

# GRACE



*The gift  
that keeps on giving*

**EPHESIANS 2:1-10**



PO Box 427 - 500 S Penn Ave

**Pastor Dave Martin**

22 Pentecost – October 29, 2023

9:30 AM Worship – 10:45 AM Sunday School

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## GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song “**King of My Heart**”

“**I Speak Jesus**”

Prayer of Confession

**(P & C): Loving God, your love for us is sometimes so hard to accept, for we know how often we disappoint you. We have wandered so far away from our true home. We have spent our money on what does not satisfy. We have given in to despair and let a river of tears fall from our eyes. We have been too proud to ask for help. Loving God, always waiting, yearning and looking for our return, speak to our hearts and quicken our steps back to you. You do indeed remember us and welcome us home.**

Words of Forgiveness:

**P:** God's love dries our tears; God's forgiveness picks us up; God's peace embraces us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

**C: Amen.**

## GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Scripture Lessons:

Psalm 138:1-8

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John 1:14-18

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Children's Sermon

Sermon Text: Ephesians 2:1-10 (NIV)

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Sermon “**Grace—the Gift that Keeps on Giving**”

## GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Song “**Christ Be Magnified**”

Apostles Creed  
Offering\*\*  
Prayers of the Church  
The Lord's Prayer

## GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song "O Praise the Name"  
Benediction

## ENTER TO WORSHIP – DEPART TO SERVE

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email bulletin info by Thursdays 8 AM*

***Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning to worship our God together! We will have fellowship time with coffee and cookies following worship. We hope you will join us!***

*\*\*The offering plate will be in the narthex so please place your donations in as you enter or exit. To GIVE ONLINE through Breeze, go to our website [www.tlclplattedsd.org](http://www.tlclplattedsd.org). Click on "GIVING" on our homepage and you will be directed to our online giving platform Breeze. It is a convenient, safe and simple way for our members or visitors to make automated payments through bank ACH directly or credit/debit cards. Text-to-give (605) 741-4118.*

**October 22 General Offering: \$2401.00 Attendance: 135**

**Greeters** Oct 29—Bill & Carey Hoffman

Nov 5—Darrel & Valerie Hildebrand

Nov 12—Dave & Joyce Carter

Nov 19—Donna & Skyler Hanten

Nov 26—Joel & Jodene Foxley

**Ushers** Oct 29 & Nov 5—Larry Kuiper & Lee Hanten

Nov 12 & 19—Tyson Dyk & Lucas Suits

Nov 26—Austin DuFrain & Ethan DuFrain

**Coffee Cookie Servers**

Oct 29— Phyllis Daum, Pearl Feiok, Karen DeGroot

Nov 5—Rhonda Engebretson, Pearl Feiok, Diane Gilbertz

Nov 12—Jodene Foxley, Maggie Dyk, Donna Hanten

Nov 19—Jessica Hegge, Amanda Hermanek, Valerie Hildebrand

Nov 26—Carey Hoffman, Sarah Hoffman, Susan Holter

**Prayer Ministry Team**—Kevin Severson, Jonna DeHaan, Lee Hanten  
& Shirley Johnson

**October is Pastors Appreciation month!** This is a great opportunity to minister to those who minister to us. Please take a moment to let Pastor Dave and Peggy know how much we appreciate all their work at here at Trinity and the Platte area. A short note, gift, smile or a heartfelt “thank you” can be a great encouragement to thank them for their faithful service and devotion to God.

**Bible Instruction for all third graders** continues this Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, and meet weekly on Wednesdays through November 8th. Classes will be held in the North Overflow Room and will run from **4:00 to 5:15 PM**. If possible, we would like to have a parent or grandparent accompany each child and help them in this journey through God’s Word. A light snack will be served each session.

**Presentation of the Bibles** will be held Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup> during worship.

Men, **please join us Saturday, November 4 at 7 AM** in the Fellowship Hall for our **weekly Men’s Breakfast**. After eating, we will adjourn to the Fireside Room, where we will watch a video from the Authentic Manhood 33 Series. Following the video, we will break into small groups, discuss the video, and pray with and for one another.

For October, the **WOW groups** will be helping make fleece blankets for Family Connections. Priscilla and Martha Bible Study Groups are asked to put together at least 10 Health Kits and Hannah Group is asked to donate Toilet Tissue - these two items will be going to Needy Nook in Marty, SD and Tanta's House.

The Lyric Theatre is showing the movie **After Death** this weekend October 27, 28, and 29. The studio that made this film is the same one that made Sound of Freedom and His Only Son. The movie is based on real near death experiences and examines both spiritual and scientific dimensions of near death experiences. It is rated PG 13.

Bethel is hosting a Trick-r-Treat event again called **Shine the Light on the Night** in the church parking lot on Tuesday, Oct 31 5:30-7pm. We are looking for people to have decorated trunks or stands that proclaim the Light of the world on a night that celebrates darkness. If you are interested contact Lynn Nelson at: 680-3028. We also are looking for candy donations which can be dropped off at Bethel.

**NEW HOPE CHRISTIAN CAMP:** New Hope will be holding their Annual Fundraising Banquet on November 4<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm. Tickets are now on sale for \$30/person. You can contact any board member to purchase a ticket or contact New Hope for tickets 605-682-1992.

### **TACKLING TOUGH TOPICS** A Series of Sunday Evening Talks

Join us each week throughout November to consider one of today's most pressing cultural issues: ANXIETY. Led by Pastor Drew Hoekema Beginning at 6pm - Platte CRC Fellowship Hall. All Are Welcome!!

**Missionaries Gus & and Terry Craven** are asking for towels, cleaning supplies and bath soaps for the Eagle Nest Life Center in Wanblee. If you would like to donate items towards this mission, a tote will be in the fellowship hall for you to place donations into. We'll be collecting until November 19th.

**Laura Johnson is celebrating her 85<sup>th</sup> birthday** on November 2<sup>nd</sup>. A card shower is organized by her children Lori, Lyndra, Michael and Mary. If you'd like to send her birthday wishes, please send to Laura Johnson, 1225 S West Ave, Sioux Falls, SD 57105.

# PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

## Those in nursing and assisted living homes or home-bound:

**Assisted Living:** Mary Lee Erickson, Ruth Gruenig, Adele Holter, Laura Johnson, Richard Johnson, Arnie Larson, Caroline Peterson

**Nursing Home:** Maylou Stanforth

## Please pray for:

- Praises for a baby girl, Olivia Laree, born to parents Brandon and Joni Jones and brother Lennox on October 26<sup>th</sup>. Congrats to grandparents Jeff and Jackie Olsen and great grandmother Shirley Johnson.
- Praises that Zach and Lizzy Warejcka were blessed with a beautiful baby boy, Wallace Ryan on 10/17/2023. Siblings Aubrey, Will and Adam are excited to welcome him into the family. Grandparents are Mick & Sharon Warejcka.
- Please pray for the family and friends of Harold Pavlis as they mourn his passing on October 17th. Pray especially for his daughters, Vicky & Jean, that they might know the Lord's comfort, strength, & close-abiding presence in their grief. Pray the sure and certain truth of the resurrection fills them with eternal hope and joy even in their sorrow.
- Praise God Sharon Rommen is recovering well from a fall she took last Thursday. Please pray for her continued recovery, that her pain would diminish daily, and that she and Morries would feel the Lord's healing, peace, strength, and comfort throughout the process.
- Please pray for the family and friends of Moe Johnson's nephew, Danny Bowman, who passed away last week in California. Pray they would know the Lord's comfort, peace, and close-abiding presence in all they are going through and that they would have the Lord's strength, hope, and joy even in their sorrow.
- Praise God Jackson Olsen's hand and shoulder surgery went well last Friday, and he is recovering well. Please pray for his continued improvement and for his physical therapy to go smoothly.
- Please pray for Dan Daum's brother, Jim, who is undergoing ablation (cauterization of the nerve endings) on the left side of his spine on November 2nd. 2 weeks later he will undergo ablation on the right side of his spine. Pray, in Jesus's name, that the Lord would heal the pain and the root cause of it. Pray for Jim and his loved ones to feel Christ's comforting presence, love, and comfort throughout.
- Praise God Rod Berg's September MRI at Mayo showed complete resolution of the lesions in his brain. Rod and Vicki are so grateful and are thanking Jesus for this awesome result. They want to thank each one of

you for all your prayers. Rod will continue the infusion treatments monthly and return to Mayo in December for a brain MRI and re-evaluation.

- Please keep Alison Dykstra's sister, Julie Pepper, her husband, Matt, and their extended family in your prayers as Julie continues her battle with ovarian cancer. Praise God her October scan showed her treatment is holding the cancer in check. Please pray that very soon the cancer will be completely gone. Praise God Matt is in cardiac rehab and doing very well.
- Thank you for your prayers for Peggy Martin's sister, Bonnie Hubbs. She came through her hip surgery extremely well and has had little pain or difficulty with it. Please pray her upcoming cancer checkup yields a good report.
- Please continue to pray for Pastor Mike De Jager of the First Reformed Church in Platte. Please pray for the Lord to heal his spine and stabilize his neck, especially where it attaches to the brain stem. Pray for the Lord to heal him quickly and completely and for Mike to be blessed with many years of active life ahead of him.

## King Of My Heart

Let the King of my heart be the mountains where I run  
The fountain I drink from Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart be the shadow where I hide  
The ransom for my life Oh He is my song

*Chorus:* You are good good oh, You are good good oh  
You are good good oh, You are good good oh

Let the King of my heart be the wind inside my sails  
The anchor in the waves Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart be the fire inside my veins  
The echo of my days Oh He is my song

*Chorus*

You're never gonna let never gonna let me down  
You're never gonna let never gonna let me down (x4)

*Chorus*

When the night is holding on to me God is holding on (x2)

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## I Speak Jesus

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus over ev'ry heart and ev'ry mind  
'Cause I know there is peace within Your presence, I speak Jesus

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus til ev'ry dark addiction starts to break.  
Declaring there is hope and there is freedom, I speak Jesus

*Chorus:* 'Cause Your Name is power, Your Name is healing, Your Name is life,  
Break ev'ry stronghold, Shine through the shadows, Burn like a fire

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus over fear and all anxiety  
To ev'ry soul held captive by depression, I speak Jesus

*Chorus*

Shout Jesus from the mountains, Jesus in the streets, Jesus in the darkness  
over ev'ry enemy, Jesus for my fam'ly, I speak the holy Name Jesus (x2)

Your Name is power, Your Name is healing, Your Name is life, Break ev'ry  
stronghold, Shine through the shadows, Burn like a fire (x2)

I just want to speak the Name of Jesus over ev'ry heart and ev'ry mind  
'Cause I know there is peace within Your presence, I speak Jesus

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## **Christ Be Magnified**

Were creation suddenly articulate with a thousand tongues to lift one cry  
Then from north to south and east to west, We'd hear Christ be magnified

Were the whole earth echoing His eminence, His name would burst from sea and sky  
From rivers to the mountain tops, We'd hear Christ be magnified

*Chorus:* O Christ be magnified, Let His praise arise  
Christ be magnified in me. O Christ be magnified  
From the altar of my life Christ be magnified in me

When ev'ry creature finds its inmost melody and ev'ry human heart its native cry  
O then in one enraptured hymn of praise. We'll sing Christ be magnified

*Chorus*

I won't bow to idols, I'll stand strong and worship You  
If it puts me in the fire, I'll rejoice 'cause You're there too  
I won't be formed by feelings, I hold fast to what is true  
If the cross brings transformation, Then I'll be crucified with You

'Cause death is just the doorway into resurrection life  
If I join You in Your suff'rings then I'll join You when You rise  
And when You return in glory with all the angels and the saints  
My heart will still be singing, My song will be the same

*Chorus x2*

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## **O Praise the Name**

I cast my mind to Calvary where Jesus bled and died for me.  
I see His wounds, His hands, His feet. My Savior on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears, they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.  
The entrance sealed by heavy stone. Messiah still and all alone.

*Chorus:* O praise the name of the Lord our God. O praise His name forever  
more. For endless days we will sing Your praise. Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

Then on the third at break of dawn, the Son of heaven rose again.  
O trampled death, where is your sting? The angels roar for Christ the King.

*Chorus*

He shall return in robes of white, the blazing Son shall pierce the night.  
And I will rise among the saints, my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face.

*Chorus x2* Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

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