

A Time for Young Disciples (10:15) Matthew 22:18-21
 Children's Church:
 Children in 1st-3rd grade are invited to Room 15 for a story and activities.

Message

**Turn your eyes upon Jesus
 Look full in his wonderful face
 And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
 In the light of his glory and grace.**

Prayers of the People from your requests

Include Doby's Bridge Presbyterian,
 TPH (Tom P. Hartness) Cottage at Thornwell Home for Children,
 and our partner congregation in Baghdad
 Conclude with the Lord's Prayer, p.35

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper (8:00)

** Hymn # 757 "Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples"

** Blessing (please turn and face the center aisle as we sing to each other)

**May the road rise to meet you,
 May the wind blow at your back,
 May the sun shine warmly on your face,
 May the rain fall softly on your field,
 And, until we meet again, Until we meet again,
 May God hold you in the palm of God's hand.**

Enlarged print hymnals and listening devices for the hearing
 impaired are available from the sound booth.

** congregation standing in body or spirit Song lyrics reprinted with permission, CCLI # 25245718

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Thank You - Sunday Servants - Mar 9 - 15
 8:00 Greeters - **Bonnie Mendenhall**; 10:15 Greeters - **Mike & Lynn
 Smith**; 10:15 Usher Team - **Steve & Janet Hamilton**;
 2-Minute Door Step - **Larry & Melissa Lamprich**; Meals on Wheels -
Stump & Elizabeth Eppes, Ray & Saran Scott; Sound Team - **Bill
 Wilson, Shawn Shillington**; Toddler Class 9:00 - **Katie Rutland**;
 Youth Volunteer - **Nicole Moriarty**; Early Childhood - **Janet
 Ferguson**; Toddler Class - **Becky Walters**; Children's Church -
Kasey Wood, Sarah Hamilton; Offering Stewards - **Tyler Droppers,
 Kari Kessel**; Office Support - **Phyllis Clark, Evelyn Williams, Karen
 Cox, Eric Aivalotis**; Fellowship - **Bonnie Mendenhall**

Elder on Call March 15 - 21 Jeffrey Scott
Jeffrey serves on the Education Team
 In addition to our pastor, our "Elder on Call" provides pastoral care
 to member families. Please call the church office with pastoral care
 needs (hospitalization, death, surgery, etc.) of your family or
 another during this week as well as Jeffrey. He may be reached at
 256 872-4254 or email wordsmith2294@yahoo.com.

News for this Week
Today 8:00 am **Worship Service**
 9:00 am **Sunday School**
 10:15 am **Worship Service**
 11:30 am **Half Notes**
 11:30 am **Abreu Baby Shower**

The congregation is invited to a baby shower for Javier &
 Lauren Abreu sponsored by the ~ish group after the 10:15 service in
 the sanctuary.

11:30 am **Local Missions Team Mtg**
 5:00 pm **gYg**

Mon, Mar 16 12:00 pm **Let's Eat**
 Join Joanne and friends at Los Aztecas, 741 Crossroads Plaza, Fort
 Mill. Sign up on reservation form and drop in offering basket so we can
 save you a seat.

Tue, Mar 17 7:00 pm **Grace Ringers**

Wed, Mar 18 12:00 pm **SAM Lunch & Movie**
 Bring your lunch and then we will watch this month's movie,
LaLa Land. Sebastian (Ryan Gosling) and Mia (Emma Stone) are
 drawn together by their common desire to do what they love. But as
 success mounts they are faced with decisions that begin to fray the
 fragile fabric of their love affair, and the dreams they worked so hard to
 maintain in each other threaten to rip them apart. Sign up on
 reservation form in the attendance book and drop in offering basket.

7:00 pm **Ladies Night Out**

Ladies, join your Grace friends for fun and fellowship at Red Bowl
 Asian Bistro, 845 Stockbridge Dr, Fort Mill. Sign up on reservation form
 and drop in offering basket.

Thu, Mar 19 8:45 am **Pilates/Yoga**
 10:00 am **Thursday Morning Bible Study**

The Thursday morning group is starting a new bible study on Thursday,
 March 19th. This is a six-week study focused on the Gospel of John
 with an accompanying video for each session, and the study book is
 JOHN: THE GOSPEL OF LIGHT AND LIFE by Adam Hamilton. The
 group meets each Thursday at 10 a.m. For more information, please
 contact Becky Shillington at rbshilli@gmail.com.

1:00 pm **Graceful Threads**
 7:00 pm **Grace Notes Rehearsal**

Fri, Mar 20 6:00 pm **Gap Event**
 Sign up on reservation form. For additional info, contact Mike Smith at
mike.smith@allentate.com

Fri, Mar 20 - Sun, Mar 22 **Women's Retreat**

Sat, Mar 21 3:30 pm **gYg Winter Jam**

Sun, Mar 22 **Next Sunday, March 22nd**
 8:00 am **Worship Service**
 9:00 am **Sunday School**
 10:00 am **Worship Service**
 11:30 am **Half Notes**
 11:30 am **Homeless Care Team Meeting**
 11:30 am **gYg GKTW Meeting**
 5:00 pm **gYg**

Sun, Mar 29 8:00 am **Worship Service**
 9:00 am **Sunday School**
 10:15 am **Worship Service**
 11:30 am **Half Notes**
 11:30 am **Personnel Team Meeting**
 11:45 am **Lunch Bunch**

Come on over to Sabor Latin Street Grill, 817 Crossroads Plaza
 Ste A5, Fort Mill, after church and enjoy lunch with fellow
 congregants. It's a great time to hang out and get to know each other.
 Sign up on reservation form.

5:00 pm **gYg**

Apr 4 - 9 **gYg to GKTW**

Sat, Apr 4 8:00 am **Men's Breakfast & Bible Study**
 Join us on the first Saturday of the month for breakfast and a study of
 the Bible. Those who plan to attend are asked to RSVP to
samroberson68@gmail.com by Thursday evening prior to the
 breakfast/study.

Tue, Apr 7 12:00 pm **Let's Eat**
 Join Joanne and friends for lunch at Salmeri's Italian Kitchen,
 526 Mercantile Pl, Ste 101, Fort Mill.

Thu, Apr 9 7:00 pm **Maundy Thursday Service**

Sat, Apr 11 11:30 am **Easter Egg Hunt**
 Pastor Joanne and Sam welcome you to the annual Easter Egg
 Hunt! Bring your Easter baskets and one dozen filled eggs per child.
 There will be a hot dog lunch following the Easter Egg hunt. The fun
 begins at 11:30 on April 11 at 2628 Farmlake Ln, Fort Mill. (There
 will be a special egg hidden with the Space of Grace prize!)



April 12
Join us for Easter Sunday Services

7:00 am Easter Sunrise Service
The Shore Club
 15083 Molokai Dr, Tega Cay

NO 8:00 am Worship Service at Grace

9:00 am Easter Breakfast - Room 15

Please bring a covered dish to share!

10:15 am Worship Service at Grace

Please remember to bring fresh and/or artificial flowers
 to place on the cross.

We are proud of the following Grace children who had Perfect
 Attendance in Sunday School during February:
**Allison Davenport, Allison Davis, Lila Deaton, Ruby Hamilton,
 TJ Hamilton, Isaac Hreha, Logan Hreha, Ellis Kessel, Riggs Wood**

Fort Mill Care Center Donations

Thank you for donating 472 pounds of goods to the FMCC so far this year. Our goal is to donate 2000 pounds in the year of 2020. This means we need to donate about 40 pounds each week. In the last three weeks, we have donated a total of only 56 pounds. Please remember to include items for FMCC as you do your weekly shopping and place them in the shopping cart at the back of the sanctuary.



Children's Ministry is looking for volunteers! SignUp Genius makes it easy to sign up to help in our Toddler class at either 9 or 10 am. Please check your schedule and scan QR code to sign up.



Grace Gear

From now until March 22 you will be able to get your Grace golf shirts. Each shirt will cost \$30 and will be delivered by the end of the month. Look for other gear in the coming months.

Volunteers Needed March 23 - 27

Grace is hosting the Lombard Mennonite Mediation Skills conference the week of March 23rd. Volunteers are specifically needed for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at various times and some help resetting the sanctuary on Friday, the 27th at 4 pm. Please contact Annmarie Clark at 678-520-4313 or email clarkamundo@msn.com if you would like to help.

Vacation Bible School

Mark your calendars for our Rainforest Explorers VBS, June 22-26 from 9am-12pm where your children will look into the Bible, God's Holy Word, and discover that Jesus leads the way to the treasure of eternal life with Him! What do you need when you go on a journey? The Bible stories each day will link with special tools to show how Jesus leads the way in our lives. Registration for VBS will begin soon.

GIVING AT GRACE

as of 02/29/2020

Income received this month: \$ 47,475.91 Expenses YTD: \$ 85,077.91
Income received YTD: \$ 89,562.38 Variance YTD: \$ 4,484.47

Thank you for supporting the missions and ministries of Grace Church. Auto payment is an excellent way to keep your giving up to date all year AND have you seen all the new ways to give at Grace; on-line (www.gracefortmill.org), mobile text giving (text GRACEFORTMILL to 73256), mobile giving in your REALM account. Contact the office if you need help accessing our online software REALM.



The Grace family extends their heartfelt sympathy to Lori and Jon Ochsner on the loss of Lori's mother, Jean, on March 4th. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Our Local Governing Body: The SESSION

class of 2020 class of 2021 class of 2022

Elizabeth Eppes	John Douds	Brian Hartzog
Andreas Schuhmacher	Larry Eanes	Kari Kessell
Susan Shaffer	Angela Davenport	Mark Nestel
Craig Wood	Eun Moore	Dawn Posey
Stephanie Frazier	Carol O'Neal	Jeffrey Scott

Clerk of Session: Craig Wood Church Treasurer: Shawn Shillington

This Week's Calendar Mar 8 - 14

Sunday, Mar 15th

8:00 am Worship Service
9:00 am Sunday School
10:15 am Worship Service
11:30 am Half Notes
11:30 am Local Missions Team Mtg
11:30 am Abreu Baby Shower
5:00 pm gYg

Monday, Mar 16th

8:30 am-12:30 pm Preschool
9:00 am-4:00 pm Office Open
8:30 am Saluda Center
12:00 pm Let's Eat
6:30 pm Boy Scout Girl Troop Mtg
7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 250
8:00 pm AA & Al-Anon

Tuesday, Mar 17th

8:30 am-12:30 pm Preschool
9:00 am-4:00 pm Office Open
3:00 pm Saluda Center
6:00 pm Cub Scouts
6:00 pm DAR Meeting
7:00 pm Grace Ringers

This week's birthdays!

16 Sandi Cody
18 Hilda Spittle, Devin Hartzog, Beth Herendeen
19 Harry Weatherly, Maura Conway

Congratulations! The March Space of Grace goes to **Dre' Manoni**. Dre's name was drawn from the list of workers that helped with Love Café.

Ministers - all Grace Church People
Pastor - **Joanne C. Sizoo**; joanne@gracefortmill.org
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Grace Preschool Director - **Melissa Hunter**; melissa@gracefortmill.org
Nursery Director - **Samantha Meadows**; samantha@gracefortmill.org
Custodian - **Roger Holcomb**
Our Partner Congregation: A Presbyterian congregation in Baghdad, Iraq

Our Vision Statement

Grace Presbyterian Church is an open community of growing persons who love and strengthen one another who seek to follow and to know Jesus of Nazareth who love, comfort, and serve others in word and deed who invite and welcome all in the Spirit of Christ.

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Wednesday, Mar 18th

8:30 am-12:30 pm Preschool
9:00 am-4:00 pm Office Open
10:30 am Education Staff Meeting
12:00 pm SAM Lunch & Movie
6:30 pm Allies & Advocates
6:30 pm Cub Scouts Troop 250
7:00 pm Ladies Night Out
7:00 pm Venturing Crew

Thursday, Mar 19th

8:30 am-12:30 pm Preschool
9:00 am-4:00 pm Office Open
8:45 am Pilates/Yoga
10:00 am Bible Study
1:00 pm Graceful Threads
7:00 pm Grace Notes Rehearsal

Friday, Mar 20th

Office Closed
9:30 am Community Cafe
10:00 am Saluda Center
6:00 pm GAP
8:00 pm AA

Saturday, Mar 21st

9:00 am Al-Anon Family Support
3:30 pm gYg Winter Jam

This week's anniversaries!

16 Harold & Bonnie Mendenhall



Third Sunday in Lent March 15, 2020

As you arrive: Greet your neighbors, greet someone you don't know, grab a cup of coffee or tea, listen to the music, and begin your worship.

Opening Song

"The Summons"

Previews and Invitation to Worship Please pass the friendship folder

Call to Worship

Leader: We come here to encounter the teachings of Jesus. Many wanted to kill him for these teachings!
People: Sometimes we, too, find that his words challenge us, calling us to more than we think we can be or do.

Leader: We come to be shaped into a new people

People: made in the mold of justice, not the stamp of Caesar's coin.

Leader: God entered our story through Jesus,

People: now we seek to enter fully into His story.

All: Let us worship God.

** Hymn # 722 "Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak"

** Affirmation

**In life and death we belong to God.
We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God.
We trust in God, whom Jesus called Abba, Father.
In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image, male and female, of every race and people, to live in one community.
We trust in God the Holy Spirit, everywhere the giver and renewer of life.
With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.**

Musical Offering "Un Lugar Celestial" (A Heavenly Place)
Mark Kostreba, saxophone

We Worship God with Our Offerings baskets passed;
Prayer of Dedication offerings and prayer requests

Grace Notes Choir Anthem (10:15) "Teach Me" Martin/Nordmeyer

*Teach me to trust, and show me the way.
Give me your light, strengthen my faith.
You are the source of all that is right.
Teach me to trust your star in the night.
Teach me to seek your Spirit divine.
You are the Way, the Truth and the Life.
Soften my heart and mold me with care.
Form me with love and lead me to share.
Teach me to trust, to give you my all.
Fill me with hope to rise when I fall.
Teach me to yearn for your warm embrace.
Help me to rest alone in your grace.*