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Prayer Items

- Ask God to give us as a church a kingdom mindset (Matthew 6:33), where we seek first His kingdom and not our own; His righteousness and not our own preferences.
- Pray for the ministry of Harvest Bible Church (our sister church in Ellsworth), and for Pastor Marc Compton and his family.
- Praise God for the great things He has done in your life (especially your salvation!) and in the life of this church.

Church Service 10:30 a.m.

Welcome to Grace Community Fellowship!

Welcome to Grace Community Fellowship! We are glad that you are here.

If you are new to Grace, please take a moment to **fill out the communication card** attached to this program and drop it in one of the boxes at the back of the auditorium or take it to the Connect Desk in the lobby.

- Nursery (0–24 months and 2–3 years) is available during the whole service
- Kids Time (4 years–1st grade) is available during the sermon time
 - Nursery and kids classrooms are located through the double doors in the back of the auditorium
- Activity bags are available on the coat rack in the back of the auditorium for children who are staying in the service
- Hearing assistance devices are available on the table in the back of the auditorium

We are excited to worship with you this morning!

What's Happening at Grace

Check our calendar on the Church Center App or at gcfhillsboro.net for continuous up-to-date information.

BRING/BUILD: Bible Reading Plan

We invite you to join us in our church family Bible reading plan. Details for the new 2023 portion of the reading plan are available online at gcfhillsboro.net/biblereading and in-person at the info wall in the lobby.

BRING/BUILD: March Memory Verse

Psalm 135:5–6

Get Baptized at Grace

We will have baptisms during our Easter gathering on Sunday, April 9. For those interested in being baptized, there will be a required prep class immediately following the service today in Room 122.

Grace Connections

Looking to take your next step at Grace? Join us for Grace Connections on Saturday, April 22 from 6:00–8:00pm and Sunday, April 23 from 9:15–10:00am. Learn about what we believe, how we operate, and how you can get connected. Light snacks and childcare will be provided, so please sign up at the Connect Desk.

Easter Lilies

We plan to decorate our building with Easter lilies again this year for Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday. If you would like to contribute \$8 for the cost of an Easter lily in memory of someone, you are encouraged to do so. Please email gcfhillsboro@gmail.com or fill out a communication card with information regarding the person(s) in whose memory you are purchasing a lily. We will list those remembrances in our program on Easter Sunday. Payment may be marked “lily” and placed in the offering. You can plan to take your flower home with you after the service on Easter Sunday.

Statistics from Previous Sunday

Attendance: 160

General Fund Offering: \$11,047.35

Ways to Connect with Us



gcfhillsboro.net
gcfhillsboro.churchcenter.com



Grace Community Fellowship



info@gcfhillsboro@gmail.com



Connect Table in Foyer



Church Center App

THIS WEEK

Today
March 29

Baptism Prep Class | immediately after service | room 122
Wednesday Night Groups | family meal at 6:30, gatherings at 7:00–8:00pm
menu: hamburgers/hot dogs, chips, dessert

UPCOMING

April 5
April 6
April 9
April 22–23

NO Wednesday Night Groups
Maundy Thursday service | 7:00pm
Easter Sunday | NO nursery or kids time
Grace Connections | Saturday, 6:00–8:00pm and Sunday, 9:15–10:00am

Giving

We believe that regular giving to the local church is an essential act of worship in response to God's provision for us. And **when you give here at Grace, you are directly supporting and playing a part in a number of local, domestic, and global ministries:**

- Church planting through Synergy Kansas
- Fellowship of Evangelical Churches
- Africa Church Planting Initiative
- FEC Basque Country Initiative in Spain
- Austin Unruh, serving at Echo Ranch Bible Camp in Alaska
- Main Street Ministries
- Heartland Pregnancy Care Center
- Hillsboro Senior Center
- Hillsboro Area Ministerial Alliance
- Local first responders

You can give during the service by placing your tithes and offerings in one of the two boxes in the back of the auditorium or you can give online as a one-time gift or set up automatic withdrawals at gcfhillsboro.net/give-online

General Budget Income 2023: \$54,360.44