

NEW TO GC?

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

WELCOME!

We're so glad that you chose to join us today in our time of worship and praise! At Grace Chapel, we strive to be a community on mission together. Our hope for you today is that you have a personal encounter with the love of God and an experience with people who care.

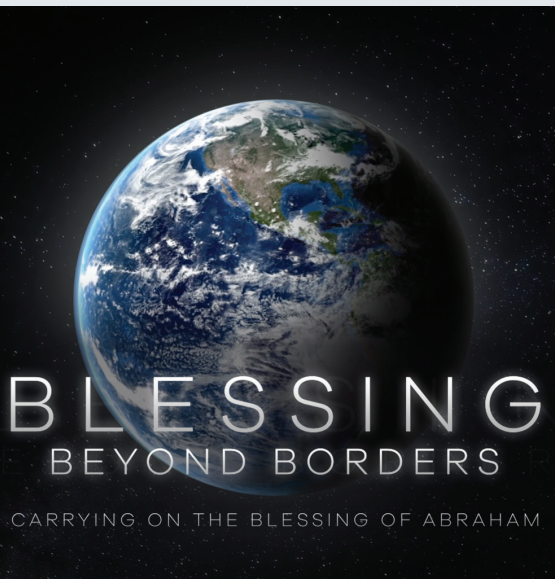
OUR MISSION

To be disciples who make disciples who make disciples (2 Timothy 2:2).

FOR OUR GUESTS

New around here? We're so glad to see you today! Stop by our **Guest Connection Desk** in the lobby to pick up a gift from us. Questions or need assistance? Feel free to ask a member of our **Host Team** (anyone wearing an orange lanyard).

Got kids? During our worship service, preschool and elementary school children are invited to join our GC Kids large group



September Message Series

environments, **Graceland** and **Oasis**. Little ones under three years old are welcome in our fully-staffed **nursery**. Stick around after worship service for our adult Bible classes and kids small groups, beginning at 10:45 a.m.

We'd love to connect with you!
Scan here or text "NEW" to
833-272-1249.



UPCOMING EVENTS



kids clothing
DRIVE
Partnering with Cumming Elementary School
August 24 - September 14

KIDS SIZES XS - XXL

Needs include BOYS and GIRLS winter pants (jeans, sweats, leggings) sweatshirts/hoodies, jackets and coats.

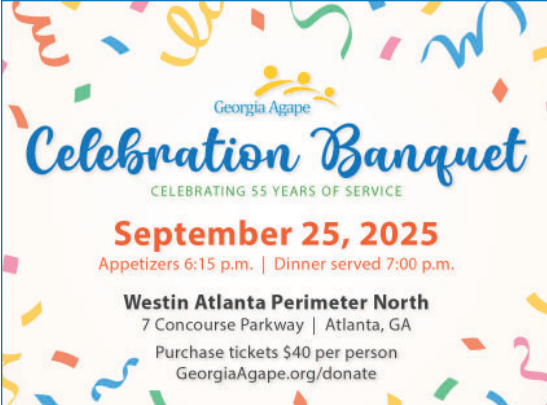
Please drop off donations in the box near the GC Kids hall.



Relationship

Guests are invited to meet members of our staff, shepherds, and other key leaders over lunch and conversation.

TODAY @ 11:45 a.m.
Youth Room



Georgia Agape
Celebration Banquet
CELEBRATING 55 YEARS OF SERVICE

September 25, 2025
Appetizers 6:15 p.m. | Dinner served 7:00 p.m.

Westin Atlanta Perimeter North
7 Concourse Parkway | Atlanta, GA

Purchase tickets \$40 per person
GeorgiaAgape.org/donate

Adventure Awaits

JOIN US FOR A BABY SHOWER HONORING
Jenny Brown

SUNDAY | OCTOBER 5 | 2-4 PM
GRACE CHAPEL LOBBY

Registered at Target, Walmart and Amazon



SHOE DRIVE
October 5-12



Accepting donations of new and gently used shoes.

MEN'S • WOMEN'S • CHILDREN'S
All sizes and styles are needed!

Drop off in the GC Lobby



SAVE THE DATE!

FALL FAMILY DAY

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 26th
4:00pm - 6:00 pm | GC Parking Lot

SNACKS • GAMES • TRUNK-OR-TREAT • COSTUME PARADE

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

IN MEMORIAM

Loretta Allen, sister to our Ann Kendrick and Tommy Bradford, passed away last Sunday at Northside Hospital at 82 years old. Sister Allen's funeral will be held Sunday, September 14th at Snellville Church of Christ, with visitation from 2–3 p.m. and Celebration of Life at 3 p.m. Arrangements by Tom Wages Funeral Home. www.wagesfuneralhome.com

MEDICAL

Bea Sage: Patrick Boyle's sister, Bea, was diagnosed recently with stage 3 throat cancer. Her treatments call for several weeks of radiation mixed in with chemotherapy. Please pray that treatments will be completely successful and for Bea to return to full health. Also continue to remember the entire family in the recent loss of Bea and Patrick's father.

Fran Sexton: Fran is doing great as she recovers from a blood clot in her leg. The clot is gone, and the swelling has greatly decreased. She hopes to be able to attend worship today. Praise God! Fran is due to have a final scan of her leg on the 19th. Pray that she gets an all-clear with no blood clots and that she regains full mobility. Please keep her husband, Paul, in your prayers as well.

Doug Gilliard: As of Friday, Doug was still at Cumming Health and Rehab and doing great in his recovery from hip surgery. Please pray for full healing and recovery from the surgery and for growing strength in rehab. Also, pray especially for Doug's wife, Jane.

Susan Boling: After a month-long stay at Cumming Health and Rehab, Susan is so glad to be back home. Unfortunately, she has had the flu this week. Please pray for recovery from the flu and all the other issues she is facing, with back and hip pain and daily antibiotic infusions at her doctor's office for an aortic valve infection in her heart. Thankfully, her family is taking excellent care of her, including her brother, who has moved into the room/apartment that she normally rents out. Please continue to keep Susan in your prayers for a full recovery, complete healing and relief from pain, and be with all those ministering to her, including the saints at Grace Chapel.

John Wood: Continues his chemo treatments for pancreatic cancer and is doing much better. He has gained back some weight and is actively walking each day (about three miles every morning). He still deals with periodic weakness and nausea after treatments but is able to eat. Please pray for strength for John, full remission of the cancer, and complete healing. Pray also for Alicia and their entire sweet family.

Bo Edwards' sister, Calli: Continues to deal with mental health issues, but is now back at home after a stay in a mental health facility. Please pray for Calli and her family in these ongoing struggles, that the issues will be resolved, and the household will have peace. Please pray also for Bo as he is ministering to them.

Bo Edwards: Has been recovering from a severe cold/sinus problem and is now well enough to travel. Please pray for healing and full recovery.

Continued on reverse...

OUR SICK AND SAINTS AT HOME

A big “thank you” to so many who are reaching out as the Spirit prompts you to our dear brothers and sisters who are experiencing trials and tribulations, both medically and spiritually. Cards, phone calls, and visits are so appreciated. Please remember in your prayers the following GC members who have ongoing health issues and are generally unable to attend worship services:

Esther and Russ Johnson: Pray for Esther’s ongoing struggles with Parkinson’s and digestion issues, and for her husband, Russ, as her caregiver.

Bert and Joyce Blackwell: Pray for Bert’s declining health, and for Joyce as his caregiver. Please give Joyce a call of encouragement.

David and Carolyn Wheeler: David cannot be around large crowds due to his weak immune system. However, he and Carolyn are happy to have calls or visits.

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

Send us your prayer requests at gracechapelchurch.com/pray



PRESCHOOL: This month, our preschoolers are learning that God has plans for them that include good things for them to do. We want them to know they can trust God's plans and that His plans are always best. Just like we can wait for birthdays and Christmas, we can wait on God's plans, too!

KEY QUESTION: Who has plans for you?

BOTTOM LINE: God has plans for me.

MEMORY VERSE: "For I know the plans I have for you," says the Lord." (Jeremiah 29:11 NLT)



ELEMENTARY: From speaking up in class to facing a doctor visit, kids need the help of God's Holy Spirit. Feeling scared doesn't mean you can't be brave. In fact, courage means trusting God to help you be brave. When kids choose to rely on God's help to do something hard, even when they're afraid, others can see God at work—and on the move.

COURAGE: When God helps you be brave enough to do hard things.

MEMORY VERSE: "When I'm afraid, I put my trust in you." (Psalm 56:3 NIV)



Youth Night: Sundays, 5–8 p.m., GC Youth Room

Join us tonight for Youth Night! Enjoy singing worship, a message in the *Reality* series, and Small Groups.

Dinner: Riverside Pizza



YOUTH NIGHT SCHEDULE

TONIGHT: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.
9/21: No YN (Fall Break)

9/28: Youth Night of Worship
@ Sawnee Mountain

SAVE THE DATE

Nov. 7–9: Fall Retreat

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

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TEXT UPDATES: Text your keyword to (833) 272-1249:
GC Youth Parents: gc youthparents
MS Students: gc youthms | **HS Students:** gc youthhs

ORDER OF WORSHIP

To Canaan's Land I'm on My Way

Welcome

Jim Beasley

We Declare That the Kingdom of God Is Here

Wonderful Merciful Savior

Here in This Place

Communion

Ed Brooks

Worthy Is the Lamb

Mission Spotlight & Offering

Jim Beasley & Alec Johnston

Kids Dismissal

Jim Beasley

Heavenly Sunlight

We Are the Body of Christ

Message: Through Our Families

Rob Shaver

Blessing Without Borders: Part 2

God Is So Good

Next Steps



Jim Beasley

Shepherd's Prayer

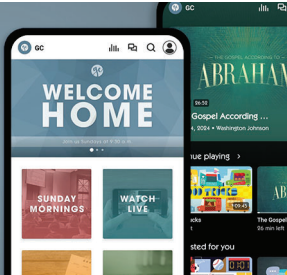
Hector Valderrama

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LAST WEEK (9/7/25)

Attendance 420

YTD Contributions \$868,705