# **Grace Evangelical Church**

# Welcome to our Family

**November 4, 2018** 

Arise for our help, And redeem us for Your mercies' sake.

Psalm 44:26

## This Morning: "A Psalm of Instruction: A Template for Prayer"

Senior Pastor: Darrell Jones

Administrative Pastor: Chris Olson Counseling/Care Pastor: Dennis Jennings Families/Discipleship Pastor: Ken Maxey Senior Ministries Pastor: Dave Ernst Children's Pastor: Dan Blakely Youth Pastor: Nick Pierce

Worship Leaders: Phil Magana & Jeremy Sharp

#### THIS WEEK

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Sunday	PRAY FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH
	7:30amPre-Service Prayer in Room 206
	8:00amWorship Service and Children's Sunday School
	9:30amWorship Service and Children's Church
	9:40amAdult Sunday School
	10:55amYouth Sunday School/Adult Sunday School
	11:00amWorship Service and Children's Church
	12:30pmSt Joe Serve in Carden Park School area
	6:00pmNO Bible Study and Prayer in the Library
Monday	9:00amOpen Door Food Kitchen
	6:00pmBaby Dedication Meeting by the Fireplace
Wednesday	6:30pmMidweek Children and Youth at Grace
Thursday	12:00pmPrayer and Fasting in the Library
Friday	6:00amEarly Morning Prayer by the Fireplace
Saturday	8:00amSecond Harvest Packing Thanksgiving boxes
	11:30amG3 Leader/Host Meeting with Pastor Darrell
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## PRAY FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH

Today is the day of International Prayer for the Persecuted Church, join thousands across the United States and the world in prayer for our persecuted brothers and sisters. Christians in Pakistan are routinely threatened and persecuted. They are often relegated to the lowest paying jobs and even to a form of slavery working for Muslim brick-kiln owners. However, they continue to serve and faithfully witness for Christ. Commit to pray today!

**Wednesday, November 28**<sup>th</sup> we will be having our annual Christmas Kick-off. All are welcome to attend, especially those with children or grandchildren ages 10 and younger. This year's theme is "*The Greatest Story Ever Told*". Come and enjoy a Nativity Petting Zoo that includes a donkey, sheep, miniature horses and several other animals that kids will be able to pet and feed from 4:45-6:00pm. Other activities include:

(4:45-6:00p) -Nativity Ornament Crafts -Horse Drawn Sleigh Rides (5:00-6:00p) -Light supper of soup/sandwiches -Games (6-6:30p) -WILL STUCK STORY TIME

All is free, and friends are welcome.

Sign up available to volunteer and help with games, serving and clean up, Ouestions? Contact Pastor Ken – ken@graceontheweb.org.

## **BABY DEDICATION**

We will hold a baby dedication during our morning services on **Sunday**, **November 18<sup>th</sup>.** If you have an infant or toddler you would like to have formally dedicated to the Lord, please sign up at the information desk. All parents must meet with a pastor prior to the dedication. This meeting is **Monday**, **November 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm** by the fireplace in the lobby.

## **BAPTISM**

If you would like to testify your faith in Jesus by being water baptized, we encourage you to do so. Our next baptism service will be held on **Sunday**, **November 25**<sup>th</sup> at 12:30pm in the chapel. All candidates will need to meet with a pastor on **Sunday**, **November 11**<sup>th</sup>, at 12:30pm, in the library. Please sign up and pick up a video information sheet at the information desk.

# **HANDS OF GRACE WORKING AT ST JOE SERV**

Join us **TODAY from 12:30-4pm** for St Joe Serve. We have a (yellow)sign up at the information desk if you want to come and help. A map of the area we will be serving and where we will meet is also available.

# SUNDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY & PRAYER

Pastor Dave began a study of the book of Deuteronomy last week, covering the first five verses of chapter one. We will resume the study next Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup>. We will not have a study tonight and encourage you to help at St Joe Serve, where you will put into practice the fruit of the Spirit.

## THANKSGIVING BOXES AT SECOND HARVEST

We will pack the food we have collected at Second Harvest (915 Douglas St.) this **Saturday, November 10<sup>th</sup> from 8:00-11:00am**. Sign up or show up if you want to join us in serving the people in our community.

# **CHRISTMAS CHOIR AT GRACE**

Through the Roof Sunday School class has started a community integrated choir called Storm. Their very first program will be held **Thursday**, **November 29**<sup>th</sup> **at 6:00pm** in the chapel and will feature classic Christmas songs. Please come enjoy a great holiday performance while allowing choir members the chance to be in the spotlight. They have been practicing hard and are ready to SHINE!

## **REPURPOSED** (over 40 singles)

>**Tuesday, November 6**<sup>th</sup> - committee meeting starting at 5:30pm in room 206. >**Wednesday, November 14**<sup>th</sup> - trivia with the ReSet youth. We promise, no obscure questions, like "How many hairs are on Pastor Dave's head?" Pizza and salad for all, beginning at 6:30pm in the ReSet youth room. Sign up at the kiosk if you'll be attending...do it today!

## **MOVERS AND SHAKER OF GRACE (over 50 crowd)**

Our next dinner will be **Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm** in the chapel classroom. Turkey and ham is provided, please bring a side dish/dessert or two to share. Terry Carlson will share, emphasizing through illusion, our need for thanksgiving. You will also be blessed by testimonies of gratitude. This will be a great event to attend and invite an unchurched neighbor or friend to.

#### FINACIAL FREEDOM

ALIGN CLASS – Our mission is to provide biblical resources to assist you in godly financial management. *Align* is a six-week discussion on how to move from frustration to freedom in dealing with finances from a biblical point of view. Topics include earning, spending, giving, retirement and estate considerations. *Align* will begin meeting **Today at 9:40am** in room 200.

ESTATE DESIGN – This class will help you plan for the care of your family after your lifetime and help you understand wills, trust, taxes and probate. A good design can avoid unintended consequences later. Give this good gift to your loved ones and save them the frustration later. We will meet in room 206 on **Sunday, November 11**<sup>th</sup> **from 1:30pm to 4:00pm**. Sign up at the information desk today to reserve your spot.

# NATIVITY SET UP AT KRUG PARK

It's that time of year and we want everyone that travels through Krug Park for the holiday season to keep in mind, the reason. If you can help set up the Nativity Scene we have in the park, please sign up at the information desk today. We will meet on **November 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:30am** at the top of the park at the big shelter. Dress warm!