

Announcements for November 30, 2025

*Our Mission is to share God's love with each other,
our community, and the world.*

This Week at Grace

Sunday

10 a.m. Worship

11:15 a.m. Bell Choir Practice

Tuesday

7 p.m. Game Night

Wednesday

9:30 a.m. Backpack Ministry

6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

7:30 p.m. Worship Band Practice

Thursday

6:15 p.m. Centering Prayer

Saturday

10 a.m. – 4 p.m. Council Retreat

- ◆ **Game Night:** Friends, faith, and fun unite! **The first Tuesday of every month** is Game Night at Grace, hosted in the Fellowship Hall at 7 p.m. All are welcome, and encouraged to bring friends and family along. We will have board games, card games, role-playing games, and more. Light refreshments will be provided. We look forward to seeing you there!
- ◆ **Holden Evening Prayer** starts Wednesday, Dec 3 and will be held each Wednesday in Advent at 6 pm in the Sanctuary. Please make plans to join us for this refreshing half hour of singing and prayer.
- ◆ **November God's Work Our Hands:** Cops for Kids. Lakeland PD collects unwrapped gifts for children 12 and under. If you prefer to donate funds, Grace will shop for gifts.
- ◆ **December's God's Work Our Hands:** Pastor's Discretionary Fund. Donations to this fund create a pool of resources for members & neighbors in need. We also collect gift cards for gas, groceries & pharmacy.
- ◆ The **Backpack Ministry** helps feed the students of Oscar J. Pope Elementary. Please continue to bring ramen noodles and 16/18 oz creamy peanut butter.

- ◆ **Prayer List:** Mary Buschbacher, Wyatt Canto, Mabel Carreira, Doris Cirillo, June Clark, Ann Daffer, Julie Dunston, Carol Grzegorzczuk, Anne Guilford, Judy Haer, Gloria Hanchard, Tom Haydock, Lydia Hodge, Brian Hosty, James & Grace Irish, Wil Krell, Amy Krell, Bob & Jane Lemley, Scott Listy, Ron & Flo Mari, Mac McPeak, Monica Mencia, Avery Monroe, Doris Muszynski, John Shamp, Abby Shocik, Mike Shocik, Tim Simpson, Arleen Smith, Betty Smith, Linda Springer, Jeff Tanner, Natalie Thiele, Henry Tomlinson, Gary Venable, Greg Wasserman, Helen & Ron Wettleson, and Max Wickham & Michelle Chattin.
- ◆ **Please let the office know** if you or any of our church family is in hospital or needs home communion.
- ◆ **Friendship Pads:** All who are worshipping with us today, especially those who are visiting, are invited to sign the Friendship Pad that is at the center aisle end of the pew. Please list your phone number if you are visiting. We would like to be in touch with you and to welcome you to our church. After you sign, please pass it down the pew and back.
- ◆ **Serving Today:**
 - **Presiding Minister:** The Rev. Dr. Olga-Maria Cruz
 - **Music:** Gene Hodges, Organist; Art Pranno, Choir Director
 - **Assisting Minister:** Brenda Hornickle
 - **Ushers:** Micharl Fish & Kristen Storms
 - **Doorkeeper:** Debbie Hilliard
 - **Altar Guild:** Sue Stark & Janet Morris
 - **Flowers:** Phyllis Whidden: In Memory of Shirley Ottinger & to the Glory of God
 - **Birthdays:** 12/04: Jane Lemley; 12/05: Phyllis Gabriel, Francesca Ittleman
- ◆ **Worship Opportunities:**

Sunday Morning Worship in-person and livestreamed at 10:00 am

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Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/churchgracelakeland>
YouTube - <https://www.youtube.com/@gracelakeland/streams>
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