



CHRISTMAS AT GRACE CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES & FELLOWSHIP

Bring your family & friends and come for one of our Christmas Eve or Eve Eve services and then join us for a time of fellowship in the Chilton Room. There, you can catch up with friends and meet new ones as we continue the Christmas celebration. There will be music, piping hot chocolate with marshmallows, and cookies for all. You can decorate a cookie at our decorating stations. Also, there will be a photo backdrop to create a Christmas memory for your family. We look forward to seeing you there and celebrating with your family!

COMMUNION: We will celebrate communion during each Christmas service remembering Christ's sacrifice on the cross for us.

CHRISTMAS EVE EVE: Monday, December 23, 7:00PM*

CHRISTMAS EVE: Tuesday, December 24, 3:00*, 4:30*, 6:30* & 8:00PM For details please click <u>HERE</u>.

*Childcare provided for ages 3 and younger. Children 4 years old through 2nd grade can get a "worship goodie bag" and a battery powered candle that can be used during worship services.

Sunday, December 29: NO 8:15AM Service. No Children's Sunday School, Adult or Student Small Groups Childcare available for ages 3 years and under.



CHRISTMAS OFFERING

Please consider giving a special Christmas Offering this year. You can give by putting your check or cash in the special Christmas Offering Envelope available at the giving box, or by selecting "Christmas Offering" from the drop-down box when you give online <u>HERE</u>.

The Christmas Global Mission Offering supports ongoing project in Thailand, Ukraine, and the Philippines.

"And my God will supply all your needs, according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus." Phil 4:19



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

As the Christmas season comes to a close, we need to take down and pack up the Christmas decorations that currently adorn our campus. We will meet in the parking lot outside the Worship Center on Saturday, January 4 at noon. No need to sign-up just show up and help!



2024 GIVING NOTES

Thanks so much for your generous gifts to Grace Baptist this year. Our last offering for the year will be collected on December 31, 2024. Any mailed donations must be postmarked by that date to count toward this year's giving. Contribution statements will be mailed in January 2025. If you have not received your statement by February 14, please contact the church office. Please send any questions to the church Financial Secretary, Vicky Alvarado <u>HERE</u>.

Offering envelopes are available for pick up in the South Foyer beginning Sunday, January 5, 2025.

vilu Precept PRECEPT

Precept Bible Study uses an inductive study method so people can discover the truth about God's word themselves. In this approach, individual time spent observing Scripture to know what the Bible says and using sound principles of interpretation to understand what it means should culminate in personal application. Although individual study is the first step, high value is placed on group discussion of what has been observed, sharing insights of understanding and application so that confirmation, clarification, or correction is made in the fellowship of others who have also studied during the week.

In January, Precept Upon Precept will begin a 2 part series on John. We will meet on Thursdays from 9:45 – 11:45 AM (there is no childcare). On January 2, 2025, we will get the books and socialize. The first lesson will begin on January 9. For more information on the Precept Study or to sign up, email Jenni Runner HERE.



SING WITH US

To help prepare our hearts for corporate worship this weekend, join us singing this weekend's songs in your home, commute, or other daily activities. Click the Spotify or Amazon Music link below to start listening today.

*Note: You will need to be logged into your Spotify and/or Amazon Music account to listen to the songs. If you do not have an account, you can create a free account.

All Services

Call to Worship Angels, from the Realms of Glory Advent Reading and Prayer Crown Him With Many Crowns Dance of Joy Go Tell It On The Mountain

Sermon O Come, O Come, Emmanuel Emmanuel



HELPFUL RESOURCES

REST Sermon Series Resources:

Click <u>HERE</u> to download a pdf flyer with a summary of the spiritual disciplines, as well as book recommendations, and a challenge.

RightNow Media: Grace Baptist Church members receive a complimentary membership to RightNow Media, the world's largest library of Bible study video resources. Click <u>HERE</u> OR text **GRACEHOME** to **49775** to get started today!

Online Christian Bookstore: We will highlight books suggested by our staff and there are many other great options on the site as well. Click <u>HERE</u> to visit!

December 15

MINISTRY STAFF	
Ben Knisley	Senior Pastor
Rob Guilliams	Executive Pastor
Ethan Young	Youth Pastor
Zack Williams	Worship Pastor
Nancy Turner	Dir of Children's Ministry
Jose Aguilera	Hispanic Pastor

WEEKLY GIVING	
Membership	388
Giving Report	Dec. 15
Weekly Need	\$41,127.46
Weekly Received	\$33,557.81
YTD Expected	\$658,039.38
YTD Received	\$592,082.21



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