

# Welcome!



## grace chapel

WEST LIBERTY, OHIO

### **Morning Worship**

**January 4, 2026**

#### **Welcome & Announcements**

#### **Call to Worship & Prayer of Praise**

#### **Songs of Praise**

*All Creatures of Our God and King*

*May the Peoples Praise You*

#### **Prayer of Confession**

#### **Songs of Praise**

*God Is for Us*

*How Great Is Our God*

#### **Scripture Reading & Prayer of Petition**

*I John 4:7-16*

#### **Message – Pastor Zach Dudenhofer**

*The Master's Mighty Message – Part 6*

*(The Reasons for Divine Love)*

*Luke 6:32-36*

#### **Communion**

#### **Song of Praise**

*Christ Our Hope in Life and Death*

## this week's opportunities

<b>Today</b>	9:00a	Sunday School
	10:30a	Worship Service, Communion Growth Groups, Times Vary
<b>Tue.</b>	6:30	Men's Bible Study @ the Eckstein's
<b>Wed.</b>	12:00	WL Cares Food Pantry
	7:00	Prayer Meeting   Youth Group   Bible Club
<b>Thu.</b>	6:00	Ladies' Fashionably Late Gift Exchange
<b>Sat.</b>	8:00a	Men's Conference @ Grace Chapel

### Last Week at Grace

Sunday School:	164	AM Worship:	301
<b>Offering:</b>			
General Fund:	\$15,629	Harvest:	\$63,333
Benevolence:	\$1,098	Missions, General:	\$1,000
Missions, J. Gaertner:	\$100		

### Children's Ministry Volunteers

#### Sunday 1/4

<b>AM Infant:</b>	Dixie Spain, Joy Stroud
<b>AM Toddler:</b>	Jenny Jackson, Christie Prater
<b>Child Check-in:</b>	Peggy Hormann
<b>Children's Church:</b>	Casey & Becky Surls, Claire Heater
<b>Overflow:</b>	Jaci Miller, Tammy Moore

#### Wednesday 1/7

<b>Child Check-in:</b>	Christine Wigg
<b>Nursery:</b>	Lori Marr, Amy McGill, Peggy Yoder

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### Church Center

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## please take note:

**Annual Members Meeting** – Wednesday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:00.

**Benevolence Offering** – Contributions can be placed in any of the offering boxes or made online (ChurchCenter App or gracechapelwl).

**Camp Scholarships** – All Grace Chapel kids and teens are eligible for scholarships to Scioto Hills, Bair Lake, Marmon Valley, and Camp Union. Super early bird rates start in January. Pick up a form in the office.

**Cookie Packing** – The office needs the names and mailing addresses of unmarried college students and military personnel for Valentine's Day care packages. Boxes will be packed on Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 6:30. Bakers, we need individually wrapped cookies/treats brought to the church kitchen; please clearly label anything that is gluten-free.

**Fashionably Late Gift Exchange** – An Ugly Sweater Soiree, Thursday, 6-8:30 in Chapel Hall. Ladies high school age and older, wear your ugliest Christmas sweater and bring a gift valued at no more than \$20. Sign up on the bulletin board or in our Church Center app.

**Harvest Offering** – You can give toward the Harvest Offering at any time, on our website (gracechapelwl.org) or in person. Be sure to mark your offering clearly so it's designated properly. The funds will be used for church camp scholarships for GC kids and teens, as well as the expansion of our parking lot.

**Lifewise Giving Tree** – Located in the foyer, near the ladies' restroom. Support a local ministry whose purpose is spreading the Gospel to school-aged children!

**Membership Class** – If you would like to learn more about membership at Grace Chapel, sign up for the 6-week Sunday School class that begins next Sunday.

**Men's Conference** – Saturday, 8-3:00 here at GC. Breakfast and lunch are provided. Pastor Khale Rider of Bellefontaine Grace is teaching *The Basics of Biblical Manhood*. Sign up now; high school guys are invited, as well!

**Praise & Testimony Service w/ Communion** – Sunday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, at 6:00.

**WL Cares** – January is our month to stock and to serve in the food pantry at South Union Mennonite Church. There is a table in Grace Hall for donations, or you can make a monetary donation. See the bulletin board to sign up as a volunteer!

**Youth Group** – Game Night, Sunday, January 18<sup>th</sup>, 6-8:30, here at church.

### **This Week's Birthdays and Anniversaries:**

4 – Greg & Kay Watson

5 – Joel Hoover

6 – Ken & Monica Luse

7 – Garrett Heater, Gretchen Heater

## **Our Heart: Christ Above All**

Our church is driven by one great desire: to magnify and exalt Jesus Christ above all through our actions, ambitions, and affections. We long as a faith family to simply introduce people to Jesus; for we've discovered that to know Him is to love Him, and to love Him is to serve Him.

## **Our Spirit: A Place of Grace**

We strive at Grace Chapel to be a place of grace - where everyone can come to know, grow in, and go out with the grace that is offered in Christ Jesus. In everything we do, we aim to unleash the Word, Throne, and Fellowship of Grace into others' lives, so that we might make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ.

## **Our Body: A Family of Faith**

Our church body truly is a family: we are a vibrant and rapidly growing multi-generational church that is diverse in ages, backgrounds, and occupations, and united in the faith, love, and hope that is in Christ Jesus. We love, laugh, cry with and care for each other. And we seek to encourage one another daily in our walks with Christ so that others might know that we are His disciples.

We pray that you will taste a glimpse of the grace and love of Jesus while with us today!

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