



grace  
COMMUNITY  
CHURCH

Helping people find and fulfill God's purpose for their lives

*John the Baptist*  
*Matthew 3:1-12*

ORDINARY PEOPLE  
EXTRAORDINARY GOD.

STORIES OF THE REDEEMED

*November 17, 2024*

Nate Marsh

Senior Pastor

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR...

TODAY	Mission Sunday AMPED Students @ 9:00am (Student Building) Kidnection @ 9:00 & 10:45am (Children's Building) AMPED Juniors @ 10:15am (Student Building) Grace Espanol @ 10:30am (Room 105) Bible Journaling @ 2:30pm (Room 102) JAM: Jesus and Me Children's Choir @ 5:00pm (Children's Building) Healing Hearts Ministry @ 6:00pm (Room 102)
MONDAY	Mom's in Prayer @ 6:00pm (Conference Room)
TUESDAY	Men's Prayer Group @ 6:00am (Room 104) Mom's Day Out @ 10:00am (Children's Building) Grace Quilters @ 9:00am (6224 Devonian Rd) GriefShare @ 6:00pm (Room 103)
WEDNESDAY	ESL morning @ 9:00am (Room 104) Healthy Seniors @ 9:00am (Room 105) Healthy Bones @ 10:00am (Room 105) DivorceCare @ 6:00pm (Room 102) Hope for Mental Health @ 6:00pm (Room 103) ESL evening @ 6:00pm (Room 104) Choir @ 6:00pm (Room 105) CHARGE @ 6:00pm (Children's Building)
THURSDAY	AMPED Groups @ 6:30pm (Student Building) Grace Quilters @ 9:00am (6224 Devonian Rd) Thursday Noon Bible Study @ 12:15pm (Room 105) Making Peace with your Past @ 6:00pm (Room 103)
FRIDAY	Healthy Seniors @ 9:00am (Room 105) Healthy Bones @ 10:00am (Room 105) Celebrate Recovery @ 5:00pm (Children's Building)
NOVEMBER 28	Thanksgiving Holiday (Office Closed)
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DECEMBER 1	T.E.A.M Meeting @ 6:00pm (Auditorium)

**T.E.A.M. Ministry Meeting:** All Class 501 Graduates and T.E.A.M Members are invited the T.E.A.M Ministry meeting December 1 at 6:00pm in the Main Auditorium.



**Class 101: Discovering Membership:** If you've been wondering what makes Grace tick, what our strategy and values are, or are just curious, then this class is just for you! You can sign up on your connection card today. The class will be held January 5th @ 5:00pm in the Auditorium. Dinner and childcare are provided.



**Únete al Equipo del Ministerio Hispano de Grace.**

**Contacta al Pastor Jerry Acosta al (575) 420-6229  
y Alcancemos Juntos a Nuestra Comunidad!**

Contact us at 575-623-5438

Nate Marsh, Senior  
Sean Lee, Connection (101)  
Sean Lee, Growth (201)

Barry Anderson, Equip (301)  
Jerry Acosta, Missions (401)  
Kenneth Lewis, Worship (501)

Alan Gedde, Children  
Chris VanDyke, Student

## Read Ahead

On the third and final week of our message series, Pastor Sean talks to us about someone in the Bible who isn't mentioned very often – Obadiah. Obadiah was a prophet who had this incredible vision from God, but he isn't often talked about. My guess is that many of you (like me) who have sat in churches for many years have not even heard a sermon about him. Join us to learn something new about this wonderful prophet of God in Scripture.

**Celebrate Recovery:** Join us EVERY Friday night. A free family meal is served at 5:00 pm in the Children's Building followed by large group worship and teaching at 6:00 pm. Step studies or open share groups are from 7-8 pm. We have something for every age group. We have childcare for preschoolers, Celebration Place for children, and The Landing for students.



**Emergency Preparedness:** Stock up with a 3-month supply of food for your family and 1 other person.



**Children's November Memory Verse:** "Every good and perfect gift is from God." James 1:17a

## KIDNECTION

connecting kids to God and others

## GRACE KIDS SUNDAYS

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[roswellgrace.com/kids](http://roswellgrace.com/kids)

## SUNDAY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

Infants-1 year: Room 204. Age 1 year-Kinder: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart". Proverbs 3:5 NLT. Today your child will hear about how God loves us and how we can trust God no matter what 1 Kings 17-1-16 Rooms 201, 203 and 205 Grades 1-5 Give with a good attitude.

## WEDNESDAY EVENING CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**CHARGE** from 6:00-7:30pm. It is an awesome time of worship and Bible experience for infants all the way to 5th grade. Dinner is provided.



**JAM Jesus and Me Children's Choir:** Come and be part of this year's Children's Christmas Musical. Choir will meet on Sundays 5:00pm- 6:00pm in the Children's Building.



**STUDENT MINISTRY: Sundays:** 6-12th grade, 9am-12pm Student Building **Young Adults:** Ages 18-25, 5:30-7:00pm VanDyke's house. **Wednesdays:** 6th- 12th grade 6:30-8:30pm



**STUDENT MINISTRY Parents:** Always know what is happening in Student Ministries sign up for Clearstream or text the word AMPED to 575-223-4583.



### Offering Totals

General \$	32,050.91	Missions \$	360.00
Building \$	85.00	Other \$	879.00
H.O.P.E. \$	4,895.00	Total \$	38,269.91

### Attendance

Adults:	627
Children:	117
Students:	41
Total:	785

### Year to Date:

Members:	108
Baptisms:	32

### Communion Instructions

You do not have to be a member of Grace to participate in communion. All Christians are invited to come forward, row by row, to participate. Simply take a wafer, dip it into the cup and partake. If you prefer being served in your chair, raise your hand at the conclusion of communion, and the servers will come to you. If you are not taking communion today, just remain in your chair. Thank you.

### Sympathy

Our sympathy is extended to Carol Landfair in the passing of her husband, Benny.

**Skit Guys:** Celebrate Recovery invites you to a Ugly Sweatshirt Party with guest stars The Skit Guys. Join us Monday, December 9 at Carlsbad First Assembly– 1502 W Mermod. 5:00pm Dinner, 6:00pm Worship and the skit guys.



**Youth Parent Meeting TODAY:** Parents please plan to join us TODAY @ 12:00pm for a Q and A with Chris and Nate. Important information for spring semester. Lunch will be provided. Sign up by using the attached QR code.



**Operation Christmas Child:** *In the hands of local churches, every gift-filled shoebox transforms the lives of children and their families around the world through the Good News of Jesus Christ!* Click on the QR code for a build a box online.



**Mom's Day Out:** Do you need a little extra time without the kids? Drop them off, birth-5 years old, with our Mom's Day Out team! MDO will be available Tuesday from 10am-2pm for \$5 an hour per child with an annual registration fee of \$15 per child. Contact Joy or Sheri in the Children's Building to register. RSVP is REQUIRED.



**Tasha Layton Concert:** Join us for Tasha Layton Wake Up It's Christmas Tour Tuesday, Dec 3rd at 6:00pm here at Grace Community Church. Tickets are on sale in the church office.



**Blood Drive:** *Vitalant* is in need of blood donations in our area and you can help! We are hosting a drive in the Lobby on Thursday, December 5 from 10:00am-2:00pm. If you would like to schedule an appointment, call the church office at 623-5438.



**Prayer List:** Can be picked up weekly beside the bulletin table in the lobby.