

Mission Statement

The mission of Swaddling Clothes is to share the mercy of Christ with our neighbors through the gifts of clothing, food, friendship, and the forgiving Word of God.

How does “Swaddling Clothes” work?

From various donors, we assemble a collection of items associated with pregnancy and motherhood—baby clothes, diapers, bibs, bottles, etc... Then, Grace hosts a “shopping day” where you can survey our collection and take whatever you need, up to a certain number of items. If any of the items you take can be re-donated to Swaddling Clothes when you are done with them, we ask that you do so to help those in need after you.

We also partner with a number of other organizations and local congregations providing you with referrals if you are seeking counseling, health care, employment, etc... And, of course, being a part of a Lutheran congregation, we are always ready to share pastoral care and a Gospel word with those who need them.



The Sanctity of Life

God’s eternal Son Jesus began His earthly life as an embryo. And when that embryo was a grown man, He shed His blood for the entire world, including those who were nothing more than a few cells in their mothers’ wombs.

For this reason, God never wants abortion to happen. And, as Christians, one of the greatest ways we can help keep our neighbor far from this temptation is by making pregnancy less frightening.

If you’re frightened that you don’t have the resources to care for the child in your womb or the children outside your womb, we’re here to help.

If you’re scared that you don’t know how to navigate this new part of your life, we’re here to help.

If you’re worried about judgment or rejection, we’re here with God’s word of mercy and hope, a word that no one can take away from you.

Christ loved you from your very beginning. He’ll love you to the end. That’s why we’re here.

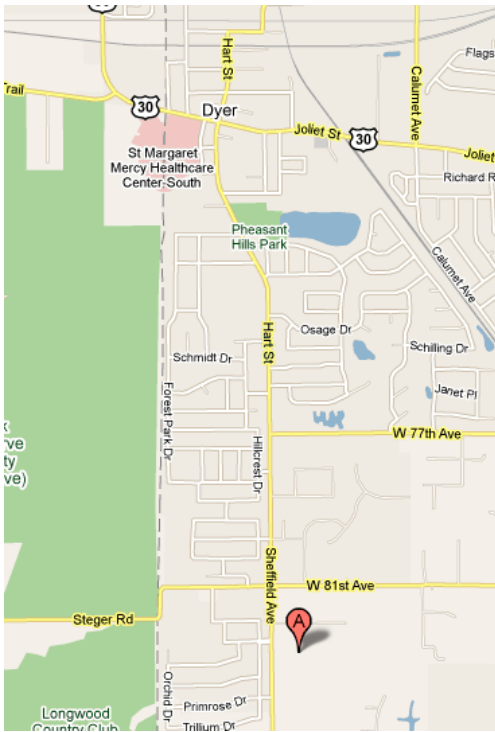
About Grace & the LCMS Congregations of the Hammond Circuit

Grace Lutheran Church of Dyer, is a member congregation of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod (LCMS). Since 1960, our congregation has been committed to the giving of the Lord’s gifts to the people of Dyer, Schererville, and St. John, Indiana. We are part of a group of local churches called a “circuit” who help operate the Swaddling Clothes center located in our building.

When it comes to what our congregations believe, we believe in the Bible, the 66 canonical books of the Old and New Testaments, and the understanding of those books as expressed in a series of writings called the Lutheran Confessions. The Word of Jesus is Spirit and Truth and is the beating heart of both our life together and our works of mercy.

Because of this, our congregations have a strong emphasis on the Gospel, the good news that God has given us forgiveness, life, salvation through the blood of Jesus Christ. Our congregations exist to bring this forgiveness to all the world through the waters of Baptism, the preaching of the Word, and the Sacrament of Holy Communion. By these gifts, we are joined in the one, holy Christian Church, proclaiming Jesus Christ crucified, risen, and reigning for the salvation of the world.

If you’d like to learn more about Jesus, have your baby Baptized, help with Swaddling Clothes, or join a loving, serving, and forgiving church, please contact us by phone or email.



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congregations:**

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(219) 844-5616

Peace Lutheran Church

144 W Parkway Dr, Schererville, IN, 46375-2100
(219) 322-5490

Redeemer Lutheran Church

9009 Kennedy Ave, Highland, IN, 46322-1950
(219) 838-4898

Saint Paul Lutheran Church

8601 Harrison Ave, Munster, IN, 46321-2398
(219) 836-6270

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1801 Atchison Ave, Whiting, IN, 46394-1615
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7227 Hohman Ave, Hammond, IN, 46324-1817
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631 W Commercial Ave, Lowell, IN, 46356-2221
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*Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me,
and do not hinder them, for the
kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these."
Matthew 19:14*

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