

WELCOME

We're glad you've joined us this morning! Things are a little unusual right now, but feel free to check things out and decide whether we might be a good match for your spiritual needs. You set the pace for your involvement at Grace Church — here's some helpful information to get you started!

KIDS AND FAMILIES

We offer childcare for nursery-aged kids (during both services) and classes for Pre-K through 3rd grade (during the 10:45 service). **Both are available by pre-registration only** due to capacity limits. If you're visiting today, though, please inquire at the check-in table about remaining space that may be available for your children!

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 use on a regular basis.

INFORMATION

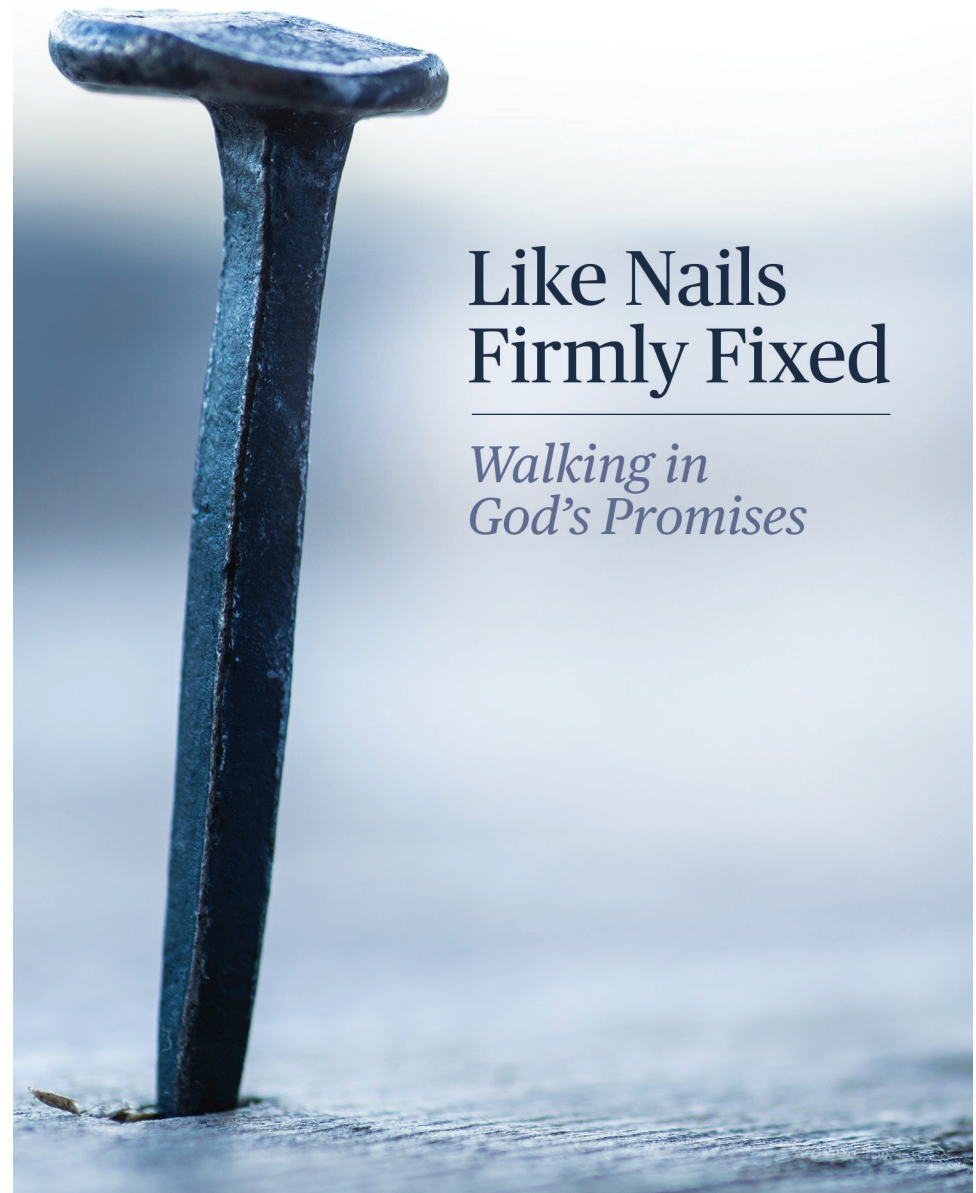
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Like Nails Firmly Fixed

Walking in God's Promises

Lesson 3: The Promise of Strength

Lance Bourgeois, Senior Pastor

- I. **The Promise:** The believer can trust in the Lord's promise of strength through the divine empowerment of the indwelling Holy Spirit.
 - A. The Holy Spirit brings a better life for the believer—*John 16:7*.
 - B. The Holy Spirit brings divine empowerment—*Luke 24:49; Acts 1:8*.
- II. Elements of the Promise
 - A. An unlimited source of strength—*Isaiah 40:278–29*
 - B. An exchanged source of strength—*Isaiah 40:30–31; Psalm 73:26*
 - C. A capacity to overcome resistance—*Colossians 1:10–12*
 - D. A confidence in the future—*Psalm 27:1*
- III. Walking in the Promise
 - A. Trusting in the Lord—*Psalm 37:39; 46:10*
 - B. Developing a prayer life—*Mark 9:27–29*
 - C. Waiting on the Lord—*Psalm 27:14*



ABOUT THE NAIL

The nail you received as you entered is designed to be a physical reminder of the promises we'll explore in our series *Like Nails Firmly Fixed*. We hope it's helpful as you walk daily in God's provision.

FAMILY MATTERS

Please pray for George and Rachel Castro as they grieve the passing of their son Liam.
Please pray for Marilyn Allison and her family as they grieve the passing of Harry.

NEXT WEEK | THE PROMISE OF WISDOM

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: _____