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December 7, 2025

The Second Sunday of Advent
PEACE

We are glad you are here to worship
God with us!

The flowers are given by Debbie DeLuca in
celebration of Judy Thompson's 90th birthday!



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Order of Worship

"This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!"
Psalm 118:24

Musical Prelude

Bev Wanner

Welcome & Time of Greeting

Rev. Tyler Henderson

***Hymn** *"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"* (#277 vs. 1, 2, 3)

Advent Candle Lighting & Call to Worship

Vasquez Family

Leader: For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

People: Of the greatness of his government and peace there will be no end.

Leader: He will reign on David's throne and over his kingdom, establishing and upholding it with justice and righteousness from that time on and forever.

People: The zeal of the Lord Almighty will accomplish this.

Leader: The LORD gives strength to His people; the LORD blesses His people with peace.

People: Emmanuel, God of peace, be with us!

***Hymn** *"It Came Upon A Midnight Clear"* (#251 vs. 1, 3, 4)

Children's Lesson

(Afterward, kids may go to Children's Worship in Faith Express.)

Prayer of Praise & Confession

"God of peace and love, You have established through Jesus Your covenant of peace with us. You desire that we embrace Your peace and offer it to others, yet we are inclined to turn inward, build walls, and live in hostility. We hear the call to repentance and reconciliation, but we struggle to respond; preferring our own ways. You seek to purify us in love, but our sin leads us in other directions, away from you, away from life. Look with mercy upon us and strengthen us to return to the way you have shown us in Jesus Christ."

(A time is given for a silent personal confession.)

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Gloria Patri

Scripture Text Colossians 1:15-20

***Hymn** *"O Come, O Come Emmanuel"* (#245 vs.1, 2, 4)

Sermon *"Jesus Came to Bring Peace"* *Rev. Tyler Henderson*

Offering of Thanksgiving *"Goin' to Bethlehem"* *GLPC Choir*

*Doxology

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

***Hymn** *"I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day"* (#267 vs.1, 2, 3, 4)

*Benediction

*Choral Response

** Please rise in body and/or spirit*

Ushers: Geoff Alldred, Jim Noblitt, Gilbert Nance, Maureen Woodruff

Prayers for:

Family of Vicky Braquet
JD Woods
Brett Marshall

Jim & Sandi Lee Hamilton
Sylvia Dannhaus
Don & Minna Farmer

Bill Swierc
Dennis Kirtland
Clarann McCoy

*If you have a prayer request or would like to join our prayer team,
please email prayers@grandlakespc.org.*

2025 Stewardship Snapshot

Total 2025 Budgeted Contributions:	\$688,257
YTD Income as of October 31:	\$596,458
Amount remaining to meet 2025 goal:	\$91,799
87% of Annual Goal	



Worship Flowers

If you are interested in purchasing flowers for worship services in celebration, honor, or memory of someone or something, please sign up in the binder on the volunteer desk!

Download the GLPC App!

- Watch our worship services
- Sign in for worship
- Submit prayer requests
- Give financially to the ministry of the church
- Sign up for events & share events with others
- Explore info about the church
- Access the Bible & MORE!



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Available in App Stores



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What's happen'n at GLPC?!

Sleigh Ride Supper

Saturday, Dec. 13th!

All adults are welcome to join for our annual Sleigh Ride Supper! Enjoy dinner from Hasta la Pasta in small groups at host homes followed by dessert and fellowship at the Paulsons'! \$10/person.

Register by Nov. 30th. Sign up in the church foyer or online. Childcare available at the church with pizza for the kids.

Email Susan at fun@grandlakespc.org for more info!



Committing Ourselves to the Lord in 2026!

"So they put their hands to the good work." - Neh. 2:18
The church is the body of Christ, and individually we are members of it. We are called to come together, EVERY HAND UNITED, to do the work God has called us to. While November 9th was Commitment Sunday, we will continue to collect connect and pledge cards until the end of the year.



Children's Ministry

Children's Sunday School

K-5th grade Sunday School at 9:30 & 10:30am

Sunday Morning Childcare

Childcare is available for children ages 5 years old & younger.



Club 45 Christmas Party

Sunday, December 7th, 4:00-5:30pm

4th & 5th graders are invited for an afternoon of Christmas fun in the Club 45 room! Bring a wrapped gift <\$10.

Birthday Party for Jesus!

Sunday, December 21st

11:30am-12:30pm in Faith Express

Join us for a party to celebrate the birth of Jesus!

Youth Ministry

Youth Bible Study, Sundays 5:00-6:30pm

All Jr. & Sr. High Youth are welcome to join us for Bible study, fellowship, and fun!

Upcoming Calendar:

Dec. 7 (3-5pm) - Gingerbread Man Chase!

Dec. 14 - Christmas Party!

... We will be back January

Youth Winter Retreat!

February 13-16

For any and all Middle & High School students... We are taking advantage of a 3-day weekend to travel to Mo-Ranch Presbyterian Camp! We love our retreats as they are incredible opportunities to grow in faith and fellowship!

Early Registration (by Jan. 12): \$250

Late Registration (by Feb. 2): \$300



Children's Choir!

Sunday, December 14 our children's choir will lead us in worship the entire service! Children's choir practices at 10am in Faith Express! Contact Audrey De la Cruz for more information.

Women's Ornament Exchange

Thursday, December 11 | 6-8pm

Ladies of GLPC, get ready to jingle and mingle! Bring an appetizer and a wrapped ornament for a night of fellowship and fun. Sign up at the church or through the QR code. After signing up, the event address will be emailed to you.



Christmas Poinsettias

You can help grace our Christmas Eve worship services with poinsettias from Brookwood Community. Each plant is \$12. Order forms are available at the church and forms are due by **December 12th!** You may take home your poinsettias after the Christmas Eve services.



Grace to Table Cookbooks

Who doesn't love an amazing church cookbook?! Our "Grace to Table" cookbooks are \$10. Cookbooks may be purchased with cash, check, or online.

GLPC Christmas Ornaments!

You can purchase them in the GLPC app, online, or at the table in the foyer!

Glass Bulb: \$20



Ceramic: \$5

