

GRACE COVENANT CHURCH

# Lord's Day

SERVICE



## W O R S H I P   G U I D E

Grace Covenant Church is a covenanted community of Christians who are compelled by God's Word and commissioned to the nations.

Liturgy for Sunday, December 3, 2023



Call to Worship

John 1:43-51

Olivia Hand

<sup>43</sup>The next day He decided to go to Galilee, and He found Philip. And Jesus said to him, “Follow Me.” <sup>44</sup>Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. <sup>45</sup>Philip found Nathanael and said to him, “We have found Him of whom Moses wrote in the Law, and the prophets *also wrote*: Jesus the son of Joseph, from Nazareth!” <sup>46</sup>Nathanael said to him, “Can anything good be from Nazareth?” Philip *said* to him, “Come and see.” <sup>47</sup>Jesus saw Nathanael coming to Him, and said of him, “Here is truly an Israelite, in whom there is no deceit!” <sup>48</sup>Nathanael said to Him, “How do You know me?” Jesus answered and said to him, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you.” <sup>49</sup>Nathanael answered Him, “Rabbi, You are the Son of God; You are the King of Israel!” <sup>50</sup>Jesus answered and said to him, “Because I said to you that I saw you under the fig tree, do you believe? You will see greater things than these.” <sup>51</sup>And He said to him, “Truly, truly, I say to you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man.”

**Hark! The Herald Angels Sing**

Congregation

**Sing We The Song of Emmanuel**

Congregation

Pastoral Prayer

Thomas Gamble

**When Trials Come**

Congregation

**Ancient of Days**

Congregation

Prayer of Praise

Al Johnson

Reading of the Preaching Passage

Chase Hahn

Prayer of Illumination

Chase Hahn

Sermon

Chase Hahn

**Daniel 7:1-14**

“Who Will Slay the Dragon?”

Prayer of Private Confession

Congregation

Prayer of Public Confession

Thomas Gamble

**On That Day**

Congregation

Lord's Supper

Church

Benediction

Colossians 3:16-17

Travis Hand

<sup>16</sup>Let the word of Christ dwell richly among you, in all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another through psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.

<sup>17</sup>And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

-And with that, Grace Covenant Church, you are sent!-

**Weekly Prayer:**

*Pray for our church*-This week we are praying Colossians 4:2 in connection with our membership covenant's commitment to pray for one another. It says, "Devote yourselves to prayer; stay alert in it with thanksgiving." Pray that we would see the value of prayer as communion with God. Pray we would see the blessing of lifting one another up to our God. Pray we would be loving enough to share and to hear meaningful prayer requests in one another's lives.

*Pray for a church*- This week we are praying for First Baptist Church Cedar Key. Pray for their pastor, Billy Dalton, his wife, Heather, and their 3 other pastors. Pray for their conference to equip other churches coming up this week. Pray that they would navigate growth and space issues well. Pray for their church and

pastoral resident, Jacob Hoover, as they prepare to plant a church in Marianna in the coming year!

*Pray for the Church-* This week we are praying for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Pray for the 3500 families around the world supported and sustained by this offering from Southern Baptists. Pray that the Lord would encourage and equip them in their work. Pray that their churches would support them, pray for them, and direct them. Pray they would be faithful to share the Gospel and disciple those they serve. Pray the Lord would receive Glory through this offering and those served by it.

**Looking Ahead:**

- Next week's sermon will come from Genesis 22.
- Our next Member's Meeting will be Sunday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>, following our Lord's Day Gathering.
- Our Christmas Youth Night will be hosted by the Gambles on Saturday, Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>, at 4 PM.
- We will have a Christmas Lessons and Carols service hosted by the Carlsons on Friday, Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>, at 5 PM.
- Our Lord's Day Service on Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> will be held at a special time of 3 PM.

**Giving:** If you would like to partner with us, you can do so at the giving stations in the worship center, or online at [Gccgo.org](http://Gccgo.org)

**Sermon in a Sentence:** Though evil kingdoms will arise, and in the face of uncertain odds, Christ will stand triumphant over all his enemies, establishing his heavenly kingdom forever.

I. Vision of \_\_\_\_\_ . (v1-8)

a. \_\_\_\_\_ will have its day.

b. \_\_\_\_\_ firm.

II. Vision of \_\_\_\_\_ . (v9-10)

a. God is still on the \_\_\_\_\_ .

b. \_\_\_\_\_ his reign.

III. The \_\_\_\_\_ is Defeated. (v11-12)

a. Evil's rule is only \_\_\_\_\_ .

b. Watch and \_\_\_\_\_ .

IV. The Son of Man is \_\_\_\_\_ . (v13-14)

a. \_\_\_\_\_ is Lord of all.

b. Have \_\_\_\_\_ in him.