar & Bass Classes - *Music Room*

Friday, October 9, 2026

- 6:00 PM Spanish Bible Study - *Hispanic Ministry office*

Saturday, October 10, 2026

- 9:00 AM Altar Guild - *Sanctuary*

Sunday, October 11, 2026

- 9:30 AM Worship Service: Welcoming New Members & Adult Confirmands - *Sanctuary*
- 10:45 AM Bible Classes for all ages
- 12:00 PM Spanish Worship Service - *Sanctuary*

Mark your calendars for Sunday, October 25, from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. and join us for Grace's Annual Fall Festival! Bring your family, invite your friends, and enjoy an afternoon of games, treats, activities, and fun for all ages.

We're so excited to celebrate together—and we could use a few extra hands (and lots of candy)! We're looking for candy and trinket donations, as well as volunteers to help with trunk decorating, the information and prayer tables, safety and security, and more.

Interested in helping? Sign up on the sheet available in the Narthex or contact Serena for more information. Every donation and helping hand makes this celebration possible!



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Pastor Doug Widger, Lead Shepherd
Pastor Steve Roth, Community Care
Dr. Serena Pace, DCE, Director of Ministries
Mr. William Land, Worship Director
Mrs. Laura Scott, Director of Early Education

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH FAMILIES
ARE INVITED TO:

FAMILY MESS FEST & LUNCH

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4 | 12:15-2:15PM

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Grace Seniors, join us on Thursday, October 8th for Oktoberfest!

We will enjoy lunch together and celebrate Arlington's 150th anniversary with a special presentation on the History of Arlington. Come enjoy good food, fellowship, and a little local history! We'd love to see you there.

