

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.

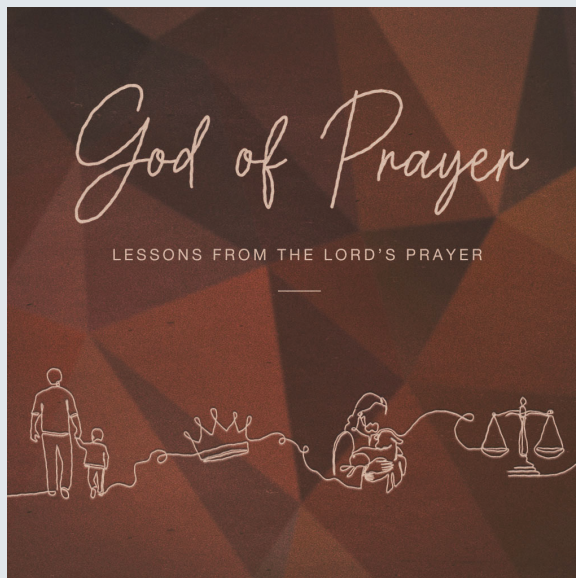
OUR MISSION

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



October 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



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CHURCH OF CHRIST

MINISTRY FAIR 2025

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

Immediately following Worship Service
Lunch provided!



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



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Partnership

Learn more about member expectations and next steps at our lunch for new members.

October 12th @ 11:45 a.m.
Youth Room



save the date!

FALL FAMILY DAY

Sunday, October 26

games • snacks • trunk-or-treat • face painting • costume parade



ADVENTURES IN SERVICE FOR KIDS!

FOR KIDS IN K - 5TH GRADES

Saturday, November 15th
2 - 4 p.m.
at Grace Chapel

Register by November 9th to reserve your child's spot!

REGISTER HERE!



REGISTER NOW!
gracechapelchurch.com/gcevents

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

PRAYER REQUESTS

MEDICAL

Grace Brown: Grace has received a treatment plan from her Emory medical team for her recently diagnosed lung cancer and will begin weekly chemo treatments right away. Please pray for resilience, strength, and peace as Grace begins this journey, and that the treatments remove the cancer entirely from her body. Also, we pray for her husband, Tom, daughters, Anna and Cara, and son, Caleb. Let us all battle in prayer for Grace's health just as she is battling. Let us lift up this sweet family to our Heavenly Father as we pray for complete healing and restoration of health.

John Wood: John continues his chemo treatments for pancreatic cancer and is doing much better. He has gained back a significant amount of weight, and his strength has returned with his walking and working out. Still deals with nausea and weakness from time to time but is managing his body as best he can. John is currently on a fishing trip in Colorado with son, Dillon, nephew, Zane, and dear friend, Brett Turner. It's beautiful out there and they are having a great time. Please pray for strength for John, full remission of the cancer, and complete healing. We are also very mindful of Alicia, John's faithful partner, and their entire sweet family.

Jane and Doug Gilliard: Both are dealing with ongoing medical situations. Doug is recovering nicely from extensive surgery to mend his hip and will soon begin water aerobics to help regain strength. Jane is starting PT after x-rays this week revealed that her broken right wrist and elbow are healing nicely. Right now, neither of them can drive so it's literally "all in the family,"

as Doug and Jane's physical family have stepped big time up to meet their daily needs. Church family has also stepped up as well. Please continue to pray for full recovery. Doug and Jane look forward to the day they will be back worshiping with us in person.

Susan Boling: Susan has had a number of ongoing health mountains to climb this year with a heart infection, severe back, hip and leg pain, and others. This summer she "vacationed" in the hospital for several weeks, followed by over a month in a rehab facility. But it was no vacation. She's been home for over a month now.

Praise God that one mountain has been scaled as Susan's heart infection has healed! In a note this week Susan says, "I'm happy to report that I have no more daily trips to the clinic to receive antibiotics (for my heart)." She also said, "I started PT this week at Champion rehab in Cumming to deal with the severe back, hip and knee pain and will be seeing a pain management doctor..."

She is hopeful to ease some of the pain in her back, hip, and leg as she works her way toward having a hip replacement. Susan says, "Pain wears on the body, mind, and spirit to the point of exhaustion some days. But I am hopeful that continued prayers will help me through the next phase of this journey through pain management and reduction. I am grateful for all the prayers and loving care that have been and are still being said and done for me. Continued prayers are loved and appreciated." We love you Susan and are praying for you!

Continued on reverse...

Bo Edwards' sister, Calli: Calli continues to deal with mental health issues. 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.

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: Deep down, everyone wants to be a super kid, and nothing defines that better than being brave. This month is all about how we can pray, remember, and trust God—like Esther, David, Gideon, and Abigail—so He can help us be brave, even when we're afraid.

KEY QUESTION: Who can help you be brave?

BOTTOM LINE: God can help me be brave.

MEMORY VERSE: "Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid ... for the LORD your God goes with you." (Deuteronomy 31:6 NIV)



ELEMENTARY: "You do you" and "live your truth" are popular messages today, but without seeking God's wisdom, it all falls apart. As we explore the lives of David and Solomon, kids will learn that true wisdom comes from staying connected to God—like a tree rooted by water. Best of all, God wants us to ask for wisdom and delights to give it.

WISDOM: Finding out God's best and doing it.

MEMORY VERSE: "It is much better to get wisdom than gold. It is much better to choose understanding than silver." (Proverbs 16:16 NIV)



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

Wear your fall vibes clothing and join us tonight for a cozy fall Youth Night! We're starting a new GC Youth message series, *Grace of God*. Don't miss it!

Dinner: Grilled hamburgers & hot dogs

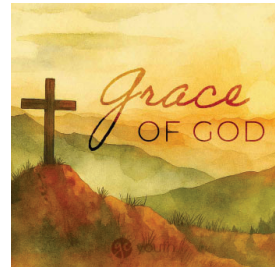
YOUTH NIGHT SCHEDULE

TONIGHT: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.

10/19: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.

10/12: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.

10/26: Youth Night, 5–8 p.m.



Fall Youth Night Series

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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GC Youth Parents: gcyouthparents

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Our God

Welcome

Rocky Wyatt

He Will Come and Save You

Glory and Honor

How Deep the Father's Love

Communion

John Stroop

May I Call You Father?

Offering

John Stroop

Kids Dismissal

Rocky Wyatt

Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty

How Great Is Our God

Scripture Reading

Message: Father

Rob Shaver

God of Prayer: Part 1

Father

Next Steps



Rocky Wyatt

Shepherd's Prayer

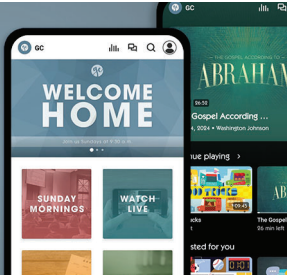
John Stroop

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LAST WEEK (9/28/25)

Attendance 378

YTD Contributions -