Community Conversations with Grace Lutheran Church

Hello, neighbor! Thanks for talking to representatives of Grace Lutheran Church. We're a unique and open-minded assortment of Christians who worship in the Grace Center building, the former Holland school. We want to get a sense of how Northeast is changing, what makes this community special, and what people need and hope for.

Here's what we're going to do with what you tell us. We're going to share what we learn with our church, but we won't share your name or any other personal information. The themes from our community conversations will also help the team working on finding a new pastor for Grace.

Thanks, again, for your time! We're hoping to share what we learn from these conversations in June 2023, and you'll be able to read that report on our website, <u>gracenempls.org</u>. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to talk to our interim pastor Ben Masters. You can call the church office at 612-788-2444 or email <u>ben@gracenempls.org</u>.

Here are the questions:

- What do you like about Northeast Minneapolis? (For example: places you visit, people you know, the culture(s) of your community.)
- 2. How have you seen Northeast change?
- 3. What do you think are the greatest needs in Northeast? What are your hopes?
- 4. How can churches or faith communities meet community needs?
- 5. Do you have a connection to a faith community? If so, tell us a little bit about it.
- 6. What do you know about Grace Lutheran in the Grace Center building? (Grace Center is the former Holland Elementary School building at 1500 6th St. NE.)
- 7. If you wanted to learn more about Grace Lutheran, where would you look?
- 8. Is there anything else you'd like to share?(For example: about Northeast, faith communities, or what we didn't think to ask you.)
- 9. Who would you recommend we speak with next?

Enter our quilt raffle! All we need is your phone number or email.