

## Order of Service



“Speak O Lord”

Welcome

Prayer

“Only A Holy God”

Scripture Memory Spotlight:

**Theme of the Month: Perseverance in doing God’s will.**

**Verse of the Month: Galatians 6:9** “And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.”

**Extended Text: Psalm 97:9** “For you, O Lord, are most high over all the earth; you are exalted far above all gods.”

“Be Thou My Vision”

“It Is Well With My Soul”

SERMON

Dr. Ross Layne

“Surviving Sorrow”  
2 Samuel 19:1-8a

Benediction

## Welcome to Grace Community Church!



Grace Community Church is live-streaming the worship service on Facebook Live and You tube.



You can access either: or through the link on the homepage at [ourgcc.com](http://ourgcc.com)  
Please be sure to contact the church office church at **414-771-3020** or email [office@ourgcc.com](mailto:office@ourgcc.com) to let us know if you would like a phone call from a pastor.

## Upcoming Events

Tues. Jan. 14 6:30 pm: Men’s Bible Study  
Wed. Jan 15 6:00 pm: Learning and Leaning  
Sat. Jan. 18 9:00 am: Ladies Grace AM  
Sun. Jan. 19 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study  
10:15 am: Corporate Worship  
Sanctity of Human Life Sunday  
6:30 pm: Scripture Memory Gym

## Upcoming Events

Tue. Jan. 21 6:30 pm: Men’s Bible Study  
Wed. Jan. 22 6:00 pm: Learning and Leaning  
Sun. Jan.26 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study  
10:15 am: Corporate Worship  
7:00 pm: Juan Balderas Preach MRM

## Seasoned Salt Fellowship Lunch



Sunday, TODAY! at 12:00/12:15 pm

Please join us for Lasagna- (Regular and Gluten free), Garlic Bread, Salads and Desserts.

Pastor Ted will be sharing with us.



## Scripture Memory Gym

Sunday, January 19th 6:30-8pm

Meet in the Cafeteria

New cards available on the back table...  
For more info please speak with Joel Ebert

**Tarry One Hour**, a recruiting ministry for unborn children, is hosting their annual Roe v Wade anniversary service on Mon. 01/ 20, 6:30-8:30 pm at Souls Harbor Baptist Church, 3800 S. Howell Ave, Milwaukee.

**Note:** Please place your offering in the box on the back table next to the door as you leave the Sanctuary.



## Weekly Bible Reading

2 Samuel 19  
Job 1-2; Leviticus 10  
Matthew 26:1-56

## Men’s Bible Study

Tuesday nights at 6:30pm. Study in the book of Job. Please see Phil Snyder for more info!

Mens Bible Study



**Next Learning and Leaning:  
Wed 01/15/25 from 6-7pm  
in the cafeteria.**

Pastor Ted finishes his series on  
“The Kingdom of God”



Family Night is January 22nd

5:00 pm: Grace4Kids

5:30pm - Meal

6:00 pm: Evangelism/Outreach

class in the cafeteria, or Fundamentals of the faith in the Library.

## Ladies GraceAM



Saturday, January 18th 9-11am  
Meet at the home of Heather H. for Refreshments, Devotional, Prayer and Fellowship. **RSVP Heather at: [heavenprincess1978@yahoo.com](mailto:heavenprincess1978@yahoo.com) before 01/15**



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**See Darleen at the Book table in the Lobby.**

## ANIVERSARIES

**Jan.14:** James and Beverly Brown  
**Jan.21:** Alan and Mary Piggott  
**Jan.30:** Don and Anita Weinzatl



## BIRTHDAYS

**Jan.12:** Jasmin Kersh  
**Jan.13:** Eric Neustifter  
**Jan.14:** Bill O'Brien  
**Jan.20:** Donna Monreal  
**Jan.27:** Steve Stachowiak



## *Today I will pray for:*

### Our Church Family

- \* **Alan P.** - Healing
- \* **Leeroy J.** - Healing
- \* **Lori R.** - Healing
- \* **Jim H.** - Healing
- \* **Dawn G.** - Healing
- \* **Ricardo C.** - Healing
- \* **Nancy K.** - Healing
- \* **Alan M.** - Healing
- \* **Kathleen C.** - Healing
- \* **Jovelyn C.** - Healing
- \* **Roxanne L.** - Strength
- \* **Angela T.** - Illness management
- \* **Kate G.** - Illness management
- \* **Elijah E.** - Serving in the Military
- \* **Church members & attendees without jobs**
- \* **Lost family and friends**
- \* **Strong marriages at GCC**

### Missionaries Serving Locally & Overseas:

- \* **Tige and Renee Smith** - Cambodia
- \* **SBC Gerson Reyes** - Mexico City, Mexico
- \* **Tim T** - Philippines
- \* **Samuel M** - Romania
- \* **Eugeniusz T** - Poland/ Ukraine Relief
- \* **Regan and Mellie M.** - South Africa
- \* **SBC Africa Representatives - Bayak; Radi I., Prosper, Simon S.**
- \* **SBC Myanmar Representative - Henry L.**
- \* **SBC India Rep. - Kishore, Prasanna Kumar, Gummedi Ebenezer**
- \* **GCC Evangelism Ministry**
- \* **Milwaukee Rescue Mission**

## **Sunday Morning Bible Study & Sunday School**

**Prayer Group:** 8:30 am - Room 118

**One Accord Bible Study:** Room 306

**New Life Bible Study:** Room 204 in Summer

**Sunday School:**

**PreK-6 years – Room 207–** Melissa Layne and Karen Donohoo

**7-12 years – Room 201 -** Ariail Layne and helper

## Helpers for Today

**Prayer:** Todd Clemins

**Nursery:** Jody Petty, Rebecca Prusak

**Children's Church:** Debbie O'Brien, Jasmin Kersh

**Greeters:** Don and Anita Weinzatl

Kathy Ellenbecker, Christine Schroeder

## Helpers for January 19th

**Prayer:** Joel Ebert

**Nursery:** Heather Holoubek, Danielle Menger

**Children's Church:** Laurie Klafke, Bette Milhans

**Greeters:** Diana Yegge, Cathy Degner

Martin and Anna Ehret

## Praise Team

John Jaquez (leader), Tim & Suzanne Caldwell,  
Grace Anne Ellis, Tim & Judi Kasun, Danielle Menger,  
Al Piggott, Jeff & April Smith

## Technical and Sound

Jesse Ceron, Dean Mertins, Kurt Sonnenburg

## GCC Giving

**Last Week 2025:** \$3,112.00

**Last Week 2024:** \$5,413.00

**YTD 2025:** \$

**YTD 2024:** \$



## Invest In a Vision:

Special offerings are given for the GCC building fund. To donate, write **Invest in A Vision (IIAV)** on the memo line of your check.

**Last Week:** \$20.00

**Total IIAV:** \$353,813.01

**SCRIP: Total Profit Jan–Dec. 2024 -** \$3,826.51

**Total Profit for Jan. - Dec. 2023 -** \$3,100.80



*January 12th, 2025*



## **“SURVIVING SORROW”**

Presented by:  
Dr. Ross Layne

*“that day was turned into mourning . . .”  
2 Samuel 19:2*

## Speak O Lord

Speak O Lord as we come to You  
To receive the food of Your holy word  
Take Your truth plant it deep in us  
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness  
That the light of Christ might be seen today  
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith  
Speak O Lord and fulfill in us  
All Your purposes for Your glory

Teach us Lord full obedience  
Holy reverence true humility  
Test our thoughts and our attitudes  
In the radiance of Your purity  
Cause our faith to rise  
Cause our eyes to see  
Your majestic love and authority  
Words of power that can never fail  
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak O Lord and renew our minds  
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us  
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time  
That will echo down through eternity  
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises  
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us  
Speak O Lord till Your church is built  
And the earth is filled with Your glory

## Only A Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven  
Who else could make every king bow down  
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles  
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises  
What other splendour outshines the sun  
What other majesty rules with justice  
Only a Holy God

### Chorus

Come and behold Him  
The One and the Only  
Cry out sing holy  
Forever a Holy God  
Come and worship the Holy God

What other glory consumes like fire  
What other power can raise the dead  
What other name remains undefeated  
Only a Holy God

### Chorus x 2

Who else could rescue me from my failing  
Who else would offer His only Son  
Who else invites me to call Him Father  
Only a Holy God  
Only my Holy God

### Chorus x 3

## Be Thou My Vision

Be Thou my vision O Lord of my heart  
Naught be all else to me save that Thou art  
Thou my best thought by day or by night  
Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom and Thou my true Word  
I ever with Thee and Thou with me Lord  
Thou my great Father I Thy true son  
Thou in me dwelling and I with Thee one

Riches I need not nor man's empty praise  
Thou mine inheritance now and always  
Thou and Thou only first in my heart  
High King of heaven my treasure Thou art

High King of heaven my victory won  
May I reach heaven's joys  
Bright heaven's Sun  
Heart of my own heart whatever befall  
Still be my vision O Ruler of all

## **It Is Well With My Soul**

When peace like a river  
Attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot  
Thou hast taught me to say  
It is well  
It is well with my soul

### **Chorus**

It is well with my soul  
It is well  
It is well with my soul

Tho' Satan should buffet  
Tho' trials should come  
Let this blest assurance control  
That Christ hath regarded  
My helpless estate  
And hath shed His own blood  
For my soul

My sin O the bliss  
Of this glorious tho't  
My sin not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross  
And I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord  
Praise the Lord O my soul

And Lord haste the day  
When my faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trump shall resound  
And the Lord shall descend  
Even so it is well  
With my soul