

# grace chapel

## Morning Worship November 19, 2023

Welcome & Announcements

**Call to Worship** 

Songs of Praise How Great Thou Art Before the Throne of God Above

Scripture Reading & Prayer II Corinthians 4:13-18

Songs of Praise Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) Hymn of Heaven

Message – Pastor Zach Dudenhofer How to Handle the Times of Suffering – Part 1 I Peter 4:12-19 (12-14)

Song of Praise Great Is Thy Faithfulness

# this week's opportunities

Today	9:00a 10:00 10:30a 12:00 6:00	Sunday School Kids' Choir Practice, Room 114 Worship Service Adult Choir Practice, Chapel Hall Thanksgiving Testimony Service
Tue.	9:00a 6:30	Growth Groups, Various Times Ladies Bible Study, Conference Room Ladies Bible Study, Fellowship Lounge
Thu.		Thanksgiving Day
Fri.		Church Office Closed

## Last Week at Grace

Sunday School:	161	AM Worship:	317
Growth Groups:	77	Wednesday:	107
Offering			
General:	\$13,316	Benevolence:	\$14
Op. Christmas Child:	\$588		

# **Children's Care**

AM Infant:	Nancy Valentine, Natalie Yoder			
AM Toddler:	Sarah Fisher, Nancy Jackson			
Children's Church:	Lisa Kitchen, Shaye McGill			
Child Check-in:	Janet Dunn			
Overflow:	Mary Ann McGill			
Wednesday:	Lori Marr, Amy McGill, Peggy Yoder			
Next Week: Bethany Henry, Jenny Jackson, Josh & Lynn Davis, Mark &				
Charla Whitehead, Kimmy Tomlin (Overflow: Joy Brandt, Lilly Gaertner)				

Media Opt-Out Forms are available in the office, for those who do not wish to be included in church photos/videos.



## **Online Giving**

Scan the QR code or visit our Giving page at gcwl.church/give



# please take note:

2024 VBS Theme – The Great Jungle Journey from Answers in Genesis.

**Adult Christmas Choir** – Anyone high school age and older is invited to join! Practices begin today, after the worship service. The performance date is Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> during the morning service.

**Catechism, Week 11 – Question:** What is creationism? **Answer:** Creationism is the Bible's teaching that in six literal days, God created everything out of nothing for His own pleasure and glory. **Genesis 1:1** 

**Giving Tree** – The tree will be up sometime this week, through December 17<sup>th</sup>. You will be able to choose gift tags from the tree, purchase the gifts listed, and return the wrapped gifts, with tags attached. Giving Tree gifts will benefit families connected with New Path PRC, some from our own church family and our WL community.

Harvest Offering – Collection date: Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Kids' Christmas Choir** – Practices will be in Room 114 from 10-10:25 each Sunday. Sign up in the foyer or see Sara Hoover with questions. The kids will perform during the morning service on December 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Marmon Valley Farm** – Now recruiting volunteers for their Gospel outreach, Country Christmas. Details are on the bulletin board.

**Missionary Addresses** – Grab a list of addresses from the bulletin board; our missionaries love receiving cards and letters from home!

**Parenting Partnerships** – If you are a parent of young children looking for an individual or couple to mentor you in your parenting journey, you can sign up for a Parenting Partnership in the foyer.

**Special Business Meeting** – On Wednesday, December  $6^{th}$  at 7:00, members will vote to approve the 2024 budget. If you cannot be here in person, please vote by absentee ballot. Ballots and the budget are posted in the foyer, near the office.

**Thanksgiving** – Thanksgiving Testimony Service, tonight at 6:00. Please come prepared with a verse or passage of scripture and a brief testimony of God's grace to you over the past year. Nursery will not be provided. No Wednesday night activities on November 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**Worship 4:24 @ Cedarville** – Everyone who serves in the music or tech ministries is invited to attend on January 26-27. See the office to register.

#### This Week's Birthdays and Anniversaries:

- 21 Alan Hillard, Arianna Woodruff
- 22 Eliza Whitehead, Theo Wiley
- 23 Linda Hixson
- 24 Matt Martin

## **Our Heart: Christ Above All**

Our church is driven by one great desire: to magnify and exalt Jesus Christ above all through our actions, ambitions, and affections. We long as a faith family to simply introduce people to Jesus; for we've discovered that to know Him is to love Him, and to love Him is to serve Him.

#### **Our Spirit: A Place of Grace**

We strive at Grace Chapel to be a place of grace - where everyone can come to know, grow in, and go out with the grace that is offered in Christ Jesus. In everything we do, we aim to unleash the Word, Throne, and Fellowship of Grace into others' lives, so that we might make and mature disciples of Jesus Christ.

## Our Body: A Family of Faith

Our church body truly is a family: we are a vibrant and rapidly growing multigenerational church that is diverse in ages, backgrounds, and occupations, and united in the faith, love, and hope that is in Christ Jesus. We love, laugh, cry with and care for each other. And we seek to encourage one another daily in our walks with Christ so that others might know that we are His disciples.

We pray that you will taste a glimpse of the grace and love of Jesus while with us today!

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## **Office Hours**

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