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Welcome to Grace Church!

Discover the variety of worship services, ministries and fellowship events happening every day at Grace Church.

The Mission of the Church Is the Mission of Christ

The Anglican Communion has been discerning and identifying the bonds that tie us together in our common life and mission. We use the Five Marks of Mission as a practical and memorable "checklist" for mission activities at Grace Church.

The Five Marks of Mission

- To proclaim the Good News of the Kingdom
- To teach, baptize and nurture new believers
- To respond to human need by loving service
- To seek to transform unjust structures of society, to challenge violence of every kind and to pursue peace and reconciliation
- To strive to safeguard the integrity of creation and sustain and renew the life of the earth

We have organized our ministries under the general ideas of the Five Marks of Mission. However, we understand that the work of many of our ministries falls under more than one category.

Our ministries are constantly evolving to engage our members, serve the community and share God’s love in the world. We hope this booklet will be a resource for anyone wishing to serve or be served through Grace Church.

- Annual Stewardship Campaign
  Contact Betty Bowersox: betty@bowersox.org or 314-378-6067
  The tithe and pledges of each person in the parish support our annual Church operating budget. Your generosity allows us to carry out the ministry and mission of Grace Church.

- Stewardship Committee
  Contact Betty Bowersox: betty@bowersox.org or 314-378-6067
  Coordinates and oversees Grace’s year-round stewardship efforts of members’ time, talent and treasure.

- Planned Giving and Gifts Committee
  Contact Brent Van Conia: LegacyGiving@GraceKirkwood.org
  Oversees gifts made to Grace Church in estate plans or wills through the Legacy Fund, and the Endowment Fund.

- Perpetual Grace
  Grace Church established Perpetual Grace to recognize members and friends of our parish who have made a planned gift commitment to Grace Church in their will or estate plan.

- Our Journey Continues Capital Campaign
todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
  In 2019 Grace Church marked the 160th anniversary as a parish. To celebrate that milestone, families pledged funds to provide a permanence to the care of our buildings and grounds. The majority of the money raised by this campaign will add to our Legacy Fund for the care of our facilities in perpetuity and carry Grace Church into the future. All are invited to participate in this campaign, which concludes in 2021.

- Memorials and Honoria
todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
  The rector or parish office can help identify specific needs of the parish for those who wish to make a gift in honor or in memory of a loved one.

- Gifts of Thanksgiving
todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
  Give thanks to God for unexpected blessings in your life by giving a gift of thanksgiving to rejoice and celebrate.
Ministries of Governance, Administration and Facilities
Contact Shari Bonham: shari.bonham@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 10

The following ministries support the overall mission of the church:

- **Administration**
  Contact Shari Bonham: shari.bonham@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 10
  Coordinating office volunteers to assist in daily operations.

- **Archives Ministry**
  Contact Shari Bonham: shari.bonham@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 10
  Keeping a record of Grace’s history.

- **Communications**
  Collecting, editing and publishing news, announcements, features and pictures of the life of the parish.

- **Endowment Trustees**
  Contact Bill Cadwallader: brud2@att.net or 314-799-1339
  Monitoring investments for Grace Church.

- **Finance Committee**
  Contact Tim Engelbrecht: tseiu80@aol.com or 314-616-6840
  Overseeing the spending and expenses of the parish.

- **Personnel Committee**
  Contact Dick Entenmann: dickenemann@gmail.com or 314-822-0881
  Oversees policies and procedures for church staff.

- **Sextons**
  Contact the church office: office@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806
  Volunteers help with opening and closing on Sunday mornings and perform small maintenance tasks around the building.

- **Vestry**
  Contact Mike Heyer: mwheyer@aol.com or 314-570-6277
  Parish members are elected to serve 3-year terms as lay leadership of Grace Church.

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Worship Services
Contact: The Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Worship at Grace Church is a joyous response to God’s love. All baptized Christians who seek a deeper relationship with God are invited to receive Holy Communion, regardless of age or church affiliation.
- Sundays: Holy Eucharist at 8:00 & 10:00 a.m.
- Tuesdays: Holy Eucharist at 9:30 a.m.
- 1st Sunday of each month (October thru May) Celtic Worship at 5 p.m.

Acolyte Guild
Contact Mary Merriweather: marymerri2002@yahoo.com or 314-229-5807
The Acolyte Guild is made up of teens and adults who serve during the 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday services and special occasions. Acolytes play an important role by assisting the clergy during the liturgy.

Altar Guild
Contact Rebecca Harrison: rharri7176@aol.com or 314-821-2384
The Altar Guild serves at the direction of the Rector, working behind the scenes to keep our worship services functioning efficiently. The Altar Guild also oversees flowers, plants and other greens used to beautify the Nave and Sanctuary for holidays and special occasions. Our weekly altar flowers are provided by parish members who sign up as sponsors for a particular Sunday. Donations can be made in memory of a loved one or in thanksgiving for birthdays, anniversaries or other special occasions. Following the services, the flowers are re-purposed and shared with members no longer able to attend services.

Labyrinth Ministry Team
Contact Lyn Ballard: lynballard@att.net or 314-604-3620
This ministry is made up of adults and youth who oversee the programming for and maintenance of Grace’s labyrinth, located inside Albright Parish Hall.

Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers
Contact The Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Scheduling: Phillip Brunswick: philip.brunswick@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 21
Lectors proclaim the Word of God to the people in public worship. Eucharistic Ministers assist the priest in serving the bread and wine during Holy Communion.

Creation Care Ministry
Contact the Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Grace’s Creation Care Ministry educates our parish on a variety of environmental issues through classes, workshops and projects. They maintain the “Gardens of Grace,” which supply fresh vegetables to local food pantries. They also oversee energy-efficiency projects in the church facilities.

Landscape & Property Maintenance Ministries
Contact Rebecca Harrison: rharri7176@aol.com or 314-791-7179
Grace members come together to keep our property safe and looking beautiful in all seasons. Tasks include shoveling snow, planting flowers, maintaining the garden fountain and arranging for tree or limb removal after a storm.

Memorial Garden and Columbarium
Contact Rebecca Harrison: rharri7176@aol.com or 314-791-7179
Volunteers maintain our contemplative prayer garden and memorial area. The Grace Church Columbarium has been established, through the generous gift of Mrs. Richard Howe and others, to provide a Christian place for the interment of members of the parish and their immediate families who have been cremated.

Recycling Program: office@gracekirkwood.org
Grace has dramatically reduced its garbage output by participating in the City of Kirkwood’s recycling program. Recycling bins are located in all classrooms and meeting spaces of the church.
Prison & Detention Ministries

 Episcopal City Mission
Contact ecitymission.org

ECM is a unique ministry in the Diocese of Missouri, providing chaplaincy services in area youth detention centers. Grace Church hosts a summer fundraiser for ECM, serves a birthday party one month each year at the detention center, provides an annual chaplaincy grant, and our members donate Christmas gifts to give to the youth through our annual Giving Tree.

SPROG
Contact: www.sproginc.org

SPROG was originally formed in 1970 to provide academic, cultural and recreational services to low-income children, primarily through a summer day camp program that was located at Grace Episcopal Church for 45 years. In order to provide a better experience for our kids, SPROG moved to the campus of Kirkwood High School in 2019 and is now affiliated with Horizons National. Our mission statement: Inspire brighter futures for students most in need by providing opportunities to experience high quality academics, engaging enrichment, and healthy life skills.

Task Force for the Hungry
Contact https://www.diocesemo.org/ministries/task-force-hunger

Grace members participate in this diocesan committee, which speaks and acts on behalf of hungry people, funds food ministries, raises awareness about hunger and poverty issues, and serves as a resource to food ministries within the Diocese. The food pantries and projects the Task Force supports operate on a shoestring budget, but are on the front lines in fighting hunger and homelessness in our area.

Music Ministries
Choirs
Contact Phillip Brunswick: philip.brunswick@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 21
Music plays an important role in our worship services at Grace. Organist and Choir Master Phillip Brunswick offers three choirs for training and singing for all ages. The choirs rehearse weekly during the school year.

Handbell Choirs
Contact Ella Heigham: eheigham@sbcglobal.net or 636-528-0333
Grace Church has three handbell choirs made up of children, teens and adults that rehearse each week and perform during church services throughout the school year.

Usher Guild
Contact Richard Russell: chard-pk@sbcglobal.net or 314-966-2573
Ushers assist the congregation during worship services by welcoming church-goers as they arrive, distributing worship bulletins, providing hearing assistance to those who need it and overseeing the weekly offering collection.

Weddings and Funerals
Contact The Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Wedding Director - Barb Manuel: manuelcanoe247@aol.com or 636-326-5804

The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony is offered to members of the parish in good standing and members of their immediate family.
Funeral Services are offered to members of the parish and members of their immediate family. The Grace Church Columbarium has been established, through the generous gift of Mrs. Richard Howe and others, to provide a Christian place for the interment of members of the parish and their immediate families who have been cremated.
Christian Formation Ministries

Contact the parish office:
Todd.McDowell@GraceKirkwood.org or 314-821-1806

Baptism

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism is available to parish members or members of their immediate families. Baptisms are held four times each year at Grace Church:

- All Saints’ Day (or the Sunday after)
- the First Sunday after Epiphany (Baptism of Our Lord)
- the Great Vigil of Easter
- Pentecost

Nursery

Nursery Supervisor Becki Huels and youth assistants provide TLC to our youngest members and guests (infant – 4 years old) in our beautiful Noah’s Ark nursery. The nursery is open every Sunday morning and for special events. It is located toward the end of the hall on the main floor of our building.

Children’s & Youth Ministries

Students in preschool through high school are invited to be a part of Grace’s Church School programs. Grace members volunteer their time to teach the students age-appropriate Bible lessons and help them build relationships that will last a lifetime.

- **Sunday School** classes meet every Sunday during the school year on the lower level of Grace Church. Classes begin at 9:30 a.m. and overlap with our 10:00 a.m. worship services, with the students joining their families in church in time to share Holy Communion.

- **Confirm Not Conform** is our youth confirmation program. Youth in 8th grade and up are invited to explore their faith through Sunday morning classes, service projects and social events. We participate in a Diocesan Confirmation Service at Christ Church Cathedral in St. Louis in the spring.

- **Youth Group** activities are available throughout the year for high school and middle school students. Make new friends, serve the community and have fun doing God’s work in the world!

- **Youth Mission Trip** has been the highlight of our youth program at Grace Church for more than 20 years. High school students come together to raise money and make plans for a week-long adventure to help others. The missionaries work with Habitat for Humanity in cities around the country. It’s a life-changing experience for everyone involved!

- **Choir, Handbells, Lectors and Acolyte Ministries** are also youth ministries. Please see descriptions under the “proclaim” group (pages 4 & 5).

Episcopal Relief and Development

Contact Marty O’Leary: martyoleary@yahoo.com or 314-733-5440

Grace supports this international aid agency through special collections throughout the year. ERD is the compassionate response of the Episcopal Church to suffering in the world. The agency provides emergency disaster relief, maintains hunger relief programs, economic development programs, and health programs for the underserved in the U.S. and around the world.

Jerusalem Ministries

Good Friday and Easter Offerings

Contact the Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14

Each year Grace collects a special offering on Good Friday and Easter to support the ministries of the four Anglican dioceses of the Province of Jerusalem and the Middle East. Pastoral care, education and health care continue to be primary ministries through which the reconciling spirit of the Christian faith serves all in need. Participation in this ministry is welcome. The generous donations of Episcopalians help the Christian presence in the Land of the Holy One to be a vital and effective force for peace and understanding among all of God’s children.

Bravely

Contact : [https://www.bravely.org/](https://www.bravely.org/)

Grace is a supporter of this mission started by the Episcopal Diocese of Missouri. Magdalene is a residential program for women recovering from prostitution, sex trafficking, abuse and addiction. This ministry is modeled after the successful Magdalene Nashville program, which was founded in 1997. The programs are designed not just to help a subculture of women, but to help change the culture itself. The program provides two years of housing, counseling, education and vocational opportunities as well as health care to help women live a self-sustaining life.
Pastoral Care Ministries
Contact the Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14

Community of Hope
Contact: The Rev. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Community of Hope, an international organization based on Benedictine spirituality, trains and supports lay pastoral caregivers to provide a ministry of presence to people in homes, hospitals, nursing facilities, shelters, and jails/prisons. COH is designed to enhance existing ministries within the parish, and members are supported in their faith journeys by monthly gatherings within the diocesan training centers (Grace, St. Michael and St. George, Christ Church Cathedral). Diocesan Community of Hope meets quarterly to live into the Rule of St. Benedict through prayer, study and working together.

Eucharistic Visitors
Contact Fr. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
Eucharistic Visitors call and visit the sick and homebound members of our parish, spending time with them and offering them Holy Communion. We also share flowers, prayer shawls, and news from the parish with members who are unable to come to the church.

Prayer Chain
Contact Ruth Moore: clesiemo1@yahoo.com or 314-822-0881
The Grace Church Prayer Chain is made up of members who pray daily for members, friends and family members of the parish. The list is confidential and is updated and shared with the clergy twice each week.

St. Paul Guild
Contact Fr. Todd McDowell: todd.mcdowell@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 14
This group writes and sends cards and letters to members in times of need.

Adult Christian Formation
• **Sunday Forums:** Grace offers a variety of classes and guest speakers every Sunday morning between worship services (9-10 a.m.) for adults wanting to deepen their faith.
• **Bible Studies and Seasonal Programs:** Advent & Lenten Quiet Days, Wednesday evening Lenten series and confirmation classes are offered at various times throughout the year.
• **Grace Online Academy:** Free online programs are available to all members, featuring theological experts discussing a variety of topics.

Fellowship Ministries
Grace on the Go
Contact Stan & Christie Boyle: boylech@sbcglobal.net or 314-821-5421
Vince & Michele Nicosia: nicosvf@att.net or 314-962-7225
Shirley Browne: ssbrowne@earthlink.net or 314-821-4333
John Dotson: jdotson7@gmail.com or 314-698-2766
Grace on the Go is an active group that enjoys visiting and learning about the people, places and history of our area. The group plans monthly trips to local and regional sites of religious, historical or cultural interest for our members and friends of the parish.

Holy Ground
Contact Barb Manuel: manuelcanoe247@aol.com or 636-326-5804
Holy Ground is a women’s spirituality group that comes together one Monday evening each month throughout the year to enjoy fellowship, dinner and a topical presentation. Each evening also includes a casual worship service with Holy Eucharist.

Women’s Book Group
Contact Michele Nicosia: nicosmb@att.net or 314-962-7225
The Women’s Book Group gathers to read and discuss books in the Library every Tuesday at 10 a.m. The group chooses from fiction, non-fiction and spiritual titles and enjoys discussing morals and religious themes in our modern world. The group is also very pastoral among its members and regularly prays for the people of our parish.

Men’s Breakfast
Contact: Don Neubacher: neubacherd@charter.net or 314-822-895
Enjoy breakfast and catch up with your friends at the Denny’s at Watson & Lindbergh Blvd. (10575 Watson Road) each Wednesday at 8 a.m.
Invitation Ministries

Coffee Hours
Contact Harriett Foiles: hpf1038@sbcglobal.net or 314-996-9624
Marty O’Leary: martyoleary@yahoo.com or 314-733-5440

The “Not Just Donuts” Ministry provides a warm welcome and fellowship in the parish hall each Sunday following both worship services. Volunteers prepare coffee, bring treats and provide set-up. Family teams and individual ministry teams are encouraged to serve as hosts. We welcome all visitors and new members — please come in and say hello!

Invite Welcome Connect
Contact Shari Bonham: shari.bonham@gracekirkwood.org or 314-821-1806, ext. 10

Invite Welcome Connect combines evangelism, hospitality and ministry to engage visitors, newcomers and longtime church members in the life of our parish and the work of the Church in the world. This congregational empowerment allows our church to become a place of genuine connection for inviting the faith journeys and stories of everyone, enabling deeper journeys of Christian discipleship and enabling the Spirit of Christ to be at the heart of each church's hospitable mission of spreading the Good News.

Outreach Ministries

Contact Vince & Michele Nicosia: nicosvf@att.net or 314-962-7225

Grace Church supports many local, national and international organizations working to meet human needs of all kinds. That support comes in the form of financial donations, physical labor, leadership, shared skills, and building relationships. Organizations we actively support include:

- **Deaconess Anne House**: An Episcopal Service Corp project in Old North St. Louis
- **Grace Hill Settlement House**: Educational, health and economic programs for children and families in St. Louis
- **Habitat for Humanity**: Helping build houses so everyone has a decent place to live
- **Hands on Kirkwood**: An ecumenical day of service throughout the Kirkwood community
- **KirkCare**: Kirkwood community food and assistance organization
- **Shepherd Center of Webster-Kirkwood**: Inspiring dynamic living among older adults through volunteerism, enrichment and community connection
- **St. Louis Interfaith Partnership**: An ecumenical group bringing together people of faith for dialogue, celebration, service, pursuit of social justice and increased understanding of one another
- **Trinity Food Pantry and Hot Lunch**: Free food ministries offered through Trinity Episcopal Church in the Central West End
- **United Thank Offering**: An outreach of the Episcopal Church, providing grants for programs in the U.S. and overseas