#### Order of Service

"Only A Holy God"

Welcome

**Prayer** 

"Facing A Task Unfinished"

# **Scripture Memory Spotlight:**

Theme of the Month: God's Sovereignty over the nations.

Verse of the Month: Exodus 9:16

"But for this purpose I have raised you up, to show you my power, so that my name may be proclaimed in all the earth."

Verse of the Week: Psalm 97:2

"Clouds and thick darkness are all around Him: righteousness and justice are the foundation of His throne."

"Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me"

**SERMON** Dr. Ross Layne "Serving Tables" Acts 6:1-7

## The Ordination of John Ivy to the Office of Deacon

1 Timothy 3:8-13: Al Piggott Introduction of Candidate: Rick Ellis Testimony: John Ivy

Pastor Ross Layne Charge: Welcome to Deacon Brotherhood: Jeff Smith

Laying On of Hands/Prayer of Ordination:

Jim Reynolds, Pastor Ted Groves

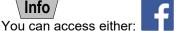
**Benediction** 

## **Welcome to Grace Community Church!**



Grace Community Church is livestreaming the worship service on Facebook Live and You tube.







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.

#### **Upcoming Events**

Tues. Nov. 19 9:00 am: LOG Book Study

6:30 pm: Men's Study 7:00 pm: Missions

Wed. Nov. 20 5:00 pm: Family Night

Sat. Nov. 23 9:00 am: Decorate the Church

Sun. Nov. 24 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study

10:15 am: Corporate Worship

#### **Upcoming Events**

Tues. Nov. 26 6:30 pm: Men's Study Thurs. Nov. 28 Happy Thanksgiving!!

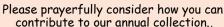
9:00 am: Thanksgiving Service

Sun. Dec. 01 9:00 am: Sunday School & Bible Study

10:15 am: Corporate Worship 12:15 pm: Social Concerns



# Annual Harvest Offering: Last collection is TODAY



The next Scripture Memory Gym will be held in the cafeteria TODAY! Sunday, 11/17 from 6:30 -8:00pm!

#### Family Night is November 20th!



5:00pm - Grace4Kids (All ages)

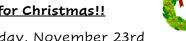
**5:30pm** - Meal

**6:00pm** - Evangelism Fellowship or "Fundamentals of the Faith" class held in the Library.

Please contact the office for more information!



## Help Decorate the Church for Christmas!!



Saturday, November 23rd at 9:00am.

Come and help deck our church halls! See Judi to volunteer or for more info.

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



## **Weekly Bible Reading**

Acts 1-5: Acts 6:1-7 Philippians 1; 1 Timothy 3 John 13:1-20

#### Men's Bible Study

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



#### Next Learning and Leaning is Wed 12/11/24



Pastor Ted Groves will continue his series: "The Kingdom of God" Join us in the cafeteria from 6-7pm for 30 minutes of **LEARNING** from the Word, followed by 30 minutes of **LEANING** on the Lord in prayer.

## Thanksgiving Day Service

Led by Elder Dale Stefanich Thanksgiving Day (11/28) 9:00am-10:00am



Ladies, please join us for

"A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS"



6:30-8:30pm at the Ellis Home

Please RSVP to Denise by 11/24/24

Please pray for Juan Balderas, as he will be delivering the message at the Milwaukee Rescue Mission 11/24.





Planning for the holidays? Birthdays? Family 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.

#### **ANIVERSARIES**

Nov. 25: Pastor Ted and Lori Groves



#### **BIRTHDAYS**

Nov. 23: Randy Slak

Nov. 24: Kiddy Jones, Ann Ramirez

Nov. 25: Logan Petersen

Nov. 29: Jenifer Clemins, Doug Kolp,

David Kolp



# Today I will pray for:

#### Our Church Family

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

## 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, Gummadi Ebenezer
- \* GCC Evangelism Ministry
- \* Milwaukee Rescue Mission Gerry B. preach 8/25

#### **Social Concerns:**

\* An end to abortion

**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: Dale Stefanich

Nursery: Jody Petty, Yamin Price

Children's Church: Lynne Chambers, Bette Milhans

Greeters: Jan Bergersen, Jovelyn Clemins

Don and Anita Weinzatl

## **Helpers for November 24th**

**Prayer:** Todd Clemins

**Nursery:** Heather Holoubek, Mickey Frank

Children's Church: Renae Ebert, Jovelyn Clemins

**Greeters:** Martin and Anna Ehret,

Leeroy Jones, Christine Schroeder

#### 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

Harvest Offering: \$10,806.00 Last Week 2024: \$4,865.00 Last Week 2023: \$5,385.00 YTD 2024: \$257,153.80 YTD 2023: \$266,773.40



## **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: \$24.00 Total IIAV: \$350,402.58

SCRIP: Total Profit Jan-Oct. 2024 - \$2,904.50 Total Profit for Jan. - Dec. 2023 - \$3,100.80



November 17th, 2024



## "SERVING TABLES"

Presented by: Pastor Ross Layne

"they prayed and laid their hands on them."

Acts 6:6

# **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

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

CCLI Song # 7073332; CCLI License # 911277

# **Facing A Task Unfinished**

Facing a task unfinished
That drives us to our knees
A need that undiminished
Rebukes our slothful ease
We who rejoice to know Thee
Renew before Thy throne
The solemn pledge we owe Thee
To go and make Thee known

Where other lords beside Thee Hold their unhindered sway Where forces that defied Thee Defy Thee still today With none to heed their crying For life and love and light Unnumbered souls are dying And pass into the night

#### Chorus

We go to all the world With (His) kingdom hope unfurled No other name has power to save But Jesus Christ The Lord

We bear the torch that flaming Fell from the hands of those Who gave their lives proclaiming That Jesus died and rose Ours is the same commission The same glad message ours Fired by the same ambition To Thee we yield our powers

O Father who sustained them
O Spirit who inspired
Saviour whose love constrained them
To toil with zeal untired
From cowardice defend us
From lethargy awake
Forth on Thine errands send us
To labour for Thy sake

CCLI Song #7002026; CCLI License #911277

# Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy my righteousness and freedom
My steadfast love my deep and boundless peace
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine I can sing all is mine
Yet not I but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side the Saviour he will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need his power is displayed
To this I hold my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley he will lead
Oh the night has been won and I shall overcome
Yet not I but through Christ in me

No fate I dread I know I am forgiven
The future sure the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And he was raised to overthrow the grave
To this I hold my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released I can sing I am free
Yet not I but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For he has said that he will bring me home
And day by day I know he will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne
To this I hold my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to him
When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat
Yet not I but through Christ in me

#### **Ending**

When the race is complete still my lips shall repeat Yet not I but through Christ in me Yet not I but through Christ in me

CCLI Song #7121852; CCLI License #911277

