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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ELDERS

Brian Chance Jim Chandler Bill Daniel

Charlie Eipper Bill Gowan Phil Ringman

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

LEADERSHIP STAFF

Lance Bourgeois	Reggie Coe	Blake Boyd	Nolen Smith
Senior Pastor	Chaplain	Worship	Education
Derek Hughes	Joe Cook	Geoff Meador	Caleb Levell
Executive Pastor	Shepherding	Communications	Students
Amy Berry Women	Caleb Carmichael Connections		Josh Fernberg Children



Never Alone: Stories of God's Faithfulness

Starts this Wednesday, July 12 at 6:30 PM

Whether it's an unexpected life change, a broken relationship, the loss of a loved one, or any other painful experience, we all find ourselves in life's storms at some point. It's easy to become disconnected from friends and family during these times, and you might even begin to wonder "where is God in all of this?"

But we know that Scripture teaches us that our God loves and sustains us through those trying times. How can we discover where He is working? What does it feel like to finally come to that realization? And how can we remain confident in His faithfulness until we see it played out?

Join us as we hear personal stories from some of our church family members who will share their experiences of learning to trust Jesus in the midst of trials.

Where?

Upstairs in Room 206

When?

Wednesdays, July 12–26 (three weeks) 6:30–8:00 PM

Who?

All adults—reserved childcare is available for ages 10 and under. Preteen and student ministries are also meeting during this time.

How do I sign up?

Visit the front page of **gracechurch.com** or look under Sign Up in the **Church Center** app.



WELCOME

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we're glad you've joined us this morning! Today we continue our study of the book of Malachi, a strongly worded message delivered to the people of Israel which marks the end of the Old Testament.

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 around campus

Worship Service &

Today, 10:45 AM–Noon in the Auditorium

Community Groups Childcare &

Today, 5:15–7:45 PM in the Nursery

WEDNESDAY ADULT TRACK

Never Alone ≗ *

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 206

MEN

Men's Bible Study ★

Tuesday, 6:00–7:00 AM in Attic 210 or Tuesday, 6:30–7:30 PM in Room 206 &

WOMEN

Women's Bible Study ≗ *

Tuesday, 10:00–11:30 AM in Room 208 or Tuesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 207

STUDENTS

Summer Nights @ The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the Gym

4TH & 5TH GRADE

Ignite

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Attic

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

When you look at the world, what makes you long for God's justice?

When have you asked the question, "Where is God?"

What is a storm that you have walked through that strengthened you?

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

Faith Promises made: \$ 1,536,749 (as of July 2)

Building Funds given: \$ 363,910 (as of June 30)

Construction will begin when Building Fund giving reaches:

\$500,000 (Children's Area) **\$700,000** (Adult Classrooms)

MESSAGE

Heavy Words from a Loving Father, Week 4: God of Justice — Malachi 2:17–3:15

- I. The Frustration of God Malachi 2:17
 - A. God's people approving of sin
 - **B.** Israel questioning God's justice
- II. The Judgment of God Malachi 3:1–5
 - A. God's judgment is coming for His people.
 - **B.** God's judgment is good for His people.
- III. The Character of God Malachi 3:6–15
 - A. God's love for Israel means that He is patient in their disobedience and wants them to return so that He may bless them.
 - **B.** There are natural consequences to obedience to God, just as there are to disobedience.
- IV. Summary & Application

AVAILABLE ON

YouVersion EVENTS

NEXT WEEK: MALACHI 3:16-4:6

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

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