

Order of Service

“Heart of Worship”

Welcome

Prayer

“It Is Not Death To Die”

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.”

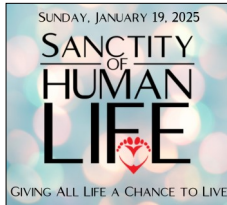
Extended Text: Psalm 97:10 “O you who love the Lord, hate evil! He preserves the lives of his saints; he delivers them from the hand of the wicked.”

The Sanctity of Human Life: Joel and Renae Ebert

“All I Have Is Christ”

SERMON Dr. Ross Layne
“The Return of the King”
2 Samuel 19: 8b-43

Benediction




Upcoming Events

- Tues. Jan. 21 6:30 pm: Men’s Bible Study
7:00 pm: Missions
- Wed. Jan 22 5:00 pm: Grace4Kids
5:30 pm: Meal
6:00 pm: Study Groups
- Sun. Jan. 26 8:30 am: Hospitality Serving in the Lobby
9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
9:45 am: Congregational Meeting
10:15 am: Corporate Worship


Upcoming Events

- Tue. Jan. 28 6:30 pm: Men’s Bible Study
- Wed. Jan. 29 6:00 pm: Learning and Leaning
- Sun. Feb.02 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study
10:15 am: Corporate Worship
12:15 pm: Social Concerns

Please pray for Juan Balderas as he prepares to preach at the Milwaukee Rescue Mission on Sunday, 1/26 at 7:00 pm.

 **Treasurer Report**

Giving statement reminder:
Please be on the lookout for your 2024 giving statements, which will be distributed by Kurt Sonnenburg starting 1/19.


 **Scripture Memory Gym TODAY!** 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 Monday, 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, Mark 6:7-13
Matthew 7:15-27
Philippians 3, Matthew 25


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

Learning and Leaning: New Series
“Spiritual Bootcamp” led by Joel Ebert
Wed 01/29/25 from 6-7pm in the cafeteria.
30 minutes of Teaching followed by 30 minutes of Prayer together.



Family Night is January 22nd

 5:00 pm: Grace4Kids
5:30pm - Meal
6:00 pm: Evangelism Fellowship in the cafeteria, or Fundamentals of the Faith meeting in the Library.

Annual Congregational Meeting
Sunday, January 26th at 9:45am in the Sanctuary.
Update on Finances and Membership.



 **Planning for Birthdays? Celebrations? Weddings? Shopping Online, or In-Store RaiseRight can work for you!**



RaiseRight is just another way to pay for your purchases using gift cards *in place of* cash, checks and credit cards! **Plus, they make great gifts themselves!** Don’t forget we stock approx. **40** cards but can order from over **750** vendors. GCC receives between 2 and 14% rebate on all cards purchased.

See Darleen at the Book table in the Lobby.

Welcome to Grace Community Church!

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

Visitor Info

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

ANIVERSARIES

Jan.21: Alan and Mary Piggott
Jan.30: Don and Anita Weinzatl



BIRTHDAYS

Jan.20: Donna Monreal
Jan.27: Steve Stachowiak
Jan.30: Tami Kallenberger, Judi Kasun
Jan.31: Cindy Risberg



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, Gummati 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: Joel Ebert

Nursery: Heather Holoubek, Danielle Menger

Children's Church: Laurie Klafke, Bette Milhans

Greeters: Diana Yegge, Cathy Degner
Martin and Anna Ehret

Helpers for January 26th

Prayer: Pastor Ross Layne

Nursery: Lisa Parsons, Chris Regal

Children's Church: Glen Bergersen, Gloria Balderas

Greeters: Chuck and Madria Brockmeyer
Heather Holoubek, Jan Bergersen

Praise Team

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

Technical and Sound

Jesse Ceron, Dean Mertins, Kurt Sonnenburg

GCC Giving

Last Week 2025: \$3,276.00

Last Week 2024: \$5,134.00

YTD 2025: \$6,388.00

YTD 2024: \$10,547.00



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: \$75.00

Total IIAV: \$353,888.01

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

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



January 19th, 2025
Sanctity of Human Life Sunday



“THE RETURN OF THE KING”

Presented by:
Dr. Ross Layne

“... they sent word to the king, 'Return, both you and all your servants.'”

2 Samuel 19:14

The Heart Of Worship

When the music fades all is stripped away
And I simply come
Longing just to bring something that's of worth
That will bless Your heart

I'll bring You more than a song
For a song in itself is not what You have required
You search much deeper within
Through the way things appear
You're looking into my heart

Chorus

I'm coming back to the heart of worship
And it's all about You all about You Jesus
I'm sorry Lord for the thing I've made it
When it's all about You all about You Jesus

King of endless worth no one could express
How much You deserve
Though I'm weak and poor all I have is Yours
Ev'ry single breath

Matt Redman
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It Is Not Death To Die

It is not death to die
To leave this weary road
And join the saints who dwell on high
Who've found their home with God
It is not death to close
The eyes long dimmed by tears
And wake in joy before Your throne
Delivered from our fears

Chorus

Oh Jesus conquering the grave
Your precious blood has pow'r to save
Those who trust in You
Will in Your mercy find
That it is not death to die

It is not death to fling
Aside this earthly dust
And rise with strong and noble wing
To live among the just
It is not death to hear
The key unlock the door
That sets us free from mortal years
To praise You evermore

Bob Kauflin, George Washington Bethune, Henri Abraham Cesar Malan
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All I Have Is Christ

I once was lost in darkest night
Yet thought I knew the way
The sin that promised joy and life
Had led me to the grave
I had no hope that You would own
A rebel to Your will
And if You had not loved me first
I would refuse You still

But as I ran my hell-bound race
Indifferent to the cost
You looked upon my helpless state
And led me to the cross
And I beheld God's love displayed
You suffered in my place
You bore the wrath reserved for me
Now all I know is grace

Chorus

Hallelujah all I have is Christ
Hallelujah Jesus is my life

Now Lord I would be Yours alone
And live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands
Could never come from me
O Father use my ransomed life
In any way You choose
And let my song forever be
My only boast is You

Jordan Kauflin
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