# 05/04/2025

#### Welcome

#### **Call to Worship**

Psalm 100

### **Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs**

Psalm 100: All People That on Earth Do Dwell Come, People of the Risen King

## **Scripture Reading**

Romans: 11:33-36

I Stand In Awe

## **Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer**

1 John 3:23-4:6

## **Message Series**

Discerning Truth and Error 1 John 4:1-6

#### Communion

O Mighty Cross

#### Closing

Hallelujah, What a Savior!

#### Benediction

**Welcome Guests** - We are glad you joined us this morning. Please stop by the Welcome Center and pick up a visitor's packet.

**Nursing Mothers** On Sunday mornings, between 9:00 a.m. - noon, Conference Room 2 (located at the top of the ramp) is reserved for nursing moms.

**Nursery** is available during the 9:00 a.m. classes and 10:30 a.m. Worship Service for newborns - 2 years old.

**Closed Caption** is available during the sermon on your mobile device. Visit the Welcome Center for instructions or scan the QR code at an entrance into the Worship Center.

#### **Grace Church of Rootstown**

## **Today with Grace Church**

#### 9:00 a.m. - Classes

Children (4 yrs-5th Grade)Children's Wing (Lower Level)Student Ministries (6th-12 Grade)Room 101 (Lower Level)Adult ClassFellowship Hall (Upper Level)Young Adult ClassRoom 6 (Lower Level)

#### 10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

Worship Center

Children's Church (Children are dismissed at the beginning of the sermon to meet Janet Draa in the foyer)

#### 6:00 p.m. - Sunday Nights With Grace

AWANA Talent Night No evening meetings

#### Worship Center

#### **Announcements**

#### **AWANA Talent Night**

Join us this evening, Sunday May 4, in the Worship Center for the AWANA Talent Show Night! Come and support this group of talented, fun, entertaining sweet kids!

# **Wedding Celebration**

Caleb and Elizabeth Burdett were married Saturday, April 26, 2025. Please join us Saturday, May 24, 2025, to celebrate from 1-4 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to LeAnna Burdett (330)328-4112. If you would like to bring a tray of cookies, a sign up sheet is at the Sign-up Center. Contact Kim Jackson if you have any question.

#### Registrations

Registration is now open for 2025 VBS and Youth Summer Camp!

- VBS July 13 17
- Youth Summer Camp July 20 26

Pray for the Lord's seed to take root in the hearts of the children and teenagers that will be able to attend.

For more information call the church office or visit <a href="https://gcor.churchcenter.com/registrations/events">https://gcor.churchcenter.com/registrations/events</a>

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#### **VBS Church Decorating**

If you are interested in helping decorate the church for VBS this year, JOIN in the fun! Sign up sheet is in the foyer at the Sign-up Center. Contact Anna Paulding with any questions.

#### **Service Opportunity**

GCOR is looking for a volunteer to help clean the restrooms twice a month. If you are interested in serving, please contact Connor Draa.

#### **Membership Classes**

If you would like to receive more information about the values and philosophy of Grace Church, or if you have been thinking about joining this body of believers, contact the church office. Attending does not necessitate membership, but anyone desiring to become a member of Grace Church needs to go through one of these classes. For additional information, call the church office or visit <a href="https://www.gracechurchrootstown.com/membership">https://www.gracechurchrootstown.com/membership</a>.

## **Children's Ministry Needs**

Children's Ministries is in need of one more teacher to fill a new Sunday School class, ages 3-4. Teachers and two helpers will share in a rotation for this class. We are also in need of teachers and helpers for this same age group during church hour. Teachers and helpers must be members of GCOR and must complete and pass a background check. Please contact Katti Simkanin at <a href="mailto:ksimkanin@gmail.com">ksimkanin@gmail.com</a> or 330-328-7967 with any questions or interest.

#### **Church Center App**

This app is available for your mobile device. It will allow you to sign up for an event, give financially, search the church online directory, and view the church calendar. For more information, <a href="https://home.planningcenteronline.com/">https://home.planningcenteronline.com/</a>

# **Nursery Workers**

<u>Today</u>

**Next Week** 

9:00 a.m.

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Elle Evans; Janet Draa

Grace Fronk; Emilie Marion

10:30 a.m.

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Karen Hartley; Lorie Fronk

Shelli Fergis; Sharon Richardson

# **Children's Church Helpers**

Today

**Next Week** 

Janet Draa; Sherry White Elise Kennedy Kathy Pritt; Katy Lookabaugh Charlotte Simkanin

Lesson - Loneliness

Lesson - Lying

# This Week's Calendar May 4 - May 10

**Monday** 

7:00 - Prayer Meeting

Fellowship Hall

<u>Tuesday</u>

10:00 - Women's Bible Study

Conference Room 1

<u>Wednesday</u>

7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Worship Center

7:00 PM - Youth Group

Conference Room 1

**Thursday** 

7:00 PM - Women's Bible Study

Fellowship Hall

### 2025 Financials

**General Budget** 

**Capital Improvement** 

\$ 40,415.94 - March Giving \$ 22.00 - March Giving \$ 25,370.00 - Monthly Budget \$505.00 - April 6 \$ 85,497.36 - Giving YTD \$ 30.32 - April 13 \$ 76,110.00 - Budget YTD \$ 0.00 - April 20 \$ 0.00 - April 27

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Missionary Spotlight
May 2025 - H.C. and Chingboi Hangsing

- -Pray for lasting political solution to the Manipur Ethnic conflict.
- -Pray for ministry to the outcast and drug addicts.
- -Pray for their ministry to the homeless.
- -Pray for their Christian school ministry.
- -Pray for their two children, John and his wife Sarah, who are newlyweds and in ministry, and daughter, Keziah, at Cedarville, studying nursing.



May 4 - AWANA Talent Night

May 5 - Prayer Meeting

May 11 - Mother's Day

May 15 - Senior Luncheon

May 17 - Men's Breakfast

May 18 - Secret Sister Reveal Luncheon
AWANA Awards Night

May 25 - Church Picnic at the Paulding's

May 26 - Office Closed



# Discerning Truth and Error

1 John 4:1-6

**Tim Paulding Pastor - Teacher** 

May 4, 2025

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