

# GRACE TODAY

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**May 27, 2018**

**John MacArthur**  
PASTOR-TEACHER

**Clayton Erb** / Minister of Music

**Welcome** to the Lord's day  
worship service at Grace Church.

We are truly blessed to be here  
this morning as we open God's  
Word together, sing His praises,  
and enjoy a time of fellowship  
in His presence.

Be sure to take advantage of  
the many fellowship and ministry  
opportunities available to  
our church family today and  
throughout the week.



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**8:30 & 10:30\* am***All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* • Holden/Willan • Jan Sanborn, Organist*Hymn 159 O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus* • Congregation*Hymn 155 Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee**Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* • Roberts/Funderburk-Rice

Cathy, Seth, and Sarah Biagini

*You Are the Light* • Fettke • Worship Choir*Hymn 75 O Love that Will Not Let Me Go* • Congregation*Blessed Redeemer* • Hall-Herms/Rice • Grace ChungMESSAGE: **WALKING IN THE SPIRIT, PART 7**

John MacArthur • Galatians 5:16–26

*Doxology Hymn* • Congregation*Now Thank We All Our God* • Cruger/Karg-Elert • Organ Postlude**6:00 pm***O Father, You Are Sovereign* • Teschner • Instrumental Prelude*Songs of Praise* • Congregation*Baptism* • Bill Shannon*Hymn 171 The King of Love My Shepherd Is* • OffertoryMESSAGE: **"REMEMBER, O YAHWEH": HOW GOD'S PAST ACTS OF DELIVERANCE GIVE US HOPE, PART 3**

Austin Duncan • Psalm 137

**Postlude**

\* Interpreting for the deaf is provided during the 10:30 a.m. service. Arabic and Korean translation for the 10:30 a.m. service is available at [gracechurch.org/live](http://gracechurch.org/live). A limited number of headsets are available at the front desk for simultaneous translation.

**Anthem****You Are the Light**

You are the Light we see.

You are the Truth we know.

You are the Life we live.

You are the Hope, You are the Joy,

You are the Song we sing.

Living God, loving God,

We glorify Your name.

High and Holy One come down,

We lift our hearts in praise.

Prince of Peace, Immanuel,

Jesus, Lord of Love.

Within our hearts—Your light.

Within our minds—Your truth.

Within our lives—Your love;

Living Your hope, spreading Your joy,

Singing Your beautiful song.

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Words and music by Tom Fettke

**Doxology Hymn****Hymn 161 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling**

Love divine, all loves excelling, Joy of heav'n, to earth come down;

Fix in us Thy humble dwelling, All Thy faithful mercies crown.

Jesus, Thou art all compassion, Pure, unbounded love Thou art;

Visit us with Thy salvation, Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

To maintain a worshipful atmosphere in the services, please do not applaud after musical numbers.

## Campus Ministries

**THE WELCOME CENTER** hosts a reception for visitors following each Sunday-morning service. Enjoy refreshments and find helpful people with answers to any questions you have about our church. You'll also receive one of Pastor MacArthur's books as a thank you for being with us today.

**THE MEMBER CENTER** has information about membership and baptism. It is located on the north side of the Heritage Building, across from the Welcome Center.

Next Membership Class • June 3  
101 • 8:30 & 10:30 a.m. • T375

**THE PRAYER ROOM** is staffed with counselors, ready to offer pastoral care. It is open after every service, and is adjacent to the Worship Center.

## Generations of Grace Children's Sunday School

The following lesson was taught **today** in Sunday School (Preschool through Juniors)



MESSAGE **Philip Shares the Gospel with the Ethiopian**

PASSAGE **Acts 8:26–40**

PRINCIPLE God graciously allows people to hear His Word.

FEATURED HYMN "Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God" (*Hymns of Grace* No. 318)

ASK YOUR CHILD What did Philip tell the Ethiopian eunuch?

APPLY By knowing Scripture so that you can share the gospel.

THIS WEEK As a family, read Acts 8:26–40.

NEXT WEEK Acts 9:1–31

## On GraceWalk

- **Fundamentals of the Faith**
- **Local Outreach**

## On the Patio

- **Faith Promise**
- **Spanish Ministry**  
(by the Chapel)

## Bookstore

The Bookstore is open after each service and during the week. It is located on the south side of the Worship Center.

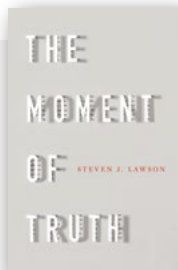
### GRACE BOOKS HIGHLIGHT

#### THE MOMENT OF TRUTH

BY STEVE LAWSON

"We live in the most anti-intellectual and anti-theological era in the history of the church, and that's because the church has too often taken its marching orders from the culture. That is why I'm grateful that God has raised up Steve Lawson for such a time as this. I believe *The Moment of Truth* will serve Christians well as they seek to be faithful to the objective truth of God's Word." —R.C. Sproul

**Available today for 20% off retail,  
or 40% off retail when you purchase two or more**



## Grace to You

**RADIO** [gty.org/radio](http://gty.org/radio)

**God, Satan, and Angels**

- KKLA 99.5 FM LOS ANGELES M–F 6:30 am & 7:30 pm
- KDAR 98.3 FM OXNARD-VENTURA M–F 2:00 & 10:00 am; Sun 2:00 am

**TELEVISION** [gty.org/television](http://gty.org/television)

**"Finding Hope That Overcomes the World"**

- NRBTv CHANNEL 378 ON DIRECTV Sunday 6:30 pm

**ONLINE** [gty.org](http://gty.org)

- John MacArthur's sermons: audio, video, and transcripts
- Resource library: blog, devotionals, articles, Q&As, and more
- Mobile apps: "The Study Bible" and "Grace to You Sermons"

*Adapted from the Generations of Grace Family Devotional, available at the bookstore.*

**RE**  
GENERATION  
**2018**

# A VITAL PARTNERSHIP

God works in hearts at camp. Over the years, countless high school students have shared, often during their baptism testimonies, about the Lord working in their lives at a camp. There is no experience more impactful than a week of powerful gospel preaching. The last decade of fruit demonstrates this reality.

That's why we're thrilled that Camp Regeneration 2018 is right around the corner. For seven days (July 24–30), hundreds of high school students will travel to Glorieta, New Mexico, for a week of great fun, life-changing preaching, and incredible worship. We are thrilled to have Pastor John join us again this year, along with our college pastor, Austin Duncan. With this Bible-centered atmosphere, we hope to see the Lord work mightily once again.

The preaching theme for Regen 2018 is "To Live Is Christ." In Philippians 1:21, Paul identifies the essence of the Christian life—"to live is Christ, and to die is gain." Our lives are about Jesus Christ. We live to obey Him, worship Him, and proclaim Him. The Christian life is a life centered on the Savior. Yet for so many today, the pull of the world and the battle with the flesh de-centers our lives from the very purpose for which we were saved.

Each message preached at camp will focus on the person of Christ, and what it means to pursue Him. Our prayer is that hundreds would leave Camp Regen with a new or renewed passion to center their lives around our great Savior.

## WAYS TO PARTNER

Camp Regeneration has always been a "whole church" ministry. It cannot exist without the partnership and support of the body. There are two primary ways you can help.

**PRAY.** The greatest support you can provide is prayer. Our biggest need is for the Lord to be at work in our camp. We would love prayer for the preaching, for conversion, for unbelievers to come, and for spiritual maturation. We don't see fruit from Regen because of a perfectly scheduled program, but because God works through His Word and the prayers of His Church.

HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER CAMP  
JULY 24–30, 2018  
GLORIETA, NEW MEXICO

**CAMPREGEN.COM**







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**GIVE.** You can also partner with us by contributing to the Camp Regen Scholarship Fund—a financial source that allows us to say yes to our students and their unsaved friends who otherwise would not be able to attend. You can provide a full scholarship, half-scholarship, or any other amount you feel led to give. If you are interested in this ministry opportunity, please stop by the Regen table on any Sunday morning over the next few weeks.

Our church family plays a critical role in the ministry we do at Camp Regen. With camp just two months away, we eagerly anticipate seeing fruit as the Lord works through His Word and through His Church.

## SHORT-TERM MINISTRIES **HIGHLIGHT**

Please pray for our teams as they prepare for, serve, and return from the field.



### **TEAM NEW ZEALAND** MAY 27–JUNE 11

**TEAM MEMBERS:** Aaron Filbrun (team leader), Charles Brown, Becky Buczinski, Chris Buczinski, Danielle Drake, Trishia Filbrun, Jenna Jensen, Mark Redondo, David Samson

**HOST:** Riverbend Bible Church

**MINISTRY:** Impact Bible Conference, VBS



### **TEAM COLOMBIA** JUNE 1–16

**TEAM MEMBERS:** Jose Soria Jr. (team leader), Sandra Archila, William Archila, Oscar Erroa, Saul Landa, Fernando Loyola, Ruth Loyola

**HOST:** Fernando Jaimes

**MINISTRY:** Child Evangelism, Bible Translation



### **TEAM CAMEROON** JUNE 2–13

**TEAM MEMBERS:** Aaron Shryock (team leader), Sarah Berghuis, Taylor Berghuis, Emily Park, Michael Park, Rachel Shryock, Rebecca Shryock, Ruth Shryock, Susan Shryock, Jack Smith

**HOST:** Ahala Baptist Church

**MINISTRY:** Evangelism, Bible Translation

HIGHLIGHT



## ***Racin' Around the World*** **June 25–29**

For kids going into grades  
K–6 this fall. Register today at  
[gracechurch.org/vbs](http://gracechurch.org/vbs).

## **Grace Around the World**

### The **Contreras** Family

Luis & Robin, Olivia, Rodrigo, AnaGabriela

Serving in **Mexico** since **2002**



### **Prayer / Praise**

- Praise the Lord for bringing many visitors to our church over the last few weeks.
- Pray for the salvation of the unbelievers who are visiting the church.

## **Faith Promise**

Last week you generously gave **\$16,369**. Thank you for your ongoing support of our missionaries and their ministries around the world.

**Today is the last day to submit your 2018–2019 Faith Promise commitment card.**

## **Camp Grace Volunteers Needed**

**June 11–13 • Lake Arrowhead**

**July 23–27 • Big Basin, Santa Cruz**

Special Ministries has an urgent need for volunteers to serve at both camps this summer. For more information about serving at either camp, call Pastor Rick McLean at 818-909-5519.

## **Parenting for Life**

**A Biblical Guide for Shepherding the Family**

**May 27–August 26 (class will not meet in July) • 10:30 a.m. • H223–224**

**Teacher: Rich Harasick**

For more information or to register, visit [gracechurch.org/childrens](http://gracechurch.org/childrens) or call 818-909-5631. Space is limited. Order curriculum at the bookstore.

## **Local Outreach Spotlight**

### **Thank You!**

Last month our church family partnered with Children's Hunger Fund to provide more than 1,000 Food Paks in support of gospel-centered mercy ministry. The pastors and elders are grateful for your generosity and your compassion for those who need both physical bread and the Bread of Life.

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## Job Opportunities

**Accounting Administrative Assistant.** The Grace Church Accounting Department has a full-time opening for an administrative assistant (40 hours/week). Requirements include experience with customer service, processing cash transactions, and data importing and entry. Must possess excellent customer service, organizational, and multi-tasking skills. Proficiency with Microsoft Office and an ability to work in a fast-paced environment required. Experience with general ledger software is also helpful.

**Nursery Workers.** Children's Ministry currently has several part-time openings (10–20 hours/week) for nursery workers. Hours are primarily Sundays and Wednesdays. Must be able to exhibit love to parents, children, staff and desire to serve through humility, patience, and joy. Prior work experience in childcare is preferred, and applicants must be able to successfully pass a background check.

*Applicants for employment must be, if employed, biblically qualified as a deacon or deaconess and a member of Grace Church. For more information or to request an application, contact HR at [HR@gracechurch.org](mailto:HR@gracechurch.org) or 818-909-5672.*

**Medical Assistant or EMT.** The Master's University Health Center has a part-time opening for a Medical Assistant or EMT (20 hours/week). Requirements include excellent customer service skills, familiarity with medical insurance plans, a desire to learn, and a passion for helping others. Must have a positive and professional attitude, accurate record keeping skills, ability to analyze and solve problems, a working knowledge of Word, Excel, and PowerPoint, and the ability to compose, proofread, and edit correspondence. Applicants must have a demonstrated commitment to the doctrinal position of TMU and an ongoing desire to serve others. For more information or to request an application, email [HumanResources@masters.edu](mailto:HumanResources@masters.edu) or call 661-362-2843.

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## Volunteers Needed

Sundays • 10:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.

Children's Ministries is looking for volunteers to serve with special needs children on Sunday mornings and evenings. For more information, email [tsinclair@gracechurch.org](mailto:tsinclair@gracechurch.org) or call 818-909-5578.

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## PSP Homeschool Group

Used Curriculum Sale

Saturday, June 16 • 10:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. • Family Center

For information, call Marina at 818-956-9382.

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## Russian Outreach Bible Study

Today • 12:30–2:30 p.m. • H221–222

If you speak or understand Russian, know someone who does, or have a heart to see Russian-speaking people saved, please visit one of our Sunday afternoon meetings. Join us as we pray about how to reach the Russian community in Los Angeles with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

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## Nurses Needed

The Open Arms Pregnancy Clinic has an urgent need for a nurse manager, a staff nurse, and volunteer nurses. For more information email [debi@openarmspregnancy.com](mailto:debi@openarmspregnancy.com).

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### Baby Rose

The rosebud is in honor of **Sienna Janae Perez**, born March 18, 2018, to Shonna and George Perez.

**8:30 a.m.****Children's Sunday School**

Visit the Welcome Center  
for room locations.  
Pastor: Ace Davis

**Cornerstone**

(All ages) T371  
Pastors: Nathan Busenitz,  
Mark Tatlock, Harry Walls

**Doulos** (Singles & young families) T361

Pastor: Carl Hargrove

**FaithBuilders** (All ages) T261

Pastor: Bill Shannon

**GraceLife** (All ages)

Family Center  
Pastors: Phil Johnson,  
Mike Riccardi

**Junior High** (Grades 7–8)

T73 (Basement)  
Pastor: Jay Lennington

**Developmentally Disabled**

CC130E  
Pastor: Rick McLean

**Spanish Adult Sunday School** H221–222

Teachers: Josiah Grauman,  
José Soria

**Spanish Worship Service**

Chapel  
Pastors: Henry Tolopilo,  
Michael Mahoney

**10:30 a.m.****Children's Sunday School**

*Special needs class available*  
Visit the Welcome Center  
for room locations.  
Pastor: Ace Davis

**Crossroads**

(College & young adults)  
Family Center  
Pastor: Austin Duncan

**High School** (Grades 9–12)

T73 (Basement)  
Pastor: Josh Petras

**Joint Heirs** (All ages) T261

Pastors: Tom Patton, John Street

**Mainstream** (All ages) T361

Pastors: Rich Gregory,  
Carlos Chung

**Developmentally Disabled**

CC130E  
Pastor: Rick McLean

**Sojourners** (All ages) T371

Pastor: William Varner

**Spanish Adult Sunday School** H221–222

Teachers: Rubén Pidal,  
David González

**Spanish Worship Service**

Chapel  
Pastors: Henry Tolopilo,  
Michael Mahoney

**12:30 p.m.****Neighborhood Outreach**

H223–224

**5:00 p.m.****Sunday Night Prayer Group**

T385

**6:00 p.m.****Adventure Club**

Family Center (Grades 4–6)  
Chapel (Grades 1–3)  
T270s (Ages 3–5)

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**Fridays 7:30 p.m.****The Guild** (Single adults)

T361  
Pastor: Don Carr

**Mondays 9:00 a.m.****Monday Morning Prayer Group**

Welcome Center

**Building Abbreviation Key**

T = Tower  
H = Heritage  
CC = Children's Center

**MINISTRY DIRECTORY****Administration**

818-909-5500

**Children**

818-909-5631

**Logos Institute**

818-909-5500

**Membership**

818-909-5644

**Men**

818-909-5537

**Outreach**

818-909-5700

**Pastoral Care & Counseling**

818-909-5537

**Prayer**

818-909-5519

**Spanish**

818-909-5722

**Special Ministries**

818-909-5519

**Student**

818-909-5593

**Women**

818-909-5521

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and extend His kingdom by  
living and proclaiming  
His truth in the world.*

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