

Connect with Grace

Special events, ongoing programs, Connect Card, and more can be found on our website: yakimagrace.com or on the Yakima Grace App.



PARTNERING WITH GRACE

Explore what we believe at Grace & how you can officially partner with our mission
FRI APR 17 5:30-7:30P & SAT APR 18 9-11:45A

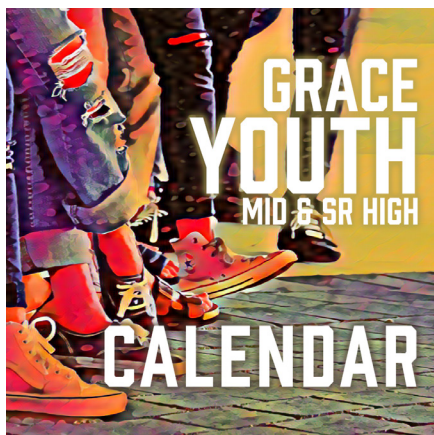
In this 4-week class, Pastor Gregory will introduce discussions about bringing Jesus into modern divisions.



AMBASSADORS OF RECONCILIATION

WED, APR 8-29 . 6-7:30P

In this 4-week class, Pastor Gregory will introduce discussions about bringing Jesus into modern divisions.



GRACE YOUTH

MID & SR HIGH

CALENDAR

Follow the QR to see all the upcoming events for middle and high school youth. Join us for Spring Break fun!



OUTREACH CAMP. JUNE 12-14

GIVE & VOLUNTEER TODAY!

Help us send kids from Adams, Hoover, & OnFire to Outreach Camp in June! Scan the QR to give safely online.



Grace of Christ Church

To Love Jesus, Love our City, Together in Community - April 5, 2026



THE KING OF LIFE

1 CORINTHIANS 15:20-26

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5 . 9AM & 11AM

WELCOME TO GRACE!

Greetings Friends in Christ!

Christ has risen! We're taking a pause from our series on Peter as we reflect on the heart of the good news of Jesus Christ. Christianity is known for its main symbol of the cross. Yet perhaps that's unfair. We live and have eternal life not simply because Jesus died on the cross, but because he defeated the power of death and will defeat every challenge to God's life-giving power.

In the end, forgiveness of sins is only part of the good news, the best news is that Jesus is the risen King who will have the victory over all other claims to authority, especially the power of death that is at work in the spirit of this age.

Rev. Dr. Gregory Wagenfuhr

SUNDAY WORSHIP

9am - Contemporary Worship

9:15am - Kids & Youth dismissed to their classes

11am - Traditional Worship - Choir & Organ

Childcare available on the main floor across from the office

CONNECT WITH US

9 S. 8th Ave, Yakima, WA 98902 | 509.248.7940 | YakimaGrace.com

Lead Pastor - Rev Dr Gregory Wagenfuhr

Kids & Families - Sarah Huck | Youth & Young Adults - Kara Candid

New to QR Codes? Give it a try!

1. Open the camera on your smartphone.
2. Point at the QR Code and hold your phone steady so the code fits on the screen.
3. Tap the message or link that appears to open. You do NOT need to take a picture.

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26

Study Questions

Foundations:

What is the relationship between sin as breaking laws and sin as a power or authority?

How is death related to sin?

Why are all rules, authorities, and powers something God will destroy as part of the good news of Jesus Christ?

How do you see sin and death reigning in the world today?

Implications: So What?

How is the gospel related to "law"? Is the gospel about making sure the law is upheld at any cost (i.e. Jesus' death)? Or is the gospel about defeating all rivals to God's authority and thus ending false law-making authorities?

Why does this distinction matter? What differences can you think of between a gospel that is about ensuring the law is satisfied vs. the gospel that God releases all claims of law for his people?

Applications: Now What?

Jesus wants to save you from the powers that are at work in this world, not to take you out of the world, but to be ambassadors of his kingdom. What could the power of Jesus' indestructible life mean for you and your life? What enemies rule over you that need to be defeated?

Prayer

Easter is a wonderful time to pray "Thy kingdom come!" Jesus gives us his own prayer in which we ask for the gospel of the kingdom of God to be true in our lives and in the world. The Lord's Prayer is not a trite old formula to recite mindlessly... it is tailor-made to combat the rulers of the present evil age with the power of God and to pledge our allegiance to his kingdom as we ask for his salvation. So let's pray:

Our Father (and no other), in heaven (not like the earthly 'fathers')
May your name be set apart and honored
Your kingdom come
Your will be done on earth just like it is in heaven
Be the provider of our sustenance and life (and not the bread of slave-masters)
Release us from sin and debts in the same way we release others what they owe us.
Don't lead us into places where we are tempted, but free us from the Evil One.
To you belongs the kingdom, all power, and all glory and honor forever. Amen!

UPCOMING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISSION SUNDAY - APRIL 12

Come to the Garden Room after services next Sunday and meet our local missions partners. See how God is using Grace of Christ in our community!

FAMILY PHOTO OP

Bring your family to the Garden Room after service this week to take a few photos in front of our spring backdrop. Happy Easter!

MEMORIAL FOR DON SMITH

We pray for the family of Don Smith, who passed away in December. His memorial service will be next Saturday, April 11 at 11am in the Sanctuary.

AMBASSADORS OF RECONCILIATION - STARTS APR 8 AT 6PM

Join this 4-week class as Pastor Gregory introduces how we can bring a Jesus-shaped kingdom into modern divisions. Sign up & RSVP for childcare at yakimagrace.com/event.

PARTNERING WITH GRACE CLASS - APR 17 & 18

Our upcoming Partnering with Grace class is on Fri, Apr 17 (5:30-7:30pm, dinner included) and Sat, Apr 18 (9am-12pm). Becoming a Covenant Partner is a promise to support the church's mission, worship, service, and stewardship. RSVP by Apr 13: 509-248-7940, Info@YakimaGrace.com, or fill out a Connect Card and mark "Becoming a Grace Partner."

WE ARE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

NEED WIFI?

Network: Guest Wifi PW: JesusLovesMe!

VISITING TODAY?



Follow the QR Code to find out more about what to expect on a Sunday morning.

You will also find info about our Sunday programs for children and teens, as well as how to connect to who we are as a church.

CONNECT CARD



Everyone is welcome at Grace! Help us connect with you. Scan the QR or fill out a card in the pews.

NEED PRAYER?

Our team is available after each service by the piano to pray and connect with you.

YAKIMA GRACE APP

VIEW the church calendar
WATCH Sunday services
SIGN-UP for events
SUBMIT your Connect Card
GIVE Online

APPLE STORE



GOOGLE PLAY



OR

WAYS TO GIVE

Drop your offering in the offering plate or the secure box after the service.

Click on "Give" in the Yakima Grace App.

Give safely on our website:
Scan the QR or go to
yakimagrace.com/give

