Grace Community Church

Sunday, November 30, 2008

Welcome to Grace!

If you are visiting with us today, we are delighted that you have come. We want you to feel right at home! Any questions you may have about the ministry of Grace Community Church may be answered by perusing one of our What We Believe and/or Our Vision Statement brochures located in the wall rack by the front entrance. Please help yourself!

And to help you fully enjoy the service, may we suggest the following:

- ♦Following the praise service, you may drop off your infants & toddlers in our lovely nursery, located in the adjoining building. Those seated around you will appreciate your thoughtfulness and you will be able to enjoy the service knowing that your little one is in excellent hands.
- ◆Children will be dismissed from the worship service to attend:

Camp Grace—Church Just For Kids (ages 6-12)

Our Father's Farm—Pre-school Class (ages 3-5).

Preschool & Kids Church are located in the adjoining building.

- ♦After the service, enjoy a time of refreshments and fellowship in our fellowship hall. Coffee, juice and baked goodies are available to all.
- ♦Fill out a visitor card located in the chair pockets or visitor packet and place it in the offering pouch or hand to one of the ushers.

Service Times:

Sunday 10:00am Wednesday 6:45pm

Wednesday nights:

6:45 p.m.— Midweek Service 6:45 p.m.—Kidz Activities

7:30 p.m.—Worship Team Practice

Dinner Is Served!

WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM SIGN UP BY MONDAY!

\$5 donation/adults & kids eat free! Sign up in the foyer. All are welcome! No dinner Dec. 24 & Dec. 31

Other Meetings at Grace:

Intercessory prayer — in the sanctuary—Mondays at 9:00 a.m.

Al-Anon Meeting—Hope & support for families of alcoholics—Tuesdays at 3pm in the modular. Note: Effective January 6, 2009, meetings will move from 3pm to 4pm.

Note: Care Group will discontinue meeting through the holidays!

Church Staff

Senior Pastor Steve Doerter Joyce Doerter Assistant Pastor Michael Gonzalez Youth Pastor Worship Leader Julie Doerter Pastor's Secretary Cathy Morris Elders Mel Hochstetler Ron Wolf Mike Cunniff

Linda Henderson

Church & Community Events



We'll be Decking The Halls... This Wednesday, December 3rd following dinner!

Join us in our annual tradition of decorating the church for the Christmas season!

Kidz Christmas Outing To CBC This Wednesday—6:30 p.m.

Michael G. will be taking the children (1st grade and up) to a Michael G. will be taking the children (18) grade and up) to a Christmas program at Community Bible Church! Moms & Dads, if Christmas Program you're not coming for dinner Wednesday night but would like for

your children to attend the program, please be at the church no later than 6:15 p.m.!



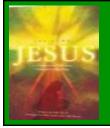
Annual Church Christmas Party

December 13 at 5pm at Michael & Deborah Kunz's One of the highlights of the season is the annual Christmas party which will be held at the Kunz's this year! Please sign up in the foyer to bring an appetizer, side dish, dessert or bever-

age. Please note: Since the party is for adults only, Moms & Dads will need to find babysitters for your little ones! For more info, please see Deborah Kunz.

Children's Singing, Clogging & Gift-Bearing Outing to Fidelia Eckerd Center on Wednesday, Dec. 17

The children will be traveling to the Fidelia Eckerd Center to bring lots of Christmas cheer to the residents through dance, song and gift bags filled with goodies! We need your help! Please see Joyce if you would like to assist in preparing gift items or to come along with the group!



THE NAME JESUS

A Christmas Musical Celebrating Emmanuel-The King of Kings Sunday, December 21—10:00 a.m.

Mark Your Calendars...

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service—7:00 p.m.

Invite friends and family for a traditional candlelight service to celebrate the Lord's birth! Join us for Christmas goodies following!



Other Items of Interest



Please be praying for the youth trip! Dec. 27-Jan. 5

Michael & Lisa Gon-

Guatemala zalez will once again head up the annual youth mission trip to Guatemala. They will be ministering in the village of Pinalito this year.

AL-ANON Meeting Tuesdays at 3 pm

There is hope and help, support and encouragement for those who have experienced or are experiencing life with an alcoholic relative or friend. Call the church office for more info. Note: Effective Tuesday, January 6, meeting time will change to 4 p.m.

Christmas Choral Group Fractice Tuesdays at 6pm

Note: Choral Group Dress Rehearsal will be held Saturday, December 20 at 10am.

Other Dates To Remember

Dec. 8—Daraja Children's Choir of Africa will perform at 6:00 p.m. at Community Bible Church

Dec. 12—Creative Memories –Moms

Dec. 13—Creative Memories

Dec. 13—Annual Christmas Parade

Dec. 27-Jan.5—Youth to Guatemala

Available in the foyer... Free Devotionals!

VISIT OUR WEBSITE! www.gracecashiers.com

PRAYER REQUEST

We will be glad to join with you in praying for your specific needs.

Please write your request here and place it in the offering or hand it to an usher.

Please pray for:
Requested by:
Date:
I would like someone to contact me to pray over more confidential matters.
Phone:

Please share with us as God meets your needs so that we may rejoice with you!

Today's Worship Service

Welcome: A warm welcome is extended to all of our visitors and friends! **Announcements:** We want to encourage you to participate in any of the church and community events listed in the bulletin.

Worship: Our awesome worship team will lead us into the presence of the Lord.

<u>Offering:</u> The Bible instructs us to give "with a cheerful heart"! You're invited to do just that! Offerings from our visitors are welcomed and appreciated, but please don't feel any obligation to give. We feel strongly that your tithe should go to your home church.

<u>Ministry of the Word:</u> A powerful, applicable message from the Word of God will be brought by Pastor Steve Doerter.

<u>Communion:</u> Everyone who is a born again believer is invited to participate in communion with us here at Grace. The ushers will release us by rows to come forward to partake of the elements. You may then return to your seat. **Dismissal and blessing**

Prayer: If you have come today with a prayer need weighing on your heart, please know that we are here to pray with you! Following the service, our prayer team will be up front near the Holy Spirit banner—just look for the folks with the yellow badges!

<u>Fellowship:</u> We serve coffee and lots of goodies in our fellowship area after the service. Please stay and give us the opportunity to get to know you!

CD/TAPE ORDERS

A copy of today's sermon is available by filling out an order envelope (located in the chair pockets) and placing it in the offering pouch. CD's or cassette tapes are \$5 each. Enjoy, and may God bless you as you listen! Note: Books and previously recorded sermons are available in the foyer for purchase, as well as several complimentary devotionals and pamphlets. Please help yourself!



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