

FAQS

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.



How do I sign up for a class or event?
Visit gracechurch.com and look for the "Sign Up" link, or just scan this code with your phone's camera app and follow the link to our registration page. It's quick and easy to let us know you're coming!

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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!

WELCOME COLLEGE STUDENTS



LATE NIGHT STARTS THIS WEEK
College Late Night begins this Tuesday at 8:00 PM in the MSU West Campus Annex — anyone can join us. We'll be back here at the Gym starting September 7. We'd love to see you there!
For more details, follow us on Instagram @gracechurchcollege

START A NEW SEASON TOGETHER

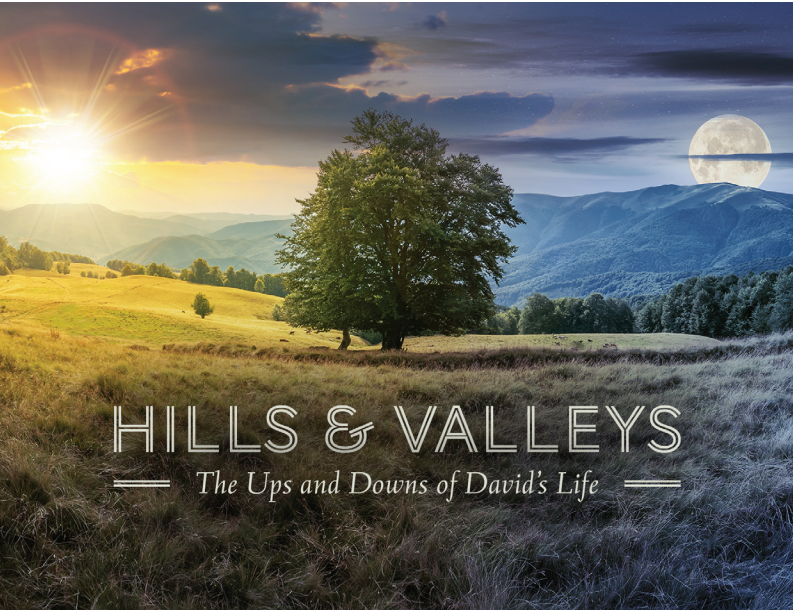
We have two opportunities coming up for you to connect with other men and women as the new semester begins. These laid-back evenings of food and fun will be a great way to relax, meet new people, and experience the joy of being together.



MEN'S GRILL 'N' CHILL
SEPTEMBER 10 @ 6:00 PM
Brisket, sausage, and plenty of fixin's plus cornhole, dominoes, and more! You'll hear Caleb Carmichael's story of survival and learn what's next for men at Grace Church. **\$10 per man.**



WOMEN'S FALL FIESTA
SEPTEMBER 17 @ 6:00 PM
Grab a seat at the table for this casual dinner with friends! We'll have fajita taco boxes, play a few games, and hear from Amy Berry, our new Women's Ministry Coordinator. **\$10 per woman.**



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 (Young Adults)	Room 208	Adults 2 (30s – 40s)	Room 206
Adults 3 (50s – 60s)	Room 207	Adults 4 (60s – 70s)	Room 207A
Adults 5 (70s & up)	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

OUTREACH

HH100 Rest Stop

Saturday morning

MIDDLE SCHOOL

The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the Gym

HIGH SCHOOL

The Gym

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the Gym

COLLEGE

LateNight ★

Tuesday, 8:00–9:30 PM at MSU

WEDNESDAYS BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 8

We're excited to introduce a new three-track system of Wednesday night studies for adults beginning this Fall— we hope you'll find something beneficial 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 multi-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!

★ New this week

♻ Childcare available



FAMILY MATTERS

Please pray for Donna and David Hale as they grieve the passing of her mother.

Please pray for Beth Speegle as she grieves the passing of her sister.

MESSAGE | 2 SAMUEL 12

Lesson 9: The Birth of Solomon

Reggie Coe, Chaplain

- I. **Confrontation:** Nathan confronted David with his sin—*2 Samuel 12:1–12*.
 - A. Nathan confronted David using an emotional word picture—*2 Samuel 12:1–4*.
 - B. David responded with outrage and indignation to the story Nathan told him—*2 Samuel 12:5–6*.
 - C. Nathan identified David as the man who had done just that in taking advantage of Bathsheba and murdering Uriah—*2 Samuel 12:7a*.
 - D. Nathan spelled out how David's sin would impact the nation and David's family—*2 Samuel 12:7b–12*.
- II. **Contrition:** David confessed his sin against the Lord to Nathan—*2 Samuel 12:13a*.
- III. **Consequences:** The Lord established the consequences of David's sin which impacted his kingdom and his personal life—*2 Samuel 12:13b–23*.
 - A. While God had forgiven David of his sin, he would lose the child that was born to Bathsheba—*2 Samuel 12:13b–14*.
 - B. David fasted and mourned and pleaded with the Lord to save the life of his and Bathsheba's son—*2 Samuel 12:15–18*.
 - C. When the child passed, David stopped pleading with the Lord, confident that he would be reunited with the child in eternity—*2 Samuel 12:19–23*.
- IV. **Comfort:** The birth of Solomon brought some comfort to Bathsheba and David in the midst of their grief—*2 Samuel 12:24–25*.
 - A. David comforted Bathsheba and they had another son, whom they named Solomon (from the Hebrew word *shalom* which means "peace")—*2 Samuel 12:24*.
 - B. God gave the child the name Jedidiah which is akin to David's name and means "loved by the Lord"—*2 Samuel 12:25*.

NEXT WEEK | 2 SAMUEL 15–18

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: _____

