

GRACE TODAY

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PASTOR-TEACHER

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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

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing · Gläser/Sturz · Stephen Sturz, Organist
O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus · Trad./Sturz

Hymn 277 Lift High the Cross · Congregation

No, Not One · Hugg/Rice · Strings & Woodwinds Ensemble

Hymn 281 Jesus Paid It All · Congregation

Come to Jesus · Rice/Baldwin-McDonald · Carmella Jones

MESSAGE: **THE INCOMPARABLE VALUE OF THE CHURCH**
 John MacArthur · Selected Scriptures

Communion

Crown Him with Many Crowns · Elvey/Sturz · Organ Postlude

6:00 pm

Instrumental Prelude

Songs of Praise · Congregation

MESSAGE: **YOUR MOST IMMINENT CONCERN**
 Paul Washer · 1 John 5:11–12

Postlude

Instrumental Praise

No, Not One

There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus—No, not one! no, not one!
 None else could heal all our soul's diseases—No, not one! no, not one!
 Jesus knows all about our struggles,
 He will guide 'til the day is done;
 There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus—No, not one! no, not one!

There's not an hour that He is not near us—No, not one! no, not one!
 No night so dark but His love can cheer us—No, not one! no, not one!
 Jesus knows all about our struggles,
 He will guide 'til the day is done;
 There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus—No, not one! no, not one!

Did ever saint find this friend forsake Him?—No, not one! no, not one!
 Or sinner find that He would not take Him?—No, not one! no, not one!
 Jesus knows all about our struggles,
 He will guide 'til the day is done;
 There's not a friend like the lowly Jesus—No, not one! no, not one!

Words by Johnson Oatman, Jr. (1895); music by George C. Hugg (1895)

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

Campus Ministries

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.

Today's Membership Class
103 • 9:00 a.m. • T360s

THE PRAYER ROOM is staffed with counselors, ready to offer pastoral care. It is open after the 10:30 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. services, and is adjacent to the Worship Center.

On the Patio

- Christmas in September
- Spanish Ministry (by the Chapel)
- Walk for Life

Bookstore

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

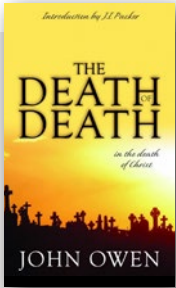
HIGHLIGHT

THE DEATH OF DEATH IN THE DEATH OF CHRIST

by John Owen

“It is safe to say that no comparable exposition of the work of redemption as planned and executed by the Triune Jehovah has ever been done since Owen published his in 1684. None has been needed.” —J. I. Packer

Available today for 30% off retail



Generations of Grace Children's Sunday School



MESSAGE **Jesus Overcomes Temptation**

PASSAGE **Luke 4:1–13**

PRINCIPLE Only Jesus is righteous enough to take away the punishment for your sin.

FEATURED HYMN “The Solid Rock” (*Hymns of Grace* No. 381)

ASK YOUR CHILD How did Jesus respond to Satan’s temptation in words and actions?

APPLY By trusting God’s Word when you are tempted to sin.

THIS WEEK As a family, read Luke 4:1–13.

NEXT WEEK Mark 1:16–20

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

Grace to You

RADIO gty.org/radio

The Love of God

- KKLA 99.5 FM LOS ANGELES
- KDAR 98.3 FM OXNARD-VENTURA

M–F 6:30 am & 7:30 pm
M–F 2:00 & 10:00 am; Sun 2:00 am

TELEVISION gty.org/television

“The Promise of Peace in a Worried World”

- 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”



Growing in Christ Together

“Make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose.” —PHILIPPIANS 2:2

From the very beginning, Grace Church has been characterized by the genuine love and friendship that our members have for one another. That fellowship and affection within our church family has remained constant over the years and is a special blessing among the women here.

There are many godly, gifted, and wise women who have been here since our church began and continue



their ministry of discipleship today. Others serve the Lord selflessly in behind-the-scenes positions, some are skilled teachers who lead others through the study of Scripture, and others are here for a season while their husbands attend seminary.

In Titus 2, Paul gives an imperative for the older women to teach the younger women how to live godly lives. There is a unique joy and benefit that comes from the discipleship relationships between older and younger women, including wise counsel, encouragement, admonition, and a mutual exhortation in life and godliness. Based on that understanding, there are rich resources available here to help all the women in our church family grow spiritually and learn what practical Christianity looks like in our marriages, families, neighborhoods, and jobs.

As a new season of ministry begins, and after a few long months of anticipation, we invite you to be a part of one of the women's studies offered at Grace Church. It's an opportunity to get to know women in different seasons and circumstances of life and be encouraged and sharpened in your love for the Lord and His people.

Whatever your situation, there is a spiritual home and sweet fellowship here for you; visit our website and take a moment to read about the ministries listed at right. We look forward to growing together with you in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ!

Women's Ministry

OPPORTUNITIES

Arabic Women's Discipleship
Completas en Cristo
Every Woman's Grace
Filipino Women's Discipleship
Korean Every Woman's Grace
Mindset for Missions
One with Christ
Seminary Wives Discipleship
Sojourners Women's Fellowship
T.E.A. (Teaching, Encouragement, and Accountability);
hosted by Joint Heirs
Titus Two Tuesdays
Unequally Yoked
Unidas en Cristo
Women Walking Wisely; hosted by Anchored

For information about any of these ministries, visit gracechurch.org/women or call 818-909-5521.

On any Sunday in September, stop by the table on GraceWalk to encourage our missionary families with a personal note and a heartfelt gift. Visit gracechurch.org/cis to learn more about Christmas in September or give a gift online.



Parent Dedication October 4

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 September 28 by emailing childrens@gracechurch.org.

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 or for additional information, email childrens@gracechurch.org or call 818-909-5631.

Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is of good repute, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, dwell on these things.

—Philippians 4:8

Faith Promise

Last week you generously gave **\$15,112**. Thank you for your ongoing support of our missionaries and their ministries around the world.

Local Outreach Spotlight

Walk for Life: Supporting the Open Arms Pregnancy Clinic

Saturday, October 10 • 8:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. • First Baptist Church, Canoga Park

Stop by the table on GraceWalk this morning to register and pick up a sponsor pledge form. For more information, visit WithOpenArms.org/events.

Grace Church Podcasts

Visit gracechurch.org/podcasts for a complete catalog of Grace Church teaching audio available for subscription today.

Every Woman's Grace

Wednesdays • 10:00 a.m. (Worship Center) & 7:00 p.m. (Family Center)

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

Register online at gracechurch.org/ewg.

September Ministry Meetings

If you have a meeting scheduled this month, check gracechurch.org or contact your ministry leader for schedule updates, ways to meet online, and more.

Adventure Club

Designed for three-year-olds through sixth graders, this exciting children's program meets on Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. For more information, visit gracechurch.org/adventureclub.

With the Lord

Mary Goffredo recently went to be with the Lord. Please remember her family in your prayers. There will be a service in her honor on Saturday, September 26, at 11:00 a.m. in the Chapel.

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

Sojourners Women's Fellowship

Thursday, September 24 • 9:30-11:30 a.m. • T270s

Speaker: Carolyn Berry • Topic: "When I Am Weak, Then He Is Strong"

All women are welcome. Call 818-887-9717 for more information.

Job Opportunities

Assistant Customer Service Manager. Generations of Grace has a full-time opening for an assistant customer service manager. Duties include managing budgets, people, and customers, as well as maintaining websites, systems, assisting with new customer accounts, and fulfilling new orders. Additional duties include answering phone calls and emails and the ability to work in a fast-paced environment. A business background with management experience and knowledge of basic Adobe Acrobat and Creative Cloud is preferred.

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.

Nursery Supervisor. Grace Church currently has a part-time opening (3 hours/week) for a nursery worker on Wednesday mornings. Must be able to exhibit love to parents, children, and staff, and desire to serve through humility, patience, and joy. Prior work experience in childcare preferred, and must be able to pass a background check successfully.

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.

MINISTRY DIRECTORY

Administration

818-909-5500

Children

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Grace Equip

818-909-5500

Membership

818-909-5644

Men

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Outreach

818-909-5700

Pastoral Care & Counseling

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Prayer

818-909-5519

Spanish

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Special Ministries

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Women

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

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