

NEW TO GC?

Stop by the Guest Connection Desk today after our worship assembly. We'd love to meet you!

WELCOME!

The following clever but wise article was written for RENEW.org by my friend and RENEW's editor-in-chief, Daniel McCoy. It's just an excerpt, so you'll have to visit the site to read the rest.

Blessings on your Thanksgiving week!

Paul

Turkeys are unattractive animals which can make for bland food. A turkey's face is unpleasant, glaring out at the world with a look that is at once beady-eyed, bald, saggy, and jowly. If anyone is said to resemble or sound like a turkey in any way, it's never a compliment. If there's a lowly-to-majestic continuum that ranks from cow to horse, turkeys are off the map gobbling somewhere and somehow making cows look majestic.

And yet, I hope we're still eating turkey at Thanksgivings a hundred years from now. This isn't because of spite for eating it all these years. No, I really think there's something important that American society would be leaving behind if we traded turkey for a steak or pizza even if a steak or pizza would raise the level of giving thanks.

Because would eating a pizza instead of a turkey make us more thankful on Thanksgiving?

To read the rest... <https://renew.org/why-eat-turkey-for-thanksgiving>



UPCOMING



For more details on upcoming events, see the GC Events calendar online or in the GC app.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Let It Rise

Welcome

Rocky Wyatt

Who You Say I Am
Agnus Dei

Communion

Clif Jones

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

Offering

Clif Jones

Kids Dismissal

Rocky Wyatt

How Sweet, How Heavenly
Just As I Am (I Come Broken)

Message: Children of the Father
The Simple Message of 1 John • Part 3 of 4

Paul Huyghebaert

May I Call You Father?

Next Steps

Rocky Wyatt

Sending Prayer

Clif Jones

PRAYER SPOTLIGHT

"In you our fathers put their trust; they trusted and you delivered them. They cried to you and they were saved; in you they trusted and they were not disappointed."
(Psalm 22:4-5)

Dear Father, God of our fathers, and of theirs, will you come to our rescue? Will you show the world your power and your grace? Will you deliver your faithful from the cynical rulers and mobs of this world who fight against freedoms endowed by your decree? Though none are innocent of the rebelliousness of our sinful nature, you bring forgiveness to those in Christ, your true son. May the world see, hear, believe and obey the words—his words—that will be the judge in the last days (John 12:48). Amen.

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

gracechapelchurch.com/prayerrequests



DONUT TIME: Sometimes we get so excited about the gift that we forget to remember the giver. So, this month we will take some time to look around at the wonderful gifts God has given us and teach our preschoolers that God is good! Everywhere we look we see gifts that God has given us, like friends and family, people who help us, and yummy food...like donuts! But DONUT forget to thank God because God is good!

REMEMBER THIS: "Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good." (Psalm 107:1 NIV)



STAND: As we continue our journey through God's Big Story, we take a closer look at the lives of Joshua and Caleb, David, Daniel, and Esther. Each of them trusted God and found courage to face difficult circumstances. Like these people we read about in the Old Testament, God may ask us to take a risk or do something we might not feel prepared to do. But God will also give us the courage we need to face that challenge.

REMEMBER THIS: "Be strong and brave. Do not be afraid. Do not lose hope. I am the Lord your God. I will be with you everywhere you go." (Joshua 1:9b NIV)



YOUTH NIGHT

Sundays, 5-8 p.m., GC Youth Room

For anyone in 6th-12th grades to explore how to follow Jesus and to connect with others in a safe, fun environment.

There will be no Youth Night tonight due to Thanksgiving break. Enjoy some relaxing time with family and friends!



Fall Retreat 2022

UPCOMING YOUTH NIGHT SCHEDULE

TONIGHT: NO Youth Night (Thanksgiving Break)

11/27: Game Night, 5-8 p.m.

12/4: Classy Christmas, 5-8 p.m.

12/11: Christmas Morning, 5-8 p.m.

For more details on upcoming events, see the GC Youth calendar online or in the GC app.



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High School Students: @gcymhs

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SERVICES

Sundays at 9:30 a.m.

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gracechapelchurch.com/live

LAST WEEK (11/13/22)

On-site Attendance 370

YTD Contributions \$1,127,927