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

GraceFirst Worship Service

Preparation for Worship

Announcements

Call to Worship: Psalm 26

Offering

Hymns of Praise

Children's Church dismissed (Pre-K - 1st grade)

Scripture Reading: Psalm 51

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon: Luke 18:9-14, "Who Does God Promote?"

Communion

Doxology & Benediction

"For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." – Luke 18:14b

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

JUL

8 NO Youth Group

8 Prayer Meeting
6:45 pm

9 Tired but Inspired
9 am

13 Make a Kokedama (moss ball)
6:00 pm | Come and make a kokedama plant ball. | Cost: \$10
| Sign up in the lobby. Last day to sign up is THIS Wed., July 8. |
Contact: Amy K.

14 Men's Lunch Out
11:30 am | Old Chicago, E. Kellogg

15 Youth Group @ Genesis
6:30 pm

22 Youth Group @ GraceFirst
6:30 pm

22-25 Kids' Great Get-away
@ Camp Quaker in Ark City

23 Tired but Inspired
9 am

26- Youth Camp to Florida
Aug 1

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**5 Youth Pool Party @
Goldbergs'**

9 Sunday School resumes

Giving Report - June 28

'26 Budget:	\$ 671,649
Needed weekly:	\$ 12,916
June 28:	\$ 9,389
4-wk giving avg:	\$ 18,244
YTD rec'd:	\$ 322,206
YTD budget req'd	\$ 335,816
YTD ahead(behind):	\$ (1,361)

Next Sunday

No Sunday School thru 8/2

Worship, 10:15 am

*Dr. Sean Jahansooz will
be preaching.*

Our Elders

Kevin Angell, Chairman
Brandon Nemechek, Vice-Chairman
Dave Sitz, Secretary
Mike Kuss, Stewardship
Lowell Bergen
Marlin Penner
Pastor Tim Cho

“Who Does God Promote?”

Luke 18:9-14

Pastor Tim Cho

July 5, 2026

Q: What kind of a person does God promote in His Kingdom?

Big Idea: God takes and promotes the poor in spirit in His kingdom

The Pharisee's Piety (vv. 11-12)

The Publican's Prayer (v. 13)

1. Sinful life acknowledged

2. Seeks God's forgiveness

3. Savior for sin requested

Pray for our Church Family

Kandy Jones
Caroline Jahansooz's sister
Buhler Family

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

Recommended Reading for April - July:

(All books listed are in the library)

- A. John Frame, Systematic Theology, Ch. 16: God's Attributes: Power, Will, 335-358.
- B. John Frame, Systematic Theology, Ch. 25: God's Written Words, 562-590.
- C. Mark Dever, Nine Marks of a Healthy Church, Ch. 4: A Biblical Understanding of Church Membership, 121-144.
- D. J. P. Moreland and William Lane Craig, Philosophical Foundations for a Christian Worldview, Ch. 13: Free Will and Determinism, 267-284.
- E. J. I. Packer, Knowing God, Ch. 11: Thy Word is Truth, 98-105.
- F. Scott B. Rae, Moral Choices: An Introduction to Ethics (4th Ed.), Ch. 16: Immigration, Refugees, and Border Control, 459-479.

GraceFirst Sermon Plans

Date	Sermon	Preacher
7/12/26	Lk. 12/Mt. 24, "Master and Servant"	Dr. Jahansooz
7/19/26	Luke 16:19-31, "Rich Man & the Beggar..."	Pastor Tim
7/26/26	Lk. 19/Mt. 25, "The Talents"	Jordan Green
8/2/26	Matthew 25:1-12, "The Ten Virgins"	Kevin Angell
8/9/26	Lk 14/Mt 24, "The Great Marriage Feast"	Pastor Jake
8/16/26	1 Tim. 1:1-11, "The Goal..."	Pastor Tim
8/23/26	1 Tim. 1:12-20, "Hold on the Gospel..."	Pastor Tim
8/30/26	1 Tim. 2:1-7, "The Universal Scope..."	Pastor Tim
9/6/26	1 Tim. 2:8-15, "Men & Women in Worship"	Pastor Tim