How do I sign up for a study or event? Paperless registration for everything is now available online through our website or the Church Center app on your smartphone. Visit gracechurch.com and click "Sign Up" on the front page or open Church Center and tap "Sign Up" in the menu at the bottom of the screen to get started.

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 in the Church Center app or at gracechurch.com.

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.

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

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Meals of Hope — Saturday Morning, August 6 in the Main Hall

Help us assemble ingredients into ready-to-cook bagged meals for local families. Together we will prepare enough food for 15,000 people to eat a balanced, proteinrich dinner. The meals will be distributed to our community by the Wichita Falls Area Food Bank. Suitable for all ages — our whole family is invited to help out!

Sign up online to participate in either the 9:00 AM or 10:00 AM shift.

Serve 22 JULY 16-23 MISSION, TEXAS

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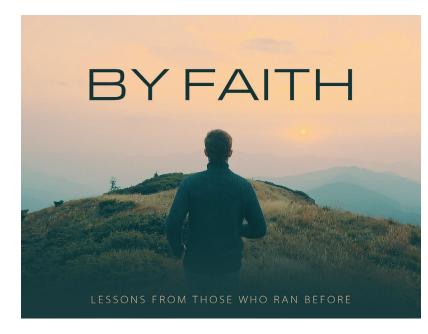
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Amy Berry	Caleb Carmichael		Josh Fernberg
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Serve22 Team Departs for South Texas on Saturday

Our team of nearly 30 people across all ages leaves next weekend to serve alongside the Family Hope Center in Mission, Texas. While there, they will work on a variety of remodeling and maintenance projects then participate in the construction of a new home for one of the families helped by the Center. Photos sent back from the team will occasionally be shared on our social media pages next week. Please pray for their safety while traveling, that relationships to be strengthened among the team members, and for them to effectively model Christ to the people of Mission. Thanks!



WELCOME

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we're glad you've joined us this morning in worship. Today we're continuing our study of faithful believers whose examples were recorded in the Bible for us. Each lesson stands on its own, so join us when you can this summer! We're thankful for the opportunity to worship with you this week.

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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.







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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 Childcare &

Today, 5:00 PM-8:00 PM in the Nursery

WEDNESDAY STUDIES

Life of Worship

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

MEN

Bible Study

Tuesday, 6:00–7:00 AM in room 208 or Tuesday, 6:30–7:30 PM in room 206

WOMEN

Bible Study

Tuesday, 10:00–11:30 AM in room 208 or Tuesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in room 201

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

OUTREACH

Serve22 Team Departs ★

Saturday morning

AVAILABLE ON

YouVersion EVENTS

★ New this week

Childcare available

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Fiscal Year Budget September 1-August 31 \$1,800,000

Contributions to Date September 1-May 31 \$1,489,625

Expenses to Date September 1-May 31 \$1,418,064

MESSAGE | HEBREWS 11:17-19

By Faith, Week 4: Abraham and Isaac

- I. When God tested Abraham's faith by calling him to sacrifice his promised son Isaac, Abraham responded by offering his son while trusting God to resurrect him — Hebrews 11:17–19.
- II. God called Abraham to sacrifice Isaac as a test of Abraham's heart Genesis 22:1–10.
 - **A.** God's command was the son of promise, as a burnt offering on a mountain in Moriah *Genesis 22:1–2.*
 - B. In obedience, Abraham faithfully responded to God's call and began the three day journey to where God directed him — Genesis 22:3–4.
 - C. Upon arrival, Abraham and Isaac left the group to go worship Genesis 22:5.
 - D. When Isaac questioned the lamb for sacrifice, Abraham assured him that God would provide — Genesis 22:6–8.
 - E. Abraham set up the altar, bound Isaac as the sacrifice, and raised the knife to sacrifice him *Genesis 22:9–10*.
- III. When Abraham obediently responded to God's call, Yahweh Yireh intervened by sparing Isaac and providing a ram to be sacrificed — Genesis 22:11–14.
 - A. The angel of the Lord called out to Abraham, halting the sacrifice Genesis 22:11.
 - **B.** Abraham demonstrated his complete faith in God as he offered his own son *Genesis 22:12*.
 - C. In response to the Lord's intervention, Abraham sacrificed a ram that God had provided and commemorated God's provision by naming the mount Yahweh Yireh *Genesis 22:13–14*.

Discussion Questions:

Have you ever experienced a test of your faith?

What is something God has given you that would be difficult to give back?

Talk about a time God provided an unexpected solution to a problem..

What is your biggest fear in surrendering something to the Lord?

NEXT WEEK | ISAAC AND JACOB

Need a Bible? Please take a free one from the cart at the back of the room!

> MY NOTES ·<