How do I become a member of Grace Church? We do not have a formal system of membership. If you consider this your church home and participate regularly with us, you're part of our family! If you want to be sure you're on our contact list, simply sign up to attend any class or event (or contact the church office directly).

How do I give to support Grace Church? We believe financial giving is a form of individual worship to be done freely and joyously as led by the Lord. You can place your gifts in the secure offering boxes mounted near most exits or give electronically online at any time via our website.

What was the name of that song we sang this morning? You can find and hear the songs we sing each week by using the Spotify music app (or Spotify.com) and searching for "Grace Church – Sunday Playlist." You can also search for "Grace Church – Song Library" to hear the complete collection of songs we regularly use.



## How do I sign up for a class or event?

The fastest way is by using the Church Center app on your smartphone. You can also visit gracechurch.com and look for the "Sign Up" link, or just scan this code with your phone's camera app to access our registration page.

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#### **ELDERS**

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Visit gcwf.link/elders to learn more about our elders and their stories.

#### LEADERSHIP STAFF

<b>Lance Bourgeois</b>	<b>Reggie Coe</b>	<b>Blake Boyd</b>	Nolen Smith
Senior Pastor	Chaplain	Worship	High School & College
<b>Derek Hughes</b>	<b>Joe Cook</b>	Geoff Meador	Caleb Levell
Executive Pastor	Middle Adults	Communications	Middle & High School
Amy Berry	Caleb Carmichael		<b>Josh Fernberg</b>
Women	Young Adults		Children

Registration opens tomorrow for Pine Cove City summer camp at Grace Church

Tomorrow at 10:00 AM is the first opportunity to sign up kids for this year's local summer camp. Friends and neighbors in K-5th grade are welcome — be sure to let them know, as spots can fill up fast!



Cost for the week is \$330 per camper.

Visit campinthecity.com to sign up through Pine Cove.

**Culture Conference on biblical** sexuality with author and speaker Dr. Christopher Yuan

If you have questions about what the Bible says regarding human sexuality, aren't sure why that would be important in 2022, or find it increasingly difficult to hold a biblical view on the subject, we



invite you to join us for a weekend of digging into the Word. Dr. Yuan and his parents will share their personal stories, guide us through Scripture in a search for answers, and help those who are struggling to engage with LGBTQ people in a healthy way.

> 6:30–8:00 PM Friday, February 25 9:00 AM-12:30 PM Saturday, February 26 8:00 AM or 10:45 AM during worship February 27

Cost is \$20 per person, with a live streaming option available.

Sign up in the Church Center app or at gracechurch.com.

**Grace Church service trip to** south Texas, February 25-27

Everyone in our church family, from high school freshmen through senior adults, is invited to travel with us to the city of Mission in south Texas. Together we'll serve the people of that community by working on homes, running sports



camps, providing VBS opportunities for kids, and more. Mission is a town of 45,000 people situated on the Rio Grande. It is the home of Hall of Fame football coach Tom Landry and a large-scale producer of Ruby Red grapefruit. Of its 13,000 households, one in four lives below the poverty line.

Cost to participate is \$800, including bus fare and meals in Mission. Sign up in the Church Center app or at gracechurch.com.



## WELCOME

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we're glad you've joined us this morning in worship. Today we're beginning a new study of the book of Second Peter called Be Diligent. Take heed as the author counsels us to grow in true knowledge, beware false teachers, and look for the Lord's coming with diligence.

#### GO PAPERLESS WITH THESE APPS

Next time you're offered a bulletin, consider giving these two smartphone apps a try instead! Together they help us save resources and make the information you need easy to locate and share.







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YouVersion

Church Center is the best tool we've ever offered our church family to stay informed and connected with everything that's going on at Grace Church. You can explore the calendar, sign up for upcoming events, manage your online giving, and keep in touch with your small groups and ministry teams.

**YouVersion** is the most widely-used Bible app, and in its Events feature (under the More menu) we offer our teaching outline, Bible references, discussion questions, and important announcements every Sunday morning.

Both apps available in the Apple App Store and the Google Play Store.

## THIS WEEK

## SUNDAY

### **Worship Service**

Today, 8:00–9:15 AM in the Auditorium

## Connecting Hour &

Today, 9:30-10:30 AM

#### **Worship Service** &

Today, 10:45 AM–Noon in the Auditorium

### **Community Groups** &

Today, 5:30–7:30 PM in various homes

#### TUESDAY STUDY GROUPS

### Men: Mark

Tuesday, 6:00–8:00 AM or 6:30–7:30 PM in room 206

### **Women: On Bended Knee**

Tuesday, 10:00–11:30 AM & or 6:30–8:00 PM in room 208

### **Senior Adults: Things to Come**

Tuesday, 1:00–2:00 PM in room 206

## **GriefShare** &

Tuesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in room 204

## WEDNESDAY STUDY TRACKS

### **Bible Study Track:**

#### Hebrews &

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM in room 206

#### **Christian Home Track:**

## re|engage &

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM in room 207

## **Personal Discipleship Track:**

## The Bondage Breaker &

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in room 208

# WOMEN

#### Retreat

Friday, 5:30 PM–Saturday 3:00 PM at the Marriot at Champions Court in Ft. Worth

## COLLEGE

# LateNight

Tuesday, 8:00–9:30 PM at the Gym

## HIGH SCHOOL

## The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the Gym

## MIDDLE SCHOOL

#### **Foundations**

Monday, 6:30–7:30 PM at 1606 Christine

### The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM at the Gym

## 5TH & 6TH GRADE

## Ignite

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Loft

## CHILDREN

### Kids' Quest

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Kids' Area

# Lesson 1, The Divine Partnership

- I. Introduction —2 Peter 1:1–2
  - **A.** Peter authored this epistle to those who share a common faith— *2 Peter 1:1.*

MESSAGE | 2 PETER 1:1-11

- **B.** A prayer for grace, peace, and knowledge—2 Peter 1:2
- II. The Believer's Resources—2 Peter 1:3-4
  - **A.** Divine power—2 Peter 1:3
  - B. Divine promises—2 Peter 1:4a
  - C. Divine nature—2 Peter 1:4b
- III. The Believer's Needs—2 Peter 1:5-9
  - **A.** Seven characteristics for godly living—2 Peter 1:5-7
  - **B.** Growth in these characteristics creates effectiveness—2 Peter 1:8.
  - C. A lack of growth in these characteristics creates spiritual blindness— 2 Peter 1:9
- IV. The Call to Godliness—2 Peter 1:10-11.
  - A. Be diligent to live out the faith—2 Peter 1:10.
  - B. Living out the faith prepares the believer to meet the Savior—
    2 Peter 1:11.

## **Discussion Questions**

Do you wear busyness as a badge of honor? How does it affect your spiritual life? What is a promise from Scripture that is meaningful to you? How do you determine if someone's teaching is accurate?

AVAILABLE ON

YouVersion **EVENTS** 

NEXT WEEK | 2 PETER 1:12-21

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WHO I SAW AT CHURCH:	
MY FAVORITE SONG:	
BIBLE VERSES WE READ:	
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