

*Welcome* TO WORSHIP

# GRACE BIBLE CHURCH

*Lord's Day Bulletin*

John Zimmer, Pastor-Teacher

John Williams, Minister of Music

**TODAY AT GRACE | Sept. 5, 2021**

**Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.**

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**How to Live in a Pagan World (Part 3)**

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John Zimmer • Titus 3:1-8

**Congregational Singing:**

Praise Him! Praise Him Hymn 94

How Can I Keep From Singing

**Offertory:** John Williams

It Was Finished Upon That Cross

by Johnny Robinson, Rich Thompson, & Nigel Hendroff

**Congregational Singing:**

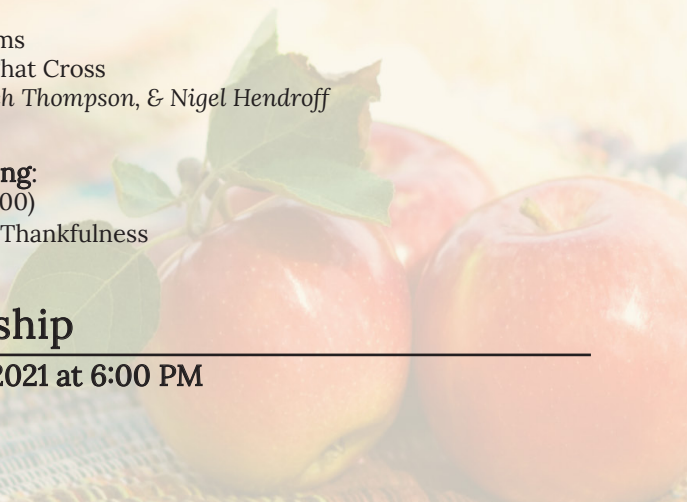
I Will Wait for You (Ps 100)

My Heart Is Filled with Thankfulness

**Evening Worship**

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Resumes Sept. 12, 2021 at 6:00 PM



# For Our Guests

Thank you for choosing to worship with us today. The following information should help you get the most out of your time with us:

## **Nursery Facilities (closed during construction) & Cry Room (open)**

Trust your children of all ages to the care of our loving workers. Child care will be provided for all children up to 3 years old during all morning services and through 3-1/2 years during the evening service. Our Cry Room, in the south upper room, above the foyer, is open and equipped with a closed-circuit TV for the benefit of mothers who are nursing or whose children need special attention during the service. See an usher for a Cry Room entrance key.

## **Registration & Communication Cards**

We encourage you to register your attendance by filling out a Registration Card located in the pew rack. Communication Cards are available for you to share prayer requests, special needs, words of encouragement, comments about the service, or requests for more information regarding the ministries at Grace.

## **Audio Recordings**

Audio CDs of the sermons are available for a small charge. You may obtain a CD request envelope at the Information Center. Sermons can also be downloaded from the church's website for free (see below).

## **Offering**

Our offering is intended for those who consider Grace their church home. As our guest, we ask only that you place the Registration Card in the offering plate.

## **Questions, Counsel, & Prayer**

You are invited to come to the front of the Worship Center following any of our Sunday worship services to speak with an elder or deacon about prayer requests, salvation, baptism, church membership, or any other spiritual concern you have. The church staff provide counsel that is based solely on God's Word.

## **Church Website: [www.grace-ministries.org](http://www.grace-ministries.org)**

For the latest event information, sermon downloads, access to various ministries websites, online giving, and more, check out our website. We can also be found on Facebook & YouTube. Search for: Grace Bible Church Marysville.

## **For Children & Youth 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. ... Gentle Lambs 3-5 years old in Elem. Room D11

8:30 a.m. .... Children's Ministry Grades 1-6 in Activity Center, E23

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. .... One28 Grades 7-12 in GraceLife, Cafeteria

10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. .... Recess Grades 1-6 in Activity Center

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# The Grace of Giving: as of Aug. 22, 2021

Give securely online at [grace-ministries.org](http://grace-ministries.org)—click “Online Giving”:

General Fund	Last Week	Month To Date	Fiscal YTD
Budgeted	\$9,508	\$47,538	\$85,568
Received	\$9,233	\$35,087	\$87,003
Percentage	97%	74%	102%
Surplus (Deficit)	(\$275)	(\$12,451)	\$1,435

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Special Projects	Last Week	Fund Balance	Funds Needed
Remodel Project	\$42	\$8,477	TBD

*Please remember that all giving to special projects is to be over and above regular giving.*

## Children's Ministry Parent Resources

Elder: Tom Sultze

Families with children in grades 1-6 (10:30 Hour):

Parents can review today's lesson with their children.

*This Week's Lesson:* Jesus Endures the Cross

*This Week's Memory Verse:* Matthew 27:27-66

*Principle:* Jesus should be worshiped because of His sacrifice for sin and provision for eternal life.

*Discuss the following with your child:* 1) What happened on the day that Jesus was crucified? 2) How did Jesus respond to the will of God?

*Help your children apply biblical truth in the following ways:* 1) by thanking God for His sovereignty, and 2) by asking God for help to serve Him completely.

## Ministry Opportunities

**Children's Ministry Team:** The Children's Ministry Team has an urgent need for helpers. We currently are in need of co-workers to assist in the Nursery (ages 0 - 3 yrs), Gentle Lambs (age 3 yrs - K), and Sunday School (grades 1 - 6).

For the safety of our children, all workers are required to be members of GBC, complete a questionnaire, watch a short training video, and have a Washington State background check. If you are interested in joining this vital ministry team, please contact elder Tom Sultze. You can also email Tom at [tjsultze@gmail.com](mailto:tjsultze@gmail.com). Thank you for prayerfully considering serving our body in this important and rewarding ministry!

**Adult Choir:** If you are a member of GBC or are currently enrolled in New Member Class and interested in joining our worship choir, you can sign up at the Information Center or see elder John Williams. Rehearsals begin again Thursday, Sept. 9.

**A/V Team:** If you are a member of GBC or are currently enrolled in New Member Class and interested in joining our Audio/Visual Team, you can sign up at the Information Center or see elder John Williams.

**WoW Childcare:** Ladies, Women's Ministry is in need of your service in childcare on Thursday mornings. If you are a member of GBC and would like to help in this area, please contact Debbie Williams. Child Safety & background check required.

# Spiritual Growth Opportunities

## Adult Fellowship Groups

### **GraceLife 8:30 a.m. Sundays**

Elders: *Tim Lugg, Ed Oas, & John Williams* Location: *Activity Center Cafeteria*

Everyone is invited to join the fellowship of GraceLife. Support others in prayer and ministry while learning from topical studies from the Word of God. In Sept., Tim Lugg will be teaching, "The 10 Commandments: Unity in the Testaments."

### **Wednesday Watch Party 7:00 p.m.**

Elder: *Jim Smith* Watch Party room link: <https://w2g.tv/ztz3pftky7wf60bnyo>

Join us online Wednesday evenings for mid-week worship to hear the reading of God's Word, sing songs of worship, and listen to messages from a variety of the best biblical preachers and teachers of our day. You can view past Watch Party Playlists on our "Grace Bible Church Marysville" YouTube channel.

### **Home Fellowship Groups (Resumes in Fall)**

Elders: *John Williams, Ed Oas & Jim Smith*

### **Women's Fellowship Night (Resumes in Fall)**

Elder: *John Zimmer* Teachers: *Bekah Mellema, Jen Smith, Bonnie Cole*

## Adult Classes

### **New Member Class**

Begins Sunday, Sept. 5 at 8:30 a.m.

Elder: *Ed Oas* Teacher: *George Spencer* Location: *Activity Center Room E-22*

Those desiring to be involved at Grace, ministering their spiritual giftedness to this body of Christ, are invited to come forward following any of the Sunday Worship Services for more information about membership. Men will be available in the front of the Worship Center to meet with you.

### **17/11 Adult Bible Study**

Begins Friday, Sept. 10 at 10:00 a.m.

Elder: *Wayne Ohlemeier* Teacher: *Larry Lucero* Location: *Activity Center Rm E-10*

Join teacher Larry Lucero Friday mornings for a fascinating study of Genesis.

### **Women of the Word (WoW)**

Begins Thurs. Sept. 16 10:00 a.m.

Elder: *John Zimmer* Teachers: *Denise Brown, Jen Smith* Location: *Fellowship Hall*

*Study opens Thursday, Sept. 16, with a brunch at the home of Patti Frisk.*

Ladies, this year we will be studying Paul's letter to the Colossians and to Philemon. Paul puts forth this truth: Christ is all the believer needs for salvation. "For in Him (Christ) all the fullness of deity dwells in bodily form, and in Him you have been made complete." Philemon, a member of the church at Colossae, is called in faith and love, to forgive and reconcile his slave Onesimus. This letter showcases the cost of asking for and of granting forgiveness. Join us for this exciting study!

Registration required. Register Sunday, Sept. 5 & 12 after service. Cost for study: \$10.

### **Introduction to Grace**

Begins October 3rd at 10:30 a.m.

Elder: *Wayne Ohlemeier* Teacher: *Bob Butler* Location: *Church Meeting Room*

Join us if you are new to GBC or just have questions. This class is a one-time overview of Grace Bible Church, covering all the key characteristics that make this church unique. We briefly cover our philosophy of ministry, history, and ministries.

# Pray for One Another

*If you would like to have your name added to this list, please write your request & "Prayer Insert" on a Communication card.*

## Members:

- Matt Cole: his medical treatments to be effective.
- Mary Edwards: in assisted living.
- Vera Merrow: her medications have changed, pray they are effective.
- Sandy Moore: her witness to their extended family following Dee's homegoing.
- Joyce Oas: her re-occurring respiratory issues.
- Taryn Smith: attending The Master's University; her parents, Jim & Jen as they adjust to an "empty nest."
- Pete Thompson: his Huntington's Disease; pray for wife, Karen, as she & caregivers care for him.

## Friends of Grace:

- Joslyn Bradford: her extended family's salvation.
- Denise Brown: her adopted dad, Wes: his salvation and failing health.
- Peter Brown: his brother's salvation.
- Dick Buck: Leukemia and Lymphoma.
- Danica Kline: safety while on deployment.
- Bonnie Cole: her parents: their salvation & health issues.
- Allyson Coleman: her family's salvation; her father in-law, Craig Coleman: stage 4 lymphoma treatment & salvation.
- Don & Janet Hehe: their grandson Ian Tyrrell: Ian's new cancer treatment; his parents John and Misty Tyrrell.
- Carol Jason: her mom Eleanor: her salvation.
- Ray Kacker: his sister, Pam: testing for Dementia, her salvation.
- Tim and Renee Lugg: their grandson, Owen: his recovery in PICU; parents Micah and Audrey Lugg. See link, <https://www.caringbridge.org/search?q=Owen+Lugg>
- Jolee Ohlemeier: her Cerebral Palsy, blindness & Epilepsy.
- Jenny Smith: her 6 year old cousin Ford: passed away suddenly; pray for his parents Frank and Sabrina Velasquez and their family.
- Jim & Jenny Smith: their dads, Jim Smith Sr. & Bill Jones: their salvation.
- Jim Smith: his step-mom, Lou: praise she is wanting to be baptized this year.
- Denise Tuttle: her mom Margaret Clum: her Stage 4 metastatic breast cancer.
- John & Debbie Williams: their grandson Jack Henry: continue to pray that his breathing would improve. He still requires oxygen when sleeping.
- David & Julie Zimmer: Celebrating the birth of Magnolia Reid Zimmer on Tuesday, August 26th. 5lb.-11oz. 18 inches.
- Unsaved friends & relatives.

*Please take a moment to drop a note or an email, or to make a phone call to these people to let them know you are praying for them.*

# Pray for those in Positions of Authority

## Grace Bible Church:

Our Elders  
Our Ministry Leaders  
Our Deacons  
Our Deaconesses

## Government Officials:

Our President  
Our Federal Senators  
Our Federal Representatives  
Our Governor  
Our State Senators  
Our State Representatives  
Our Local Leaders

## Grace Bible Missions:

Bruce & Aimee Alvord  
Dick & Mavis Buck  
Paul & Bella Gervasi  
Slavic Gospel Association

## Education:

Grace Academy Teachers  
Public School Teachers  
Home School Teachers

## Those serving our country and community:

Dana Beard Jr.: US Navy, USS Ralph Johnson  
Austin Bentley: USMC, On Deployment  
Dillon Boten: National Guard, USA  
Janka Brock: US Navy, USA  
Sam Galbreath: US Air Force, USA  
Danica Kline: US Army, On Deployment  
Doug Ritter: US Army, Afghanistan  
John Rodriguez-Hardy: US Navy, Germany  
Jonathan Johnson: Police Officer  
Tyler Mellema: Police Officer  
Nic Pasmore: EMT  
Kyle Sass: Deputy Sheriff  
Dallas Smith: Firefighter  
Isaiah VanDam: Police Academy  
Sarah Wennersten: Texas Game Warden

## Outreach Prayer Update



Dick & Mavis Buck  
ABWE, Brazil

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In his last letter, Dick asked for prayer for his local church. He wrote, "From the time we began attending there in 2017, the local church was a lovefest, until a week ago. The Ministerial Board had made a unanimous decision regarding a rebellious member. As happens too often at such moments, contention erupted during a business meeting. Sadly, the church was hardly unanimous in its reaction, but completely divided. Last Sunday, for the first time in 17 months, Dick preached in place of the Pastor who was on a trip. Dick's message had been chosen several weeks earlier, with no knowledge of the coming storm. The title was, "Are Church Fights Good?" The text was Acts 15:35-16:5. So that no one would get the wrong idea of his intentions, he explained the Holy Spirit's preselection, and with much help from Him, Dick was able to develop the message in a non-combative way. The people seemed to take it well. Please continue to pray for this suddenly-stricken church."

## Grace Ministries Staff

Tim Lugg	Academy Administrator / Adult Ministry
Ed Oas	Facilities / Adult Ministry
Mark Ruhlman	Ministries' Accountant / Student Ministry
Jenny Smith	Church Office Manager
Curtis Wentling	Facilities / Student Ministry
John Williams	Minister of Music / Adult Ministry
John Zimmer	Pastor-Teacher

## Our Elders

Tim Lugg  
Ed Oas  
Wayne Ohlemeier  
Jim Smith  
Tom Sultze  
John Williams  
John Zimmer

## Ministries at Grace

Sunday School for ALL Ages (Preschool through Adult)  
Choir Rehearsal (Resumes Thursday Sept. 9th)  
Home Fellowship Groups (Fridays Sept. - June)  
Women of the Word Bible Study (Begins Thurs. Sept. 16)  
Women's Fellowship Night (Select Mondays Oct.-May)  
Student Ministries (One28 small groups, Grades 7-12)  
Seventeen/Eleven Adult Bible Study (Resumes in Fall)  
Martha Dorcas (Tuesday Women's Quilting Group)  
Grace Academy (Fully Accredited K-12 School)  
Watch Parties (Wednesdays 7:00 p.m. Online)

For information on any of the ministries at GBC, please call the church office or visit our website.

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