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).

<u>Student Ministries</u> - 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 – No evening meetings this week. These activities will resume next Sunday, December 4.

<u>AWANA</u> – Meet in the gym for the opening, then go to individual rooms.

<u>Ladies' Bible Study</u> – Room 6

Men's Bible Study - Conference Room

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.

Calling all kid, teen, and adult talent for Jr Plus Church Christmas!

The children and volunteers are working hard to prepare a short Christmas program/pageant which will be shared the evening of December 11, 2022, before the adult choir program. The practice schedule will be handed out during Jr. Church on Sunday.

We hope you can join us for our 2 Christmas celebrations this year!

Christmas Concert will be on December 11 at 6:00 PM. Handouts are at the Welcome Center to invite your family and friends.

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. **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 at the Welcome Center for those who might want to send out Christmas Cards to anyone here at Grace Church. (Sorry about these lists not being there last Sunday! My mistake!)

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.

Our new Sunday Service Times: 9:00 – 10:00 Sunday School 10:00 – 10:25 Fellowship Time 10:30 – 12:00 Worship Service

Fellowship Time - Join us for a short time of Fellowship before the Worship service begins!

Would you like to help? There is a sign-up sheet on the Welcome Center to provide bagels/donuts or something similar along with coffee/juice during the half hour Fellowship Time between the Sunday School hour and Worship Service. More than one individual or family can team-up together on a Sunday to provide the refreshments. Questions? Ask Butch or Cathy Wilhelm.

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

The Youth Group would like to volunteer their services to help anyone in the congregation that would need work done around their homes. Of course, work that they could do, no rewiring a house or anything like that. Please contact Dan Fronk 330-931-1099, Lori Fronk 330-931-0675 or Heidi 330-931-7925 and we will get it set up for you.

Thank You, Dan Fronk (Youth Leader)

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!

Our Harvest Dinner was fabulous! A big THANK YOU to all who helped!

Today's Nursery Workers

9:00 AM – Kathi Pritt Melody Parkinson

10:15 AM – Shelli Fergis Hannah Pieplow

October Financials

General Budget

October Giving: \$19,520.09
Monthly Budget: \$19,583.33
Giving YTD: \$194,529.04
Budget YTD: \$186,666.70

Capital Improvements

October Giving: \$620.00 Fund Total: \$17,482.62

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.

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds.

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

November 27 – December 2

Tuesday - Ladies' Bible Study at 10 AM

Wednesday – Choir at 7 PM Youth Group at 7 PM

Thursday - Ladies' Bible Study at 7 PM

Upcoming Events

December 5 – Family Prayer Time

December 11 - Christmas Concert

December 15 – Senior Luncheon

December 16 – Youth Group Christmas Party at the Jackson's

December 24 – Christmas Eve Service at 6 PM

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

I will be glad and exult in you; I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.

Psalm 9:152



Being a part of the Church:

The Heavenly Father's Loving Plan For the Care of His Children

Scripture Reading: John 21:12-17

John Lookabaugh

November 27, 2022

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