

Grace at a Glance

Peter Heals in Jerusalem

Acts 3:1-10

Sunday, April 14, 2024



Scripture Acts 3:1-10

One day Peter and John were going up to the temple at the hour of prayer, at three o'clock in the afternoon. ² And a man lame from birth was being carried in. People would lay him daily at the gate of the temple called the Beautiful Gate so that he could ask for alms from those entering the temple. ³ When he saw Peter and John about to go into the temple, he asked them for alms. ⁴ Peter looked intently at him, as did John, and said, "Look at us." ⁵ And he fixed his attention on them, expecting to receive something from them. ⁶ But Peter said, "I have no silver or gold, but what I have I give you; in the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, stand up and walk." ⁷ And he took him by the right hand and raised him up; and immediately his feet and ankles were made strong. ⁸ Jumping up, he stood and began to walk, and he entered the temple with them, walking and leaping and praising God. ⁹ All the people saw him walking and praising God, ¹⁰ and they recognized him as the one who used to sit and ask for alms at the Beautiful Gate of the temple; and they were filled with wonder and amazement at what had happened to him.

Prayer of the Day

Merciful God,

In and through Jesus you reached out in healing love to all who came to you for help. Empower us now to extend that same healing love to one another, our community, and the world. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



QR direct link to 'Give' feature on Grace website!



APRIL MISSION OF THE MONTH

The Mission of the Month for April at Grace is International Rescue Committee. The IRC was founded in 1933 at the request of Albert Einstein. The IRC is committed to helping refugees and displaced people survive, recover and rebuild. IRC services people whose lives have been upended by war, conflict and national disasters.

IRC works in countries where people don't have the support they need to recover from crisis. IRC responds within 72 hours to help countries stabilize and people rebuild their lives. IRC also helps to resettle refugees welcomed by the U.S. helping them to succeed and thrive.

Please prayerfully consider making a donation to this organization which is one of the highest ranking nonprofits for accountability, transparency and efficient use of contributions. Please use your blue multi-purpose envelope, mark mission of the month and place in the offering plate or mail to the church office. Checks should be made payable to Grace. Thank you.

This Sunday we worship at 9:30 am in the Sanctuary with Fellowship and Talkpoints following.

Confidential Prayer Link: <https://forms.gle/oCUEbVJ6CkmdD3nB6>

We have now established a confidential prayer email that we have added to our website which can be used by anyone wishing for prayer. This can be made available to just the pastor, the pastor and the prayer chain, OR the pastor, the prayer chain, and the congregation as you choose. Please feel free to test it out. This is just one more way you can access our pastor and/or the prayer team.

We have a dedicated free phone line which you can call in and listen to the livestreaming worship services. So if you don't have a computer or would rather just listen, call in on 1-(833) 579 - 2830. We are working on improving the quality of this experience. Please pass this number to your friends without computers.

We will continue to post recordings of the services each week on our website and Facebook page. Stay tuned for more information as we go forward. We pray for everyone to stay safe and healthy.

Your giving is very important to continuing our missions as always. You can give electronically using the give button on the website (www.gracelutheranstpaul.org), mail it in to the church (1730 Old Hudson Road, St. Paul 55106) or place in the offering at worship on Sunday.

The office hours are M-Thurs, 9:30-1:30. Feel free to call the church (651-774-9617) with any questions, prayers, or requests for help.

Upcoming: April 11th 11:00 am XYZ's meet to go to the Bell Museum.
May 18th 1-4 pm 2nd Annual Rhubarb Festival - Mark your Calendar! Get your recipes out and your crafts ready!



Monday, April 8 – Sunday, April 14, 2024

Monday, April 8	10 am	Mission Committee
	1:30 pm	Business Mgmt Committee
Tuesday, April 9	1:00 pm	Worship Committee + Hymn Planning
	6:00 pm	Property Mgmt Committee
	6:30 pm	Community Connections Committee
Wednesday, April 10	10am	Coffee and Conversation
		'Creating with the Creator' cancelled
Thursday, April 11	11:00 am	XYZ's meet at Grace to carpool to the Bell Museum
Saturday, April 13	8:30 am	Men's Bible Study (virtual)
	10-12	Quilters Group in S. Tower room
Sunday, April 14	9:30 am	Worship!
		Live streamed and recorded
		Phone in line 1-(833) 579 -2830
		10:30 am Fellowship & SS
		10:45 am Talkpoints - Planning your legacy part 2

Construction and Traffic updates!

This is a new section of Grace at a Glance for updates that may affect your travel to Grace or your experience once you get here -

Work continues on the Lower Level for LSS. The supplies that were in the entryway last weekend have been moved. (There was a late delivery on the previous Friday afternoon.)

The Gold Line is progressing which affects our parking lot with construction and also the traffic pattern in the area. Several detours are currently in place: -

The White Bear Ave. bridge over 94 is closed as are the exit and entrance on the north side of 94.

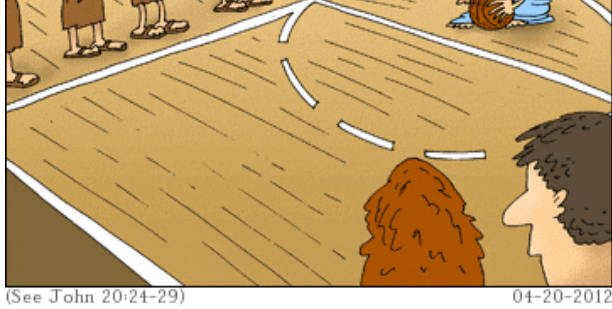
- Minnehaha between McKnight and White Bear Ave. will have detours in place soon.

- Old Hudson Road between McKnight and Ruth will be closed beginning April 8th.

All of this means a lot of traffic disruption around the church. Sundays should not be bad, but weekdays please bring your patience. Conway and 3rd Street should be good alternatives from the East.

Church Chuckles

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(See John 20:24-29) 04-20-2012

EVERYBODY HATED IT WHEN DOUBTING THOMAS GOT FOULED

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DUE TO CONSTRUCTION, THIS TABLE ONLY HAS SEATING ON THE WINDOW SIDE ... IT'S THE BEST THAT I CAN DO WITHOUT A RESERVATION

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(See Matthew 7:24-27) 05-14-2012

THE WISE MAN BUILDS HIS SAND CASTLE OUT OF ROCK