

Where do I learn more about Grace Church? For the best answers to questions you may have while you’re here, look for one of our team members with a nametag. For details about our story, beliefs, staff, and campus, pick up a white *Guide to Grace Church* at the welcome desk or near any exit.

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.

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Discovering Grace

If you’re new to our church family, curious about who we are and what we believe, or searching for the right way to get connected, we invite you to join us on **Sunday, September 12 during the 9:30 AM Connecting Hour** for Discovering Grace!

This is your best opportunity to hear our family story, learn what’s distinctive about our church culture, meet our leadership team, explore what’s available to you, and figure out the next steps on your journey with us.

We’ll meet right here in the Auditorium between services. See you then!

WEDNESDAYS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 8

We’re excited to introduce a new three-track system of Wednesday night studies for adults beginning this Fall. Whether you want to dig deeply into Scripture, discover biblical truths about God’s design for your family, or explore ways to revitalize your own walk with Jesus, we hope you’ll find a way to invest your time each semester!



BIBLE STUDY TRACK

Learn about the faithful focus of **Nehemiah**, a successful man who gave up great comfort and prestige, and discover how his example of devotion and love for others applies to the chaotic circumstances of our lives today.

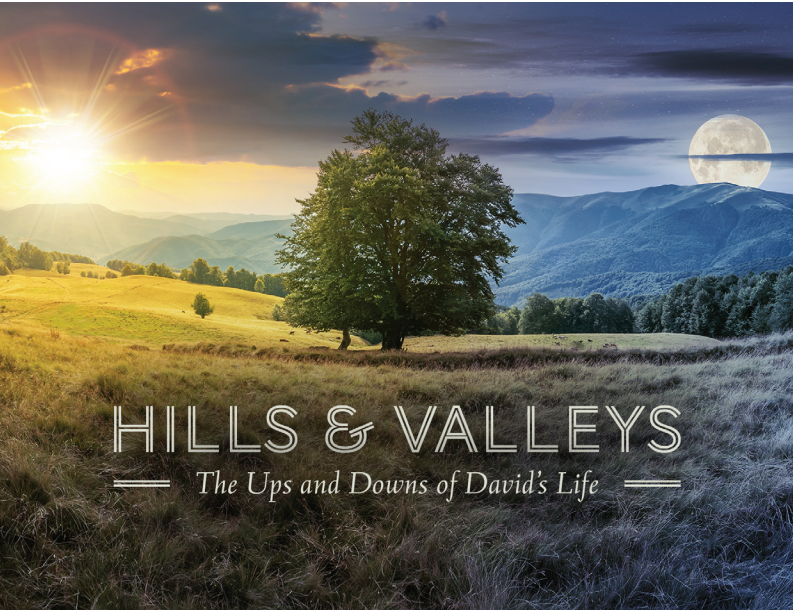
CHRISTIAN HOME TRACK

re|engage is a 16-week experience that includes teaching, small groups, and testimonies from couples who have experienced victory by reigniting (or completely resurrecting) their marriage in the midst of hard times.



PERSONAL DISCIPLESHIP TRACK

Freedom in Christ is the spiritual birthright of every believer. If you’re not sure how to live freely, feeling overwhelmed, or didn’t come from a background that embraced this truth, come find something wonderful!



WELCOME

Wherever you are on your spiritual journey, we’re glad you’ve joined us this morning as we worship. You can learn more about our schedule below— feel free to ask anyone wearing a nametag if you have other questions.

SUNDAY MORNINGS

8:00–9:15 AM: Worship service in the Auditorium

Children worship with their parents during our first block. There is no nursery care available, but we love to have little ones in the service with us!

9:30–10:30 AM: Connecting Hour

During the Connecting Hour, you have several opportunities to connect with others in our church family. You can find a friend for good conversation, serve in ministry to others, or attend one of these Bible Fellowships:

Pre-K – 3rd Grade Middle School	Kids’ Area The Gym	4th – 5th Grade High School	The Loft The Gym
Adults 1 (<i>Young Adults</i>)	Room 208	Adults 2 (<i>30s – 40s</i>)	Room 206
Adults 3 (<i>50s – 60s</i>)	Room 207	Adults 4 (<i>60s – 70s</i>)	Room 207A
Adults 5 (<i>70s & up</i>)	Room 209	Just for Women	Room 201

10:45–noon: Worship Service in the Auditorium. Children worship with their parents during the first part of the service and then are released for lessons designed especially for them. Nursery care is also available during the entire service for children 6 weeks to 4T.

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

COLLEGE

Summer LateNight
Tuesday, 8:00–9:30 PM at various homes

★ New this week  Childcare available

FAMILY MATTERS

Please pray for the family of Lena Bekendam as they grieve her passing.

MESSAGE | 2 SAMUEL 7

Lesson 7: God Makes a Covenant
Lance Bourgeois, Senior Pastor

- I. David Purposes to Honor God—*2 Samuel 7:1–3*

A. A time for rest—*2 Samuel 7:1*

B. A time to build—*2 Samuel 7:2–3*
- II. God Purposes to Honor David—*2 Samuel 7:4–17*

A. The Lord rejects the offer of a temple—*2 Samuel 7:4–7*.

• David was not the right person to build the temple (cf. 1 Chronicles 22:8, 28:3).

• They have worshipped in a tent since the Exodus.

• The Lord has not requested a temple.

B. The Lord redirects David—*2 Samuel 7:8–17*

• David will be a ruler rather than a builder—*2 Samuel 7:8*.

• The Lord makes four promises to David, some fulfilled after his death—*2 Samuel 7:9–17*.

- A great name

- A home for Israel

- Rest from their enemies

- A lineage that will be established forever

III. David’s Prayer of Praise—*2 Samuel 7:18–29*

A. Thanksgiving for the present—*2 Samuel 7:18–21*


B. Praise for the past—*2 Samuel 7:22–24*


C. Plea for the future fulfillment—*2 Samuel 7:25–29*


NEXT WEEK | 2 SAMUEL 11



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



MY NOTES

 WHO I SAW AT CHURCH: _____

 MY FAVORITE SONG: _____

 BIBLE VERSES WE READ: _____

SOMETHING I LEARNED: 


QUESTIONS I HAVE: 


A DRAWING ABOUT WHAT I HEARD: 