

GRACE TODAY

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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.



8:30 & 10:30* am

Redeemed • Butler/Sturz • Steven Sturz, Organist
I Will Sing of the Mercies • Fillmore/Sturz

Hymn 196 *I Will Glory in My Redeemer* • Congregation

The Light of the World Is Jesus • Bliss-Gabriel/Maddux-Rice • Strings, Woodwinds, Piano

Jesus Paid It All • Grape/Sterling-Rice • Worship Choir

Is He Worthy • Peterson-Shive/Rice • John Martin

Hymn 286 *Beneath the Cross of Jesus* • Congregation

MESSAGE: **ACCEPTABLE WORSHIP, PART 2**
 John MacArthur • John 4:20–24

Communion

And Can It Be? • Campbell/Sturz • Organ Postlude

6:00 pm

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name • Holden • Instrumental Prelude

Songs of Praise • Congregation

Hymn 187 *Before the Throne of God Above* • Offertory

MESSAGE: **THE HEART OF THE DEFENSE**
 Brad Klassen • 1 Peter 3:13–17

Right Hand of Fellowship**Postlude****Anthem*****Jesus Paid It All***

I hear the Savior say, “Thy strength indeed is small!
 Child of weakness, watch and pray, find in Me thine all in all.”
 Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;
 Sin had left a crimson stain—He washed it white as snow.

For nothing good have I whereby Thy grace to claim—
 I'll wash my garments white in the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb.
 Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;
 Sin had left a crimson stain—He washed it white as snow.

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete,
 “Jesus died my soul to save,” my lips shall still repeat.
 Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe;
 Sin had left a crimson stain—He washed it white,
 He washed it white as snow.

Words by Elvina M. Hall (1865); music by John T. Grape (1886); arranged by Robert Sterling

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

* 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. A limited number of headsets are available at the front desk for simultaneous translation.

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 • February 2
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 **God Sees David's Heart**

PASSAGE **1 Samuel 16**

PRINCIPLE God sees the hearts of all men.

FEATURED HYMN "May the Mind of Christ My Savior" (*Hymns of Grace* No. 377)

ASK YOUR CHILD How is God's view of man different from ours?

APPLY By examining your heart and learning what pleases the Lord.

THIS WEEK As a family, read 1 Samuel 16

NEXT WEEK Review Sunday

On GraceWalk

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

On the Patio

- **Shepherds' Conference Volunteers**
- **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.

HIGHLIGHT

THE GOD WHO LOVES HE WILL DO WHATEVER IT TAKES TO DRAW US TO HIM

by John MacArthur

Our pastor brings us into the very heart of God by addressing issues like how a loving God can send anyone to hell, the difference between the God of the Old and New Testaments, and why God required His own Son to die on the cross. This book dismantles the two polar views of God as a sentimental grandfather or an angry tyrant, and presents an accurate picture of His perfect character and work.



Grace to You

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- NRBTV CHANNEL 378 ON DIRECTV Sunday 6:30 pm

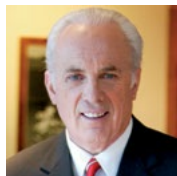
ONLINE gtv.org

- 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.

Meet Our Elders

In Ephesians 4:8–11, the apostle Paul writes that church leaders are God’s agents in building the church as they equip the saints for the work of the ministry. Our church has been blessed with godly elders who shepherd us willingly, eagerly, and humbly. As we begin a new year, please take a moment to become familiar with our current Grace Church elders, along with their primary areas of service.



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Pastor-Teacher



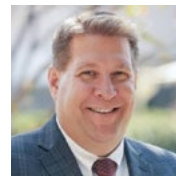
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GraceLife
Fundamentals of the Faith



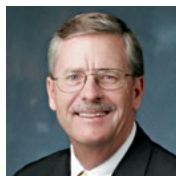
Brad Armstrong
Mainstream



John Bates
Crossroads



Brian Biedebach
Steadfast



Irv Busenitz
Mainstream



Nathan Busenitz
Cornerstone



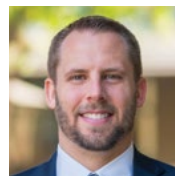
Don Carr
Crossroads



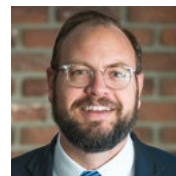
Hohn Cho
Cornerstone



George Crawford
Anchored



Ace Davis
Children’s Ministry



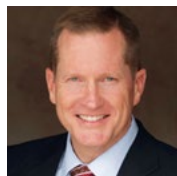
Austin Duncan
Crossroads



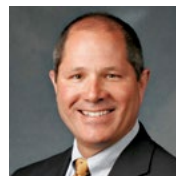
Josiah Grauman
Spanish Ministry



Rich Gregory
Mainstream



Chris Hamilton
Crossroads



Rich Harasick
Children’s Ministry



Carl Hargrove
Anchored
Grace Advance



Phil Haw
Crossroads



Ron Hendrickson
GraceLife



Bob Hotton
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Phil Johnson
GraceLife



Brad Klassen
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Men of the Word



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Jr. High Ministry
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Membership



Michael Mahoney
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Administration



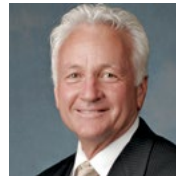
Phil Manly
Hospital Chaplaincy



Rick McLean
Joint Heirs
Special Ministries



Brian Milam
Mainstream
Outreach Ministry



David Muxlow
Grace Church
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Tom Patton
Joint Heirs
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Josh Petras
High School Ministry



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High School Ministry



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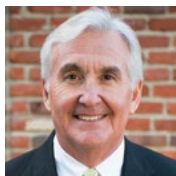
Mark Tatlock
Cornerstone



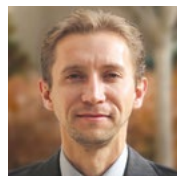
Henry Tolopilo
Spanish Ministry



Paul Twiss
Steadfast



Harry Walls
Cornerstone



Joe Zhakevich
Sojourners



Mark Zhakevich
Crossroads
Grace Church
Administration

Shepherds' Conference

March 4–6

Volunteer Meeting

There is a mandatory volunteer meeting today at 12:30 p.m. in the Family Center.

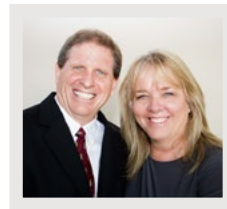
Scholarships

For information about providing a scholarship for the 2020 Shepherds' Conference, visit gracechurch.org/scholarship.

Grace Around the World

David & Carol **Beakley**

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Prayer / Praise

- Praise God for His work in the people of Christ Baptist Church.
- Pray for Christ Seminary's application for permission to grant an M.Div. equivalent degree.

For more information visit gracechurch.org/beakley.

Faith Promise

Last week you generously gave **\$8,939**. Thank you for your ongoing support of our missionaries and their ministries around the world.

Local Outreach Spotlight

Open Arms Pregnancy Clinic

Nurse Needed

The Open Arms Pregnancy Clinic is seeking a registered nurse. Qualified candidates must have a current RN license or above, a heart for women facing decisions regarding pregnancy, and strong computer proficiency. Part-time preferred, but will consider full-time. Help us help others choose life. Contact Debi at debi@openarmspregnancy.com.

Sunday Evening Sermon Series

Defending Doctrinal Clarity in a Confused World

Today through March 1

Don't miss this timely series leading up to Shepherds' Conference 2020, as we consider the importance of faithfulness to core biblical truths in a culture that is growing increasingly dark.

Parent Dedication

February 9

This is a time when parents commit to raising their children according to the principles of God's Word. Parents who are members of Grace Church and whose babies are 24 months of age or younger may sign up before February 2 by emailing childrens@gracechurch.org

Right Hand of Fellowship

Join us tonight, immediately following the evening worship service, as we welcome a group of new members into our church family. If you have questions about membership, please stop by the Member Center after either morning service.

Unequally Yoked

Tuesday, January 28

Bible study primarily for women married to unbelieving husbands. For information, call 818-909-5521.

Sunday School Volunteers

Children's Ministry has an urgent need for Sunday School volunteers during the 10:30 a.m. service. If you are interested in serving, please pick up an application at the Welcome Center. For additional information, email childrens@gracechurch.org.

Every Woman's Grace

Wednesdays • 9:30 a.m. (CC130) & 6:30 p.m. (Chapel)

All women are invited to join us for Bible study and fellowship.

Register online at gracechurch.org/ewg.

Job Opportunities

Administrative Assistant. The Grace Church Audio Visual Department has a part-time opening for an administrative assistant (20–29 hours/week). Candidates will assist the department with administrative support, digital media projects, and a wide range of office duties. Requirements include attention to detail and excellent organizational, multi-tasking, and customer service skills; the ability to work in a fast-paced environment; and proficiency with Microsoft Office.

Custodial. The Grace Church Custodial Department has part-time openings (20–29 hours/week) for custodians who enjoy working in a team environment and serving the church in practical ways. Position requires ability to be detail-oriented and thrive in a fast-paced environment. Job duties include room set-up and break-down, and various cleaning tasks. Applicants must be able to lift up to 50 pounds.

Applicants for employment must be, if employed, biblically qualified as a deacon and a member of Grace Church. For more information or to request an application, contact the office of Human Resources at HR@gracechurch.org or 818-909-5672.

8:30 a.m.

Anchored (All ages) T360s
Pastors: Carl Hargrove,
Bill Shannon

Children's Sunday School
Visit the Welcome Center for
room locations.
Pastor: Ace Davis

Cornerstone (All ages) T370s
Pastors: Nathan Busenitz,
Hohn Cho, Mark Tatlock,
Harry Wallis

Developmentally Disabled
CC130E
Pastor: Rick McLean

GraceLife (All ages)
Family Center
Pastors: Phil Johnson,
Mike Riccardi

Junior High (Grades 7–8)
T70s (Basement)
Pastor: Jay Lennington

Spanish Adult Sunday School
H221-222
Teachers: Josiah Grauman,
José Soria, Santiago Armel

Spanish Worship Service
Chapel
Pastors: Henry Tolopilo,
Michael Mahoney,
Josiah Grauman

Steadfast (All ages) T260s
Pastor: Brian Biedebach

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

Developmentally Disabled
CC130E
Pastor: Rick McLean

High School (Grades 9–12)
T70s (Basement)
Pastor: Josh Petras

Joint Heirs (All ages) T260s
Pastors: Tom Patton, John Street

Mainstream (All ages) T360s
Pastors: Rich Gregory,
Carlos Chung

Sojourners (All ages) T370s
Pastors: William Varner,
Joe Zhakevich

Spanish Adult Sunday School
H221-222
Teachers: Rubén Pidal,
José Martínez, Josué Pineda

Spanish Worship Service
Chapel
Pastors: Henry Tolopilo,
Michael Mahoney,
Josiah Grauman

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)

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
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Outreach
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