

SUNDAY MORNINGS @ GRACE

Adult Ministry

Adult Sunday School: Meets in the lower level at 9:15a.m.

Children's Ministry

Gracekids (1st– 2nd Grade) & Gracelittles (PreK-K) Children's Church: Offered during the sermon in the lower level. The children are dismissed at the end of announcements.

Gracebabies (0-3 years old) Nursery: In the lower level and is provided the entire service beginning at 10:15AM.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Upcoming Events

Summer Grill Out

July 14, following the service

- **Summer Grill Out** – Our next grill out is 7/14, following the service. Hotdogs and drinks provided, bring a side to share!
- **ChurchSuite** – Email admin@gracefortcollins.org to be added to the online directory!

CONTACT INFO//GET INVOLVED

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GRACE CHURCH PRESBYTERIAN

Loving God - Loving People - Loving Life

VISION

Grace Church is an authentic community knowing and making known the love, hope, joy and freedom of Jesus. Through a gospel saturated message, Grace Church will embrace the city and the world with authentic relationships, loving leadership, engaging worship and a robust world and life view!

MISSION

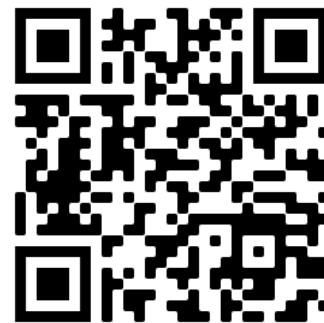
Loving God ❖ Out of a belief in the gospel, we are called to love God through engaging worship and vibrant discipleship. God's glory, not our preferences, will guide decisions we make. His beauty, majesty and holiness will overwhelm and govern our lives. We desire to spread His fame in Fort Collins and beyond!

Loving People ❖ Out of a belief in the gospel, we are called to love others. As a community, we are to live out the gospel through truth, love, hospitality, and kindness. We are not solely about the individual, but the body. We move into, not out of, the city and the world. Through the gospel, God blesses and makes us a blessing. Christ meets our needs that we may serve God and others!

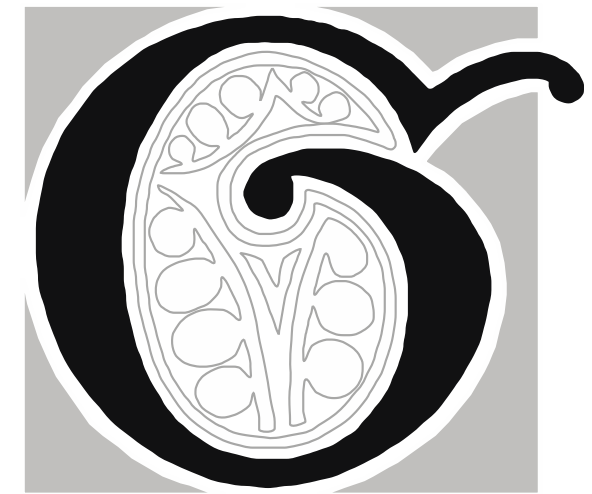
Loving Life ❖ Out of a belief in the gospel, we will passionately live out the gospel life where we live, work, and play. We are called to enter work by taking the "formless" and "raw" places of the world and cultivating them. We will celebrate what God has done in creation literally eating and drinking to the glory of God! There will be a sense of longing in our midst as we wait for the new heavens and the new earth.

GRACE GROUPS

Some churches have small groups, or community groups, or life groups - ours are called Grace Groups. These gatherings take place at various times throughout the week across the greater Fort Collins region. Each group strives to show hospitality, build friendships, and strengthen our ability to carry each other's burdens. To put it another way, Grace Groups exist to grow disciples of Jesus Christ who love each other, our neighborhoods, and our world. Please reach out to Glenn Nelson (glennmail97@gmail.com) or Steph Mikkelsen (admin@gracefortcollins.org) to find a group.



Scan this code to request prayer or to connect to the Grace community.



GRACE CHURCH
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Loving God - Loving People - Loving Life

July 7, 2024

WELCOME AND REFLECTION

From a purely aesthetic point of view the tabernacle could not be considered a thing of beauty, at least not from the outside." This is typical of God, who often cloaks His glory in simplicity, His power in weakness, and His wisdom in foolishness. - John J. Davis

PRAISE THE LORD

† Call to Worship

from Isaiah 12:4-6

Give thanks to the Lord, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples, proclaim that his name is exalted. Sing praises to the Lord, for he has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth.

† Hymn of Worship

"Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise"

1. Immortal, invisible, God only wise, In light inaccessible hid from our eyes, Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, Almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.
2. Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light, Nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might; Thy justice like mountains high soaring above Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.
3. To all, life thou givest, to both great and small; In all life thou livest, the true life of all; We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree, And wither and perish, but naught changeth thee.
4. Great Father of glory; pure Father of light; Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight; All praise we would render: O help us to see 'Tis only the splendor of light hideth thee.

† Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

RENEWAL

Scripture Reading

Colossians 3:5-7

5 Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. 6 On account of these the wrath of God is coming. 7 In these you too once walked, when you were living in them.

This is the word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Prayer of Confession

Augustine of Hippo

O Lord, the house of my soul is narrow; enlarge it that you may enter in. It is ruinous, O repair it! It displeases Your sight. I confess it, I know. But who shall cleanse it, to whom shall I cry but to you? Cleanse me from my secret faults, O Lord, and spare Your servant from strange sins.

Silent Confession

We would like to offer a full minute for you to enter into this sacred space with God. As he meets you here, may you be renewed in his presence.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

† Scripture Reading

1 John 1:8-9

8 If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. 9 If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

† Hymn of Response

“Ashes to Ashes”

Ashes to ashes and dust to dust
Our life and our labor come to ruin and rust.
Rend not your garments; we rend our hearts!
And return to the LORD our God for mercy he imparts.

*Chorus: Restore us! Hear our sighing and our plea.
Restore us! Send your mercy to our need.
Restore us! Speak so we can hear your voice
And join you in the life that never ends.*

† Scripture Reading

Psalms 10:12-18

12 Arise, O Lord; O God, lift up your hand; forget not the afflicted. 13 Why does the wicked renounce God and say in his heart, “You will not call to account”? 14 But you do see, for you note mischief and vexation, that you may take it into your hands; to you the helpless commits himself; you have been the helper of the fatherless. 15 Break the arm of the wicked and evildoer; call his wickedness to account till you find none.

16 The Lord is king forever and ever; the nations perish from his land. 17 O Lord, you hear the desire of the afflicted; you will strengthen their heart; you will incline your ear 18 to do justice to the fatherless and the oppressed, so that man who is of the earth may strike terror no more.

† Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end, Amen.

OFFER YOURSELF TO THE LORD

Presentation of the Tithes and Offerings

John 3:16

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.

Musical Reflection

Prayer

~Children 3 years – 2nd grade are invited to line up downstairs for Children's Church.~

PREACHING OF THE WORD

Scripture Reading

Exodus 35:10-34, 36:3-6, 39:42-43

10 “All who are skilled among you are to come and make everything the Lord has commanded: 11 the tabernacle with its tent and its covering, clasps, frames, crossbars, posts and bases; 12 the ark with its poles and the atonement cover and the curtain that shields it; 13 the table with its poles and all its articles and the bread of the Presence; 14 the lampstand that is for light with its accessories, lamps and oil for the light; 15 the altar of incense with its poles, the anointing oil and the fragrant incense; the curtain for the doorway at the entrance to the tabernacle; 16 the altar of burnt offering with its bronze grating, its poles and all its utensils; the bronze basin with its stand; 17 the curtains of the courtyard with its posts and bases, and the curtain for the entrance to the courtyard; 18 the tent pegs for the tabernacle and for the courtyard, and their ropes; 19 the woven garments worn for ministering in the sanctuary—both the sacred garments for Aaron the priest and the garments for his sons when they serve as priests.” 20 Then all the congregation of the people of Israel departed from the presence of Moses. 21 And they came, everyone whose heart stirred him, and everyone whose spirit moved him, and brought the Lord's contribution to be used for the tent of meeting, and for all its service, and for the holy garments. 22 So they came, both men and women. All who were of a willing heart brought brooches and earrings and signet rings and armlets, all sorts of gold objects, every man dedicating an offering of gold to the Lord. 23 And every one who possessed blue or purple or scarlet yarns or fine linen or goats' hair or tanned rams' skins or goatskins brought them. 24 Everyone who could make a contribution of silver or bronze brought it as the Lord's contribution. And every one who possessed acacia wood of any use in the work brought it. 25 And every skillful woman spun with her hands, and they all brought what they had spun in blue and purple and scarlet yarns and fine twined linen. 26 All the women whose hearts stirred them to use their skill spun the goats' hair. 27 And the leaders brought onyx stones and stones to be set, for the ephod and for the breastpiece, 28 and spices and oil for the light, and for the anointing oil, and for the fragrant incense. 29 All the men and women, the people of Israel, whose heart moved them to bring anything for the work that the Lord had commanded by Moses to be done brought it as a freewill offering to the Lord. 30 Then Moses said to the people of Israel, “See, the Lord has called by name Bezalel the son of Uri, son of Hur, of the tribe of Judah; 31 and he has filled him with the Spirit of God, with skill, with intelligence, with knowledge, and with all craftsmanship, 32 to devise artistic designs, to work in gold and silver and bronze, 33 in cutting stones for setting, and in carving wood, for work in every skilled craft. 34 And he has inspired him to teach, both him and Oholiab the son of Ahisamach of the tribe of Dan.

Exodus 36:3-6 They received from Moses all the offerings the Israelites had brought to carry out the work of constructing the sanctuary. And the people continued to bring freewill offerings morning after morning. 4 So all the skilled workers who were doing all the work on the sanctuary left what they were doing 5 and said to Moses, “The people are bringing more than enough for doing the work the Lord commanded to be done.” 6 Then Moses gave an order

and they sent this word throughout the camp: “No man or woman is to make anything else as an offering for the sanctuary.”

Exodus 39:42-43 The Israelites had done all the work just as the Lord had commanded Moses. 43 Moses inspected the work and saw that they had done it just as the Lord had commanded. So Moses blessed them.

The grass withers, the flowers fade,
but the word of our God will stand forever. Isaiah 40:8

Intercessory Prayer

Sermon

“Unless the Lord builds the house, we labor in vain.”
Rev. Gavin Lymberopoulos

THE BREAD AND WINE

Prayer of Preparation

Institution of the Lord's Supper

† Hymn of Worship

“To Christ the Lord”

1. To Christ the Lord let every tongue its noblest tribute bring
When He's the subject of the song who can refuse to sing?
Survey the beauties of His face and on His glories dwell
Think of the wonder of His grace and all His triumphs tell
2. He saw me plunged in deep distress; He fled to my relief
For me He bore the shameful cross and carried all my grief
His hand a thousand blessings pours upon my guilty head
His presence gilds my darkest hours and guards my sleeping bed
3. To Him I owe my life and breath and all the joys I have
He makes me triumph over death and saves me from the grave
To Heaven the place of His abode; He brings my weary feet
Shows me the glories of my God and makes my joy complete
4. Since from His bounty I receive such proofs of love divine
Had I a thousand hearts to give, Lord, they would all be Thine
A thousand men could not compose a worthy song to bring
Yet Your love is a melody our hearts can't help but sing!

† Hymn of Blessing and Sending

“We Abide In You”

1. We are the vineyard you have planted Tend our leaves and wild branches,
We abide, we abide in you. We abide we abide in you.
2. Fruit growing from our strength and labor, Rain on us with grace and favor,
We abide, we abide in you. We abide, we abide in you. (Chorus)

*Chorus: Where can my soul find living water?
Apart from you we bear no fruit!
O plant my feet down by the river.
We abide, we abide in you.*

1. We are the vineyard you have planted, Tend our leaves and wild branches,
We abide, we abide in you. We abide we abide in you. (Chorus 2x)

† Benediction

† *Congregation Standing*

Bold— *Congregational Response*