
We are a family, building Christ-centered homes who impact their world.

GraceFirst Worship Service

5/25/25

Preparation for Worship

Announcements

Missions Spotlight: Ryan & Paola McCart

Call to Worship: Job 23:2-12

Offering

Hymns of Praise

Pre-K to 1st grade kids participating in Children's Church dismissed

Scripture: Philippians 4:4-9

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: Genesis 41, "Joseph the Dream Interpreter"

Hymn of Commission - #40

Benediction

"Pain, when properly handled, can shape a life for greatness."
– Charles Swindoll

If this is your first time at GraceFirst, we hope you'll give us the chance to get to know you better by filling out a Connection Card from the pew rack in front of you, then drop it off at the Welcome Center as you leave and pick up a small gift.

Wireless access: Username=GraceFirstGuest; Password=Psalm145:9

Looking ahead

MAY

26 Church Office Closed in observance of Memorial Day

27 Ladies' Lunch Out

11:30 am | Red Robin, 13th & Webb

28 Men's Ministry

6:30 pm | BBQ at the Rappards' (rescheduled from 5/8)

JUN

2-6 VBS

9 am - 11:30 am

4 No Youth Group

8 Baby Shower for Rebecka Keesling

4:30 pm | Rebecka and Adam are registered at Amazon and Target and they also suggested in lieu of gifts that people could give to Bridget's Cradles in Adalee's memory: <https://www.bridgetscradles.com/supplies>

10 Men's Lunch Out

11:30 am | Old Chicago, E. Kellogg

14 Baby Shower for Krista Sizemore

2 pm | Krista & Jake are registered at Target & Amazon. Instead of a card, please bring a children's book. RSVP by text to Shannon by June 7, 620-352-0625

15 & All-adult Sunday School

22 9:00 am

Next Sunday

Sunday School, 9:00 am

Worship & Communion, 10:15 am

Pastor Tim will continue in the series on Joseph.

Visit our website

www.gracefirst.church

VBS • June 2-6

Kids' registration is now open for VBS. To register, go to www.myvbs.org/GraceFirstChurch. Invite a friend! If you have any questions about volunteering, contact Amy Kusmaul.

Volunteers can still register at the above link, as well.

Giving Report

May 18:	\$ 16,407
4-wk avg:	\$ 10,636
YTD Giving:	\$ 224,194

Our Elders

Mark Goldberg, Chairman
Dave Sitz, Vice-Chairman
Sean Jahansooz, Secretary
Mike Kuss, Stewardship
Lowell Bergen
Kevin Angell
Pastor Tim Cho

“Joseph, the Dream Interpreter”

Genesis 41

Pastor Tim Cho May 25, 2025

Q: Does God reward those who do what is right before Him?

Big Idea: God blesses richly those who seek Him humbly.

1. Pharaoh's 2 Dreams of 7s Interpreted (vv. 1-32)

God's declared promises will come to pass.

2. From Prisoner to Prime Minister (vv. 33-45)

God refines His servants through humility to display His glory.

3. Joseph's Promotion of Purpose (vv. 46-49, 53-57)

God gives his servants wisdom to fulfill a Kingdom purpose.

4. From Humiliation to Healing (vv. 50-52)

God is the true source of healing from the pain of your past.

Pray for our Church Family

Bill Syrios and family
John Ruhl
Laurel Tiger

For additional prayer needs, pick up the prayer sheet at the Welcome Desk by the main entrance.

Recommended Reading for Apr - June (All books listed are in the library):

1. The Providence of God:
 - a. Gregg Allison, Historical Theology, Ch. 13: Providence, 277-297.
 - b. John Frame, No Other God: A Response to Open Theism, Ch. 5: Is God's Will the Ultimate Explanation of Everything, 57-87.
 - c. Wayne Grudem, Systematic Theology, Ch. 16: God's Providence, 420-444.
 - d. Charles Swindoll, Joseph: A Man of Integrity and Forgiveness.
2. God's Providential History:
 - a. Henry Morris, The Genesis Record, Ch. 22: Israel in Egypt – The Children of Israel, 627-668.
 - b. Bruce Shelly, Church History in Plain Language 5th Ed., Ch. 6: The Rules of Books – Formation of the Bible, 69-79.
3. Personal Response to God's Work:
 - a. Dietrich Bonhoeffer, The Cost of Discipleship, Ch. 2: The Call to Discipleship, 56-78.

GraceFirst Sermon Plans

<u>Date</u>	<u>Sermon</u>	<u>Preacher</u>
6/1/25	Gen. 42, "Joseph's Brothers"	Pastor Tim
6/8/25	Gen. 43-45, "Joseph's Identity Revealed"	Dr. Jahansooz
6/15/25	Gen. 46-47:12, "Jacob's Journey"	Pastor Jake
6/22/25	Gen. 47:13-27, "Joseph's Rule"	Pastor Tim
6/29/25	Gen. 47:18-50:14, "Jacob's Blessing &..."	Pastor Tim
7/6/25	Gen. 50:15-26, "Joseph's Summary"	Pastor Tim