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

GraceFirst Worship Service

6/1/25

Preparation for Worship

Announcements

Call to Worship: Ezekiel 18:21-23

Offering

Hymns of Praise

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

Scripture: James 1:12-21

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: Genesis 42, "The Sin that Remains"

Communion

Doxology & Benediction

"Every time you make a choice you are turning the central part of you, the part of you that chooses, into something a little different from what it was before, either into a heavenly creature or into a hellish creature. Each of us at each moment is progressing to the one state or the other." – C. S. Lewis

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

JUN

2-6 VBS

9 am - 11:30 am

4 No Youth Group

8 Baby Shower for Rebecka Keesling

2:00 pm | Rebecka and Adam are registered at 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 | Topic: Why we do what we do.

16 Ladies' Book Study

9:30 am | Ten-week study, The Pursuit of God by A.W. Tozier | Cost: \$6 for book | Sign up in the Lobby.

27 Ladies' Lunch Out

11:30 am | Carlos O'Kelly's, 13th/Webb

29- Sunday School Break

AUG 3

29 All-church Picnic

Next Sunday

Sunday School, 9:00 am

Worship, 10:15 am

Dr. Jahansooz will continue in the series on Joseph.

Visit our website

www.gracefirst.church

Giving Report

May 25:	\$ 7,578
4-wk avg:	\$ 11,397
YTD Giving:	\$ 231,772

Our Elders

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

“The Sin that Remains”

Genesis 42

Pastor Tim Cho June 1, 2025

Q: What effects will unrepentant sin have in a person's life?

Big Idea: While unrepentant sin will haunt you all your days, Jesus seeks your repentance to heal you in all your ways

The Punishment of Joseph's Brothers' Sins

1. Sin accuses you of shame, leading to your imprisonment (vv. 8-24)
2. Your unrepentant sins will find you out (vv. 21-22)
3. Sin leads to further cover up (vv. 29-34)
4. The consequences of sin affects others (vv. 36-38)

The Solution for the Guilt of Sin

1. Take responsibility for your sin (vv. 21-22)
2. God's seeks to forgive sinners through gracious means (vv. 25-28)
3. True freedom from the guilt of sin is only found through Jesus who paid for sin

Pray for our Church Family

Bill Syrios and family
John Ruhl

Vacation Bible School—kids and volunteers

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>
6/8/25	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
7/11/25	Preacher's Choice	Brandon N.