

Order of Service

"All Creatures Of Our God and King"

Welcome

Prayer

"How Firm A Foundation"



Scripture Memory Spotlight:

Verse of the Month: Revelation 1:5-6

"...and from Jesus Christ the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood and made us a kingdom, priests to his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen"

Extended Text: 1 John 1:10

"If we say we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us."

"Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery"

"Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me"

SERMON Dr. Ross Layne

**"Superior To The Angels"
Hebrews 1:5-14**

Benediction

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** 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

Tue. May 13 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm: Elders
Wed. May 14 8:00 am: Plant sale
Thurs. May 15 8:00 am: Plant sale
Fri. May 16 8:00 am: Plant sale
Sat. May 17 8:00 am: Plant sale
Sun. May 18 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
12:00 pm: Seasoned Salt Lunch

Upcoming Events

Tue. May 20 6:30 pm: Men's Bible Study
7:00 pm: Missions
Sun. May 25 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship



Missions Hosting Opportunity

Sign up to host Pastor Gienek and his wife Jola who will be visiting GCC from Poland June 27th-July 1st. See sign up sheet on the back table for available dates.

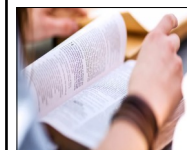


Recognition of Graduates

June 1st, 2025

Please let us know if you or a family member is graduating this spring. We will recognize our GCC graduates from: 8th Grade; High School, Technical College, College, and Graduate School. Sign up please.

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

2 Sam 6; 1 Chr 13; Psalm 60; Acts 23
1 Chronicles 14-16; Acts 24
2 Sam 7-8; 1 Chr 17; Psalm 132; Acts 25
2 Sam 9-10; 1 Chr 18-19; Ps 89; Acts 26
1 Sam 11-12; 1 Chr 20; Ps 51, 32; Acts 27

Men's Bible Study

Tuesday nights at 6:30pm.
Study in the book of Job. Please see Phil Snyder for more info!



Seasoned Salt Fellowship Lunch
Sunday, May 18th at 12pm in the Cafeteria

Seasons of Change!

Baked Potato Bar, Variety of Salads and Desserts
Jeff Mathison will be sharing with us. **Please signup!**

RSVP Deadline 5/15

Ladies! Please join us as we celebrate our bride-to-be



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Saturday, May 24th, 2025 at 2pm.
RSVP to Denise by May 15th

VBS is quickly approaching!! June 16th -June 19th.
It's not too late to sign up to volunteer!

There will be a volunteer meeting
Saturday, May 31st from 10am-12pm in the cafeteria.
Attendance is encouraged for all volunteers!



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.

***Any books to be purchased are available in the Library. Please see Darleen at the table in the Lobby.**

ANIVERSARIES

May 17: Kevin and Cathy Degner
May 22: Mike and Laurie Klafke



BIRTHDAYS

May 12: Sharry Sonnenburg
May 15: Melissa Piggott
May 20: Karen Lau
May 21: Joseph Price
May 23: Mike Klafke



Today I will pray for:

Our Church Family

- * Tami K. – Healing
- * Ken F. – Healing
- * Don W. – Illness management
- * Leeroy J. - Healing
- * Lori R. - Healing
- * Jim H. – Strength
- * 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– Melissa Layne, Karen Donohoo

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

Helpers for Today

Prayer: Pastor Ross Layne

Nursery: Heather Holoubek, Linda Nolan

Children's Church: Debbie O'Brien, Lynne Chambers

Greeters: Juan and Gloria Balderas
Leeroy Jones, Demetra Slak

Helpers for May 18th

Prayer: Al Piggott

Nursery: Ann Ramirez, Chrissy Regal

Children's Church: Renae Ebert, Danielle Menger

Greeters: Heather Holoubek, Cathy Degner
Bill and Debbie O'Brien

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: \$3,987.00

Last Week 2024: \$4,599.00

YTD 2025: \$98,438.25

YTD 2024: \$103,759.73



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: \$1,225.00

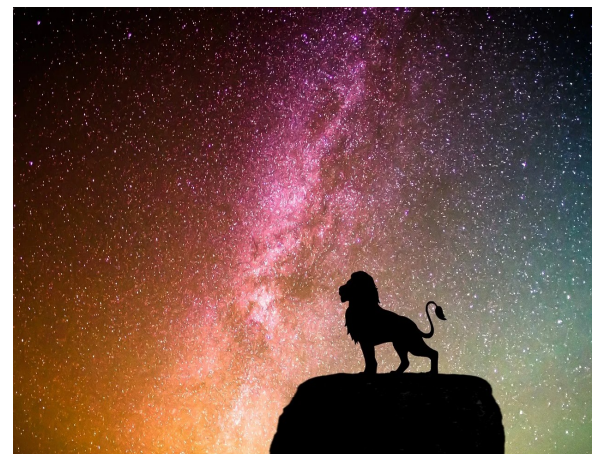
Total IIAV: \$344,952.11

SCRIP: Total Profit for 2025-Jan.-Apr. \$784.85

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



May 11th, 2025
Happy Mother's Day!



“SUPERIOR TO THE ANGELS”

Presented by:
Dr. Ross Layne

"having become as much superior to the angels ..."
Hebrews 1:4

All Creatures Of Our God And King

All creatures of our God and King
Lift up your voice and with us sing
Oh praise Him
Alleluia
Thou burning sun with golden beam
Thou silver moon with softer gleam
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

Let all things their Creator bless
And worship Him in humbleness
Oh praise Him
Alleluia
Praise praise the Father praise the Son
And praise the Spirit Three-in-One
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

All the redeemed washed by His blood
Come and rejoice in His great love
Oh praise Him
Alleluia
Christ has defeated every sin
Cast all your burdens now on Him
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

He shall return in pow'r to reign
Heaven and earth will join to say
Oh praise Him
Alleluia
Then who shall fall on bended knee
All creatures of our God and King
Oh praise Him Oh praise Him
Alleluia alleluia alleluia

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How Firm A Foundation

How firm a foundation ye saints of the Lord
Is laid for your faith in His excellent word
What more can He say than to you He hath said
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Fear not I am with thee O be not dismayed
For I am thy God I will still give thee aid
I'll strengthen thee help thee
And cause thee to stand
Upheld by My righteous omnipotent hand

In every condition in sickness in health
In poverty's vale or abounding in wealth
At home and abroad on the land on the sea
As thy days may demand shall thy strength ever be

When through the deep waters He calls thee to go
The rivers of grief shall not thee overflow
For He will be with thee in trouble to bless
And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress

When through fiery trials thy pathway shall lie
My grace all-sufficient shall be thy supply
The flames shall not hurt thee I only design
Thy dross to consume and thy gold to refine

The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose
I will not I will not desert to its foes
That soul though all hell should endeavor to shake
I'll never no never no never forsake

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Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

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Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed

To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And he was raised to overthrow the grave

To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me

Ending
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me
Yet not I but through Christ in me