

Visiting?

We are glad that the Lord has brought you this morning to worship with us. May He richly bless you, as we focus our hearts and minds on His grace and truth.

If this is your first time at Grace, we extend to you and your family a warm welcome! After our service we have a lively Bible Study Hour with many class offerings. Please stop by our Welcome Center in the foyer and we will help you find a class right for you and your children.

We have a Visitor's Coffee after our morning service in the Connections Room to allow us to get to know you better and share in fellowship and answer any questions you may have. We'd love to meet you and give you a free loaf of homemade bread!

There are many ministries and opportunities which occur on a weekly basis at Grace – many are listed in our bulletin. There is also a good bit of information on our website (www.solagrace.org). As you seek God's direction, our hope is that He will direct your steps as you seek ways to serve Him.

Thank you for coming – may the Lord's face shine upon you!

Today at Grace...

• PRE-SERVICE PRAYER

You're invited to join us each week at 8:45 a.m. in the 1st/2nd grade room as we pray together prior to our service.

• BIBLE STUDY HOUR

Regular BSH Classes continue today. Information about classes and locations is available at the Welcome Center or ask one of our ushers.

• BOOK STUDY FOR NEWCOMERS

Pastor Christopher and Pastor Tim will lead a book discussion group for 7 weeks on *The Gospel* by Ray Ortlund in the Choir Room. The Elders and Staff have both benefited from this book. If you are new to Grace we hope you will join us.

• BSH NEXT WEEK

For BSH on **March 12**, women will hear from Carrie Gaul, our Retreat Speaker, and the men will meet for prayer.

New Information...

• TIME CHANGE

Daylight Savings time begins on Sunday, **March 12**. Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour on Saturday night.



• HOME PLATE 2017

Tickets will go on sale **TODAY** for Home Plate 2017, our annual motor coach trip to a Detroit Tigers baseball game on Saturday, **April 29**. Only 55 tickets are available. Ticket requests must include the \$55 payment. Questions: contact Dale Waite (581-6005).



• THE ART OF JOHN

We are cancelling next week's Art of John due to lack of interest. We have enjoyed giving our artists the opportunity to express their creative gifts as an act of worship, but we did not receive much interest this time. If this is something you would be interested in having again please let Pastor Brian or Anna Connelly know. At the evening service on March 12 Pastor Christopher will teach on something yet to be determined.

• PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

Parents and grandparents! Children's Ministry invites you to a night out with childcare on us! Bring your kids or grandkids to church on Friday, **March 24** from 5-9 p.m.—we'll have a blast together while you enjoy a night out! Open to kids ages 4-12. Dinner, games, crafts, movies, music, movement and fun! Cost is \$2 per child to cover the cost of pizza and lemonade. See flyers in mailboxes for sign-up information.



• **THANK YOU** to all of the Grace Family who took the time to take the Congregational Health Assessment in the last few weeks. The Elders and Staff will receive the results and begin to process them later on this month. We look forward to sharing with you what we learn as soon as we are able. Thanks for your continued love for Christ and this church. We're looking forward to serving together in the days ahead for the glory of God!!

• UPDATED FAMILY PICTURES NEEDED

Breeze is our new church management system that will allow us to have an online directory. Many have sent in an updated family picture. Thank you. If you have not yet submitted an updated picture, please help us by sending an updated picture to tammi@solagrace.org. For best results we need a picture (jpg) that is landscape and at least 600 x 400 in size.

• DIRECT YOUR DOLLARS

Keep saving your Family Fare or D & W receipts so we can raise money for Grace Community Church as we shop for our groceries each week. Put your full original receipts in the basket at the Sign-up Center. We currently have 37,928 points of the 150,000 needed to earn \$1,000 from SpartanNash.

Prayer for One Another...

Missionary of the Month: Caleb and Krystie Hague

- ~ Pray for their health as they seem to be catching everything there.
- ~ Pray that they would continue to develop their ability to speak in Spanish, including being able to take their driving tests in Spanish.
- ~ Pray that they would develop relationships with the people they meet so that they can share the good news of the Gospel.

WEEKLY GIVING (2/26)

	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>NEEDED</u>
General Offering	\$21,003	\$19,610
Year to Date	\$159,281	\$176,490

"It is more blessed to give than to receive."

~ Jesus
Acts 20:35

MARCH 12 -- Coordinator: Philpott, Moes
D Leasure, T Miedema, H Bengston, J Kusneske
AM GARDEN -- Coordinator: MacMaster
K Halleck, L VandeGuchte, N Breeden, A Brody
BSH -- S Miller, E West, H Pirkola
BSH GARDEN -- S & K Crowder, K Smith
PM -- K Gammage, R Miller, R & E Brand

This Week... March 5-11

• **Young Adults Volleyball**
7:00 p.m. in the GMC

• **Ladies Bible Studies** 9:15a.m.

• **Children's Ministries** 6:45 pm
• **Jr/Sr High Ministry** 6:45 pm
• **Bible Study** 6:45 pm

• **Adult Pickleball** 7:00 p.m. in GMC
**Note time change!*

• **Men's Ministry** ~ FM³
6:00 a.m.
• **Ladies Retreat** at Haworth in Holland

• **Adult Pickleball** 9-11 a.m. in GMC

-SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP-

*“Worship is our occupation with God himself,
with the greatness of his being.”
~ Roy Stedman*

WELCOME AND PRAYER *Christopher Hemmerich*

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONGS OF DECLARATION

*Come, Behold the Wondrous Mystery
Glorious Day*

PRAYER *Keoni Hughes*

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

God So Loved the World - Choir

SONG OF GRACE AND GRATITUDE

** Preschool/Pre-K children dismissed to Kingdom Kids
Hallelujah for the Cross*

SCRIPTURE READING *Chris Frost*

THE WORD OF GOD *“The Glorious Wedding”
John 2:1-11
Christopher Hemmerich*

COMMUNION

BENEVOLENT OFFERING

MINISTRY THROUGH MUSIC *Shannon Connelly*

- NO EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE -

(Life Groups meet)

UPCOMING SERVICES:

Mar. 12 AM “The Zeal of the Lord” (John 2:12-23) Hemmerich
PM Christopher Hemmerich

Mar. 19 AM “You Must Be Born Again” (John 2:23-3:12) Hemmerich
PM “What is Authentic Missional Community” VandeGuchte

Prayer for Special Needs...

Dorothy Berkenpas - back surgery March 14

Pat Martinek - continued health issues

Scott and Sue Rookus

Kari Sikkema - cancer treatments

MINISTRY STAFF

Christopher Hemmerich ~ Lead Teaching Pastor
Brian Felten ~ Pastor of Worship • Tim VandeGuchte ~ Executive Pastor
Keoni Hughes ~ Pastor of Student Ministries
Rock Campbell ~ Director of Men’s Ministry
Peggy Campbell ~ Director of Women’s Ministry
Jeff & Katie Kigar ~ Director of Jr. High Ministries
Hilary Beebe ~ Director of Children’s Ministries

GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH

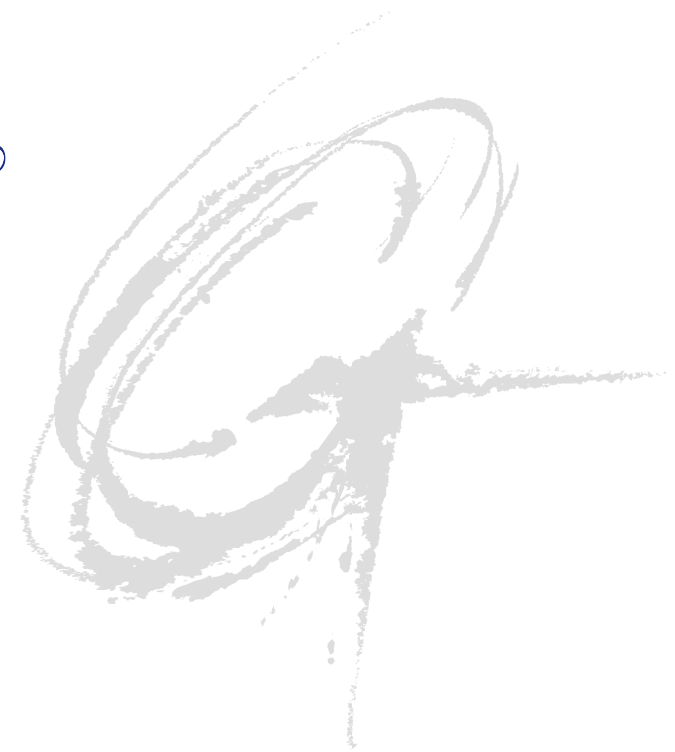
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GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH

*We exist to declare the liberating power of the gospel
and demonstrate it in our worship, relationships and service.*

MARCH 5, 2017

“Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.”



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