

### Sunday, February 25

- Sunday Morning Prayer
- Above & Beyond Pledge Sunday
- Fusion Meeting
- Choir Practice

### Tuesday, February 27

- Tuesday Morning Prayer
- Ladies Bible Study, Luke Part 1

### Wednesday, February 28

- GriefShare

### Thursday, March 1

- Co-op

### Friday, March 2

- Ladies Precepts Bible Study, Luke Part 2
- Youth Advance 2018 begins

### Saturday, March 3

- Youth Advance 2018

### Sunday, March 4

- Sunday Morning Prayer
- Youth Advance 2018 ends

CC Small... March 8

International Prayer... March 10

Daylight Savings Time ends... March 11

Meet the Pastors... March 11

Community Group Leaders Meeting... March 11

Starting Point... begins March 21

Graffiti Outreach Opportunity... March 24

Help Fill Easter Eggs... March 25

Ladies Spring Tea... April 14

Men's Ministry King's Dominion/Camping Trip...April 27-28

**1. Become a part of Realm!** This morning in your email inbox, you should have received an invitation from Grace Community to participate in Realm. We encourage you to get a Realm log-in because it makes it easier to give online and to register for GCC events. If you did not receive the invitation or if you have a problem with getting a log-in, contact [ellen@gracecommunity.org](mailto:ellen@gracecommunity.org) and we will help you.

**2. Our Sympathies** go out to Victor Roman-Nieves and his family on the loss of his grandmother.

**3. Youth Advance Bible Reading Plan:** Are you ready for YA? Join our FUEL Bible reading plan for the month leading up to Youth Advance. Grab a copy at the Information Center or follow along on [Instagram@gcccrosscurrent!](https://www.instagram.com/gcccrosscurrent/)

**4. A cross cultural experience for the whole family!** Are you interested in hosting a foreign student from Northeast India for the 2018/19 school year? Through our connections here at Grace, a 16 year old Christian student will be looking to spend his Junior year of high school at Harford Christian School in Northeastern Harford County. His father eagerly desires to identify a loving Christian family for his son to live with while doing his studies and is willing to modestly compensate for living expenses. If interested, contact [steve@gracecommunity.org](mailto:steve@gracecommunity.org).

**5. Ladies Precepts Bible Study-Luke, Part 2...** Join us on Friday mornings, 10:30 - 12:00 for this study in God's Word. For more info contact Debbie Palmer at 410-459-8924 or [debbielpalmer8@gmail.com](mailto:debbielpalmer8@gmail.com).

**6. Do you want to teach English as a second language?** Do you have the ability to speak, read and write English as a native speaker? Have a sensitivity and love for people of different cultures? Are you a committed Christian? The last chance to take ESL volunteer teacher training is March 8-9, 2018. It may be possible to still get into this class if we know of your interest by February 26. For more info. or to find out how to register, contact Susan at [wiseguys4jc@gmail.com](mailto:wiseguys4jc@gmail.com).

**7. International Prayer...** Join us as we pray for the world - including current events, persecuted believers, and missionaries. We will meet on March 10<sup>th</sup> from 5-6PM in the Prayer Room.

**8. EASTER EGG CANDY DONATIONS:** We're gearing up for our annual community Easter egg hunt on March 31st. One way you can help is to donate candy. Bring a bag of individually wrapped candy that can fit in an Easter egg, and drop it off in the trunk in the colonnade.

**9. Men's Ministry King's Dominion/Camp trip:** All men, with or without their sons, are invited. April 27-28 (Friday/Saturday) Camp at the KOA closest to the theme park in nice cabins with modern amenities. Cost is between \$40 and \$55 for the housing and entrance to the park per person. You will be responsible for your own food. We will try to get group ticket pricing depending on interest. Sign up must be by March 18th. No exceptions as we must secure the cabins. Spaces limited! Sign up early by contacting Pastor Steve at [steve@gracecommunity.org](mailto:steve@gracecommunity.org). He will collect monies at a future date.

**10. Graffiti,** a city church we partner with in West Baltimore, has asked us to help with their Easter children's carnival/community outreach on Saturday, March 24. The event runs from 12-3PM and set up starts at 10 with cleanup ending at 4. Ways that you, your family and friends can serve: helping with a skit, assisting with one of the stations of the cross, games, face painting, and crafts. Candy and desserts will be collected in March and brought to the event. If you are interested or have questions, contact Alice Schmidt at [alice2schmidt2@gmail.com](mailto:alice2schmidt2@gmail.com) or call 410-665-6147. People in our city will hear about the gospel on this day, so consider contributing to the work that God is doing there.

**11. CC Small...** Students: join us Thursday, March 8 for our small group discussion time, as we press into God's Word together (and have fun at the same time!). We'll spend some time talking about all God did at YA2018! Invite a friend and join us on the 2nd and 3rd Thursdays of the month from 7:00-8:30PM here at the church.

**12. Giving Update...** For ministry year beginning September 1, 2017, we've collected \$424,732 for the General Fund (year-to-date budget = \$404,825). *Thank you for your generosity!*