



# GraceNotes Express

A publication highlighting the people and ministries of Grace.

The Week of July 1, 2007

## Camp Matz Presentation

During Adult Bible Study this morning participants in the Camp Matz trip will be sharing their experiences. Join us for this presentation that will include pictures and stories from our trip. We are glad to have the opportunity to share our insights with the everyone that made our trip possible!

### Special points of interest:

- Nursery care is available during the services. Please ask an Usher for directions.
- We are equipped with Williams Sound hearing devices to aid persons wanting to improve the audio of the church service.
- Please ask any usher if you wish to receive a large-print bulletin.
- Please turn off any cell phones, pagers, beepers, and other audible electronic devices.

## Beach Party

Middle and High School students are invited to a Beach Party on July 7th. We will meet in the pavilion at Lowdermilk Park for a picnic at 12:30 and parents can pick youth from the same location at 4:30. We will have lots of food, games, and activities. If you are coming please sign-up on the bulletin board so that there will be enough food.



## Prayer Requests

Please call Jean Hennink if you have a request for our prayer chain at 261-8697.

## Interns' Farewell

On July 22nd following the service there will be a reception for the interns. In addition to this reception all members and friends of Grace are invited to a Farewell Dinner on July 22, 2007 at 4:30pm at the Hawthorne Clubhouse at Lely. Directions will be given at a later date. Please bring a dish to share and your swimwear. There is a pool and hot tub! This will also be an opportunity for the interns to express the joys of their internship experiences here at Grace and share their future plans.

## ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to dedicate altar flowers on either July 15th or July 29th, please call Mallie Logan at 594-8904. Altar flowers are \$50 and may be taken home as a gift or vice or sent to a hospital patient or shut-in.

## Bible Studies

### Thursday Night-

Women's Bible Study meets in the parsonage at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday night. We are studying religions of the world. All women are welcome to attend!

### Wednesday Morning

A men's Bible Class meets each Wednesday morning at 7:30 in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The group is currently studying the book of 1 John. All men are welcome!

### Sunday Morning Adult Bible Study

We invite you to join us for this adult Bible study that meets in Fellowship Hall taught by Pastor Reetz. Everyone is welcome to this informative class.

## Hymn Notes

### O Jesus, I have promised

John Ernest Bode, 1816-1874

Based on Luke 9:57, "Lord, I will follow thee withersoever thou goest," the hymn was written by the author for the confirmation of his three children. But it says much more and is a prayer for Christ's presence at all times— in the struggle against sin, in the midst of the world's temptations, and the struggles with the "storms of passion." Jesus has promised us to be with him in glory, but we must also promise to follow and serve him to the end.

## CCLS SCRIP Fund

The CCLS SCRIP program will continue throughout the summer! Your summer vacation can earn **FREE MONEY for CCLS**. With over 600 merchants, SCRIP can be your source of gift cards to gas stations, hotels, restaurants,

salons, movie theaters, department/sporting/home improvement stores, **Disney** and more! See Jonathan for a complete list and order form.

Orders placed today will be available at church next Sunday. Call Jennifer LeMay at 253-2439 with any questions.

## Whitney Winfield to Star in "Beauty and the Beast"

Whitney Winfield will star as Belle in the Naples Players' production of "Beauty and the Beast" at Sugden Theatre. The play runs from June 22 to July 28 with shows from Wednesday to Saturdays. Whitney will be Belle in all Thursday, Friday and Saturday performances except the one on July 19th. Tickets are \$30 for adults for adults and \$10 for those under 18. Dinner theatre tickets are also available for \$45. Call the box office at 263-7990 for details. Whitney is the daughter of John and Barbara Winfield. She sang in the choir and was confirmed at Grace. You won't want to miss her lovely voice in this delightful Disney musical.

## Extensions and Emails

- 1—Times of service
- 2—Directions to the church
- 3—Pastor Reetz  
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- 4—Church secretary (Ruth)  
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- 5—Music Director (Jonathan)  
musicdirector@graceofnaples.com
- 6—Preschool Director (Julie)  
preschooldirector@graceofnaples.com
- 7—Director of Christian Education Intern  
becky@graceofnaples.com
- 8—Preschool emergency
- 9—Director of Christian Outreach Intern  
heidi@graceofnaples.com
- 0—Operator (Ruth)
- # —Replays the menu

## Stewardship Corner

### 5th Sunday after Pentecost— July 1

Galatians 5:1; 13-25: God's Holy Spirit produces in us the blessed fruit of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Christian stewards, by God's grace, make life sweeter for themselves and others. May God help us to produce such fruit!

### Attendance (6-24-2007)

9:30am Divine Service 158  
Communion attendance 128  
Adult Bible Class