

Order of Service

"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"

Welcome

Prayer

"Lift High the Name of Jesus"

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 1:5

"This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all."

"Amazing Grace"

"Abide With Me"

SERMON

Dr. Ross Layne

Foundational Facts of the Christian Faith

Part 1 — The Death of Christ

Benediction



Welcome to Grace Community Church!



Grace Community Church is live-streaming the worship service on Facebook Live and 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. 07 6:30 pm: Ladies Sweet Hour of Prayer
Tue. Apr. 08 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm: Elders
Wed. Apr. 09 6:30 pm: Learning and Leaning
Fri. Apr. 11 6:00 pm: Rock Painting
Sun. Apr. 13 Palm Sunday
9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
12:00 pm: Seasoned Salt Lunch

Upcoming Events

Mon. Apr. 14 6:30 pm: Ladies Sweet Hour of Prayer
Tue. Apr. 15 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm: Missions
Wed. Apr. 16 5:00 pm: Family Night
Fri. Apr. 18 6:00 pm: Good Friday Service
Sun. Apr. 20 Resurrection Sunday
8:00 am: SonRise Service
9:00 am: No Sunday School (4-7yrs.)
10:15 am: Corporate Worship

Ladies "Sweet Hour of Prayer"

Mondays, 6:30-8:00 pm
3/17-4/21.
Meet at Denise's home for a time of fellowship 6:30-7pm, followed by an hour of prayer.



Rock painting For The Plant Sale

Friday, April 11th. 6:00pm in the Cafeteria. Please sign up on the back table or see Geraldine M.

Seasoned Salt "Bowl" Lunch

Sunday, April 13th at 12:00 pm in the Cafeteria! We'll be having Greek, Italian and Egg Roll Salad Bowls! Please sign up! Need more info? Ask Mary

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

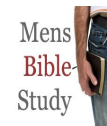


5 Day Bible Reading Plan

Judges 7-8; Luke 22
Judges 9-11; Psalm 17; Luke 23
Judges 12-16; Psalm 146; Luke 24
Judges 17-18; Psalm 21; Acts 1
Judges 19-21; Acts 2

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. 04/09/25 begins at 6:30 pm

Meet in the cafeteria.

Mission Plant Sale Help

* Plant Donations * Potting Plants * Sale Setup
* Transporting Plants * Sale Days
* Clean Up/Tear Down
Please sign up in the back or see Gerry Behrs for more details



Family Night is April 16th

5:00 pm: Grace4Kids
5:30pm - Meal
6:00 pm: Evangelism Fellowship
(Cafeteria) or Fundamentals of the Faith (Library)



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?

RaiseRight can work for you!

RaiseRight is just another way to pay for your purchases using gift cards *in place of* cash, checks and credit cards! **Plus, they make great gifts themselves!** Don't forget we stock approx. 40 cards but can order from over 750 vendors. GCC receives between 2 and 14% rebate on all cards purchased. **See Darleen at the Book table in the Lobby.**

ANIVERSARIES

Apr. 14: Todd and Jovelyn Clemins
Apr. 19: Dave and Bette Milhans
Apr. 20: Ron and MariaToeller



BIRTHDAYS

Apr. 06: Gerry Behrs, Janice Bergersen
Denise Ellis
Apr. 07: David Milhans
Apr. 08: Dawn Green
Apr. 13: Beth Neustifter
Apr. 15: Joshua Jackelen
Apr. 19: Levi Menger



Today I will pray for:

Our Church Family

- * **Ken F.** – Healing
- * **Don W.**– Illness management
- * **Alan P.** - Healing
- * **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

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– Melissa Layne and Karen Donohoo

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

Helpers for Today

Prayer: Todd Clemins

Nursery: Beth Neustifter, Ann Ramirez

Children's Church: Renae Ebert, Gloria Balderas

Greeters: Don and Anita Weinzatl,
Al and Mary Piggott

Helpers for April 13th

Prayer: Dale Stefanich

Nursery: Renae Ebert, Heather Holoubek

Children's Church: Debbie O'Brien,
Danielle Menger

Greeters: Diana Yegge, Christine Schroeder
Martin and Anna Ehret

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: \$9,539.00

Last Week 2024: \$11,450.00

YTD 2025: \$69,838.25

YTD 2024: \$78,085.00

South Sudan Project: \$935.94



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: \$95.00

Total IIAV: \$341,545.79

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

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



April 6th, 2025



Foundational Facts of the Christian Faith

Part 1

The Death of Christ

Presented by:
Dr. Ross Layne

"Christ died for our sins ..."
1 Corinthians 15:3

'Tis So Sweet To Trust In Jesus

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to take Him at His word
Just to rest upon His promise
Just to know thus saith the Lord

Chorus

Jesus Jesus how I trust Him
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er
Jesus Jesus precious Jesus
O for grace to trust Him more

O how sweet to trust in Jesus
Just to trust His cleansing blood
Just in simple faith to plunge me
'Neath the healing cleansing flood

Yes 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus
Just from sin and self to cease
Just from Jesus simply taking
Life and rest and joy and peace

I'm so glad I learned to trust Thee
Precious Jesus Savior Friend
And I know that Thou art with me
Wilt be with me to the end

Louisa M. R. Stead, William James Kirkpatrick
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Lift High The Name Of Jesus

Lift high the name of Jesus
Of Jesus our King
Make known the power of His grace
The beauty of His peace
Remember how His mercy reached
And we cried out to Him
He lifted us to solid ground
To freedom from our sin

Chorus

Oh sing my soul
And tell all He's done
'Til the earth and heavens are filled with His glory

Lift high the name of Jesus
Of Jesus our Lord
His pow'r in us is greater than
Is greater than this world
To share the reason for our hope
To serve with love and grace
That all who see Him shine through us
Might bring the Father praise

Lift high the name of Jesus
Of Jesus our Light
No other name on earth can save
Can raise us a soul to life
He opens up our eyes to see
The harvest He has grown
We labor in His fields of grace
As He leads sinners home

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Amazing Grace

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found
Was blind but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

The Lord has promised good to me
His Word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

Through many dangers toils and snares
I have already come
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home

Yea when this flesh and heart shall fail
And mortal life shall cease
I shall possess within the veil
A life of joy and peace

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun

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Abide With Me (Eventide)

Abide with me fast falls the eventide
The darkness deepens Lord with me abide
When other helpers fail and comforts flee
Help of the helpless O abide with me

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day
Earth's joys grow dim its glories pass away
Change and decay in all around I see
O Thou who changest not abide with me

I need Thy presence ev'ry passing hour
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r
Who like Thyself my Guide and Stay can be
Through cloud and sunshine O abide with me

I fear no foe with Thee at hand to bless
Ills have no weight and tears no bitterness
Where is death's sting where grave thy victory
I triumph still if Thou abide with me

Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies
Heav'n's morning breaks
And earth's vain shadows flee
In life in death O Lord abide with me

Henry Francis Lyte, William Henry Monk

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