

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, October 1, after either service to meet our pastors and learn about our church! A meal is provided.

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

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sign-up for the Grace Family Picnic Bags Tournament

Sunday, September 17, Following Second Service

Do you have that perfect arm, an amazing arch, or just uncanny luck? Sign up your 2-person team in the Atrium today. All ages are welcome.

Grace Family Christmas Rehearsals

Beginning Today, 4 PM — Chapel

This choir is open to high school students and adults. Please register on the website under Worship, before coming to rehearsal.

Symphonic Winds Rehearsals

Wednesdays, Beginning September 27, 6 PM — Worship Center

If you are interested in joining this instrumental group, please contact the director, Wayne Heinemann at waynenlaine@att.net.

Tenth Avenue North Concert

Thursday, September 28, 7 PM — Worship Center

To avoid processing fees, tickets are on sale after services the month of September, across from the Café. They are also available in the office, Monday-Friday, 9 AM - 4:30 PM. Ticket prices: \$22 General Admission, \$35 Early Entry, and \$45 VIP. Questions? Contact Pennie at pcrowley@gracepres.org.

Open Position: Teen Choir Director

If you have a passion for youth as well as music and would like to be considered to conduct our Teen Choir this year, please contact Kevin King at kking@gracepres.org.

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Clubs Begin This Wednesday Night!

We are excited for another fun year of Kidz Klub, Pioneer Girls, and Boys' Brigade! Our children will learn more about God and experience Him in new ways. Be sure to register your child online at gracepres.org/children before the first night to make check-in easier!

Boys' Brigade Extravaganza

Today, 12:30 PM — Gym/West Lawn

All boys, 1st - 6th grade, and their dads are invited to our Extravaganza today. Lunch will be served. There will be games and an opportunity to learn more about the Boys' Brigade program.

Tuesday Morning Child Care

Would you like to make a little extra money this fall? KIDventure is hiring nursery workers, preschool helpers, and home school teachers for their Tuesday morning classes. If interested, please contact Julie Cordes at jcordes@gracepres.org.

ADULTS

His Alone Fellowship

Friday, September 15, 11:30 AM — Grace

Meet at the "cross entrance." We will travel together by bus to the home of Tony and Barb Plattner. This event is for all single women (widowed, divorced, or never married). Contact Joy Moore with questions at 309.713.3918.

Grace Women's Fellowship

Tuesday, September 19, 7 PM — Front Porch

The program will be SILVER SNEAKERS by Sue Neff. Call Carol Learned with any questions at 309.231.0401.

Peoria Mayor's Prayer Breakfast

Thursday, September 21, 6:30 AM — Peoria Civic Center

Join us in praying for Peoria at this event by purchasing tickets at peoriamayorprayerevent.com. The speaker will be Jason Brown, former NFL lineman and founder of First Fruits Farm. The Grace Men's Quartet will also perform.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September

13 *Midweek Grace Begins*

17 *Church Picnic*

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 —

8:30 AM, Infant - Pre-K 5's

9:45 AM, Infant - Sixth grade

11 AM, Infant - Second grade

YOUTH

Jr. and Sr. High

Sundays, 9:45 - 10:45 AM

Sr. High Crossed Out Fall Kick-off

Tonight, 6-8 PM — Sr. High Room

You don't want to miss it!

YOUNG ADULTS

Volleyball

Thursday, 6 PM — Gym

Lunch

Today, 12:30 PM — Sr. High Room

Join us for lunch and announcements about the upcoming year.

MEN

Ministry to Men Bible Study

Wednesdays, 6:30 AM — Front Porch

WOMEN

Common Ground: Women's Groups

Tuesday, 9:30 AM — Various Rooms

Peoria MOPS

Tuesday, 9:30 AM — Jr. & Sr. High Rooms

Women's Bible Study

Wednesday, 6:30 PM — Conference Room

Moms at Night

Wednesday, 6:30 PM — Front Porch

MIDWEEK GRACE

Midweek Grace Meal

Wednesday, 5:15 PM — Gym

Oven roasted chicken, vegetable, and rolls. Meal includes salad bar, dessert, and drink.

\$6/adults, \$3/kids 10 and under, \$25 max/family.

Midweek Grace Activities

Wednesday, 6:30 PM

Join us for classes and activities for all ages.

SEPTEMBER 10

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

"A Saving Grace"
Pastor Bryan Chapell
Romans 3:19-26
Page 941 in the Grace Bible

BLESSING FOR GOD'S MISSION

Today's sermon outline has been translated into Hindi, Mandarin, and Spanish. Feel free to pick one up at the Welcome Center.

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今天的讲道已被翻译成中文，你们可以拿一个在欢迎中心。

La prédica de hoy ha sido traducida al Español. No dude en recoger una copia de la traducción en el centro de bienvenida.

STEWARDSHIP/GIVING UPDATE AS OF AUGUST 27, 2017

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)
\$2,879,000	\$2,678,106	(\$200,894)

Missions Giving (10% of Church Ministries Donations)

What We Planned	What We Set Aside	Ahead/(Behind)
\$287,900	\$267,811	(\$20,089)

(Additional Missions Offerings)

What We Planned	What We Gave	Ahead/(Behind)
\$155,192	\$134,834	(\$20,358)

Monthly Mortgage Update

As of August 1	As of September 1	Amount Reduced
\$2,302,000	\$2,279,000	\$23,000

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!

IN REMEMBRANCE

Adrian Brice (Bud) Reining - September 1, 2017. Father of Brice (Skipt) Reining, Julianne Richie and Michele Reese.

MISSIONARY HIGHLIGHT

Michael and Leslie Rebholz — *Cru/Athletes in Action*



The dream of Athletes in Action (AIA) is to see Christ-followers on every team, every sport, and in every nation. Mike and Leslie will serve in Leadership Development and Human Resources, Mike has stepped up to be the co-interim director. Leslie has taken the role of New Staff Ministry Partnership Development Coordinator in addition to being a support coach. To learn more about them and how to pray for them, visit the Missions Kiosk near the main entrance and pick up their newsletter.

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