Welcome

We're glad you've joined us this morning! Feel free to check things out and determine whether we might be a good match for you. We're here to help at your invitation—you set the pace.

When you're ready for the next step, consider checking out an additional Sunday activity like Bible Fellowships or Community Groups, or a mid-week study that interests you. There are many great ways to connect with others in our church family each semester as you grow in your relationship with Jesus. Pick up a *Guide to Grace Church* as you leave for more details!



Did you know...

...you can give online at our website? Just click "Member Access" in the top left, then "Give Online." You can also schedule a recurring gift under "Scheduled Giving."

Watch this space for more features that make it easy to connect with us!

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Coming Soon



We'll be welcoming over 200 boys and girls from our community to the Grace Church campus for this exciting summer opportunity. There are opportunities available for you to help these kids have a great experience—please pray for the upcoming camp and consider how you might be involved.

Sign up in the Main Hall today if you can help provide food or serve as needed during the week!

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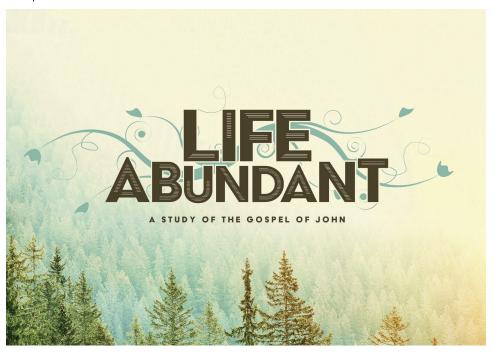
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March 26, 2017



News and Family Matters

Father + Daughter Night, April 2 at 6:00 PM

This annual event is a great opportunity for father figures to build memories with their daughters. Cost is \$20 per family, including catered desserts at the Country Club. Visit our table in the Main Hall this morning to sign up or get more information.

Jamaica Deaf Village Trip, July 15-22

During our annual excursion to the Deaf Village in Jamaica, we work together, make new friends, and experience God's grace in a unique mountaintop environment. If you'd like more information about joining us this year, please contact Leah Walker at leah@gracechurch.com.

Family Matters

Please pray for Sandra & Roger Brom as they grieve the loss of her father.

Please pray for the Warman family as they grieve the loss of Jean Warman.

Easter Sunday

We will gather together for worship on Easter Sunday, April 16, at our usual times of **9:00** and **10:30** AM. Due to the larger crowds and the additional time needed for traffic flow, each service will be one hour long. Bible Fellowships will not meet on Easter Sunday.

An early service featuring traditional Easter music and teaching will also be offered at **7:00 AM** in the Chapel. No childcare will be provided for this service.

This Week

Churchwide

Worship Services

Sunday, 9:00-10:15 AM or 10:30-11:45 AM

Bible Fellowships

Sunday, 9:00-10:15 AM or 10:30-11:45 AM

Community Groups

Sunday, 5:30–7:30 PM in various homes ≜

Biblical & Topical Studies

Ecclesiastes

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

Freedom in Christ

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in room 208 ≜

Quest

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM in room 204 &

Men

Revelation

Tuesday, 6:00–7:30 AM or 6:30–8:00 PM in the Loft

Samson Society

Thursday, 7:00–8:30 PM in the Library

Friday Morning Study

Friday, 6:30-7:30 AM in room 206

Women

MOMs Book Study

Tuesday, 10:00-11:30 AM in room 208 &

The Great Escape

Thursday, 10:00–11:30 AM in room 208

Senior Adults

Tuesday Afternoon Study

Tuesday, 1:00-2:00 PM in room 111

&: Childcare available by reservation

College & Career

College LateNight

Tuesday, 8:00-9:30 PM at the G.Y.M.

High School

Underclassmen Study

Tuesday, 6:00–7:30 PM in room 202

Youth

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM at the G.Y.M.

Middle School

Foundations Study

Tuesday, 6:30–7:30 PM at 2921 Moffett Ave

Youth

Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at the G.Y.M.

4th & 5th Grade

Dinner and a Movie

Sunday, 5:30-7:30 PM in the Loft

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Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM in the Loft

Preschool-3rd Grade

Kids' Ouest

Wednesday, 6:30-8:00 PM in the Children's Area

This Morning

Lesson 17: The Bread of Life—John 6:22-51

Reggie Coe, Marriage & Senior Adults Pastor

- **I.** The multitude's mentality: Christ understood and rejected the mindset of the crowd which wanted to make Him king—*John 6:22–27.*
 - **A.** The multitude pursued Christ in light of His feeding them because they wanted to make Him their king—John 6:22–25; see John 6:14–15.
 - **B.** Christ addressed their real motives for wanting to make Him king, which consisted of Him providing food for them—*John 6:26*.
 - C. Christ re-directed their focus to get them to focus on eternal things rather than getting their temporal needs met—John 6:27a.
 - **D.** Christ affirmed that His Father had authorized and affirmed His message and mission—*John 6:27b*.
- **II.** Christ stressed that He came to give them something more than physical bread; He came to give them eternal life as the "Bread of Life"—John 6:28–40.
 - A. The multitude wanted to know what they must do to earn eternal life—John 6:28.
 - **B.** Christ's answer is simple: The work of God equals believing in Him—John 6:29.
 - **C.** The multitude demanded He perform another sign to convince them that He is the One in Whom they should place their trust—*John 6:30–31.*
 - **D.** The Savior reminded them that Moses did not provide bread from heaven but that His Father has provided them the true bread from Heaven—John 6:32–33.
 - **E.** Christ declared Himself to be the Bread of Life and that anyone who places their faith in Him would have their spiritual hungers and thirsts satisfied—*John 6:34–35; see John 4:14–15, 25–26, and 32–34.*
 - **F.** Christ rebuked the multitude for not having placed their faith in Him and acknowledged that all those whom the Father draws to Him will come—*John 6:36–37*.
 - **G.** Christ, the God-man, carried out the will of His Father and provides eternal life to all who believe in Him—*John 6:38–40*.
- **III.** Christ addressed the multitude's doubts by reiterating that He provided eternal life to all who believe in Him—John 6:41–51.
 - **A.** The multitude grumbled against Him just as the Israelites had grumbled in the wilderness—*John 6:41–42*
 - **B.** Christ responded to their complaining by pointing them to faith in Him as the living bread of life—*John 6:43–51*.

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