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**GracePointe Elders and Staff**

**Pastor**

*Gabe Ponce*

**Administrative Pastor**

Danny Barreras

**Elders**

John Crider  
Robert Hackathal  
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**Family Ministries**

**Children’s Ministry**

Director: Audra Melsted

**AWANA**

Kids age 3 and up  
Sunday evenings @ 5:30pm during the school year.  
Director: Marie Morris

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“24/7” (AKX) for high school

**Youth Ministry (Grades 6-12)**

Meets Wed. evenings @ 6:30pm  
Director: Danny Barreras

**Adult Ministries**

**Community Groups**

See schedule for group leaders

**Senior Adults (“HillToppers”)**

Director: Scott Hough

**Women’s Ministry**

Director: Julia Blanchard

**Men’s Ministry**

Director: Zach Freeland

**Worship Ministry**


Pastor Gabe Ponce  
Jonathan Brown

**Joseph’s Storehouse**

Food Bank  
Director: Sherry Daniels

**Security Ministry**

Chris Copeland

GPC Stewardship	
2025 Annual Budget	\$417,231
Weekly Need	\$8024
	
Year to Date +/-	+\$936



LOVING GOD.  
LOVING PEOPLE.  
MAKING DISCIPLES.  
Sunday Service: 10:00am

WELCOME,  
CHURCH.  
01.11.26



Sermon Series  
*Gospel of Luke*



We are glad you have joined us to worship together this Lord's Day! Our goal is to bring God glory by making and maturing disciples who celebrate the Lord in worship and Spirit-filled obedience to God's Word. Join us in reaching our Oikos (the people in your spheres of influence) and the world for Christ. – Pastor Gabriel Ponce

Today's Worship Service

- WELCOME
- ANNOUNCEMENTS
- CALL TO WORSHIP
- CALL TO WORSHIP SONGS
  - Indescribable
  - Resurrecting God
  - Holy Holy Holy
- PRAYER
- DISMISS CHILDREN TO CLASS
- GREET TIME
- SCRIPTURE READING
  - Luke 3:21-23 (ESV)
- WORSHIP SONG
  - God With us
- SERMON
  - Pastor Gabe
- BENEDICTION/PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Check in at Children's Desk in lobby upon arrival. Nursery available for 0-3 years the entire service. PreK-5<sup>th</sup> graders dismissed after Worship Songs. Take child to pick up from the classrooms in Bldg. 2.

Sermon Series



Luke 3: The Baptism of the Lord



GracePointe YouTube Channel:  
Find our sermons online here.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Community Groups**—Several Community Groups will start back meeting in January. See community group leader for more information.
- Women's Brunch** – Women Encouraging Women is hosting a brunch on January 17 with the theme “Practicing the Way” (Jesus is the Way).
- Protect Young Eyes** – FCA has organized a presentation about tech safety by Protect Young Eyes on January 27. See Laurel Timblin for details
- AWANA Grand Prix** – AWANA will be hosting their annual pinewood car derby on January 31, with construction assistance beginning at 7am.

“And John bore witness: “I saw the Spirit descend from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him.”  
John 1:32 (ESV)

This week at GracePointe

DAY	AM	PM
Sunday	9:00–Intercessors B1 10:00–Worship Service B2	5:45–Awana – Double Down
Monday	11:00–Hilltoppers	6:30–Community Group–Barreras
Tuesday	10:30–Intercessors B1	2:00–Community Group–Hough 6:00–Women’s Bible Study
Wednesday	9:45–Women’s Bible Study	6:30–Youth Group 6:30–Community Group–Hackathal
Thursday		6:30–Community Group–Hammonds 6:30–Community Group–Moffet
Friday		6:30–Community Group–Ponce
Saturday	9:00–Women’s Brunch	

## **The Baptism of the Lord**

### **I. The person of God in the Son vs. 21-22**

**(Mathew 3:14-15, 1 Peter 3:21, Matt 28:19, Isaiah 42:1, Deuteronomy 6:4-5, John 1:33-34)**

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**(Genesis 1:26, 3:22, 11:6-7, Deuteronomy 4:35, Isaiah 44:6, 43:10, James 2:19, Daniel 7:13, Matthew 22:41-46, Proverbs 30:4)**

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### **II. The genealogy of the Lord 23-38**

**(2 Samuel 5:14, Zechariah 12:12, 2:12, Jeremiah 22:28-29, John 10:34-36)**

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**Conclusion:**

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**Questions to facilitate discussion, reflection and fellowship.**

- 1. Was there any part of the sermon that stood out or requires clarification?**
- 2. What from the sermon provides an example of, or of living for, Christ?**
- 3. Why did Jesus receive Baptism? (Matthew 3:13-15, John 1:31-34)**
- 4. Discuss the significance that the Father Himself speaks over Jesus at His baptism. (Isaiah 42:1)**
- 5. Jesus' line is traced all the way back to Adam. Why was it important for Jesus to be human? (Hebrews 4:15)**
- 6. Inquire about and pray for one another.**

## **This Week's Prayer List**

### **JANUARY 11, 2026**

**Cyrus Moffet—Surgery went well, pray for recovery and healing**

**Armando—Lorraine's Uncle—healing & recovery from blockage surgery**

**Chris & Lisa LaRoque—Chris: recovery & healing from procedure & A-fib episode; Lisa: bronchitis**

**BreAnn LaRoque—pancreatitis, gallbladder in need of removal; ease of severe pain & continued comfort & peace; BreAnn is home now! Continued healing & preparation for future procedures**

**Gabe N.—Friend of Hough's son—stage 3 colon cancer & small amount of cancer in lymph nodes**

**Scott Hough-Sister Cheri- recovery from back surgery for spinal stenosis**

**Gabby—Rich Gonzales's daughter-in-law—strength & recovery; strength for husband & daughter**

**Eileen Watson—Chronic lymphocytic leukemia; treatment journey; strength & comfort; continued guidance and wisdom for those caring for her at Mayo Clinic**

**Wanda Hammonds—Niece, Jacqueline—recovery, healing, strength, & increased faith (praise: improving & recovering well)**

**Eddie Orta—continued prayers for comfort & complete healing (recent update: shortness of breath, weak, no appetite); strength & peace for Kathy**

**Daniel Robles—Aggressive disease, angioplasty; wisdom for doctors, healing, & Sonia caring for her mother**

**Marsha Moon—return of cancer; continued tests and plan for care plan; Biopsy results, removal of tumor on breast, and clear receptors (\*praise: early stages and organs look great)**

**Steve Blanchard—cancer; wisdom for both him & doctors on treatment**

**Viz—health issues & wisdom for the doctors**

**Hector Loustaunau—Strength, boldness to share God, and protection**

**This Week's Prayer List**  
**JANUARY 11, 2026**

**Our nation & a time of revival**

**Those continuing to work through grief & loss of loved ones**

**All our saints that are in recovery & need healing**

**Military & First Responders**

**GracePointe Christian Academy & Faith Christian Academy**