

Truly Blessed: When It's Not About Me

Matthew 5:7

What's True in the Bible?

Growing in Mercy

1. Give _____ to the _____.
Matthew 5:7 / Luke 10:37

2. Give _____ to the _____.
Matthew 5:7 / Jude 22-23

3. Give _____ to the _____.
Matthew 5:7; 18:21-35 / Luke 6:36 / Ephesians 2:4 / Hebrews 2:17 / Exodus 34:6 / Deuteronomy 4:31

What's Real in my life?

- Who has shown me what being merciful looks like? How so?
- How has God been merciful to me?
- How can I show mercy to those who are doubting or lost? (Jude 22-23)
- "I find it difficult to show mercy to ___?" Why?

What's Next?

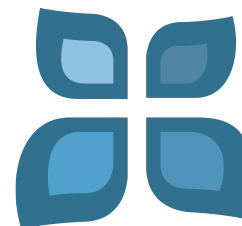
- Using the outline above, who can I be merciful toward this week?

Welcome to Grace!

May 30, 2021



Grace Community Church exists to love God,
love people, and lead others to do the same.



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Welcome to Grace

We are so glad you're joining us this morning!

We have a strong desire to know and experience God's love. It is His love for us which, in turn, inspires us to love God, love people, and lead others to do the same.

If you're a guest with us, we would love to hear from you! Go to gcc-online.org and click the blue button that says *Connect With Us* and tell us how we can serve you or pray for you. We would love to have you join us every Sunday at 9:00 or 10:45am!

If you have any questions or want more information about who we are and what we do, please take some time to browse our website at gcc-online.org.

Connect With Us



Want to know what opportunities the Men's Ministry offers for connection? Want to know when the next Baptism Prep class is happening? Have other questions? Our church website - www.gcc-online.org - is your number 1 spot to look for more information about ministries and events here at Grace.

Next step: Visit us online at www.gcc-online.org.

Next Steps with Grace



June 1 - 4 | Multiple Locations & Times

Summer Quest is our neighborhood-based vacation Bible school outreach. We set up shop in neighborhoods and parks throughout the community and invite local kids to come participate in four days of Bible lessons, singing, games, crafts, and more. Ages 4 to 4th grade.

Your next step: Sign up at gcc-online.org/summerquest.

Giving to the LORD at Grace

We believe that regular giving to the local church is an essential act of worship in response to God's generosity and provision for us. You can give at gcc-online.org, in the Church Center app, or at one of the baskets by the exits of the Worship Center.

Statistics from May 23

Worship Attendance: 540
Peak Online Attendance: 49
General Offering: \$10,744

Fiscal year as of April 30

Income: \$320,024
Expenses: \$263,238
Budget: \$337,908

Life at Grace



June 6 | 12:00 - 2:00pm | East Parking Lot

Join us for a day of celebration! We will have baptisms during both services followed by a cookout meal and kids' carnival after church starting at noon. Sign up to join us for the meal and to help at a carnival booth!

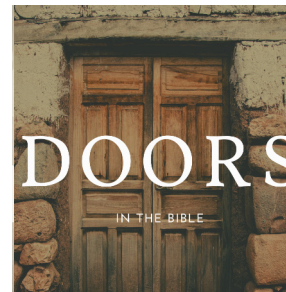
Your next step: Sign up at gcc-online.org/upcoming-events.



June 6 - August 1 | Summer Sundays

Summer Sundays are coming. Sunday school for kids and youth will be paused. We encourage everyone to take this opportunity to worship together as a family. The nursery will be operating as usual throughout the summer and we will have kids church for 3 -5 year-olds. Activity bags will be available as well!

Your next step: This summer, plan to join us as a family for worship and teaching.



June 7 - July 12 | 7:00 - 8:30pm | Fireside Room

Keeping with the May Day theme and the tradition of hanging flowers on doors, Mary Ellen Tippin will lead this study about the "doors" in the Bible! Each study is rather independent so even if you miss one or two, you can still be a part!

Your next step: Sign up online at gcc-online.org/women.



Staff Search Update

We are excited to have Will Regier join the staff as Pastor of Connection and Care. Look for an opportunity to meet Will and his family June 20.

We are still conducting interviews with candidates for the Youth Pastor and Children's Ministry Director positions.

Your next step: Please continue to pray for God's clear leading and wisdom as we look to grow the team.

For More Information

There are many opportunities for you to get connected and involved here at Grace! For more details, take some time to browse gcc-online.org. We especially recommend checking out the **Upcoming Events** page!