



WELCOME

If you're new to Grace, read on!

We want you to feel at home and get connected to God's amazing grace for your life!

- Pick up your gift at the **Welcome Center** at the main entrance.
- Attend **"A Taste of Grace"** on Sunday, January 8, after both services to meet our pastors and learn about our church! A meal is provided.
- Go deeper at **"Discover Grace."** Next class is January 15 after first service.
- Connect with others by attending **Sunday morning** or **Midweek Grace**, try a **Community Group**, or **Volunteer in a ministry**.

Learn more by visiting the Welcome Center (by the front doors) or check us out online at gracepres.org.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The January Watchman

The January Watchman is available for pick up in the canopy hallway.

Living in Grace Conference — January 20-22, 2017

Join guest speakers Zac Hicks, Bryan Chapell, and Kevin King for this profound conference, "Worship Worth Seeking." Know and enjoy the preeminence of Christ and learn to live a lifestyle of Spirit-filled, kingdom-advancing worship. Registration is open at gracepres.org/LIG17.

2016 Giving Statements

Statements will be sent out automatically to each of our 1,600 donors by the end of January. If you need your statement sooner, please put a note in the offering plate, call the church office, or email the church accounting manager at smonn@gracepres.org with your request. Your patience is greatly appreciated.

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Special Needs Open Gym

Saturday, January 14, 12:30 - 2 PM — Gym
Tired of the cold? If you or any of your friends have special needs children, we would love to have you join us! Feel free to bring a favorite ball or frisbee! If you have any questions please contact Katie at kwelch@gracepres.org.

Save the Date — Vacation Bible School!

June 12 - 16, 9 - 11:30 AM
We are already making plans for another fabulous year of Vacation Bible School! You won't want to miss being a part of it, so mark your calendars now!

Our Snowbirds are Flying Away!

Many of our Children's Ministry Volunteers head to warmer climates for the winter, creating vacancies within our ministry teams. If you are able to serve at least once during the winter months, please contact Elizabeth Pullen at epullen@gracepres.org for more information.

ADULTS

First Friday Game Night

Friday, January 6, 7 PM — Front Porch
Grab a board game and head on over for a night with the girls. There's always laughter when we play together! Bring a snack to share. All women are invited! Questions? salkire@gracepres.org

Man in the Mirror Bible Study

Wednesdays, Beginning January 11, 6:30 AM — Front Porch
Take a probing look at your identity, relationships, finances, time, temperament, and most important, the means to bring about lasting change to godly manhood.

Grace Women's Fellowship Lunch with Pastor Bryan

Tuesday, January 17, 12:30 PM — Front Porch
All women are invited to join us for lunch with Pastor Bryan. Please bring \$3 donation towards the cost of the meal. For more information, please contact Carol Learned at 309.231.0401.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December

26 Church Office Closed

January

2 Church Office Closed

11 Midweek Grace Resumes

20 Living in Grace Conference Begins

MEDIA

Grace Alive!

Sundays
WEEK-TV 25 — 9 AM
WBNH-FM 88.5 — 9 AM

Live Stream

media.gracepres.org — 11 AM

Unlimited Grace Radio

Weekdays
WPEO-AM 1020 — 8:30 AM
WPEO-FM 97.7 — 8:30 AM & PM
WPEO-FM 103.9 — 8:30 AM & PM
unlimitedgrace.com

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For more information on upcoming events please visit our website at www.gracepres.org/events.

KIDS

Grace Kidz

Sundays -
infant - age 4 — 8:30 AM
infant - sixth grade — 9:45 AM
infant - second grade — 11 AM

YOUTH

Jr. and Sr. High

Sundays, 9:45 - 10:45 AM

Jr/Sr High Game Night

Wednesday, January 4, 6 - 8 PM
— Youth Rooms

We will be starting the year off with a fun night filled with lots of different games, basketball, and 9-square-in-the-air! Come on out and don't forget to invite a friend!

YOUNG ADULTS

YAMS Sunday Night Life

No Gathering tonight.

Volleyball

Thursday, 6 PM — Gym

MEN

Ministry to Men Bible Study

Wednesdays, 6:30 AM — Front Porch

WOMEN

MOPS@grace

Tuesdays, 9:30 AM, Resuming January 17
Wednesdays, 6:30 PM, Resuming January 11

Bible Studies

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Wednesdays, 6:30 PM, Resuming January 11

MIDWEEK GRACE

Midweek Grace activities resume January 11.



JANUARY 01

ORDER OF WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF ADORATION
AND CONFESSION

PRAYER OF ASSURANCE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

OFFERING OF THANKSGIVING

GRACE FROM GOD'S WORD

"Better Than Resolutions"

Pastor Bryan Chapell

Mark 10:17-27

Page 846 in the Grace Bible

BLESSING FOR GOD'S MISSION

STEWARDSHIP/GIVING UPDATE AS OF DECEMBER 11, 2016

We invite everyone who calls Grace Church home to enter into a lifestyle of generous giving! Your gifts make ministry here, and around the world, possible.

Giving to Church Ministries (Fiscal Year-to-Date)

What We Planned	What We Gave	Ahead/(Behind)
\$645,000	\$615,768	(\$29,232)

Missions Giving (10% of Church Ministries Donations)

What We Planned	What We Set Aside	Ahead/(Behind)
\$64,500	\$61,577	(\$2,923)

(Additional Missions Offerings)

What We Planned	What We Gave	Ahead/(Behind)
\$35,571	\$29,485	(\$6,086)

Monthly Mortgage Update

As of December 1	As of January 1	Amount Reduced
\$2,732,000	\$2,687,000	\$45,000

NOTE: You may give to the church mortgage by indicating "Growing Grace" or "Church Mortgage" on your donation.

REMEMBER GRACE: We are thankful to all those who remember Grace Church in their will and estate planning. We thank God for your legacy of love!

MISSIONARY HIGHLIGHT

Luke and Tiffany Wessler – SIM



Luke and Tiffany use their experience from four years of service in Zambia to help equip new missionaries to serve overseas. Luke is an appointee coordinator, working from SIM's U.S. office in South Carolina. He mentors new missionaries from their first placement through their initial years on the field. To learn more about their current ministry and how to pray for them, visit the Missions Kiosk near the main entrance and pick up their newsletter.

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