

06/29/2025
Welcome
Call to Worship
Psalm 100
Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs
All Creatures Of Our God And King
We Will Glory
Scripture Reading
Psalm 103
His Mercy Is More
Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer
Luke 15
Solo
When God Ran
Message
The Merciful Father
Luke 15:11-32
Closing
Wonderful Merciful 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.

Mother's Room -is a space available for nursing babies or mothers to tend to children during service. Livestream is available. Conference Room 2 (located at the top of the ramp) on Sundays 9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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

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.



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Today with Grace Church		
9:00 a.m. - Classes		
Children (3 yrs-6th Grade)	Children's Wing (Lower Level)	
Student, Adult, & Young Adult classes will meet in the Worship Center		
Student Ministries (6th-12 Grade)		
Adult Class		
Young Adult Class		
10:30 a.m. - Worship Service		Worship Center
Children's Church (Children are dismissed at the beginning of the sermon to meet Julie Draa in the foyer)		
12:15 a.m. - Women's Ministry		
Leadership Meeting	Room 6 (Lower Level)	
6:00 p.m. - Sunday Nights With Grace		
Young Men's Bible Study	Conference Room 2	

Announcements

Ken and Amy Lowe

Ken and Amy Lowe, our missionaries from Portugal (Resourcing Local Churches in Portugal) will be visiting us today. Ken will teach the morning classes to all adults and youth from 6th grade - 12th grade in the Worship Center at 9:00 a.m. To learn more about Ken and Amy and their ministry, visit their website (drkenlowe.com).

Gift Baskets Community Picnic

If you would be interested in putting together a few gift baskets for the Community Picnic, please contact Kim Jackson at 330-607-5920.

VBS Volunteers

Vacation Bible School will take place July 13-17, 2025! If you are interested in helping with VBS this year the sign-up sheet with details are in the foyer at the Sign-up Center. If you have any questions please contact Kim Jackson.

Community Picnic

Join us for our Community Picnic! Saturday, July 19, 2025 from 12:00 - 3:00 p.m. for a fun filled day of food, fellowship, music, and family activities. Everyone is welcome! Sign-up sheets are located in the foyer at the Sign-up Center.

VBS Snack Donations

We are collecting snacks for VBS. If you would like to donate, a list of items needed, and the donation basket are located at the Women's Ministry Center. If you have any questions, please contact Janet Draa.

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Registrations

Registration is now open for **2025 Vacation Bible School** and **Youth Summer Camp!** If you haven't registered for Youth Summer Camp don't wait any longer. **Today is the deadline to guarantee your T-shirt.** Registration will remain open to attend camp through July 13, 2025.

Vacation Bible School 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 <https://gcor.churchcenter.com/registrations/events>

Men's Bible Study

The Men's Bible Study will meet at the Lookabaugh's (7101 St. Rt. 44, Ravenna, 44266) on the following dates at 6:00 p.m. Contact John Lookabaugh with any questions.

- June 4th
 - June 18th
 - July 2nd

- July 16th
 - August 6th
 - August 20th

Women's Bible Study Summer Sundays

Women's Bible Study will meet July 6 and August 10 at 6:00 p.m. at the Lookabaugh's (7101 St. Rt. 44, Ravenna 44266) Snacks, Fellowship, and Prayer.

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 <https://www.gracechurchrootstown.com/membership>.

Nursery Workers

Today

Next Week

9:00 a.m.

Elle Evans; Janet Draa

9:00 a.m.

Grace Fronk; Sharon Richardson

10:30 a.m.

Vicki Letts; Lorie Fronk

10:30 a.m.

Shelli Fergis; Hannah Fuhry

Children's Church Helpers

Today

Next Week

Julie Draa; Debbie Kaufman
Elise Kennedy

John Lookabaugh; Daryl Evans
Charlotte Simkanin

Lesson - Pilgrims Progress 3

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This Week's Calendar
June 29 - July 5

Tuesday

7:00 P.M. - Worship Team and Band Rehearsal

Worship Center

Friday

Independence Day - Office Closed

2025 Financials

General Budget

Capital Improvement

\$ 22,199.73 - May Giving
\$ 25,370.00 - Monthly Budget
\$130,770.10 - Giving YTD
\$126,590.00 - Budget YTD

\$151.00 - April Giving
\$ 25.00 - June 1
\$ 0.00 - June 8
\$ 0.00 - June 15
\$. 0.00 - June 22

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Missionary Spotlight

June 2025 - Jim and Kathy Tanner

Please pray with us and for us!

(See their newest prayer letter on the mission table and see the stories and pictures from this trip)

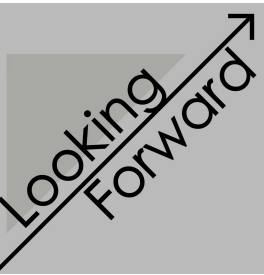
Jim had an amazing opportunity to speak at the 75th anniversary celebration of New Tribes Mission in Papua New Guinea. After retiring from PNG in 2021, God opened the doors for him to go there and speak again to four different groups.

Thank God that many of the people there know and love Christ. It made all the years they lived there with them all well worthwhile.

"We want to thank all of you who prayed and gave financial assistance for this trip."

Let us praise God for this opportunity to revisit the work he was a part of for so many years.

Pray for Jim and Kathy's health and for all their financial needs.



July 2 Men's Bible Study
July 4 Independence Day/Office Closed
July 6 Women's Bible Study
July 7 Prayer Meeting
July 13-17 VBS
July 16 Men's Bible Study
July 19 Community Picnic
July 20-26 Youth Summer Camp
July 31 Elders' Meeting

<https://calendar.planningcenteronline.com>

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The Merciful Father

Luke 15:11-32

Scott Burdett
Pastor - Elder

June 29, 2025

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