Where do I learn more about Grace Church? For the best answers to questions you may have about our church family, we invite you to attend *Discovering Grace*, offered on the second Sunday of each month during the 9:30 AM Connecting Hour Your next opportunity to participate is today or July 10.

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.



WEDNESDAY NIGHTS IN JULY

Wednesday Night Study in July

This three-week summer study will provide biblical guidance and helpful instruction on three key components of a life permeated by the worship of God: gratitude, prayer, and meditation. Learn how to practice the art of thankfulness for God's provision, commune with Him regularly, and let His words saturate your heart and mind. Sign up on Church Center — childcare available by reservation.

Night of Worship, July 27

Our Wednesdays in July conclude with an opportunity for the entire church family to gather and respond to God in worship. We'll put into practice the principles of gratitude, prayer, and meditation learned in the Life of Worship study as we bring our hearts, minds, and



voices to the Lord in praise. Everyone is invited to join us on this evening, whether you participate in the three-week study or not. **Sign ups for nursery care only.**

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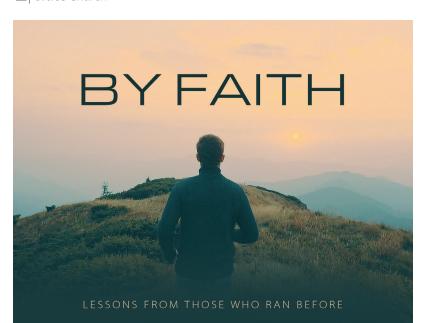
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Women's Box Lunch June 28

Enjoy lunch and connect with friends as we hear from our Worship Coordinator, Kimberly Ravelo, about her story. Cost for lunch is \$10, with childcare available by reservation. 11:30 AM–1:00 PM. Sign up today in Church Center 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 faithful believers whose examples were recorded in the Bible for us. Each week stands on its own, so join us when you can this summer! We're thankful for the opportunity to examine each one with you.

GO PAPERLESS WITH THESE APPS

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







church center

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

SENIOR ADULTS

Bible Study

Tuesday, 1:00–2:00 PM in room 206

COLLEGE

Summer LateNight

Tuesday, 7:00–8:30 PM in host homes

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL

Summer Nights @ The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the Gym

4TH & 5TH GRADE

Summer Ignite ★

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Loft

Discussion Questions:

Define faith in your own words.

How are faith and hope connected?

What are some ways that you try to please God outside of faith?

Who is someone from your own life who set an example of living by faith?

MESSAGE | HEBREWS 11:1-6

By Faith, Week 1: The Heart of Faith

- I. The Description of Faith—Hebrews 11:1–3.
 - A. Living out one's faith is the conviction that God will bring about the things that He has said He will do—Hebrews 11:1.
 - B. The Scriptures are filled with examples of men and women who are commended for living according to their faith—Hebrews 11:2.
 - Faith provides the way of understanding life in both looking back and looking forward—Hebrews 11:3.
- II. Consider Abel and a Better Sacrifice—Hebrews 11:4.
 - A. New Testament believers, like Abel, enjoy a better sacrifice (cf. Genesis 4:4).
 - B. The difference between Abel's and Cain's sacrifice is found in the integrity of Abel's heart in the offering (cf. Genesis 4:3, 5–7).
- III. Consider Enoch and Pleasing God—Hebrews 11:5.
 - A. Enoch modeled a life characterized by faith and never experienced death (cf. Genesis 5:21-24).
 - There will be a generation of believers who will experience this same kind of transition into the Lord's presence (cf. 1 Thessalonians 4:15–17).
- IV. Walking by Faith—Hebrews 11:6.
 - A. The disciple who lives by faith honors the Lord—Hebrews 11:6a.
 - **B.** Faith begins with believing God exists—*Hebrews 11:6b.*
 - Faith involves the disciple believing that God rewards the faithful— Hebrews 11:6c.

AVAILABLE ON



NEXT WEEK | NOAH

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