

Welcome

We're glad you've joined us this morning in worship! If you have any questions about Grace Church, please visit with a member of our Welcome Team in the Main Hall.

Stack the Chairs

Please help us prepare the Gymnatorium for other activities by stacking the chairs (seven high) after the second service. Thanks!

Asian Christian Academy

ACA is a group of ministries located near Bangalore, India, committed to providing Christian education in the Indian context. We have been specifically working with them since 2010 and gladly support their efforts with prayer, financial support, and ministry teams.

The children of the region surrounding ACA are reached by the gospel as part of the quality education offered by the K–10th grade school. Several children from destitute families are also supported by the House of Joy. Adult students are trained for local ministry in the Evangelical Seminary, and many pastors of village churches are trained and supported through ACA's Church Planting program. Finally, the Agape Hospital and traveling medical teams provide free or low-cost medical care to the surrounding communities.

For more information about Asian Christian Academy, or to learn how you can support their ministry, please visit their table in the Main Hall this morning after the worship service.



Join us in welcoming Stephen George and his family as they share with us about Asian Christian Academy, our primary partner in global outreach. Learn more at left.

ONE WAY TO SERVE

Asian Christian Academy Trip


The people of India can be impacted by your investment in the children and seminary students at ACA. If you would like to visit their community and share your skills, there is still an opportunity for you to be part of our next trip, February 26–March 15.

If you would like to be part of this trip, you must sign up and pay by February 2. Complete details are available in the Main Hall this morning.

This Week

 : Childcare provided
 : Online registration available
\$: Payment required

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



Small Groups



K-Groups 
Sunday, 5:30–7:30 PM at various locations
Our small groups meet in homes around the city to develop Christ-centered relationships.



Care Ministry

GriefShare 
Sunday, 9:00–10:30 AM in the Library
If you have experienced the loss of a loved one, don't go through your pain alone.


Adult Studies

Parenting in the Digital Age  
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 209
Learn how to navigate the cultural and technological issues surrounding children in today's digital society.

Quest 
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 204 
Discover how God has uniquely gifted you to serve Him and others by developing a life map and personal mission statement. Prior registration required.

The Book of Genesis  
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Tejas Room
This ongoing study of the book of Genesis covers the biblical journey from creation to completion.


Men

The Cure 
Tuesday, 6:00–7:30 AM or 7:00–8:30 PM in the Loft
Has the never-ending process of “managing your sin” left you angry or cynical? Join us as we uncover The Cure.



Samson Society
Thursday, 7:00–8:30 PM in the Library
Join in at any time with this ongoing fellowship of men who are serious about authenticity, community, humility, and restoration.

Friday Men's Study
Friday, 6:30–7:30 AM in the Tejas Room
Finish strong with a great men's Bible study at the end of your week. Outside preparation is required.

Women

Engage Talking Points: Divorce 
Monday, 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 209
Get practical and biblical insight from Dawn & Brandon Carpenter on this difficult issue faced by many families. Childcare is by reservation only, sign up in the Main Hall.

Faithful, Abundant, and True  
Tuesday, 10:00–11:30 AM or 6:30–8:00 PM in Room 208
This video study for women features teaching from Kay Arthur, Priscilla Shirer, and Beth Moore on various topics.

MOMs Book Study  
Thursday, 10:00–11:30 AM in Room 208
Don't Make Me Count to Three by Ginger Plowman helps mothers dive deeply into the hearts of their children.

Senior Adults

Tuesday Bible Study
Tuesday, 1:00–2:00 PM in Room 111
This weekly study of the book of Romans.

College & Career

Late Night
Thursday, 7:00–8:30 PM at the G.Y.M.
Come together for live worship music and this semester's large group study, *Presenting the Messiah*.

Children

Kids Quest
Wednesday, 6:30–8:30 PM in the Children's Area
Our mid-week program for children age 4–4th grade helps them build a biblical worldview through various activities.

5th & 6th Grade

Breakaway
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM in the Loft
Students gather to laugh, play, and sing together before an interactive Bible study and small group conversations.

Junior High

Junior High Youth
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at The G.Y.M.
Students meet for fun activities, worship music, and small group Bible study.

Senior High

Senior High Youth
Wednesday, 6:30–8:00 PM at The G.Y.M.
Students meet for fun activities, worship music, and a study of *Pilgrim's Progress*, the classic Christian allegory.

THE CORINTHIAN CONUNDRUM

Lesson 4: The Unique Nature of Divine Wisdom (1 Corinthians 2:6–16)

Tom Rodgers, Lead Pastor

- I. Discerning divine wisdom: Only those who are spiritually mature can discern divine wisdom from human wisdom—*1 Corinthians 2:6a*.
- II. Contrasting divine with worldly wisdom: The source and outcomes of divine and human wisdom are contrasted to demonstrate how diametrically opposed they are—*1 Corinthians 2:6b–9*.
 - A. The source of human wisdom gives it a limited shelf life—*1 Corinthians 2:6b*.
 - B. The source of divine wisdom is God, which makes it timeless, but hidden, until He chooses to reveal it—*1 Corinthians 2:7*.
 - C. The exercise of human wisdom is often the opposite of divine wisdom, as evidenced by man’s attempt to execute Jesus Christ—*1 Corinthians 2:8*.
 - D. Divine wisdom cannot be discovered by men, but must be revealed by God—*1 Corinthians 2:9*.
- III. Revealing divine wisdom: God’s gracious provisions to us in Jesus Christ demonstrate the principle that divine wisdom cannot be discovered by man, but must be revealed by the Holy Spirit—*1 Corinthians 2:10–12*.
 - A. God used the Holy Spirit to reveal His wisdom to us—*1 Corinthians 2:10a*.
 - B. Only the Divine Spirit could reveal what was within God, in much the same way that only the spirit within man can reveal what is within him—*1 Corinthians 2:10b–11*.
 - C. No other source, other than the Spirit of God Himself, could reveal divine wisdom to us—*1 Corinthians 2:12*.
- IV. Encoding divine wisdom: The divine wisdom in the Bible was encoded when the Holy Spirit revealed the words and thoughts of God to the human writers—*1 Corinthians 2:13*.
- V. Comprehending divine wisdom: Unregenerate men are not equipped with the ability to understand divine wisdom, so God must enable the believer before he can comprehend the divine wisdom found in the Scriptures—*1 Corinthians 2:14–16*.

Man’s Wisdom

Discounts those who are weak
Discounts those who are inadequate
Tells us the way up is up
It’s on us (our pedigree and resources)
Discounts Jesus Christ

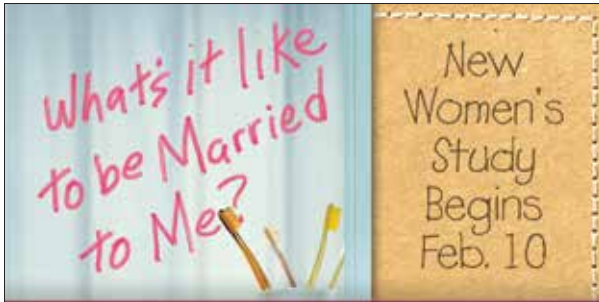
God’s Wisdom

Calls the weak to depend upon His strength
Calls the inadequate to embrace His adequacy
Tells us the way up is down
It’s on Him (His grace and resources)
Makes Him the Cornerstone

What's Next

🕒 : Information table in the Main Hall this morning

📱 : Online registration available



Ladies, come discover the unseen choices we make in our marriages that impact our relationships with our husbands. **Tuesdays at 10:00 AM or 6:30 PM** 🕒 📱



Looking for your next step? Come build relationships and learn more about God's Word in an Adult Bible Fellowship class. **Sundays at 9:00 or 10:30 AM**



Our small groups are meeting this evening in homes throughout the community. If you'd like to get involved, contact **nolen@gracechurch.com** for more details!



Our Prayer Team members pray one specific day each month for our nation, our missions, our church, and individual matters. Urgent needs are sent via e-mail.

If you would like to be part of this critical ministry to our church family and our community, please contact **valerie@gracechurch.com** for details.



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