

Welcome to Grace United Methodist Church
We are glad you are here!
4th Sunday of Easter

9:30 A.M. Worship

10:45 A.M. Sunday School

April 25, 2010

Gathering music, fellowship, sharing with family and friends, announcements.

Choral Invocation 334

There's A Sweet, Sweet Spirit In The Place

Gathering Words

Prayer of Approach

*** Hymn: #2137**

Would I Have Answered

Children's Moment

Prayers of the People

Prayer Hymn: UMH 349

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Offering, Offertory, and Doxology

Mr. Andrew Salyer

Scripture Reading

John 10:22-30

Karla Henderson, Reader

Witness to the Word

Pastor Mike Fender

Benediction

***Choral Benediction #381**

Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers of Thanksgiving: for the blessings of God

Prayers for our Active Duty Military Personnel: Tom Alexander, Jamie Perry and Chaplin Jim Russell.

Prayers For Upcoming Events and Our Community: for the Wednesday night prayer service.

Prayers for: Our Home Bound and Nursing Home Members; the Kingdom of God to be realized in Jacksonville; Our Bishop; Our District Superintendent; Our Church; Its Ministry; and Its Stewardship and please pray for your Pastor.

**MOTHER'S DAY FAMILY DINNER ON MAY 9th – SPONSORED BY THE
JR. AND SR. HIGH YOUTH**

Please make your reservations early. We want to make the day a pleasant experience for our families on a day that is so busy in the restaurants. Reservations are being taken from 11:45 am until 1:00 pm and may be made in the church parlor or in the office. The main course of the menu will be baked pork loin or meatloaf. The price will be \$12.50 for those age 10 and above and \$6.00 for those under 10 years of age.

DONATIONS NEEDED FOR GREENERY IN THE SANCTUARY

Worship Arts is raising \$800 to purchase a number of silk ferns and greenery for the chancel area. These arrangements can be used in different worship settings and add even more warmth to our sanctuary. If you would like to help purchase a silk plant for the sanctuary, please make a donation in the name of the church earmarked for "silk plants".

NATIVE AMERICAN MINISTRIES SUNDAY

Your gifts today for the Native American Ministries help support Native American ministries within the annual conference. Scholarships for Native American attending United Methodist schools of theology and expansion of the number of target cities in the Native American Urban initiative, related to the General Board of Global Ministries

THANK YOU

A "big" thank you to those who planned the recognition of the Grace volunteers. It was thoughtful and much appreciated! These are the people who make "Grace Go"!

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Come join us in the Youth Room for the movie Everybody's Fine Thursday evening, April 29th. The movie begins at 6:30 p.m., snacks will be provided.

SUNDAY, APRIL 25

Native American Sunday

- 9:00 a.m. Fellowship
- 9:30 a.m. Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Acolyte Training
- 10:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Deaf Ministry
- 1:00 p.m. Deaf Youth Group
- 2:00 p.m. Woodhaven Memorial Service
- 4:00-7:00 p.m. Jr. and Sr. High Youth Group
Cleaning park weather permitting

MONDAY, APRIL 26

- 12:00 p.m. Grace Notes Deadline

TUESDAY, APRIL 27

- 7:00 p.m. Acts Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m. Deaf Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Service
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice
- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

- 11:00 a.m. Bible Study

SATURDAY, MAY 1

- 2:30 p.m. Midwest Open House
- 5:30 p.m. Midwest Open House Dinner @ Sugar Creek
Church