November 28, 2021

NEW TO GRACE? ___ This is my first visit. ___ I've been visiting. ___ I'm a regular attendee. Which service did you attend? ____ 9AM ____ 10:30AM First/Last Name: Spouse's Name: Children living at home (name/age) Address (Street, City, Zip): Best method of contact: Email Phone I would like to be added to the weekly email list.

Please place this attachment in the giving boxes in the Sanctuary or take it to the Welcome Desk.



While We Wait...We Have Hope 1 Peter 1.3–13

One Thing: What are ways in which you can be preparing your heart for the hope of Jesus' Advent? How can you bring hope to someone else during this Advent Season?

Notes:

I. Our future hope (1.3–5, 13)

II. Our present trials (1.6–9)

III. Our past promises (1.10–12)

Weekday Application Questions:

- a) Looking back at your notes from this week's sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or something that caught your attention, challenged you, or encouraged you? b) What are some of your favorite Christmas traditions and memories? What is your hope for this Christmas? Why?
- c) What are the things in this passage which caused Peter to be so excited that he began with 'Praise be ...'?
- d) From this passage, identify what Peter relates to our past, our present, and our future. What perspective do these verses give you in your current life situation? How does 1 Peter 1.13 apply hope to our life?

WELCOME TO GRACE

For Kids— Age-appropriate Bible teaching in a fun and nurturing environment is offered during both Sunday services. See the Grace Kids check-in desk located by the Student Center and courtyard for more information.

For Students— 6th-12th grade students meet for worship, fellowship, and teaching at 9AM. Find them in the Student Center between the Commons and the courtyard.

For Adults—

First Hour The Gathering (A9) at 9AM led by Kevin Gilliland

Encountering God (A11) at 9AM led by Austin Dittrich World Religions (A12) at 9AM led by Richard Spencer

Joint Heirs (A13) at 9AM led by Fred Chay

Second Hour Word Travelers (A7) at 10AM led by Don King

Inheritance (A12) at 10:30AM led by Rob Armstrong

Foundations (A13) at 10:30AM led by Jeff Sherwood and Rocky Miller

For more information on Grace Kids, Grace Students, or Adult Bible Classes, visit the Welcome Desk in the Commons.

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

Monday	6:30PM	Men's Gospel Project Bible Study
Tuesday	9:30AM	Women of Grace Bible Study
Wednesday	7AM	Men's Bible Study with Jace Clou
	4:30PM	Kids' Choir Rehearsal
	6:30PM	Women of Grace Bible Study
	6:45PM	Student Ministry Small Groups
Thursday	6:30AM	Strong Men Bible Study
	10AM	Don King's Bible Study
	6:30PM	Regenerates Men's Bible Study
	7PM	Young Adults Bible Study

MOON PIE

This week's Moon Pie goes to the volunteers, leaders, and team members who helped make the Student Retreat such a great success!



UPCOMING AT GRACE

For more information and contact details, please see our website, gracebiblechurch.org.

Journey into christmas | December 10 and 11

Journey into Christmas is near! Mark your calendars for December 10 and 11 from 5:30 to 9PM for our annual live Christmas nativity event. We will have live animals and activities for kids. Tickets are free and will be available the week leading up to Journey.

Lessons and Carols Concert | December 13

Lessons and Carols tell of the fall of man, the need for redemption, the prophetic promise of a Savior, the nativity, and the incarnation. With two times to choose from, 5:30PM and 8PM, you won't want to miss this wonderful event on December 13. Ticket information coming soon.

Grace Moms Christmas Party | December 3

Moms of infants through school-age children, you're invited to a Grace Moms Night Out to celebrate the joy of the season with a gift exchange at the home of Sena Spofford. Contact Margaret Junker with questions and head to our Events page on the website to register.

OUTREACH AND SERVICE

Missionary Focus | Nolan and Kristin Isaac, Impact, France

Pray for the Isaacs as they continue to serve with Impact in France. Pray for community encouragement in faith as changes continue with their surroundings. Pray for their daughters, Sophia and Kailyn, as they pursue new school programs. Lastly, pray for the Isaac family as they grieve the loss of Nolan's dad.

Grace Kids Needs Volunteers!

Grace Kids needs volunteers to serve on Tuesday mornings to teach our little ones while Women of Grace have their Bible study. Volunteers will be needed to serve from 9AM to 11AM starting January 11. Email Esther Medina at Esther@gracebiblechurch.org to volunteer!

FINANCIAL UPDATE THROUGH OCTOBER 2021 **General Fund** Actual Budget Difference (\$334,977)\$1,643,734 \$1,978,711 Revenues \$1,870,085 (3) \$2.082.242 (\$212,157)Expenses (\$103,531)Net (\$226.351)(\$122,820)

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

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Please add my prayer request to th	١e
church prayer list.	

Prayer requests can also be submitted to the church office at 214.368.0779 or grace@gracebiblechurch.org.