

GENESIS

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Tower of Pride

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THE GOSPEL IN
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You can listen to current and archived sermons on our website at
gcc-online.org/current-series

Let's worship together! 9am & 10:30am
Nursery & nursing mothers room available

Let's grow together! 9am & 10:30am
Adult Sunday School & Kids Church (3s - Pre-K)
Complete list of classes available at the Connection Desk

Starting Point 12:00pm | Fireside Room

Elevate 7:00pm | Casimir home (5028 N West Rd)
(College & high school students) Tie dye

Baby congrats to...

Rob & Charlie Ramseyer on the birth of their son, Robert Harold, on Sunday, May 27!

Ways to connect with us



gcc-online.org



Grace Community Church



gracecommunitynewton@gmail.com
(Shoot us an email and let us know that you want to receive our This Week at Grace emails)



Connection Desk in the foyer
(Stop by to browse our print materials and get answers to questions you may have)

Dear Guests,

Thank you for joining us. We realize there are many places you could be on a Sunday morning. We are so glad you are here! If you need any assistance, please see an usher or visit our Connection desk.

If you are a **first-time guest**, please complete the Communication Card (attached to this program) and bring it to the Connection Desk in the foyer to receive a free gift as a thank-you for visiting.

We invite you to **receive the blessings** of this morning's service without feeling compelled to give.

Grace Community Church family



If you are new to Grace or want to learn more we would love to give you an introduction to who we are and why we exist. Come to Starting Point at noon for a great opportunity to meet some of our staff and elders and get to know us as a church. You do not need to let us know you are coming, simply show up!

Summer Quest thank you

An enormous thank you to our 125+ amazing, but now very tired, Summer Quest volunteers for giving of themselves to share the gospel this week with children all over Newton and Walton! We enjoyed partnering with New Anthem Community Church in Park City for a location there as well. We were blessed with nearly 300 precious kids, at least six of which made a decision for Christ! We are grateful to the Lord for his protection, great weather, so many new faces and the work that He did and will do through Summer Quest. Thank you to each person who donated items and prayed over us this week - you were an important part of our team and we were blessed by you! To God be the glory!

Elevate

Our college and high school ministry is off to a great start! It fills our hearts with joy to watch students lead, minister and worship with the talents God is developing in them. We are especially encouraged that a number of non-believers and many young Christians are being discipled through this ministry. Please join us in praying that God would speak to the hearts of the students and break the chains of cultural lies.

Summer adult Sunday school class

Sundays through July 29 | 9:00am | Room 200/202

Anyone interested in an inside look at the Holy Land from the comfort of a classroom has a great opportunity this summer: this new adult Sunday school class will meet each week during the summer break to watch and discuss Ray Vander Laan's "That the World May Know" teaching series.

Christian Fiction Sunday school class

Sundays starting June 17 | 9:00am | Room 205

C.S. Lewis beautifully communicates biblical truth through his fiction writing. All are invited to join us for this class as we read through and discuss the truth found in his book *The Magician's Nephew* from the Chronicles of Narnia series.

June

- 11 Growing in the Dark | 7:00pm | Norm's (613 N Main)
- 14 Weekly Prayer Meeting | 3pm | Worship Center
- 17 Elevate | 7:00pm | Casimir home (5028 N West Rd)
- 17 Junior High Camp through 6/22
- 21 Elder Meeting | 6:30pm | Fireside Room

July

- 4 Office closed for Independence Day
- 11 Our week to serve at New Hope Shelter through 7/17
- 15 Baptism prep class | 4:00pm | Fireside Room
- 23 Christ In Youth trip through 7/28
- 29 Baptism Celebration | 5:30pm | Newton Pool (401 N Sante Fe)

For more details about these and other events, check out the **Upcoming Events** section at gcc-online.org

Grace Community Church Ministry Team

Lead Pastor: Jack Napier **Worship & Community Life:** Kyle Schanbacher
Counseling, Discipleship: Steve Friesen **GraceKids:** Juli Dirks
Student Ministries: Loren Kurtz **Nursery Director:** Lori Jordan
Creative Arts Director: Nathan Ehresman **Office Manager:** Janelle Paden

Grace Network Churches

Grace Community Fellowship (Hillsboro): Mike Barter
Grace Crossing (Moundridge): Jason Rains
New Anthem Community Church (Park City): Landon Jordan
Emmanuel Church (Bolivia): Roberto Torres

Board of Elders

Chairman: Mark Olsen **Vice Chairman:** Marc Friesen **Treasurer:** Gene Pankratz
 Jeff Couchman Steve Friesen David Hall Loren Kurtz David Landis
 Jack Napier Dave Reimer Kyle Schanbacher Audrun Siebert

Statistics from June 3

Worship Attendance: 628 **General Offering:** \$14,628

Giving

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 online** and set up **automatic withdrawals** at gcc-online.org or drop your offering in one of the **offering baskets** at the exits of the Worship Center. **Fiscal year as of 4/30/18**
 Income: \$325,451
 Expenses: \$334,445
 Budget: \$366,221