

GRACE ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY 2/22

- ◆ Jr. & Sr. High Sunday School
10:30am - Ed Building
- ◆ College SS Class
10:30am - Ed Building Rm 705
- ◆ Sunday Evening (Ed Building)
5:30pm - Prayer
6:00pm - Counter Culture Study

TUESDAY 2/24

- ◆ Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group
7pm - Ed Building

WEDNESDAY 2/25

- ◆ Men's Bible Study
6:30am - Rm 108
- ◆ Community Bible Study
10am - Ed Building
- ◆ AWANA
6:15pm - Main Building

THURSDAY 2/26

- ◆ Deacon Board Meeting
7:00 pm - Rm 108



FINANCIAL REPORT

Month of February 2026

Weekly Offering Needed:
\$ 17,920

2/1/26	\$34,611
2/8/26	\$5,971
2/15/26	\$10,429

Mortgage Reduction \$880
Mortgage Reduction \$160
Mortgage Reduction \$510

Please note: This is in addition to your normal giving. Also, make sure that **Mortgage Reduction** is noted on the memo line of your check. Thank you.

WAYS TO GIVE:

1. Church App - *Church by MinistryOne*
2. Offering Boxes - Located in the back of the Sanctuary and the Welcome Centers

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Pastoral & Office Hours
M - Th 8:30am - 4:30pm

Front Office Only
Fri 8:30am - 12noon

"JUST AS JESUS WAS
DYING, HE SAID,
'IT IS FINISHED.'

OF COURSE, IT WAS
REALLY FINISHED.

NOTHING MORE
NEEDED TO BE
ADDED. WE ARE
FORGIVEN, ACCEPTED,
AND LOVED."

STEVE BROWN

GRACE SANTA MARIA

WELCOME TO GRACE!

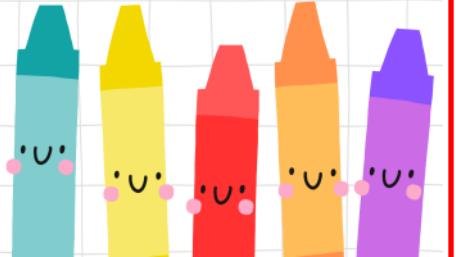
Welcome to worship at Grace! It is good to have you with us.

If you are new to Grace, we would love to meet you and help you get connected. Please stop by the Welcome Center after the service!

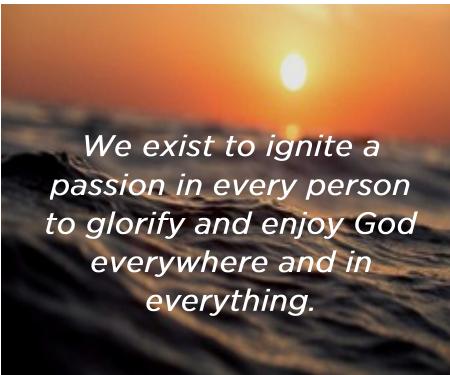
Help Wanted

Kidz Ministry could use more youth helpers (ages 10+) & teachers (ages 18+)

Sign up at the Welcome Center



Please enjoy our fellowship lounge in Room 505.



Making Disciple- Making Disciples

MORNING LINEUP

Call to Worship

Broken Vessels

Grace Like Rain

New City Catechism
Responsive Reading

Beautiful

Made For More

Welcome and Announcements

Prayer Of Confession and
Celebration

Sermon

Evidence

Benediction

TODAY AT GRACE

February 22, 2026

MORNING SERVICE

9:00 & 10:30am

"That Time Jesus and the Devil and Some Angels and Some Lions and Bears and Leopards and Wolves and Cheetahs Hung Out"
Luke 4:1-13

<https://youtube.com/live/GGvEDU6j2Tk>

Pastor Benji



GLOBAL OUTREACH - Eric & Samantha MacLeod are visiting Sunday, February 22nd! Come hear Eric share how God is using his nerdy love of fonts to support Bible translation around the world!
Grace Hall @ 9am & 10:30am (all adult classes)

CHURCH DIRECTORY - There is a proof of the church directory at the Welcome Center. Please review and correct it or add any last minute changes before we send it to print.



WOMEN'S STUDY 1 John

Begins February 24th

6:30 pm - 8pm (8 weeks) Tuesday nights at Lois McKinley's home.

NEED PRAYER?

Our Elders & Deacons will be available to pray with you after 1st and 2nd service in front of the stage in the sanctuary.





Grace Baptist Church Prayer List For Week of February 22nd, 2026

PRAY FOR AWAKENING

THE WORLD AND THE GLOBAL CHURCH

Pray that people around the world will find the hope of salvation in Christ.

"In his name the Gentiles will hope." Matthew 12:21

PRAISES:

- **Bruce and Roseni Welmerink** (Celebrate Recovery ministries Brazil)- Praise that one of their church members named **Mauricio** who had been counseled in the celebrate recovery program is now going to start his own CR ministry in his home nation of Dubai!

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- **Child Evangelism Fellowship** (Global Partners) - Father, please raise up people from our church that **Rick & Jeanine Skamfer** can train and pass on the baton to for leading the *Good News Club* at Arellanes Elementary.
- **Steve Wilkinson** -(Global Partner: *Unreached Peoples in Asia*) Steve left for Asia on February 13th. He and his team are sharing the love of Jesus and God's word with unreached people groups. There are 100 different mountain villages and 4 unreached people groups. Please pray for God to keep Steve and his team safe and healthy and for wisdom to help the unreached people understand God's truth and promises.
- **Barbara Hunt** - Pray for **Tom Mardon** who has been struggling with pneumonia and a collapsed lung. He is showing some improvement but continues to be hospitalized since early last week. Pray for **Vicki** and family to continue to have strength as this has been an extremely worrisome time for all. Thank you for your prayers.
- **Ruby Millard** - Please pray, "that God's will and choices for me will be the path to healing that will allow me to return home." Ruby had hip repair surgery on February 1st. Pray for Ruby to have a successful rehabilitation.
- **Gary & Elaine Barron** - Our daughter, **Rae Cronk**, had a seizure while in Mexico. She and her husband will arrive home in Denver, Co. Feb 15. Pray for God to give her doctors wisdom to know how to treat Rae.
- **Josh and Ashley Freeman** (Converge)- Pray for the 6 degree initiative of planting churches in Africa and pray for collaboration between pastors via the *Better Together Network*.
- **Rich & Mary Rose Gerardi** - Please pray for our family as **Matt** was expelled from the program at Taft College after 3rd meltdown. He is devastated, as are we. However, we are trusting that God's plan is better than ours.

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Grace Baptist Church Prayer List

- **Mary Larson** (Global Partners): Lord, grant Mary success in her intense course in Thai. It's a real body and brain-buster!
- **Rescue Mission** (Global Partners): Lord, bless **Laura** and **Melissa** as they faithfully work toward earning their GEDs. May they walk in Your purpose and strength.
- **Nick & Becky Hartman - Becky** had hip surgery on February 2nd. Please pray that the bone would heal completely, pain would be minimized and that her physical rehab and recovery will go well!! Thank you for your prayers!
- **Bethany Espinio** - Please keep Bethany Espino in your prayers. She recently underwent **cervical spinal fusion surgery from C3-6** and is now in the early stages of recovery. Pray for steady healing, protection from complications, relief from pain, and renewed strength in the days ahead.
- **Rich Lee** - He is losing his eyesight due to eye *floaters*. He is not able to read or write. Rich will have eye surgery on February 20th.
- **Robert and Carolyn McBurney - Beckie**: Mom's cancer has spread to her clavicle/ shoulder, into her liver and she has a spot in her left cerebellum (brain). Please pray that she continues to be pain free, continues to be able to get up and around and that the radiation does not destroy the brain cancer. Visitors are welcome (Villa Maria), please contact Carolyn (805-878-4567) for the best time to stop by.
- **David & Cordelia Rackley** - Please pray. **Cordelia** has been diagnosed with dementia. May Jesus minister his comfort, strength, and mercy upon David & Cordelia.
- **Cheryl Spence** - Pray for **Curt Lyon**, brother of *Cheryl Spence and Roxanne Slocum*. He has been diagnosed with stage 4 pancreatic cancer.
- **Bonnie Chisum** - My son **Bobby** is still doing good. Continue to pray that he will be able to get a kidney transplant.

PRAYING FOR OUR GLOBAL PARTNERS

Care Net Pregnancy & Resource Center

Do You Have A Prayer Request?
To Submit your prayer request by email:
prayer@gracesantamaria.org



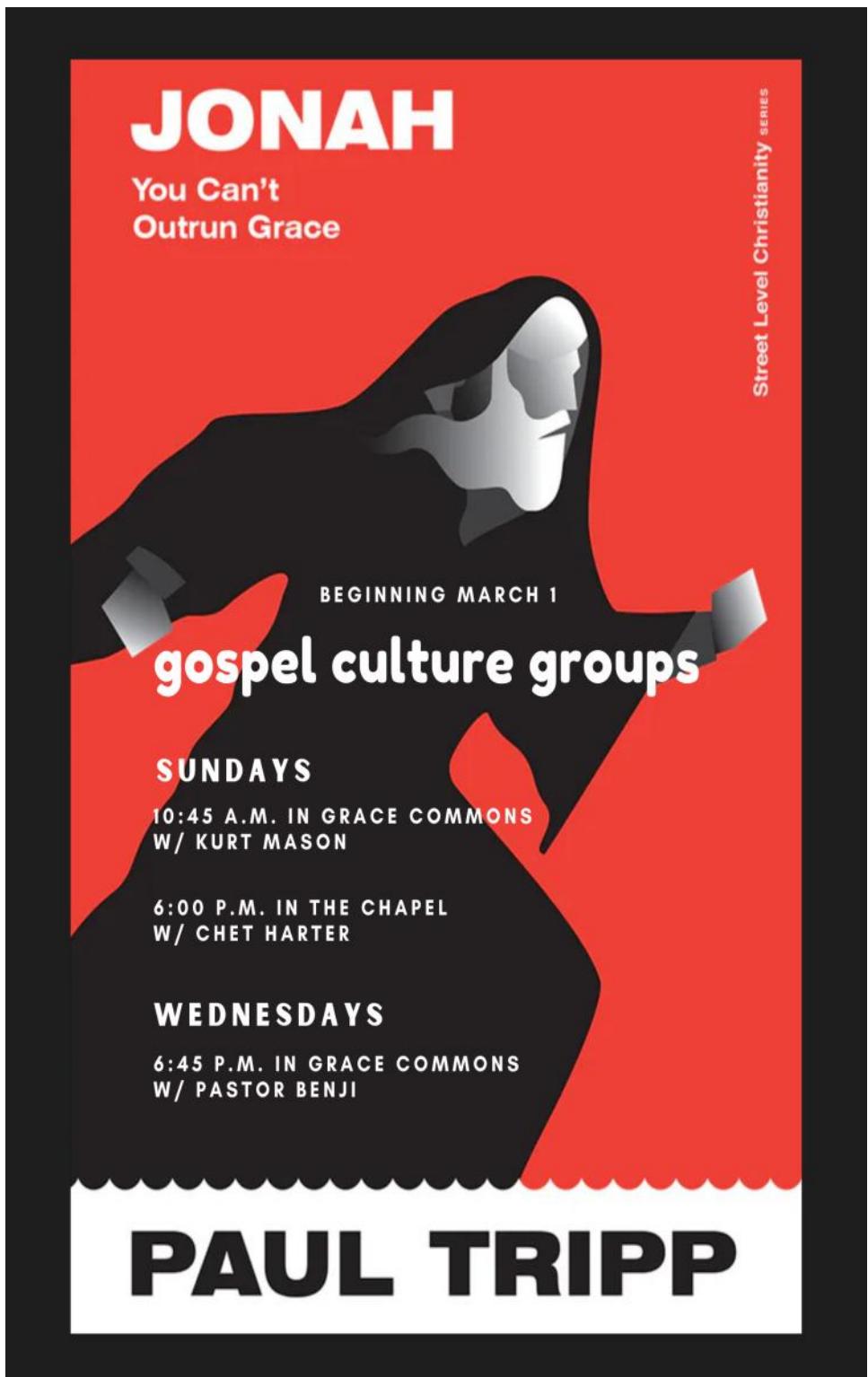
Sermon Notes

February 22nd, 2026

"That Time Jesus and the Devil and Some Angels and Some Lions and Bears and Leopards and Wolves and Cheetahs Hung Out"

Luke 4:1-13

Pastor Benji



A poster for a Christian series. The title "JONAH" is at the top in large white letters. Below it is the subtitle "You Can't outrun Grace". The background is red with a black silhouette of a person running. The text "Street Level Christianity series" is on the right edge. The poster details a series of "gospel culture groups" starting in March. It lists "SUNDAYS" at 10:45 A.M. in Grace Commons with Kurt Mason, and 6:00 P.M. in the Chapel with Chet Harter. It also lists "WEDNESDAYS" at 6:45 P.M. in Grace Commons with Pastor Benji. The name "PAUL TRIPP" is at the bottom.

JONAH
You Can't
Outrun Grace

Street Level Christianity series

BEGINNING MARCH 1

gospel culture groups

SUNDAYS

10:45 A.M. IN GRACE COMMONS
W/ KURT MASON

6:00 P.M. IN THE CHAPEL
W/ CHET HARTER

WEDNESDAYS

6:45 P.M. IN GRACE COMMONS
W/ PASTOR BENJI

PAUL TRIPP

Artists Collective

THURSDAY MARCH 5 AT 7:00PM
IN GRACE HALL
ADULTS ONLY

A TIME OF FELLOWSHIP & INSPIRATION
SHARE YOUR ART AND CELEBRATE
OTHER ARTISTS IN OUR CHURCH

Sign Up in foyer
More info there



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Can you:

- Serve a cookie?
- Help a child memorize a Bible verse?
- Walk children to the restroom?
- Lead a song?
- Tell a Bible story?

805.461.1146

Tuesday, March 3rd

9am to 11am

Grace Bible Church
100 Rodeo Dr.,
Arroyo Grande 93420

Join us for this free event!