

Our website www.imlaycityamazinggrace.org is updated weekly. You can find the latest church information such as upcoming events and view the bulletin for the following Sunday. In addition, you can find each Sunday's sermon on our Facebook page **Amazing Grace Church of Imlay City**.

Are you interested in discovering how you may better benefit from your charitable giving?

Please join us for a free informational **financial planning workshop** presented by Jeffrey Wallace, Financial Advisor with Ameriprise Financial.

During the session we'll learn what can be donated and strategies for making donations, as well as tax considerations and tips to help avoid scams. Whether you give regularly, are considering a special gift, or are thinking about how you want your resources to be used in the future, this complimentary, no obligation seminar will provide valuable information to help you make informed decisions in giving.

Light refreshments will be provided and *guests of all ages are welcome to come* on Thursday, Oct. 22nd, from 5-6:30 pm. If you are planning on attending, please RSVP by Monday, Oct. 12th as indicated on the flyer distributed. *We hope to see you there!*

THE
UPPER
ROOM

We still have several copies of the **September/October edition** of the devotional guide **The Upper Room** available. You're sure to be blessed by the daily encouragement within, so stop by the table located at the back of the sanctuary and pick up a free copy for yourself and/or a friend today!

The LORD loves righteousness and justice; the earth is full of his unfailing love. Psalm 33:5

Throughout September, donations of **games, activities, and small toys** such as puzzles, toy cars, LEGO building blocks, jump ropes, chalkboard & chalk, Slinkies, stickers, plastic animals, and yo-yos are being sought for the donation box in the fellowship hall. *Please keep in mind that items must be in new condition to be included in the gift boxes.*



Joyce Terry Sept. 1
Cliff Schroeder Sept. 9

Happy Birthdays

Ben Bird Sept. 16
Bob Muir Sept. 18

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Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ who worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly

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September 13, 2026

Order of Worship

Welcome! We're glad you're here.

Call to Worship

"Jesus Shall Reign" #157

Announcements

Songs of Praise

"I Know Whom I Have Believed" #714
"Hymn of Heaven"

Sharing our Joys & Requests

Prayer of the Congregation

Offertory Please place your offering and Communication Card in the basket as it is passed to you.

Children's Worship Children grades K-5 are excused for Children's Worship.

Song of Preparation

"Give Us Clean Hands"

Message "The Amazing Gospel #5:
God Does Not Show Favoritism"
Text: Romans 2:9-16 NIV

Song of Commitment

"Lord, I Need You"

Blessing & Benediction

Thank you for joining us this morning. We hope to see you again soon!



"For God does not show favoritism."
Romans 2:11 NIV

The **Adult Discipleship Group** "Living Water" meets on Sunday mornings at 9:15 in the Fellowship Hall. They have begun a study titled "2 Samuel: Life Lessons". All are welcome to join them!



Children's Activity Clipboards for ages 4-6 and 7-10 are available in the lobby.

All are invited and encouraged to stay for **Fellowship Hour** immediately following today's worship service.

Thank you to today's hosts Scott & Gail Aldridge, Kathy Smelis, and Karen Jackson!



To give electronically, simply scan this code with your device and follow the prompts.



Sunday: **Living Water Discipleship Group** 9:15 am, Fellowship Hall
Youth 4 God Bible Study 9:15 am, Youth Room
Amazing Grace Youth 4:30 pm, Fellowship Hall
Tuesday: **GriefShare** 5:00 pm, Fellowship Hall
Nurture Team 7:00 pm, Fellowship Hall
Wednesday: **Elders' Prayer Group** 8:30 am, Pastor Lamb's office
Route 45 Kids 3:30 pm, Fellowship Hall

Our church isn't just a place we gather - it's a people God has called to love and serve - right here in our community. One simple way we can do that is by showing up! At the upcoming downtown **Sweet Corn Social** this Saturday, Sept. 19th from 1:00 to 6:00 pm, our church will have a booth where we'll be handing out popcorn, and most importantly - meeting our neighbors - and we need friendly faces who are willing to come be a part of it! You won't have to sell anything or give a speech - just come, smile, greet people, and help us show our community that Amazing Grace Church is here, and we care about the people around us. If you would like to help at this "sweet" event, please sign up on the Communication Card, and Pastor Gary will be in touch with you!



Welcome Bishop-elect Rev. Dr. Jerry Kulah to the Great Lakes! We are delighted to announce we have a new Bishop-elect, the Rev. Dr. Jerry Kulah.



Rev. Dr. Kulah was elected at the 2026 Global Methodist General Conference and will oversee Episcopal Area Five, which encompasses the Great Lakes, Virginia, Southern Nigeria, Oasis, Grain Coast, and Ethiopia Nazrawiyan Conferences. He will begin serving as our bishop on November 1st, 2026 at which time our current bishop Rev. Mark Webb assumes responsibility for a different episcopal area. Let us remember to pray for Rev. Dr. Kulah as he transitions to overseeing Episcopal Area Five!

Serving today and next Sunday: "...serve one another in love" Galatians 5:13

Door Greeters/Ushers Today: Scott and Kathleen Brady
Next week: Joyce Terry and Kathy Smelis

Easy Worship Operator Today: Chris Cutler
Next week: Madelyn Lamb

Children's Worship Leader Today: Jenn Webb
Next week: Kathleen Brady

Nursery Caregiver Today: Karen Jackson
Next week: Jen Smith