



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

# WELCOME, CHURCH.

## 05.31.26

Sermon Series  
*Gospel of Luke*

### 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

#### **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	
2026 Annual Budget	\$417,231
Weekly Need	\$8096
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Year to Date +/-	+\$2418



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exit doors or give via this link.

### GracePointe Elders and Staff

#### **Pastor**

*Gabe Ponce*

#### **Administrative Pastor**

Danny Barreras

#### **Elders**

John Crider

Robert Hackethal

Zach Freeland

Richard Gonzales

Ron King

#### **Treasurer**

Don Watson

### GracePointe Christian Academy

#### **School Director**

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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 SONGS

*Hosanna*  
*Christ is Enough*  
*Lord I Need You*

PRAYER

DISMISS CHILDREN TO CLASS

GREET TIME

SCRIPTURE READING

*Luke 8:40-46*

WORSHIP SONG

*Breathe*

SERMON

Pastor Gabe Ponce

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



*Two Desperate People*



GracePointe YouTube Channel:  
Find our sermons online here.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Sports Camp** – Our annual summer sports camp is coming June 1-5. Kids in grades K-5 can register to participate for free. Volunteers needed! Volunteers meeting after church today!

**Prayer for our Country** – Many churches and organizations are joining together in events to pray for our country, including three days of prayer and fasting June 1-3, and 50 days of prayer for our nation May 14-July 3.

**Women Encouraging Women** – There will be no Women's Brunch for the month of June. The regular monthly brunches will resume on July 18.

**Hilltoppers** – Hilltoppers is taking a summer hiatus. Enjoy the time off and try to stay cool this summer. Instead of meeting this Monday, maybe you can volunteer at sports camp. We will be getting back together in the fall.

“But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me.”

II Corinthians 12:9 ESV

## This week at GracePointe

DAY	AM	PM
<b>Sunday</b>	9:00-Intercessors B1 10:00-Worship Service B2	
<b>Monday</b>		4:30-Sports Camp
<b>Tuesday</b>	10:30-Intercessors B1	1:00-Community Group-Hough 4:30-Sports Camp
<b>Wednesday</b>		4:30-Sports Camp 6:30-Community Group-Hackethal
<b>Thursday</b>		4:30-Sports Camp 6:30-Community Group-Hammonds
<b>Friday</b>		4:30 Sports Camp 6:30-Community Group-Severson
<b>Saturday</b>		

A photograph of the exterior of a modern church building. The building is light-colored with dark window frames. A sign on the building reads "grace Pointe" with a cross icon and the address "2555 82". A large, white, cursive "Welcome" text is overlaid on the image. Below it, the text "TO OUR NEW VISITORS" is written in a smaller, white, sans-serif font.

# Welcome

TO OUR NEW VISITORS

*During the service:*

Please feel free to use the back exit to exit and enter the building to minimize distractions during the service. Thank you!

*Bathroom location:*

Bathrooms and water fountains are located through the lobby to your left.

*Announcements and Info:*

For current announcements and more information about our church, see our information center and bulletin board. You can also find our directories in the back alcove.

*See our app and website for more detailed information about our church, school, several ministries, and much more!*

*Thank you for visiting! Hope to see you next week!*

## **Desperate People (Jairus daughter)**

### **I. Two desperate people vs. 40-43**

**(Matthew 11:28, Hebrews 11:6, Leviticus 15:25, Numbers 19:22, 22:3, 2 Corinthians 12:9)**

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### **II. A miracle hidden deep vs. 44-48**

**(Numbers 15:38, 2 Corinthians 3:6, Mark 5:28-30, Psalm 34:18, James 4:6, Hebrews 4:15-16)**

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### **III. An open miracle vs. 49-56**

**(Isaiah 41:10, Proverbs 29:25, 2 Timothy 1:7, 1 Corinthians 15:51-52, 1 Thessalonians 4:14)**

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**Conclusion:** \_\_\_\_\_

**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. How have you desperately sought the Lord, and how did He answer?**
- 4. Discuss this story's emphasis of two very different faiths and how Jesus worked in both.**
- 5. How do stories about resurrection give you hope?**
- 6. Inquire about and pray for one another.**

## **SUNDAY SCRIPTURE READING**

**May 31, 2026**

### **Luke 8:40-46 ESV**

**Now when Jesus returned, the crowd welcomed him, for they were all waiting for him. And there came a man named Jairus, who was a ruler of the synagogue. And falling at Jesus' feet, he implored him to come to his house, for he had an only daughter, about twelve years of age, and she was dying. As Jesus went, the people pressed around him. And there was a woman who had had a discharge of blood for twelve years, and though she had spent all her living on physicians, she could not be healed by anyone. She came up behind him and touched the fringe of his garment, and immediately her discharge of blood ceased. And Jesus said, "Who was it that touched me?" When all denied it, Peter said, "Master, the crowds surround you and are pressing in on you!" But Jesus said, "Someone touched me, for I perceive that power has gone out from me."**

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

**May 31, 2026**

**Barb Harrison – Son's upcoming surgery to remove growths, and comfort and healing for family after death of granddaughter**

**Terry & Janie Saxton – Janie's recovery from back surgery & therapy options**

**Wilson Barns – Recovery from kidney stone surgery**

**Ron King - Benign tumor on pituitary gland, causing dizziness. Pray for next steps**

**Rainey Case – Abdominal surgery went well, waiting for pathology report. Pray for pain relief, healing, and good results on the report.**

**Maria Casarez- grandson Anthony Renteria suffering from extreme depression, not speaking, health declining**

**Gabby Gonzales—Multiple trip back to Hospital in Phoenix over the last few weeks. Praying for real healing and recovery.**

**Hector Loustaunau— Released from prison; pray for next steps**

**All our Brothers and Sisters that are suffering from long-term illness or cancer, or in recovery & need healing - Marsha Moon, Bert Begay, Steve Blanchard, Eileen Watson, Evan & Elaine Vizmanos, Ana Alvarez**

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

**All our brothers and sisters that are suffering from long-term illness**

**Military & First Responders**

**GracePointe Christian Academy & Faith Christian Academy**

**Our nation & a time of revival**

# SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

## DURING THE WORSHIP SERVICE:

**During the service:** Please use the **back** exit to exit and enter the building to minimize distractions during the service. Thank you!

**Parents:** Check-in at Children's Desk in Lobby upon arrival. There is a Nursery for 0-3 years for the entire service. PreK—5th Graders are dismissed from the main sanctuary after worship songs. Drop-off and pick-up is at the classrooms. We are always looking for volunteers to help in our Children's Church Program.

**GracePointe Stewardship:** We encourage you to worship through giving by placing your offering in the boxes by the exit door or give online at [GracePointeTucson.org](http://GracePointeTucson.org)

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**GracePointe YouTube Channel:** To find our sermons online please go to our YouTube Channel—GracePointe Church Tucson and go to the Live tab.

## THIS WEEK'S MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**AWANA:** On Summer Break

**Community Groups:** Living life. Reaching our community. Together. You can join a Community Group any time...see Pastor Gabe or any of our Elders for details.

**HillToppers (Senior Adults):** On Summer Break

**Monday Night Quilters:** See Marie Morris for more information.

**Tuesday Night Ladies Bible Study:** On Summer Break

**Wednesday Morning Ladies Bible Study:** On Summer Break

**Youth Group:** Youth Group (6th –12th grade) Wednesdays from 6:30-8:15. Bring a friend!

**Joseph's Storehouse Distribution:** Prep every Friday and Distribution is 2nd and 4th Saturday. For more information, see Sherry Daniels.

**WiFi Password:** Godis4US!

# SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

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*Coming in May 2026*

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31 May - Sunday Service 1000 AM

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*Coming in June 2026*

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1 June - Sports Camp – 430 PM

2 June - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM  
Sports Camp – 430 PM

3 June - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Sports Camp – 430 PM

4 June - Sports Camp – 430 PM  
Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM

5 June - Sports Camp – 430 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM

6 June - Men's Bible Study – 730 AM

7 June - Sunday Service 1000 AM

8 June - Hilltoppers – 1100 AM  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM

9 June - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM

10 June - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM

11 June - Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM

## SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 12 June - Joseph's Storehouse Prep – 900 AM  
Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM
- 13 June - Joseph Storehouse Distribution – 800 AM
- 14 June - Sunday Service 1000AM
- 15 June - PASTOR GABE VACATION  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 16 June - PASTOR GABE VACATION  
Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 200 PM
- 17 June - PASTOR GABE VACATION  
Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM
- 18 June - PASTOR GABE VACATION  
Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 19 June - PASTOR GABE VACATION  
Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM
- 21 June - Sunday Service 1000 AM  
Youth Group Hotdog Fundraiser – 1130AM
- 22 June - Praying for Prodigals 930 AM  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 23 June - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM
- 24 June - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM
- 25 June - Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 26 June - Joseph Storehouse Prep – 900 AM  
Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM  
Youth Camping Trip

## SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 27 June - Joseph Storehouse Distribution – 800 AM  
Youth Camping Trip
- 28 June - Sunday Service 1000 AM  
Youth Camping Trip
- 29 June- Praying for Prodigals 930 AM  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 30 June - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM

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### *Coming in July 2026*

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- 1 July- Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM
- 2 July - Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 3 July - Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM
- 4 July - Men's Bible Study – 730 AM
- 5 July- Sunday Service - 1000 AM
- 6 July- Hilltoppers – 1100 AM  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 7 July - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM
- 8 July - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM
- 9 July- Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 10 July- Joseph's Storehouse Prep – 900 AM  
Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM

## SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 11 July- Joseph Storehouse Distribution – 800 AM
- 12 July- Sunday Service - 1000 AM
- 13 July- Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 14 July - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM
- 15 July - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM
- 16 July- Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 17 July- Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM
- 18 July- Women Encouraging Women Brunch – 1000 AM
- 19 July- Sunday Service - 1000 AM
- 20 July- Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM
- 21 July - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM
- 22 July - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM
- 23 July- Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM
- 24 July- Joseph's Storehouse Prep – 900 AM  
Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM
- 25 July- Joseph Storehouse Distribution – 800 AM
- 26 July- Sunday Service - 1000 AM  
Youth Ice Cream Social Fundraiser – 1130 AM
- 27 July- Praying for Prodigals – 930 AM  
Community Group – Barreras – 630 PM  
Quilting – 600 PM

## SUNDAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

28 July - Intercessory Prayer 1030 AM  
Community Group – Hough – 100 PM

29 July - Community Group - Hackethal – 630 PM  
Youth Gathering – B1 – 630 PM

30 July- Community Groups – Hammonds (Blanchard) 630 PM

31 July- Community Group – Ponce – 600 PM  
Community Group – Severson – 630 PM

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*Coming in August 2026*

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1 August- Men's Bible Study – 730 AM