

Order of Service

"Because He Lives"

Welcome

Prayer

"It Was Finished Upon That Cross"

Scripture Memory Spotlight:

Theme of the Month: Single-Mindedness

Verse of the Month: Philippians 3:14

"I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus."

Extended Text: 1 John 1:7

"But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin."

"Hail the Day That Christ Arose"

"In Christ Alone"

SERMON

Dr. Ross Layne

Foundational Facts of the Christian Faith

Part 3 – "Glorious Day:

The Resurrection of Christ"

1 Corinthians 15:3-8

Benediction

Welcome to Grace Community Church!



Grace Community Church is live-streaming the worship service on Facebook Live and YouTube.

Visitor Info



or YouTube

You can access either: through the link on the homepage at ourgcc.com Please be sure to contact the church office church at **414-771-3020** or email office@ourgcc.com to let us know if you would like a phone call from a pastor.



Upcoming Events

Mon. Apr. 21 6:30 pm: Ladies Sweet Hour of Prayer
Tue. Apr. 22 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm: Missions
Wed. Apr. 23 6:30 pm: Learning and Leaning
Sat. Apr. 26 9:00 am: Ladies Grace in the Morning
3:00 pm: Rock Painting
Sun. Apr. 27 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
6:30 pm: Scripture Memory Gym

Upcoming Events

Tue. Apr. 29 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
Wed. Apr. 30 6:30 pm: Learning and Leaning
Thur. May 01 6:00 pm: National Day of Prayer
Sun. May 04 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship

Ladies "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Last meeting this Monday from 6:30-8:00 pm. Meet at Denise's home. Fellowship at 6:30-7pm, followed by an hour of prayer.



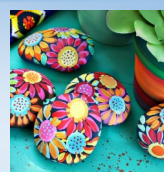
Ladies Grace in the Morning

Saturday, April 26th from 9am-11am
At Melissa L.'s home Please RSVP to Melissa if you're able to make it!

Rock Painting for Missions

Saturday, April 26th 3-5:30 pm

Please sign up and speak to Geraldine for more info.



Please pray for John I. as he prepares to deliver his message at the Milwaukee Rescue Mission next Sunday

National Day of Prayer

Thursday, May 1st at 6:00pm
Meet at Beloit Road Baptist Church

Note: Please place your offering in the box on the back table next to the door as you leave the Sanctuary.



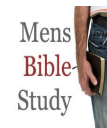
5 Day Bible Reading Plan

1 Samuel 9-10; Acts 8
1 Samuel 11-13; Psalm 38; Acts 9
1 Samuel 14; Psalm 124; Acts 10
1 Sam 15-16; 1 Chr 1; Ps 39; Acts 11
1 Samuel 17; 1 Chr 2; Acts 12

Men's Bible Study

Tuesday nights at 6:30pm.

Study in the book of Job. Please see Phil Snyder for more info!



Learning and Leaning: Chapter 2

"Spiritual Boot Camp"

Wed. 04/30/25 begins at 6:30 pm

Meet in the cafeteria.

Mission Plant Sale Help



The plant sale is less than a month away!!!

Please sign up in the back or see Gerry Behrs for more details.

Woodridge Community Church invites GCC to Restoring Truth Conference:

Vocation and Recreation to the Glory of God

May 16 - 6-8 pm at Waukesha City Church

May 17 - 9-1 pm at Woodridge Community Church

See flyer or speak to Joel Ebert

Do You Want A GCC T-Shirt?

If you wish to purchase a GCC T-Shirt, please see Darleen Snyder to sign up!



Planning Birthdays? Weddings?

Special Celebrations?

Shopping Online, or In-Store?

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ANIVERSARIES

Apr. 20: Ron and Maria Toeller
Apr. 25: Frank and Jessica Breiling
Apr. 26: Gerry and Laurel Behrs



BIRTHDAYS

Apr. 23: Nancy Kolp
Apr. 25: Ricardo Castro
Apr. 26: Kevin Degner
Apr. 27: Tim Caldwell
Apr. 28: Frank Breiling
Apr. 30: April Smith
May 01: Martin Ehret



Today I will pray for:

Our Church Family

- * **Tami K.** – Upcoming surgery
- * **Ken F.** – Healing
- * **Don W.** – Illness management
- * **Leeroy J.** - Healing
- * **Lori R.** - Healing
- * **Jim H.** – Illness management
- * **Dawn G.** - Healing
- * **Charlene R.** (Melody's sister) - Healing
- * **Nancy K.** - Healing
- * **Alan M.** - Healing
- * **Kathleen C.** - Healing
- * **Jovelyn C.** – Healing
- * **Roxanne L.** - Strength
- * **Angela T.** - Illness management
- * **Kate G.** - Illness management
- * **Elijah E.** – Serving in the Military
- * **Church members & attendees without jobs**
- * **Lost family and friends**
- * **Strong marriages at GCC**

Missionaries Serving Locally & Overseas:

- * **Tige and Renee Smith** - Cambodia
- * **SBC Gerson Reyes** - Mexico City, Mexico
- * **Tim T** - Philippines
- * **Samuel M** - Romania
- * **Eugeniusz T** – Poland/ Ukraine Relief
- * **Regan and Mellie M.** - South Africa
- * **SBC Africa Representatives** - Bayak; Radi I., Prosper, Simon S.
- * **SBC Myanmar Representative** - Henry L.
- * **SBC India Rep.** - Kishore, Prasanna Kumar, Gummadi Ebenezer
- * **GCC Evangelism Ministry**
- * **Milwaukee Rescue Mission**

Social Concerns:

- * **An end to abortion**

Sunday Morning Bible Study & Sunday School

Prayer Group: 8:30 am - Room 118

One Accord Bible Study: Room 306

New Life Bible Study: Room 204

Sunday School:

PreK-6 years – Room 207– No Sunday School 4/20/2025

7-12 years – Room 201 - Ariail Layne and helper

Helpers for Today

Prayer: Pastor Ross Layne

Nursery: Jodi Petty, Chris Regal

Children's Church: NO CLASS

Greeters: Demetra Slak, Jan Bergersen
Leeroy Jones, Kathy Ellenbecker

Helpers for April 27th

Prayer: Pastor Joel Ebert

Nursery: Anita Weinzatl, Rebecca Prusak

Children's Church: Randy Slak, Bette Milhans

Greeters: Leeroy and Kiddy Jones
Heather Holoubek, Jovelyn Clemins

Praise Team

John Jaquez (leader), Tim & Suzanne Caldwell,
Grace Anne Ellis, Tim & Judi Kasun, Danielle Menger
Al Piggott, Jeff & April Smith

Technical and Sound

Jesse Ceron, Dean Mertins, Kurt Sonnenburg

GCC Giving

Last Week 2025: \$3,674.00

Last Week 2024: \$3,686.00

YTD 2025: \$78,530.25

YTD 2024: \$88,554.00



Invest In a Vision:

Special offerings are given for the GCC building fund. To donate, write **Invest in A Vision (IIAV)** on the memo line of your check.

Last Week: \$0

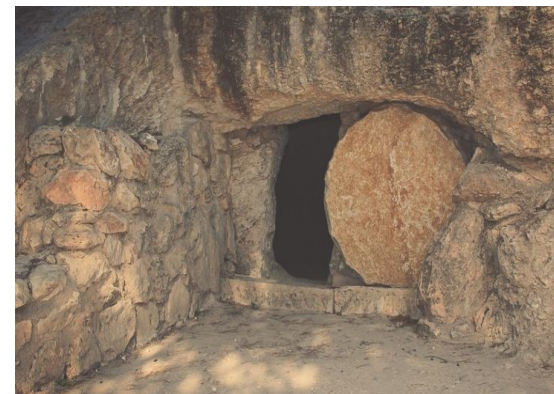
Total IIAV: \$342,595.79

SCRIP: Total Profit for 2025-Jan.-Mar. \$651.54

Total Profit for Jan–Dec. 2024 - \$3,826.51



April 20th, 2025
Resurrection Sunday



FOUNDATIONAL FACTS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH

Part 3

“Glorious Day: The Resurrection of Christ”

Presented by:
Dr. Ross Layne

“...that he was raised on the third day ...”
1 Corinthians 15:4

Because He Lives

God sent His Son they called Him Jesus
He came to love heal and forgive
He bled and died to buy my pardon
An empty grave is there to prove
My Savior lives

Chorus

Because He lives I can face tomorrow
Because He lives all fear is gone
Because I know He holds the future
And life is worth the living
Just because He lives

How sweet to hold our newborn baby
And feel the pride and joy he gives
But greater still the calm assurance
This child can face uncertain days
Because Christ lives

And then one day I'll cross that river
I'll fight life's final war with pain
And then as death gives way to vict'ry
I'll see the lights of glory
And I'll know He reigns

Gloria Gaither, William J. Gaither

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It Was Finished Upon That Cross

How I love the voice of Jesus
On the Cross of Calvary
He declares his work is finished
He has spoken this hope to me
Though the sun had ceased its shining
Though the war appeared as lost
Christ had triumphed over evil
It was finished upon that Cross

Now the curse it has been broken
Jesus paid the price for me
Full the pardon He has offered
Great the welcome that I receive
Boldly I approach my Father
Clothed in Jesus' righteousness
There is no more guilt to carry
It was finished upon that Cross

Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed

Death was once my great opponent
Fear once had a hold on me
But the Son who died to save us
Rose that we would be free indeed
Yes He rose that we would be free indeed
Free from ev'ry plan of darkness
Free to live and free to love
Death is dead and Christ is risen
It was finished upon that Cross

Onward to eternal glory
To my Saviour and my God
I rejoice in Jesus' victory
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross
It was finished upon that Cross

Jonny Robinson, Nigel Hendroff, Rich Thompson

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Hail The Day That Christ Arose

Hail the day that Christ arose
Through the skies to worlds unknown
Glorious there He ever reigns
Object of all heaven's praise

See Him lift His hands above
See the scars of His great love
He has conquered death and sin
Saving all who hope in Him

Chorus

Hallelujah hallelujah
The King of love is on His throne
Hallelujah hallelujah
His grace will lead us safely home

Though He dwells beyond the stars
His redeemed are on His heart
Even now He intercedes
Jesus cares for all our needs

Hallelujah we are redeemed
Hallelujah Jesus is King

Charles Wesley, Steve Cook, Vikki Cook

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In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light my strength my song
This Cornerstone this solid Ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love what depths of peace
When fears are stilled when strivings cease
My Comforter my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
Till on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
Till He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

Keith Getty, Stuart Townend

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