

Welcome**Call to Worship**

Psalm 71:1-8

Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs*Immortal, Invisible
How Great (Psalm 145)***Choir***O God Beyond All Praising***Scripture Reading & Pastoral Prayer**

John 19:28-42

Song of Proclamation*Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery***Message Series**Moving Toward the Light
John 19:38-42**Communion****Closing***New Doxology***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.

**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 Mrs. Pritt at the Welcome Center)

6:00 p.m. - Sunday Night's with Grace

AWANA

Gym

Ladies' Study

Fellowship Hall

Men's Study

Conference Room 1

Young Adult Men - *How To Study Your Bible*

Conference Room 2

Announcements**Youth and Young Adult Fall Camp - Registration Closes Today, Sunday, November 3**

Today November 3, is the last day to sign-up for camp. Join for a weekend of learning, fellowship, and fun, at Pine Lake Bible Camp in Caldwell, Ohio, November 8-10, 2024 for our Youth and Young Adult Fall Camp. Ages 12 to 30 are welcome! This year we will be doing a character study of Daniel. On-line registration is open. Cost is \$60.00 per person. If you have any questions, please contact Dan Fronk at danfronk8@gmail.com. For more information and registration, visit the church website or Church Center app.

Membership Class

The next New Member's Class will be offered on Sunday, November 10, at 12:15 PM in Conference Room 1. This class is for anyone who would like to learn more about the values and philosophy of Grace Church. Attendance does *not* necessitate membership, but anyone desiring to become a member of Grace Church needs to go through the class. If interested, email the church office at "office@GraceChurchRootstown.com." For additional information, visit [GraceChurchRootstown.com/membership](https://www.GraceChurchRootstown.com/membership).

Baptism

Our next baptism will be Sunday, November 17, 2024. If you desire to be baptized, please email the office at office@GraceChurchRootstown.com. Sign up deadline is Sunday, November 3, 2024.

Jr Church Christmas Program

We will begin working on our GCOR Kids Christmas Skit & Music today, October 6, during Jr Church time. Any "kid" up to 6th grade is welcome to join and participate. We will also have needs for older "kids" (meaning teens up to adults) to assist beginning in late November and through the performance evening, which is Sunday, December 15, 2024. Our schedule will be posted soon, but in the meantime, we will be practicing music and lines during Jr Church time with extra practices on the first two Saturday's in December. To be determined. Any question, contact Kathi Pritt 330-554-7332 (call or text).

Ladies Retreat 2024

Ladies mark your calendars for March 14-15, 2025, for our next Ladies Retreat in the heart of the Ohio's Amish Country. Join us for this sweet time of fellowship and teaching. Our speaker this year is Stacie Patton and the topic is *Abide - John 15*. The cost this year is \$80. This includes a double occupancy room, Friday evening meal, and on Saturday morning a continental breakfast. Register Now! Invite-A-Friend or two. Deadline to register is February 2, 2025, and payment is due by Sunday, February 23, 2025. Sign-up sheet is located at the Sign-Up-Center. For more information and registration visit the church website or the Church Center app.

Communion

GCOR is looking for one person to volunteer to help with communion. Set-up for communion is once a month on Saturday mornings. If you would like more information or are interested in serving, contact Marty Heinzman (330-325-1554).

Nursery Volunteer Opportunity

GCOR is looking for volunteers to serve in the nursery. If you are a member of GCOR and are interested in serving, contact Carly Ferrell or the office to get a Children's Nursery/Ministry Volunteer Application. All members seeking to serve in children ministries must complete and pass a background check.

Children's Ministry Needs

Children's Ministries is looking to fill a new Sunday School class, ages 3-4. We are in need of three teachers and two helpers to share in a rotation for this class. We are also in need of teachers and helpers for this same age group during church hour. Please contact Katti Simkanin at ksimkanin@gmail.com or 330-328-7967 with any questions or interest.

Nursery Workers

Today

9:00 a.m.

Cathy Wilhelm; Heather Kennedy

10:30 a.m.

Debbie Cross; Katy Lookabaugh

Next Week

9:00 a.m.

Kathi Pritt; Melody Parkinson

10:30 a.m.

Beth Slater; Carly Ferrell

This Week's Calendar

November 3 - November 9

Monday

7:00 PM - Prayer Meeting

Conference Room 1

Wednesday

7:00 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Worship Center

7:00 PM - Youth Group

Conference Room 1

Thursday

7:00 PM - How to Study Your Bible

Fellowship Hall

Friday

5:00 PM - Youth and Young Adult Fall Camp

Church Parking Lot

2024 Financials

General Budget

\$ 33,277.03 - September Giving

\$ 24,917.00 - Monthly Budget

\$ 243,555.74 - Giving YTD

\$ 224,253.00 - Budget YTD

Capital Improvement

\$1,292.00 - September Giving

\$5.00 - October 6

\$5.00 - October 13

\$5.00 - October 20

\$5.00 - October 28

Announcements

Welcome Center

To help keep the foyer and the Welcome Center organized, we have purchased new tables. There is now a table for sign-up sheets, a Women's Ministries table, and a missions table. There is also a small table located just to the right of the main church doors for children's activity books and crayons. To assist with keeping these areas clutter free, we are asking that no one brings items to sit on the tables, other than adding secret sister gifts on the Women's Ministries table. We appreciate your assistance in this matter.

GRACE CHURCH

OF ROOTSTOWN

Moving Toward the Light

John 19:38-42

**Tim Paulding
Pastor-Teacher**

November 3, 2024

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