

Senior Adult Lunch: Dec. 13, 12pm

RSVP by 12/10 / suggested \$6 donation

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**Poinsettia Order**

**Please include \$10 each**

Given By: \_\_\_\_\_

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enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_ cash check

Everyone will now be included in the Grace Online Directory. Check here to opt out.

**Next Steps...**

Grow in a Small Group

Serve in missions outside the church

Serve with:

\_\_\_ Welcome      \_\_\_ Senior Adults

\_\_\_ Worship Tech      \_\_\_ Adults

\_\_\_ Communications      \_\_\_ Young Adults

\_\_\_ Outreach/Mission      \_\_\_ Youth

\_\_\_ Communion      \_\_\_ Children

\_\_\_ Worship Music      \_\_\_ Wed. Dinner

\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

I would like information about:

\_\_\_ Children's Ministries      \_\_\_ Adult Ministries

\_\_\_ Youth Ministries      \_\_\_ Church Membership

\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**THE WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**SUNDAY, DEC 9**

|                                                          |                   |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------|
| SERVE 40 Lunches                                         | 9-11:30am         | FHall   |
| Clover Hill Farm Historic Slave Cabin OPEN to the PUBLIC | 9:45 am- 12:15 pm | outside |
| A New Thing                                              | 10:43-11:30am     | Rm14    |
| Christmas Tunes & Treats Concert (Sensory Friendly)      | 3-4pm             | Sanc    |
| Wesley Singers Choir                                     | 4:45-6pm          | Choir   |
| Youth Group                                              | 6-8:15pm          | FHall   |
| Women's Treble Choir                                     | 6:45-7:45pm       | Choir   |
| Parrish Bells Choir                                      | 7:45-9pm          | Sanc    |

**MONDAY, DEC 10**

|                             |             |         |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|
| Chimers @ Gainesville Rehab | 10:30am     | Offsite |
| Children's Choirs           | 5:15-6:30pm | Sanc    |
| Grace Notes                 | 7:15-8:15pm | Choir   |
| Gosbells Choir              | 7:30-9pm    | Sanc    |

**TUESDAY, DEC 11**

|                           |              |       |
|---------------------------|--------------|-------|
| Serendipity Women's Group | 9:30-11:30am | Rm202 |
| Gleaners Women's Group    | 10am-12pm    | NartX |
| BSA Troop 670             | 7:30-8:45pm  | FHall |

**WEDNESDAY, DEC 12**

|                            |               |        |
|----------------------------|---------------|--------|
| Intercessory Prayer Group  | 9:30-10:30am  | Prayer |
| Wed. Morning Bible Study   | 10:30-11:30am | Sanc   |
| Caring & Sharing           | 1-2pm         | Rm205  |
| AA                         | 7-8pm         | NartX  |
| Wesleyan Men's Small Group | 7:30-9pm      | Prayer |
| Chancel Choir              | 7:30-9:15pm   | Choir  |

**THURSDAY, DEC 13**

|                              |              |        |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Grace Parent's Café          | 9:30-11:30am | Conf   |
| Senior Adult Christmas Lunch | 12-1:30pm    | FHall  |
| Grace Knitting Group         | 1-3pm        | Prayer |
| Men's Bible Study            | 7:15-8:30pm  | ResR   |
| Brass Ensemble               | 7:30-8:30pm  | Choir  |

**FRIDAY, DEC 14**

|                      |       |       |
|----------------------|-------|-------|
| Adult Coloring Group | 1-3pm | NartX |
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**SATURDAY, DEC 15**

|                                                |     |      |
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| Memorial Service & Reception for Ginny Heyward | 2pm | Sanc |
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Choir-Choir Room • Conf-Conference • FHall-Fellowship Hall  
NartX-Narthex • Prayer-Prayer Room  
ResR-Resource Room • Sanc-Sanctuary

Welcome to  
**Grace United Methodist Church**



Sunday, December 9, 2018

[umcgrace.org](http://umcgrace.org)

9750 WELLINGTON ROAD / MANASSAS, VA 20110 / 703-361-7800

# What's happening at Grace UMC?

umcgrace.org/newsevents/upcoming-events

## Reminder! Christmas Tunes & Treats Concert is TODAY at 3pm

**Advent Mission:** The local community will be invited to our church to pick up donated items. Dec. 16—Please donate \*new/gently used\* Children's items (no car seats/cribs).

### Senior Adult Lunch 12/13, 12pm

Lunch and music by Rev. Milton Rodgers & Lynn Jost. RSVP by 12/10 on Connection Form or 703-361-7800



### Alternative Gift Giving

- Candles for Cheer! (LTW Challenge)
  - One Waypoint CDs/download cards
  - Scrip (gift cards)
  - LTW Chair Donations
  - History & Records Ornaments, etc.
- Visit Alternative Gift table in hallway

### Untrim the Tree

Please return unwrapped gifts by NOON TODAY. **Thank you** for your donations to this mission! Our tree has now become **The Mitten Tree**. Please donate mittens, gloves, etc. **Thank you!**



### ESL Needs Teachers

New session runs Jan 7-Mar 28

We need 3 lead teachers and

2 assistants! Please email Janice at [eslgraceumc@gmail.com](mailto:eslgraceumc@gmail.com).

### Upcoming Opportunities:

- \* **12/16** Birthday Party for Jesus & Youth Caroling
- \* **12/23** Christmas Brunch
- \* **Christmas Eve Services:**  
3pm Cozy & Casual  
5pm Children & Family  
8 & 11pm Candlelight & Communion

### Food Pantry Needs

- ◆ 9-11oz boxes of cereal
- ◆ Canned Fruit
- ◆ Saltine crackers

### Last Week's Attendance

|         |     |
|---------|-----|
| 8:25am  | 131 |
| 9:45am  | 124 |
| 11:00am | 173 |
| Total:  | 428 |

### Order of Worship (8:25 & 11:00 am)

Welcome & Prelude

Lighting of the second Advent candle

*Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus* UMH 196

Opening Prayer

Malachi 3:1-4

Children's Time\*

Anthem

Gospel Lesson: Luke 1:68-79

Message: "Making Room for Peace"

*Blessed Be the God of Israel* UMH 209

Joys & Concerns, Prayer

Offering & Offertory

Doxology: UMH 94

*Angels from the Realms of Glory* UMH 220

Benediction & Response

Postlude

### Worship Leaders Today

Pastors: Rudy Tucker, Janet Salbert

Lay Leaders: Jen Woolard, Blair Jost

Music Leaders: Rev. C. Milton Rodgers, III; Lynn

Jost; Chancel Choir, The Wesley Singers

Acolyte: Seth Richards

The **White Rose Bud** is given in memory of Ginny Heyward, who died November 28, 2018. **The Poinsettias** that adorn our sanctuary and narthex are presented to the glory of God during this Advent season.

\*(11:00) Praise-N-Play (3yrs-PreK) meet in Rm 3

\*JAM (K-3rd) meet in the narthex

*If you have a special need during the service, feel free to speak to an usher.*



## Connect With Us

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & PLACE IN THE OFFERING PLATE/BASKET

DECEMBER 9, 2018

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

Sign me up for the e-newsletter & emails

Which service did you attend?

8:25am

11:00am

1st time Guest

2nd time Guest

Member

Regular Guest

Interested in joining Grace UMC



### Prayer Requests (please print clearly)

Please Pray For: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I would like to talk to a pastor.

**Thank you.**

Your request will be distributed to Prayer Teams.