

# Order of Worship

“Here I Am to Worship”

Welcome

Prayer

“Give Us Clean Hearts”

“Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor”

SERMON

Dr. Ross Layne

“Far More Than A Box With A Lid”

Exodus 25:8-22

Benediction



## Events This Week

Wed. July 12 7:00 pm: Elders  
 Sun. July 16 9:00 am: Sunday School & GCF's  
 10:15 am: Corporate Worship

## Upcoming Events

Wed. July 19 4:00 pm: Fellowship Picnic Muskego  
 Thurs. July 20 6:30 pm: Baptism Class  
 7:00 pm: Missions  
 Sun. July 23 9:00 am: Sunday School & GCF's  
 10:15 am: Corporate Worship  
 1:00 pm: Plant Sale Lunch

Gerry and Laurel Behrs are hosting a get-together for everyone who helped to make the plant sale a success! The party will be on July 23<sup>rd</sup> from 1pm-5pm at the Behrs residence:

**9304 W Dosie Ave.  
 Greenfield, WI 53228**



Menu will be finger food/appetizers...please bring a dish to pass ☺ Sign up sheet is available on the on the back table if you are interested in attending, or RSVP to Gerry 414-388-8082 by July 20<sup>th</sup>.

## Summer Fellowship at Muskego Park

Please join us for a church-wide picnic on Wednesday, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at:

Muskego Park  
 S83 W20370 Janesville Rd.  
 Picnic Area #2



There is a \$6 entry fee to get into the park. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet on the back table if you plan to attend!

**4pm:** Fun & fellowship

**6pm:** Dinner- Church will provide brats/hot dogs, lemonade, and water. Attendees are asked to bring a side dish or dessert. Please indicate what you plan to bring on the sign-up sheet ☺

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



## CONNECT WITH GRACE!!

Are you a first-time visitor to GCC? Do you have a prayer request, or would you like to connect with the Pastor? Please fill out one of our "CONNECT WITH GRACE" cards (located in the seatback pockets of the chairs) and hand the completed card to Pastor Ross, or place on the welcome table as you leave today.



## Baptism Class

When? – July 20<sup>th</sup>  
 6:30-8:00pm

Where? – Room 204

**Baptism service on July 23<sup>rd</sup>**

For more info, contact Elder Randy Slak at:  
 414-425-5384 or rslak1959@gmail.com



## Summer means Graduations, Weddings, Vacation Travel & more!

Prayerfully consider using SCRIP cards for all your gift buying, summer fun and regular shopping (gas/groceries)!

**Shopping Online or In-Store - Scrip can work for you!** We stock approx. **35** cards but can order from a list of over **700** vendors.

- ◆ department stores, bookstores & the web
- ◆ airfare & hotels,
- ◆ restaurants, fast food, & movie theaters
- ◆ gas & groceries and more!
- ◆ **They make great gifts themselves!**

Your support is appreciated!

**See Darleen at the "Book" table in the foyer.**

## The 2023 Five Day Bible Reading Program

### Week 28

1 Kings 12; 2 Chronicles 10-11; Titus 1  
 1 Kings 13-14; 2 Chr.12; Ps.47; Titus 2  
 1 Kings 15; 2 Chr.13-14; Titus 3  
 2 Chr.15-16; 1 Kings 16; Philemon  
 1 Kings 17-19; Psalm 119; Jude  
[www.FiveDayBible.com](http://www.FiveDayBible.com) Reading.com

## Welcome to Grace Community Church!



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



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

**NEED HELP?**

If you have a special need at this time, please let us know how we can be of help. Contact the office at: **414-771-3020** or email at [office@ourgcc.com](mailto:office@ourgcc.com)

## ANNIVERSARIES

**July 14:** Gerry and Karen Lau  
**July 18:** Kyle and Danielle Menger



## BIRTHDAYS

**July 09:** Darleen Snyder  
**July 10:** Ron Collings  
**July 11:** Micaiah Escalera  
**July 12:** Bill Frank, Anita Weinzatl  
**July 14:** Keith Eutsler, Andre Tipton  
**July 16:** Evelyn Jackelen



### *Today I will pray for:*

#### Our Church Family

- \* Ron C. - Healing
- \* Jim H. - Healing
- \* Nancy K.- Healing
- \* Alan M. - Healing
- \* Kathleen C. – Healing
- \* Tim C.- Healing
- \* Rae Ann - Comfort
- \* Roxanne L. - Strength
- \* Angela T. - Healing
- \* Kate G. – Healing
- \* Strong marriages at GCC
- \* Church members & attendees without jobs
- \* Lost friends & family

#### Missionaries Serving Locally & Overseas:

- \* Tige and Renee Smith - Cambodia
- \* SBC Gerson Reyes – Mexico City, Mexico
- \* Victor A - MERF Cyprus, Egypt, & Middle East
- \* Grace H, Tim T - Philippines
- \* Samuel M - Romania
- \* Eugeniusz T – Poland/ Ukraine Relief
- \* Nate Muse Family - Australia
- \* Regan & Mellie M Family – South Africa
- \* SBC Africa Representatives – Bayak; Radi I., Prosper, Simon S.
- \* SBC Myanmar Representative - Henry L.
- \* SBC India Rep. - Kishore, Prasanna Kumar, Gumadi Ebenezer
- \* Joel, Jeff M., Phil. - Grace to the Streets
- \* Milwaukee Rescue Mission
- \* WVCY Radio WI USA

## **Sunday Morning GCF & Sunday School Groups**

**Prayer Group:** 8:30 am - Room 118  
**One Accord GCF:** Led by Rick Ellis - Room 306 - Genesis  
**New Life GCF:** - cafeteria – Led by Joel Ebert - Ephesians  
**Sunday School:**  
**PreK-6 years** – Rotating Schedule  
**7-12 years** - Library - Ariail Layne and helper

### Helpers for Today

**Opening Prayer:** Pastor Ross Layne  
**Sunday School:** Rotating Schedule  
**Nursery:** Heather Holoubek, Beth Neustifter  
**Children's Church:** Lynne Chambers, Bette Milhans  
**Greeters:** Denise Ellis, Cathy Degner, Juan & Gloria Balderas

### Helpers for July 16th

**Opening Prayer:** Randy Slak  
**Sunday School:** Rotating Schedule  
**Nursery:** Renae Ebert, Jodi Petty  
**Children's Church:** Laurie Klafke, Kiddy Jones  
**Greeters:** Dick and Beth Neustifter, Dave Grabman, Melissa Layne

### Praise Team

John Jaquez (leader), Tim & Suzanne Caldwell, Tim & Judi Kasun, Al Piggott, Jeff & April Smith

### Technical and Sound

Jesse Ceron, Dean Mertins, Kurt Sonnenburg

### GCC Giving

**Last Week 2023: \$4,668.00**  
**Last Week 2022: \$7,434.00**  
**YTD 2023: \$152,162.00**  
**YTD 2022: \$163,285.61**



### Invest In a Vision:

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

**Last Week: \$700.00**  
**Total IIAV: \$324,668.28**  
**SCRIP: Total Profit for Jan. - Jun 2023 - \$1,336.80**  
**Total Profit for Jan. - Dec. 2022 - \$3,236.31**



July 9th, 2023



**“FAR MORE THAN A BOX  
WITH A LID”**

Presented by:  
Dr. Ross Layne

*“They shall make an ark of acacia wood.”  
Exodus 25:10*

## Here I Am to Worship

Light of the world  
You stepped down into darkness  
Open my eyes let me see  
Beauty that made  
This heart adore You  
Hope of a life spent with You

### Chorus

Here I am to worship  
Here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
You're altogether lovely  
Altogether worthy  
Altogether wonderful to me

King of all days  
Oh so highly exalted  
Glorious in heaven above  
Humbly You came  
To the earth You created  
All for love's sake became poor

### Chorus

Here I am to worship  
Here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
You're altogether lovely  
Altogether worthy  
Altogether wonderful to me

I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross  
I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross

### Chorus

Here I am to worship  
Here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
You're altogether lovely  
Altogether worthy  
Altogether wonderful to me

CCLI Song # 3266032; CCLI License # 911277

## Give Us Clean Hands

We bow our hearts we bend our knees  
Oh Spirit come make us humble  
We turn our eyes from evil things  
Oh Lord we cast down our idols

### Chorus

Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another  
Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another

O God let this be a generation that seeks  
Who seeks Your face oh God of Jacob  
O God let this be a generation that seeks  
Who seeks Your face oh God of Jacob

### Chorus

Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another  
Give us clean hands give us pure hearts  
Let us not lift our souls to another

CCLI Song # 2060208; CCLI License # 911277

## Christ The Sure and Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
In the fury of the storm  
When the winds of doubt blow through me  
And my sails have all been torn  
In the suffering in the sorrow  
When my sinking hopes are few  
I will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
While the tempest rages on  
When temptation claims the battle  
And it seems the night has won  
Deeper still then goes the anchor  
Though I justly stand accused  
I will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
Through the floods of unbelief  
Hopeless somehow O my soul now  
Lift your eyes to Calvary  
This my ballast of assurance  
See His love forever proved  
I will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor  
As we face the wave of death  
When these trials give way to glory  
And we draw our final breath  
We will cross that great horizon  
Clouds behind and life secured  
And the calm will be the better  
For the storms that we endure

Christ the shore of our salvation  
Ever faithful ever true  
We will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed  
We will hold fast to the anchor  
It shall never be removed

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