

Call to Worship

Psalm 145:17-21

Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs*How Great**Come Thou Fount***Scripture Reading** - Ephesians 5:8-20*O Church Arise (Arise, Shine)***Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer**

John 17:1-19

Song of Proclamation*Ancient Words***Message**

Jesus Prays for His Disciples: Petitions

John 17:11-19

Closing*He Will Hold Me Fast***Benediction**

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

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

Nursing Mothers Conference Room 2 (located at the top of the ramp) is available between the 9:00 and 10:30 hours for.

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.

**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 10 (Lower Level)

Adult Class - Survey of the Old Testament

Fellowship Hall (Upper Level)

Young Adult Class - *Genesis*

Room 6 (Lower Level)

10:30 a.m. - Worship Service

Worship Center

Jr Church (Children are dismissed at the beginning of the sermon to meet John Lookabaugh at the Welcome Center)

Announcements**Summer Camp**

The youth group will be leaving for camp right after the service today. Pray for God's mercies for travels down to camp and back and for the those that will be traveling down this week to teach and help. Pray for spiritual growth for our youth and for those who may have not come to true saving faith, that by God's grace, they do.

Children's Ministry

Due to God's provision in increased attendance, we are expanding our classes and are in need of volunteers to teach or help in Children's Ministries. More information can be found at the Welcome Center. Please contact Katti Simkanin at ksimkanin@gmail.com or 330-328-7967 with any questions or interest.

Provisions From Grace

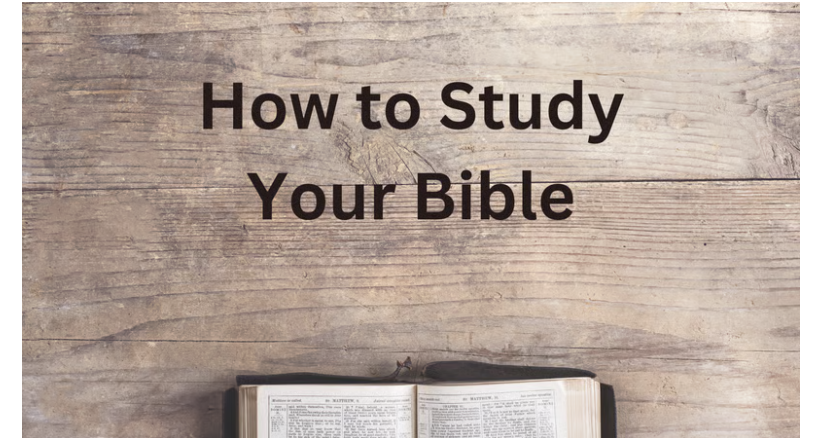
We are collecting school supplies for Rootstown School again this year to help children who need help with supplies. We have a basket by the Women's ministry table for you to place your donated items. There is a list of the items needed by the basket, please feel free to take one. Your giving will bring smiles to the faces of many Kids!

Save the Date

On November 1 and 2, Dr. John Street will join us as we host a biblical counseling conference. More information to come.

Facility Improvements Update

The renovation downstairs is moving along. Painting is almost complete. New lighting and ceiling will be next, then flooring. Updated furniture will be part of the improvements. Thank you for your continued investment in the life of the church. Estimated cost is \$18,000. If you desire to give toward this project, you can do so online by selecting "Capital Improvements" or by check indicating "Capital Improvements" on the memo line.

**How to Study Your Bible**

This ten-week class is open to men and women and will guide you in sound hermeneutical principles in order to effectively study the Bible for yourself. Beginning September 5, this class will meet every first and third Thursday of the month. For more information and registration, visit the church website or Church Center app.

**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 the church calendar. For more information, <https://home.planningcenteronline.com/>

AWANA Secretary

We are in need of an AWANA secretary. Secretaries are responsible for maintaining accurate records and inventory, as well as other administrative-type duties for the different Awana clubs. If you are a member here at GCOR and have a desire to serve in this area please contact John Fergis at john@blashing.com.

Nursery Workers

Today

9:00 a.m.

Cathy Wilhelm; Melody Parkinson

10:30 a.m.

Lorie Fronk; Vicki Letts

Next Week

9:00 a.m.

Mike Pritt ;Janet Draa

10:30 a.m.

Shelli Fergis; Hannah Pieplow

This Week's Calendar

July 21 - July 27

Wednesday

7:00 p.m. - Worship Team

Worship Center

2024 Financials

General Budget

\$ 25,822.25 - June giving
\$ 24,917.00 - Monthly budget
\$149,069.42 - Giving YTD
\$149,502.00 - Budget YTD

Capital Improvement

\$ 205.00 - June Giving
\$105.00 - July 7
\$0.00 - July 14

Looking Ahead

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- Ladies' Study- *The One Another Woman*, by Roberta Blakey. Choose your study day: Sunday evenings - Tuesday mornings - Thursday evenings. We will provide you with more details as we get closer to the week of September 8.
- Men's Study - Sunday evenings
- Young Adult Men Study - Sunday evenings
- AWANA - Sunday evenings

Grace Church Cookbook

We need recipes for our cookbook. Categories needed are as follows: Appetizer/Snacks, Main Dish Casseroles/Crockpot Meals, Pasta, Meat Dishes, Vegetable/Sides, Breads, Salads, Cheese Dishes, i.e., cheese ball, spreads. Desserts, Cookies, Candy, Pet Treats, Fun Food, i.e., edible play dough.

Recipes can be placed at the Worship Center, given to Kim Jackson, or sent to the office. It would be helpful if they were sent in a word document. Contact Kim Jackson if you have any questions.

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July 21, 2024

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