

Grace Notes

From the fullness of his grace we have all
received one blessing after another.
John 1.16

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WELCOME TO GRACE FELLOWSHIP!

To Our Guests

Thank you for coming to Grace and being our guest today! This is a special day for us in being able to invite the community to join us in a new adventure and we are excited that you are here! We are a young church with a passion to be relevant in leading our generation to God and connecting them to the fellowship of believers. It is a unique calling upon this group of people and we are so glad you are part of this special day with us. We extend to you our warmest greetings and open our arms to serve whatever needs you may have. We ask that you fill out our Friendship Card, and place it in the offering basket at the end of the service. By doing so, it will give us an opportunity to serve you and bless you in the Name of the LORD. Thank you for coming to Grace! --- Pastor Brent

A Special Welcome to Loren and Karyn Laing from Ft. Worth, Texas. They are sharing with us in music today and we are delighted to have them. Loren is the former concertmaster of the Ft. Worth Symphony Orchestra, and now teaching privately, and Karyn is a concert pianist with ministries in the church and academic settings.

Children's Ministry We value young families and their children. If you are new with us at GRACE, we welcome all children into the Worship Center for the first part of the service, and then before the message, the children are dismissed for their own time of creative learning and interaction. The children's ministry ages are up through 5th grade and are located in the Cork Room upstairs. If you have an infant child need, our greeters and ushers will be able to help you find the appropriate rooms for all your children. We're glad you came!

Cell Phones Please remember to turn off your cell phones during the service or set them to "Star Wars" stun phase! Thank you.

Prayer Points:

Friday Payer



The LORD delights in the faithful prayers of his people. We encourage you to take time each Friday to pray specifically for the LORD's continued guidance, blessing, protection of Grace Fellowship, our leaders, friends, ministries and future.

Prayer for Health Concerns

Clara Porter, Pat Hopkins, Jane Bumen, Matt Hawk, Carol Ann Rhoades, T.J. Poole, Teresa Schobelock, Gordon Mathers, Amy Fusco, Brooke Ashbrook, Harold Smith, Susan, Carol Creid, Melodie Rolsten, Marsha Tootle, Dan and Sonja Hines, Paul Bolles, Natalie Courtney

Grace Ministry Prayer Points

A "home" for worship, ministry and offices
Church Office Location
Youth Ministry Leader
Young Adult Ministry Leader

Hurricane Relief

We may not be able to be directly hands on to those in great need, but the greatest thing the church can do is to pray and ask God to minister to those in despair and how he would direct our resources to help those who are hurting.

Power in prayer What ever God is going to do with the ministries at Grace will be done only through the power of prayer. So when we ask you to pray, we believe that without it we will not experience the fullness of God's protection and blessing. Become a prayer warrior as we ask God to be revealed in a greater way for His glory!

Our Purpose: Grace Fellowship exists to be relevant as we lead our generation to God and connect people in a growing relationship with believers.

This Week At Grace

Wednesday

7:00pm Men's Group at Pastor Brent's home

Thursday

11am "Genesis" @ Theresa Dennis home. Call
Deb Martin @ 775-3361

Men's Fellowship Group The Men's Group is back in action this Wednesday with a cook out at Pastor Brent's home (15 Timberidge), at 7pm. All men of the church are welcome, just let us know you are coming through the Friendship Card. If you are new to Grace, we invite you to come and get connected!

Women's Fellowship Group We are beginning a new series on "Genesis", this Thursday, September 15th, at 11am at Theresa Dennis' home. Her address is 412 Willow Lane. If interested please call Deb Martin at 775-3361 or Theresa at 774-4446 so that we will have a book that goes along with this study for you. This is an informal group that is excited to start at the beginning. Now is an excellent time to check us out and see all there is to learn. The study is for anyone who has an interest in learning what the Bible is saying. If you would be interested in an evening class, please be sure to let Deb know by calling her.

Small Group Leaders One of our Core Values is that we value small groups in the need to grow larger and smaller at the same time. Many of our small groups that took a break for the summer will resume after September 11th. If you have previously led a small group or interested in leading a small group this Fall, please indicate that on a Friendship Card so that we can meet and prepare for these very important ministries.

Volunteer Pastoral Care Services in the Emergency Department. A new service is being formed at Adena Medical Hospital to impact patients in the emergency waiting room with a helping "comfort" spirit. The need is 4-8 hours a month on a Sunday, Monday, or Tuesday evening from 4-8pm. Chaplain Chuck Ramsey and emergency department personnel will provide training on how to meet the needs of patients in the waiting room. Please contact Pastor Brent if interested. 773-2233

Hurricane Relief Efforts We have made contact with Cypress Baptist Church in Benton LA as an avenue to directly help the hurricane victims. Cypress Baptist Church, a member of the Fellowship Association of Churches, is hosting 25 people evacuated from New Orleans and helping them get back on their feet with all the basic needs. The group of 25 are extend family and believers in Christ. They are already taking steps to move toward jobs and school for their kids. The greatest need is money for specifics and transportation. Grace Fellowship will be partnering with this church by sending outreach funds from our resources and through your love gift which will be open to you at the close of the service at the exit doors. We may not be able to help one million displace persons, but we can start by impacting 25 in a real way. Next week, we will have more information to share as it becomes available to us. Thank you in advanced for praying, sharing, and serving!

Ministry Leaders Perhaps you are new to Grace and wondering, how do I get involved? Here are the contact people who can help you:

Audio Visual: Tom Krouse 772-6485
Children's Ministry: Yvonne Hammond 775-0379
Grace Notes: Bernadeen Strohm 773-1819
Greeters: Sharon Sprouse 772-2849
Higher Grounds: Lynn Bunstine 772-5017 &
Pam Matter 772-1062
In Touch: Brenda Renner 775-3178
Launch Team: Guy Renner 775-3178
Stewardship: Michael Matter 772-1062
Ushers: Ron Hammond 775-0379
Worship: Gabe Peecher 649-8727

Grace Fellowship meets in
The Christopher Conference Center behind Damons
Our worship time is at 10:30 am.

Mailing Address for Grace Fellowship is:
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Because we do not have a church office,
you may contact Pastor Brent at:
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