Ephesians A CHURCH ALIVE IN CHRIST

GRACE COMMUNITY CHAPEL

Grace Community Chapel

Weekly Bulletin - March 9, 2025

Access the Digital Connection Card at gcchapel.org/connect.

Sundays at GCC

8:30 AM

Traditional Worship Service Classes for Adults and Kids (nursery - grade 5)

9:50 AM

Contemporary Worship Service Classes for Adults, Youth, and Kids (nursery - grade 5)

11:15 AM

Contemporary Worship Service Classes for Adults and Kids (nursery - age 5)

Stay Connected

- Check gcchapel.org for updates.
- Call us at 636-970-1311, Monday-Friday, 9 am - 4 pm.
- Email us at office@gcchapel.org.
- Sign up for our e-newsletters at gcchapel.org/lists.
- Sign up for prayer chain emails or submit a prayer request at gcchapel.org/prayer.
- Request counseling at gcchapel.org/counseling.
- Find us on Facebook and Instagram: Grace Community Chapel
- Go to <u>gcchapel.org/about</u> to learn about our beliefs, mission, and leadership.

Ministry Team

Visit gcchapel.org/about to email a member of the Ministry Team. Jason Krute Senior Pastor David Earley Worship Arts Chris Lentz Adult Ministries Daniel Maasen Outreach Pastor Anthony Ochoa Student Ministries Carrie Fisher Children's Ministries

Online Resources

Can't attend in person? Missed a Sunday? Watch live or on demand at <u>YouTube.com</u> or the Church Center app.

Go to <u>gcchapel.org/adults</u> to find details about Adult Ministries.

Go to <u>gcchapel.org/kids</u> to find details about **Kids Ministries**.

Go to gcchapel.org/students to find details about Student Ministries.

Take the Next Steps

Get to know us better by attending these classes, which are required for membership at GCC.

SHARING GRACE

Understand the culture of our church and our passion to walk an authentic Christian life.

March 23 @11:15 am Room 110

DISCOVERING GRACE

Ask specific questions about our Statement of Faith, doctrines, and priorities.

March 30 @11:15 am Room 110

LUNCH AT GRACE

Meet our ministry team and hear the heart of our church.

April 6 @12:15 pm Hope Hall

RSVP at gcchapel.org/events

Church Center App

Details at gcchapel.org/app

- Simplified giving
- Easy event signups
- Kids check-in
- Church directory
- Connecting with small groups

The Good News Ephesians 2:4-10 | Jason Krute, Senior Pastor

The New Creation

...rich in mercy...

- God's compassion for the helpless and indebted, stimulating action for their relief
- Matthew 9:13; 12:7; 23:23; 2 Timothy 1:16-18; James 2:13; 3:17

...by grace you have been saved...

- unmerited favor of God
- in simple terms: all the benefit and credit by doing none of the work
- Romans 3:24; 5:15; 11:6; 2 Timothy 1:9; Titus 2:11-12; Hebrews 4:16

...so that no one may boast...

- Paul is eliminating the ability to take pride in or brag about our actions
- 1 Corinthians 1:29-31; 2 Corinthians 10:7-18; Galatians 6:12-16

...for we are His workmanship...

- we are the product of God's intentional actions
- this is similar to God's work during Creation; we are new creations
- as God's handiwork, our life will display the works of the Spirit

MISSIONARY OF THE WEEK

EMILY REZEK

Greater Europe Mission

Emily Rezek serves with Greater Europe Mission in Lille, France, a very young and international city. Lille has over 80,000 students, many of them international students who have never heard the gospel. Emily works with student and university ministry, as well as a local French church. Last month, she helped lead a winter camp for 40 kids, ranging in age from 9 to 17.



As you pray for Emily, praise God for the 40 kids who attended camp. Pray that these kids would retain what they learned and keep growing in their relationship with God.

Visit <u>gcchapel.org/missions</u> to learn more about our missionaries or to be added to the missions newsletter and get updates via a weekly email.

March's Change for Change offering will go towards the Kendagors' travel expenses for their vital trip to Africa. **Total giving as of 3/2/2025: \$1,165**

BUDGET UPDATE AS OF 1/31/25

	<u>BUDGET</u>	INCOME	EXPENSES
OPERATING MONTHLY	\$131,940	\$101,051	\$101,051
OPERATING YTD	\$131,940	\$111,960	\$111,960
MISSIONS MONTHLY	\$24,400	\$20,168	\$42,404
MISSIONS YTD	\$24,400	\$20,168	\$42,404
CASH ON HAND (12/31/24))	3.1 (TARGET 2-2.5 Months)	

3/2 WEEKLY GIVING: OPERATING \$45,816 MISSIONS \$13,333

Give online, by mail, or in person using an offering box in the worship center.

MARCH 2 ATTENDANCE: In person - 580 Online - 70

This Week

Visit gcchapel.org or call the church office for more information about ministries at GCC.

MONDAY

6:00 PM MOG Bible Study 6:30 PM DivorceCare 8:00 PM Piloga

TUESDAY

2:00 PM Precept Bible Study 6:30 PM WOG Bible Study 7:00 PM Precept Bible Study 7:00 PM Youth Group

WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM WOG Bible Study

THURSDAY

6:30 PM AWANA 6:30 PM WOG Bible Study

FRIDAY-SATURDAY

4:30 PM - Youth Retreat - offsite

Upcoming Events and Opportunities

Details and registration at gcchapel.org/events or on the Church Center app.

Kids & Family Worship | Sunday, March 16 | 9:50 am

Our Kids and Family Worship will be happening next Sunday, March 16, in Hope Hall during the 2nd service. Families: if you have kids, make sure you join us for this interactive service.

PrimeTimers Hymn Sing | Saturday, Mar 22 | 3-5 pm | Adult Central If you're age 55 or older, you're invited to join us in singing some of your favorite hymns as we "Make a Joyful Noise!" Please register on our events page.

Easter Carnival | Saturday, April 12 | 9:00-11:00 am

Travel together through a series of game and activity booths where you'll hear about the meaning of Easter while collecting prize-filled eggs along the way! The carnival will take around an hour from start to finish and will be held inside on the main level of our building. We can't wait to celebrate Easter with you and your family! Recommended ages 3-12 years old. Learn more, volunteer, or sign up on our events page.

Skill Labs | June 16-20 | Preregister or Volunteer on our Events Page Skill Labs are a place where kids can discover a new skill or develop a current interest. Kids will explore ways to use their skills as an avenue to share God's love. Preregister NOW if you'd like to be among the first to be notified when this year's labs are released and official registration is open.