



Preaching has always been part of the Church, from days of the prophets to those of the Early Church all the way to our day. Jesus began His ministry by preaching the living Word of God, a Word that condemns our sin, calls for our repentance, and proclaims God's forgiveness. As we hear today's sermon, we, too, hear Jesus.

Amazing Grace Lutheran Church
Preaching the Ancient Gospel in the Modern World

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Welcome to Amazing Grace Lutheran Church! You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a child of God, joining in worship with our Christian family. Come then, with joy in your hearts and thanks on your lips, offering Him your love and service. **Please worship with us again!** You are always invited to join with us in our mission to our community and world.

*Amazing Grace Lutheran Church exists to share the life-changing
Good News of God's love through Jesus Christ
with all peoples and to nurture them in His Word.*

Holy Communion will be celebrated the first, third and fifth Sunday of each month. As Lutheran Christians, we affirm that Jesus is our Savior and Lord, that His body and blood are really present “*in, with, and under*” the bread and wine for our forgiveness, life, and salvation, and that we intend to grow spiritually, with the help of the Holy Spirit, in a committed life in Christ and His Church. You are invited to commune with us if you are a baptized believer in Christ, **who:**

- † *has been instructed in the Christian faith,*
- † *repents of all your sins, seeking to turn away from sin and to forgiveness.*
- † *believes in the Real Presence of Jesus in the sacrament - that with the bread and wine we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sin, life, and salvation.*

We Reach Out

Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday Worship: During Lent & Advent 7:00 p.m.

Amazing Ladies/Men's Bible Study: Wednesday evenings 7:00 p.m. except during Lent & Advent

Praise Team Practice: Wednesday 5:15 p.m. Musicians – 5:45 Praise Team & Musicians

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January 27, 2008
The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

The Order of Worship

“Lord, Be Glorified”

Welcome

Devotional

“Praise the Name of Jesus”

Opening Prayer

“Change My Heart Oh God”

Confession of Sins and Assurance of Forgiveness

Please be prepared to follow the Scripture readings in your Bible. After the text is revealed and you have found it, reply with “Amen”.

First Reading

Isaiah 9:1 - 4

Response: Thanks Be To God!

Epistle

1 Corinthians 1:10 – 18

Response: Thanks Be To God!

Children's Message

Gospel

Matthew 4:12 - 25
(Visual Bible DVD)

“Here I am Lord”

Sermon

“Follow Me”

Statement of Faith

Offerings & Tithes

“Leaning On the Everlasting Arms”

Testimonials

The Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer (sung)

Closing Blessing

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

Recognition of Guests

Announcements

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

We pray the LORD has touched you in a special way today.

Tell someone this week about Jesus and bring them to church with you next Sunday!

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Today:	After service Congregational Meeting	
5:00 p.m.	AWANA	
Tuesday	5:15 p.m.	Confirmation
Wednesday	5:30 p.m.	Praise Team Practice
	6:30 p.m.	Meal provided
	7:00 p.m.	Bible Study
Friday	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation
Sunday 2/3	9:00 a.m.	Sunday school & Bible Class
	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service

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**8720
Meadow Vale Dr.**

Sunday Worship:

10:00 a.m.

Sunday School:

9:00 a.m.

The Prayer Family we are lifting up this week is the **Sing Family**: Susan

Feb. 3rd: Read ahead and be fed:1st Reading:Ex.24:8-18;Epistle:2 Peter 1:16-21;Gospel:Matt:17:1-9

Attendance

November	December	January
11/04 38	12/2 58	01/06 47
11/11 35	12/5 24	01/13 47
11/18 41	12/9 37	01/20 50
11/25 44	12/12 20	
11/28 17	12/16 44	
	12/19 40	
	12/23 38	
	12/30 36	

**We Still Need:
2 Teacher Aides
for AWANA**

*Who will answer
"Here am I?"*

Service Schedule

Readers	Nursery	Welcome Committee	Acolytes
1/27 Jackie Bostelmann	Linda Couch	Cynthia Blocker	Georgia Smeyne
2/3 Rich Smeyne	Michelle Smeyne	Connie McGhee	Jarrold Bethel
2/10 Norbert Thiel	Cynthia Blocker	Linda Couch/Laverne Johnson	Brittney Jones
2/17 Patty Alvord	Michelle Smeyne	Connie McGhee	Georgia Smeyne
2/24 Jim Couch	Linda Couch	Cynthia Blocker	Jarrold Bethel