# 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"** the first Sunday of each month after both services to meet our pastors and learn about our church! A meal is provided.
- Go deeper at "Experiencing Grace" offered most Sundays at 9:45 AM.
- 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 ( )

#### **Good Fridav**

Children's Ministry will be offering childcare through age four during our Good Friday service. Please email Ellyn at ebook@gracepres.org to volunteer to help.

#### **Easter Opportunities to Serve**

We anticipate many guests joining us for our Easter service. We want Children's Ministry to be ready for extra children who will attend. Contact Karen Frey at kfrey@gracepres.org if you are able to serve during any service on Easter.

#### **Easter Weekend Schedule**

Good Fridav Service – March 25, 7 PM Invite friends and family. Children's programming is offered through age 4.

#### Easter Worship Services — March 27

Identical services at 8:30 AM and 11 AM. Children's programming through age 4 at 8:30 AM and through 2nd grade at 11 AM. Invite friends and family. Sunday Schools will meet as usual at 9:45 AM.

#### **Foodshare Canathon**

A special thanks to a very generous Grace Presbyterian Church family. We collected 4500 pounds of food in the Canathon. The food went to the food pantries at South Side Mission, Salvation Army and Peoria Rescue Ministries. Thank you!

### **CHILDREN & FAMILIES**

No Clubs or Childcare This Week There will be no childcare, Kidz Klub, TreeClimbers, Boys Brigade or Pioneer Girls as we prepare to celebrate Easter next weekend.

#### **ADULTS**

#### **Grace Connect**

You are invited to sign up and begin using Grace **Connect**, our new church management software and online community. Be sure to pick up your *New User Guide* with instructions for signing up and getting started. The guides are available in the atrium.

## **Global Impact Celebration**

#### ONE MISSION FOR ALL BELIEVERS April 10 - 13

How can the Lord use you? As believers we are called to participate in missions at home and around the world. There is ONE MISSION for all believers. How will God use you? Special guests include Dr. Robert Smart and Dr. William Lane Craig. Please register online at gracepres.org.

#### Lost and Found

Please check the Lost and Found area in the North Canopy Hallway today before leaving church, as we will be sorting that area in the very near future. Thank you.

#### **Church Offices Closed**

Our offices will be closed Monday, March 28, following Easter Sunday.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

March Palm Sunday 20 Good Friday Service 25 7 PM Easter Church offices closed 28

MEDIA **Grace Alive!** 

Sundays WEEK-TV 25 - 9 AM WBNH-FM 88.5 – 9 AM Live Stream gracepres.org/media

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Midweek Grace Meal Menu

Includes entree, salad bar.

\$6/adults, \$3/kids 10 and under,

23 Easter Break (no MWG)

30 Meat Lasagna, Garlic Bread

6 Honey Baked Ham, Potatoes,

Chicken Parmesan, Pasta,

dessert, and drink.

\$25 max/family.

Rolls

March

April

20

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Volleyball Come and play!

Sunday Night Life

#### MFN

**Ministry to Men** – *Bible study* Wednesdays - 6:30 AM Wednesdays - 6:30 PM

#### WOMEN

**MOPS@gracepres** – For every mom No MOPS this week.

#### Women's Bible Studies

Bible study groups will not be meeting this week.

#### MIDWEEK GRACE

Midweek Grace Activities No Midweek Grace activities this week.

Potatoes, Rolls

27 Beef Pot Roast, Whipped

13 Hamburger & Fries

Garlic Bread

3/16/2016 2:24:11 PM

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Thursdays - 6 PM, Gym

Tonight, 6 PM, Sr. High Room

YOUNG ADULTS

group!

April 11.

**KIDS** Grace Kidz

Sundays -

YOUTH

Jr. and Sr. High

infant - age 4 — 8:30 AM

infant - sixth grade — 9:45 AM

infant - second grade — 11 AM

Sundays - 9:45 — 10:45 AM

No Jr/Sr High Youth Group this week.

Have a good time with your family!

**Bill Ropp Memorial Scholarship** 

with a love for the Lord that needs

Applications can be picked up at any

youth event. The deadline is Monday,

Come worship with us and join a Life

help with your college tuition?

Are you a high school senior attending Grace? Are you a committed student

## MARCH 20 ORDER OF WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

PRAYER OF ASSURANCE

#### WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

#### OFFERING OF THANKSGIVING

MESSAGE *"Humility"* Dr. Bryan Chapell Matthew 21:1-17 Page 826 in the Grace Bible

#### BENEDICTION

STEWARDSHIP/GIVING UPDATE AS OF March 6, 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

GRACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Presbyterian Church in America

8607 N. State Route 91

Sunday morning phone:

Peoria, IL 61615 309.693.3641

gracepres.org

309.589.6446

	\$1,561,000		\$1,464,978		(\$96,022)
Missions Giving (10% of Church Ministries Donations)What We PlannedWhat We Set AsideAhead/(Behind					
	\$156,100		\$146,498		(\$9,602)
(A	Additional Missions Offer What We Planned	ring	vs) What We Gave		Ahead/(Behind)
	\$74,359		\$67,805		(\$6,554)
Monthly Mortgage UpdateAs Of February 1As Of March 15Amount Reduced					
	\$3,999,998		\$3,043,998		\$956,000

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 Pat Dille - REACH BEYOND



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Ahead/(Behind)

Pat is a registered nurse working in the infection control division in the Hospital Voz Andes in Quito, Ecuador. Her other job responsibilities include housing coordinator for the mission's housing, and working visitor (short-term missionary) coordinator. In addition to these responsibilities, she facilitates a Bible study with two physicians, participates in a women's group at a local church in a poor neighborhood, and is a greeter and usher at the church she attends. To learn more about her current ministry and how to pray for her, visit the Missions Kiosk near the main entrance and pick up her newsletter.

