

Discipleship Opportunities

Sunday Small Groups

Children & Teens: 9:30-10:30

Nursery - Birth - 3 years

Future Cornerstones - Age 4 - 5th grade

Led by Ken Maurer

Teens - 6th—12th grade

Led by Pastor Mark

Adults: 9:45-10:30

Life Chats With Jim Kohr

Location: Classroom across from the Café.

The Book of Matthew

Led by Laura Swartzenberg

Location: Classroom next to the café down the hallway

Youth Group: 6:00-8:00 PM (every other Sunday)

Led by Pastor Mark

Location: Pastor Mark's house

Teens in 6th-12th grade are welcome to join for a time of fellowship and interactive games/activities. Refreshments provided.

When: April 13, 27; May 4, 18

Small Groups Throughout the Week

Bible Study at the Allstons' - Tuesdays at 7 PM

Led by Pastor Tom

Location: 77 Spotts Circle, Churchville.

Topic: "Why me?" Why does suffering occur in the world?

Call 585-519-6651 or see Pastor Tom or Shari Allston for more information. Refreshments provided.

Food Pantry - Wednesdays from 5:30-7:00

Crochet for Christ - Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 PM

All ages and skill levels welcome!

KidZone - Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 PM

Led by Anne Marie Ingrassia

**Our Community Café is open at 9:30 until
Worship begins every Sunday! Gather around a cup of coffee and
some snacks. Donations are welcome!**

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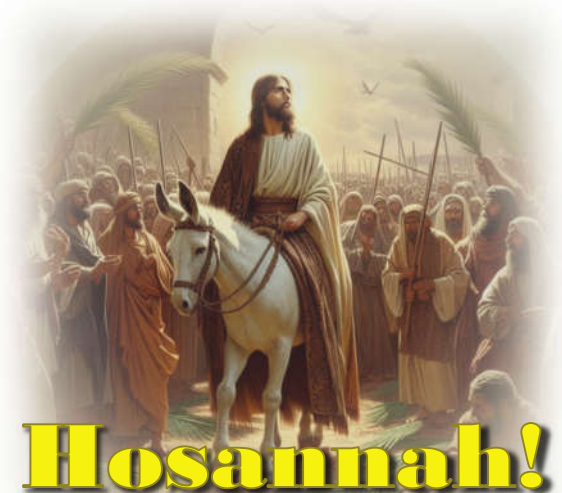
The Church Board meets the 2nd Monday of the month at 6 PM

Mission Statement: God's mission for Grace Church of the Nazarene is to continue the earthly ministry of Christ as stated in Matthew 28:16-20a through accepting, experiencing, transforming, living, and reaching.

Vision Statement: We are a people who practice Christ's compassion and acceptance by forgiving and encouraging others while helping all to grow, to know, and to follow Jesus.



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April 13, 2025

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Welcome to Grace Church!

We're so happy you're here today, and hope you feel right at home. You are always welcome to keep small children with you during the service, but we do have staffed children's ministries that you may want to take advantage of:

- A nursery for infants through age 3 is available for the entire service in the children's ministries wing, directly across from the sanctuary entrance.
- Children's church is available for ages 4 through grade 5 on the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sundays of the month. Children stay with parents during the first portion of the service and then are released to children's church after the pastoral prayer & children's moment.
- There is no children's church the 1st Sunday of the month, as children stay in the service for communion.

Please let us know if you have any questions or if there is any way we can serve you. Thank you again for joining us, and may God bless your time here at Grace.



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If you are a visitor please fill out one of our visitor cards (in pocket of chair in front of you) and either place it in the offering plate on your way out, or hand it to an usher.



How can we pray for you? Use the prayer request cards in the back of the chairs and in the foyer to let us know. Place them in the offering plates or in the box in the foyer.

Church Lock-up

April - Shawna Perkins



Palm Sunday

Today is Palm Sunday. It will be an Intergenerational reader's theater covering the Passion Story as told in Luke.

Good Friday

The Good Friday Service will be at 7:00 pm and the focus will be, "The Seven Last Words of Jesus."



Easter Sunday

We will celebrate the Resurrection and fellowship together on Easter Sunday with a potluck finger food brunch at 9:30 AM.

Some ideas for finger food brunch items are: muffins, pastries/donuts, sandwiches, breakfast

meat - sausage, bacon, ham, little smokies, potato wedges or bites, fruit, yogurt tubes. These are just some ideas - the main thing is hopefully no silverware needed!



Safe Environment Training

Safe Environment Training will be on Saturday, May 3. Everyone who serves with children or teens at Grace is required to attend this training at least once every two years, but **everyone** at Grace is encouraged to attend at least once as this helps us to keep anyone who comes to Grace safe! Prizes are given, and the training has a lot of time for discussion as well. See Jen Lewis with any questions!

Upcoming Events

April 13		Palm Sunday -
"	10:45 am	<i>Intergenerational Worship Service</i>
April 18	7:00 pm	Good Friday Service
April 19	9:00 am	Women's Breakfast (Johnny D's)
April 20	9:30 am	Finger Food Potluck Brunch
"	10:45 am	Easter Worship Gathering
May 3		Safe Environment Training
May 4	10:45 am	Celebration & Vision Service
"		During the morning worship service
"		Followed by a potluck lunch
May 8-10		District Assembly
May 9		Ordination Service
"		Pastor Mark is getting ordained!

Thank you for your faithful worship through giving tithes and offerings for God's church and Kingdom.

Monthly Target Budget	Received in March
\$17,852	\$18,436