Welcome Guests

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

Today

9:00 AM – Classes

<u>Children</u> (3 yrs. – 5th Grade) ~ Children's Wing (lower level).

Student Ministries - Gospel of John (6th-12th Grade) - Youth Room (lower level)

Adults – 2 Peter ~ Fellowship Hall (upper level)

Young Adults − Survey of Minor Prophets ~ Room 6 (lower level)

10:30 AM - Worship Service

6:00 PM - AWANA

Ladies Bible Study – We meet in Conference Room #1.

Men's Bible Study – Meet in Room 6

For additional class and ministry descriptions, visit our website – GraceChurchRootstown.com.

Announcements

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.

Nursery is available during the 9:00 AM classes and the 10:30 AM worship service.

Jr. Church begins after the singing portion of our service. Follow Mrs. Pritt down to Room 6. This is where parents will pick up students after the service.

A Candlelight Service will be on Saturday, December 24 at 6:00 PM. Handouts are at the Welcome Center to invite your family and friends.

AWANA – Tonight is "Dress Like Christmas Night." You can also earn extra shares if you have completed ½ of your book!

Christmas falls on a Sunday this year. We will not have Sunday School or Fellowship Time on December 25. We will have our regular Worship Service at 10:45 that day. Also, please plan that this is a Family Sunday. All children will stay with their parents (including nursery age).

Baptism – Our next baptism service will be on January 29, 2023. Please contact one of the elders or call the church office by January 1 if you are interested in being baptized.

Mailbox Lists are on the table by the mailboxes for those who might want to send out Christmas Cards to anyone here at Grace Church.

If you have not been given a mailbox number or if you cannot reach your box, please see Sherry White or call the church office at 330-325-7174.

Cookbook – The Ladies' Ministries have decided to continue collecting recipes for our new cookbook and have it ready in the Spring instead of Christmas. Recipes can be given to Kim Jackson, put in the basket at the Welcome Center, or emailed to the church. Thank you so much!

Church Center App is available for your mobile device. Search "Church Center" in your app store (Android or iOS) and install. Search "Grace Church of Rootstown" and follow the prompts.

This app will allow you to sign up for an event, give financially, view the church calendar and search the online directory.

For more info: GraceChurchRootstown.com/churchcenter

Directory – It's time to make a new directory with everyone's pictures! We will begin this process in January. Each family needs to pick up a Household Directory Form at the Welcome Center. Thank you for filling this out and turning it back in by January 8, 2023 so I can begin the new directory. If you have not been able to send an updated picture, you can get a picture over the holidays and send it to

office@gracechurchroostown.com or swhite@gracechurchrootstown.com

If you are a single adult and live with your parents, you can fill out your own or turn one in with your parents. Every adult please make sure you give your email address if you would like to receive emails from the church.

Also, please include your birth year or the computer assumes you were born this year! I promise not to give out that information!

Today's Nursery Workers

9:00 AM – Cathy Wilhelm Eva Pieplow

10:15 AM – Lorie Fronk Rachel Cross

November Financials

General Budget

 November Giving:
 \$17,584.94

 Monthly Budget:
 \$19,583.33

 Giving YTD:
 \$212,113.98

 Budget YTD:
 \$205,333.37

Capital Improvements

November Giving: \$0 Fund Total: \$9,994.69

There are three ways to give to Grace Church:

- By mailing a check to Grace Church at 4808 Tallmadge Road, Rootstown, PO Box 208, Rootstown, OH 44272
- By giving online at the church website; or
- By placing your gift at the Welcome Center.

This Week's Calendar geor.churchcenter.com/calendar

December 18 - 24

Tuesday – Ladies' Bible Study at 10 AM Meeting at Hope Paulding's today for our Christmas Party.

Wednesday – Youth Group at 7 PM

Thursday – 7 PM Christmas Party for the Ladies' Bible Study

Friday, December 23 - Office Closed

Saturday – Christmas Eve Service 6 PM

Upcoming Events

December 25 – 10:30 Worship Service (No Sunday School or Fellowship Time)

December 26 – Office Closed



Jesus Repairs Disordered Worship

Sermon Passage: John 2:12-22 Scripture Reading: John 2:12-25

Pastor Tim Paulding

December 18, 2022

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