

Order of Service

"All I Have Is Christ"

Welcome/Announcements

Special Recognition

Prayer

Scripture Memory:

September's theme: Resisting the Fear of Man
Monthly Verse #1 (Proverbs 29:25):

"The fear of man lays a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is safe."

Extended Passage (1 John 1):

Recite 1 John 1

"It Was Finished Upon That Cross"

"He Will Hold Me Fast"

The Church's One Foundation"

SERMON

Dr. Ross Layne

"Don't Lose Hope but Don't Let Up!"

Hebrews 6:9-12

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

Tues. Sept. 09 6:30 pm: Men's Study
7:00 pm: Elders
Wed. Sept. 10 6:30 pm: Learning and Learning
Sun. Sept. 14 9:00 am: Sunday School and GCFs
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
12:15 pm: Social Concerns

Upcoming Events

Tues. Sept. 16 6:30 pm: Men's Study
7:00 pm: Missions
Wed. Sept. 17 6:00 pm: Foundations Bible Study
Sun. Sept. 21 9:00 am: Sunday School and GCFs
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
6:30 pm: Scripture Memory Gym

Introducing...Visitation week!

This ministry will be directed toward our homebound, those facing special times of challenge, and also recent guests of GCC! It will be designated the week of the third Wednesday of each month.

- * On the Sunday of Visitation Week, selections will be posted, from which individuals/couples/groups can choose a visitation assignment to complete.
- * The goal is for the visit to be made during visitation week, since there is no mid-week church meeting.
- * We will ask you to record your visit on a card with a few details and return it the next Sunday.

*Our first visitation week starts **Sept. 14th-21st!!***

GCC ANNUAL CHURCH PICNIC

TODAY at 1:00 pm! Pro Healthcare Park in New Berlin



Ladies! Please join us for a bridal tea party to celebrate

Mrs. Camelia Thompson

Saturday, Sept. 20th 2025

from 1-3 pm at Denise's home.

Please RSVP to Denise by Sept. 14th!



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

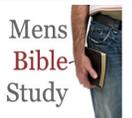


5 Day Bible Reading Plan

Isaiah 45-48; 1 Corinthians 13
Isaiah 49-52; Psalm 69; 1 Corinthians 14
Isaiah 53-55; Ps 128; 1 Corinthians 15
Isaiah 56-59; Psalm 70; 1 Corinthians 16
Isaiah 60-63; 2 Corinthians 1

Men's Bible Study

Weekly men's bible studies are held on Tuesdays, 6:30-8pm in room 204. Please see Phil for more information!



Foundations Bible Study

9/17 from 6:00-7:30pm in room 204. Please sign up on the back table. See Pastor Ross for more details!

Next After School Program Meeting
Mon. Sept. 8th at 6:30pm in rm 204

Learning and Learning:

Resumes Sept. 10th!!

"Spiritual Boot Camp"

led by Joel Ebert

begins at **6:30 pm**. Meet in the cafeteria.

*Please sign up on the Back table



Scripture Memory Gym Starts Sept. 21st!

Each month will have a different theme! Pastor Joel Ebert will lead this program. Meet in the cafeteria from 6:30-8pm. Verses for September and sign up sheet are available on back table.



!! THANK YOU !!

Randy would like to thank everyone for all of the prayers that were sent up for him...his surgery went well, and he is on the mend!!



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

Sept 16: Rick and Denise Ellis
Sept 23: Keith and Amana Eutsler



BIRTHDAYS

Sept 09: Don Weinzatl
Sept 10: Yamin Price
Sept 12: Shelah Brown
Sept 13: Mary Piggott
Sept 14: Wayne WYROBEK
Sept 15: Dana WYROBEK
Sept 16: Chuck Brockmeyer, Sherry Mathison



Today I will pray for:

Our Church Family

- * **Jim McC.** – Healing
- * **Ken F.** – Healing
- * **Don W.** – Illness management
- * **Lori R.** - Healing
- * **Dawn G.** - Healing
- * **Charlene R.** (Melody's sister) - Healing
- * **Nancy K.** - Healing
- * **Alan M.** - 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 Outreach and Evangelism**
- * **Milwaukee Rescue Mission**

Society and Culture:

- * **An end to abortion**
- * **Federal, State, and Local Leaders**

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 - Arial Tesch and helper

Helpers for Today

Prayer: Pastor Joel Ebert

Nursery: Renae Ebert, Beth Neustifter

Children's Church: Jasmin Kersh, Linda Nolan

Greeters: Juan Balderas

Kathy Ellenbecker, Cathy Degner

Helpers for September 14th

Prayer: Rick Ellis

Nursery: Heather Holoubek, Anita Weinzatl

Children's Church: Debbie O'Brien, Laurie Klafke

Greeters: Chuck and Madria Brockmeyer

Don and Anita Weinzatl

Praise Team

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

Technical and Sound

Jesse Ceron, Dean Mertins, Kurt Sonnenburg

GCC Giving

Shoe box: \$305.00

Last Week 2025: \$7,581.50

Last Week 2024: \$7,977.50

YTD 2025: \$190,334.30

YTD 2024: \$189,206.44



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: \$70.00

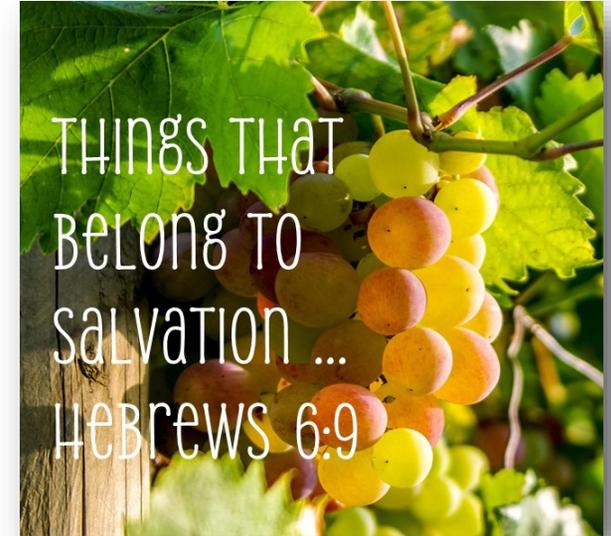
Total IIAV: \$353,963.19

SCRIP: Total Profit for 2025-Jan.– Aug \$1,688.53

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



September 7th, 2025



**“Don't Lose Hope but
Don't Let Up!”**

Presented by:
Dr. Ross Layne

“...show the same earnestness to
have the full assurance.”
Hebrews 6:11

All I Have Is Christ

I once was lost in darkest night
Yet thought I knew the way
The sin that promised joy and life
Had led me to the grave
I had no hope that You would own
A rebel to Your will
And if You had not loved me first
I would refuse You still

But as I ran my hell-bound race
Indifferent to the cost
You looked upon my helpless state
And led me to the cross
And I beheld God's love displayed
You suffered in my place
You bore the wrath reserved for me
Now all I know is grace

Chorus

Hallelujah all I have is Christ
Hallelujah Jesus is my life

Now Lord I would be Yours alone
And live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands
Could never come from me
O Father use my ransomed life
In any way You choose
And let my song forever be
My only boast is You

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Jordan Kaufflin

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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
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
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He Will Hold Me Fast

When I fear my faith will fail
Christ will hold me fast
When the tempter would prevail
He will hold me fast
I could never keep my hold
Through life's fearful path
For my love is often cold
He must hold me fast

Chorus

He will hold me fast
He will hold me fast
For my Savior loves me so
He will hold me fast

Those He saves are His delight
Christ will hold me fast
Precious in His holy sight
He will hold me fast
He'll not let my soul be lost
His Promises shall last
Bought by Him at such a cost
He will hold me fast

For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
Till our faith is turned to sight
When He comes at last

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The Church's One Foundation (Aurelia)

The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord
She is His new creation
By water and the Word
From heav'n He came and sought her
To be His holy bride
With His own blood He bought her
And for her life He died

Elect from every nation
Yet one o'er all the earth
Her charter of salvation
One Lord one faith one birth
One holy name she blesses
Partakes one holy food
And to one hope she presses
With every grace endued

'Mid toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest

Yet she on earth hath union
With God the Three in One
And mystic sweet communion
With those whose rest is won
O happy ones and holy
Lord give us grace that we
Like them the meek and lowly
On high may dwell with Thee

Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore oppressed
By schisms rent asunder
By heresies distressed
Yet saints their watch are keeping
Their cry goes up how long
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song

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