

GRACE TODAY

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Special Online Edition

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

"When I am afraid, I will put my
trust in You. In God, whose Word
I praise, in God I have put my trust;
I shall not be afraid. What can
mere man do to me?"

Psalms 56:3-4



10:30* am

BILL BRANDENSTEIN, DIRECTOR

The Art of Fugue: Contrapunctus 9 • Bach • Stephen Sturz, Organist*Hymn 129 Crown Him with Many Crowns* • Congregation*Hymn 354 The Church's One Foundation**Be Still My Soul* • Sibelius/Maddux-Rice • Strings & Woodwinds Ensemble*Hymn 368 Speak, O Lord* • Congregation*Search Me, O God* • Harvill/Springer-Rice • Christian EbnerMESSAGE: **WHY DO CHRISTIANS BELIEVE THE BIBLE?**

John MacArthur • 1 Corinthians 1–2

Doxology Hymn • Congregation

Thine Be the Glory • Handel/Sturz • Organ Postlude

6:00 pm

Tonight's live stream message is "Jesus: Liar, Lunatic, or Lord?," from Mark 3:20–35.



Sunday Nights at Grace in the Tent

MINI-CONCERT WITH CHRISTIAN EBNER

Join us this evening for a mini-concert with Christian Ebner and a devotional by Kris Brackett (Grace Church missionary to Croatia). Don't miss this encouraging opportunity to gather with our church family.

Live stream available at gracechurch.org/live. *Translations in Spanish, Korean, Arabic, Italian, Russian, and American Sign Language (ASL) are provided during the 10:30 a.m. service.

Doxology Hymn

Hymn 404 *My Faith Has Found a Resting Place*

My faith has found a resting place Not in device or creed:
I trust the Ever-living One—His wounds for me shall plead.
I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.

My heart is leaning on the Word, The written Word of God:
Salvation by my Savior's name, Salvation through His blood.
I need no other argument, I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died, And that He died for me.

Grace to You

RADIO gty.org/radio**Joy Rules**

- 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**"A Conquering, Courageous Faith, Part 2"**

- NRBTv CHANNEL 378 ON DIRECTV Sunday 6:30 pm

ONLINE 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"

Generations of Grace Children's Sunday School



- MESSAGE **God Guided Israel to Repentance**
PASSAGE **Ezra 7–10**
PRINCIPLE Believers repent when they see God's goodness and their sin.
FEATURED HYMN "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (*Hymns of Grace* No. 86)
ASK YOUR CHILD How did God reveal His goodness to Ezra?
APPLY By studying, obeying, and teaching God's Word.
THIS WEEK As a family, read Ezra 7–10.
NEXT WEEK Nehemiah 1–7

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

Grace Equip Fall Classes

Theology 101: God's Word on the Bible and Theology

August 31–October 12 (Mondays) • 7:00–9:00 p.m. • T360s (or online via Zoom)

Instructor: Chris Burnett • Cost: \$60

Discipleship Counseling 1

September 9–November 25 (Wednesdays) • 6:30–8:30 p.m. • T360s

Instructors: Bill Shannon, George Sanders • Cost: \$80

For information or to register, visit gracechurch.org/equip.

With the Lord

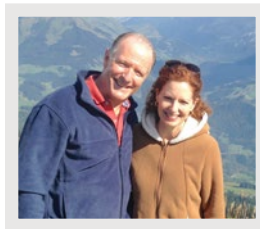
Michael Hilliger recently went to be with the Lord. Please remember his family in your prayers. There will be a service in his honor on Saturday, August 15, at 10:00 a.m. in the Worship Center.

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His godly ones. —Psalm 116:15

Grace Around the World

John & Meg Glass

Serving in **Switzerland** since **1986**



Prayer / Praise

- Pray for our church as we transition to a Swiss national pastor.
- Pray for our future as we explore several ministry opportunities.

For more information, visit gracechurch.org/glass.

Faith Promise

Last week you generously gave **\$49,988**. Thank you for your ongoing support of our missionaries and their ministries around the world.

Russian Outreach Bible Study

Today • 12:30–2:30 p.m. • CC230s

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.

Premarital/Marriage Seminar

A prerequisite for engaged couples desiring to get married at Grace Church, this seminar is also helpful for those who are purposefully dating, as well as married couples interested in God's plan for a successful marriage.

Part 1 Friday, September 11, 7:30–9:00 p.m. • Saturday, September 12, 9:00 a.m.–noon

Part 2 Friday, October 16, 7:30–9:00 p.m. • Saturday, October 17, 9:00 a.m.–noon

Instructors: Bill Shannon, George Sanders

\$35 for church members or TMS/TMU students; \$65 for non-members

For more information or to register, visit gracechurch.org/premarital or call 818-909-5537.

Job Opportunities

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.

GMI Accountant. Accounting has a full-time opening for an accountant for Grace Ministries International. Duties include maintaining the general ledger, preparing journals, processing payroll, administering grants, and preparing financial reports in Excel format. Additional duties include acting as a liaison with Short-Term Ministries, and general office work as assigned. Requires a bachelor's degree and a minimum of two years' experience in the field or related area. Strong Excel skills an advantage, basic knowledge of accounting and tax concepts and practices are required.

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.

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Grace Equip
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