

Truly Blessed: When I Am Needy
Matthew 5:3

What's True in the Bible?

The Beatitudes
Matthew 5:3-10

1. They are _____.

2. They are _____.

3. They are _____.

The Blessed Life

1. We admit that we are _____.
Matthew 5:3 / Luke 18:13-14

We must accept our _____, before we can
receive our _____.

2. We believe that spiritual _____ outweigh earthly
_____.

Matthew 5:3-12 / Psalm 119:1-2 / Proverbs 30:8-9

What's Real in my life?

What does it mean to be "poor in spirit?"

When did I first realize I was spiritually poor?

How has Jesus used my spiritual poverty to bless me?

What's Next?

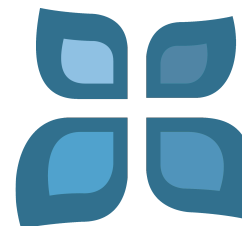
How can I embrace my spiritual poverty this week and receive God's blessings? Ask God to show you where you are spiritually poor. Turn that revelation into a prayer or praise this week.

Welcome to Grace!

May 9, 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 green 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



Follow us on Facebook

Follow us on Facebook to stay connected to Grace happenings. Find live streams of our Sunday services, announcements, highlights, upcoming events, and more.

Your next step: Search for "Grace Community Church" on Facebook, hit the Like button and you will get our updates in your news feed.

Next Steps with Grace



We are so excited anytime someone chooses to publicly identify with the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus through baptism! If that is you, we would love to celebrate with you publicly during our services on June 6th.

Your next step: Sign up at gcc-online.org/baptism. Then attend the prep class at 4:00pm in the Music Room on **May 16th**.

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 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 and Fireside Room.

Statistics from May 2

Worship Attendance: 460
Peak Online Attendance: 59
General Offering: \$15,348

Fiscal year as of March 31

Income: \$226,581
Expenses: \$189,060
Budget: \$253,431

Life at Grace



May 16 | 5:00 - 6:00pm | Fireside Room

Help us say thank you to Megan and Garrett, our Youth interns, for giving their time and talents to the youth ministry this year.

Your next step: Join us for fun and ice cream!



June 1 - 4 | Summer Quest

Summer Quest is almost here! We're setting up shop in neighborhoods and parks throughout the community and inviting local kids to come participate in four days of Bible lessons, singing, games, crafts, and more. Kids ages 4 - 4th grade are welcome.

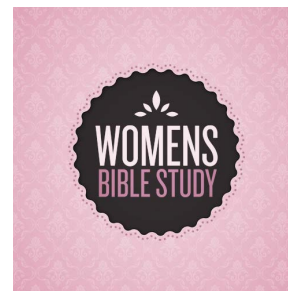
Your next step: Register your child(ren) online at gcc-online.org/summerquest.



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 & 4-year-olds.

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



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

Women of Grace, please join us for a Summer Bible study occurring every Monday evening through July 12. This study is open to all women ages 13+. We will study some of the "doors" in Scripture.

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

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!)