

Grace at a Glance

Amos: Let Justice Roll

Amos 1:1-2; 5:14-15, 21-24

Sunday, November 9, 2025

2026 Budget discussion



Scripture Amos 1:1-2; 5:14-15, 21-24

The words of Amos, who was among the shepherds of Tekoa, which he saw concerning Israel in the days of King Uzziah of Judah and in the days of King Jeroboam son of Joash of Israel, two years before the earthquake. ²And he said: The Lord roars from Zion, and utters his voice from Jerusalem; the pastures of the shepherds wither, and the top of Carmel dries up.

¹⁴Seek good and not evil, that you may live; and so the Lord, the God of hosts, will be with you, just as you have said. ¹⁵Hate evil and love good, and establish justice in the gate; it may be that the Lord, the God of hosts, will be gracious to the remnant of Joseph.

²¹I hate, I despise your festivals, and I take no delight in your solemn assemblies. ²²Even though you offer me your burnt offerings and grain offerings, I will not accept them; and the offerings of well-being of your fatted animals I will not look upon. ²³Take away from me the noise of your songs; I will not listen to the melody of your harps.

²⁴But let justice roll down like waters, and righteousness like an ever flowing stream.

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, Too often we are so dazzled by the images with which we are constantly bombarded that we do not see the simple truth of your call. Shake us out of our distraction and focus our attention on what matters: justice, equity, and flourishing for all your beloved creation. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.



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NOVEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

The Mission of the Month for Grace is ELCA World Hunger. Every year, your gifts make it possible for ELCA World Hunger to respond strategically and help people living with hunger and poverty in more than 60 countries around the world and the U.S.

Nearly 1 in 10 - 733 million - in our world are hungry. As members of the ELCA, we are called to respond. From health clinics to microloans, water wells to animal husbandry, your gifts to ELCA World Hunger make it possible for the ELCA to respond supporting sustainable solutions that get to the root causes of hunger and poverty.

As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving with lavish and bountiful dinner celebrations, please take a moment to examine how you would like to share with those less fortunate and reach out in Christian love to our neighbors in need across the street and around the world. Please use your blue multi-purpose envelope, mark mission of the month and place in the church offering 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.

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

We have established a confidential prayer email that we have added to our website which can be used by anyone wishing for prayers. 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 discontinued the phone access to worship services as it was not being used. Our apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

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.fyi), 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:
- Nov 9 2026 Budget discussion - following Worship**
 - Nov 13 XYZ's will meet at 1:30 pm to put together some Christmas gift bags for our Early Learning Center neighbors on the Lower Level. Treats, of course, will be served!**
 - Nov 16 Annual Meeting Part I - we will gather in the Tower room to elect officers and congregational committee members for terms to begin January 1, 2026 and to approve a budget for 2026 Please join us as we do some business for Grace.**



Monday, November 3– Sunday, November 9, 2025

Tuesday, November 4 Election Day - Don't forget to vote!!

12-2 pm Customized Options*

7-9 pm Iglesias de Dios*

Wednesday, November 5 10-12 Coffee and Conversation

5:30 pm Bell rehearsal

7:00 pm Sanctuary Choir rehearsal

Thursday, November 6 7 pm Grace Book Club (virtual)

Friday, November 7 7-9 pm Iglesias de Dios*

Saturday, November 8 8:15 am Men's Bible Study (virtual)

10-12 Quilters in So. Tower room

Sunday, November 9 9:30 am Worship
Live streamed and recorded
10:45 am 2026 Budget discussion
10:45 am Sunday School

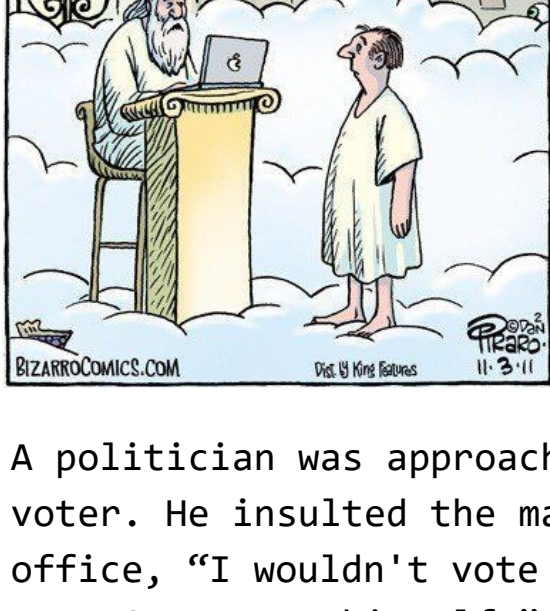
12-3 pm Iglesias de Dios*

Church Chuckles

PRAYER PUPS BY JEFFREY SMITH



"If I send my prayer as a text message, will I get a faster reply?"



A politician was approached by an irate voter. He insulted the man running for office, "I wouldn't vote for you if you were St. Peter himself."

"If I were St. Peter," snapped the candidate, you couldn't vote for me. You wouldn't be in my district!"

Remember to vote! It's the only way to get your point across!