

How to Join Grace Baptist Church

At the end of the Worship Service, we will sing a hymn of decision. During this time, you are invited to walk to the front of the Church in response to the leading of the Holy Spirit that you sense in your heart or mind. Our Pastor and a counselor will be at the front to talk with you about your decision.

One of the decisions you may wish to make is to become a member of Grace Baptist Church. You may do so by telling the Pastor or Staff Member one of the following:

- I want to trust Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, but don't understand how. I need someone to help me.
- I have accepted Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and desire New Testament baptism.
- I have previously received Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. The Church I joined did not practice New Testament baptism, so I want to be baptized and join Grace Baptist Church.
- I am a member of another Baptist Church and want to join Grace Baptist on a promise letter from that Church.
- I have previously received Christ and was baptized into a Church by New Testament baptism, however, the record of my Church membership is unavailable, or I have been a member of another denomination and wish to return to a Baptist Church.

If none of the above are an expression of your desire, you may schedule an appointment with Pastor Hilley or a Staff Member by calling the Church Office at 706-868-9729.

Changing our world by loving God & loving each other!

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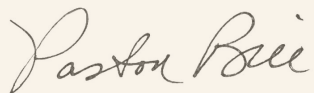
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GRACE BAPTIST EVANS

Dear Grace Family and Friends,

I trust you've enjoyed a "Happy Thanksgiving." It saddens me that many in our world oppose this great "holiday." The "holier than thou" crowd rejects the idea that the Pilgrims and Native American Indians had a respectful relationship. They have decided the first settlers here were warmongers intent on the annihilation of the natives. That simply isn't the case. And while it's true that the European people brought "germs" that often proved fatal to the natives, there's no supporting evidence to imply that was intentional. It's simply a very unfortunate reality. But in fact, at that first "Thanksgiving" the Pilgrims prepared a feast and invited the Indians to join them in celebrating God's blessing on their journey. That seems to be an honorable endeavor to me. We all have reason to celebrate as well. I realize we all have troubles and trials. It's easy to be so focused on those things that we lose sight of the bountiful blessing that is ours each day. We have comfortable homes to live in and cars and trucks to drive and clothes to wear and food to eat. We have freedom and we have the fellowship of the saints and we have a bright and blessed future. The list of God's blessing is endless. But at the top of the list is our salvation. If we are Born Again Believers in Jesus Christ we have everything we will ever need, both in this life and the life to come. But if we aren't, in the final analysis, we have nothing. So make sure to give thanks to God every day. Determine to resist the secular influence of our "godless culture." Our God is God and they will all bow before Him one day. I'm thankful for the opportunity to do so every day. I love you all and am honored to be your Pastor. May God richly bless you!



ANNOUNCEMENTS

BUSINESS CONFERENCE

Present the Proposed Budget for 2023
Tonight | 6pm

DEACON NOMINEES

The following men have accepted the nomination to serve in the office of Deacon at Grace Baptist Church
Mike Hazlett, Justin Jacobsen, David Jayaramen,
Mark Jordan, Don Williams, Joel Woodcock
If you would like to offer any input in this regard
please contact Pastor Bill

CHRISTMAS MUSICAL

Glory Touching Earth
Sat & Sun | Dec 10 & 11 | 6pm
Free Tickets Available
Foyer | iTickets.com | Church Office | gbce.net

ADORN SANCTUARY WITH POINSETTIAS

Order and designate a poinsettia this
Christmas Season "In Memory of" or "In Honor Of"
Poinsettia \$20 each | Deadline to order is TODAY
Order forms available at Welcome Desk

LADIES OF GRACE CHRISTMAS FELLOWSHIP

Fri | Dec 16 | 6:30pm
Pop Tart Gingerbread House Contest
Make an Angel Ornament
Bring a plate of cookies to share
Sign up at Women's Table in Foyer By Dec 11
Space Limited to 100 | Fellowship Hall & Gym
Contact: Patty Woodcock

DROP IN AND DINE LADIES LUNCHEON

Thur | Dec 1 | 12pm
Youth Cafe | Bring your own lunch
Contact: Patty Woodcock | 706-830-6348

CHRISTMAS ANGEL TREE CAMPAIGN

Return gifts by Sun | Dec 18
Gifts are for children in Columbia /Richmond County
Contact: Greg Mason

SPROUTS OF GRACE NURSERY MINISTRY

Many service opportunities available in Babies - K5
Contact: Jenny Dunne | jennydunne@gbce.net

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday - November 27

1st Hour Worship.....9:00am
1st Hour Sunday School.....9:00am
2nd Hour Worship.....10:30am
2nd Hour Sunday School.....10:30am
K-Church.....10:30am
Kids Alive!.....10:30am
Word Warriors.....5:00pm
Evening Worship Service.....6:00pm
Preschool and Children's Choir.....6:00pm
Ignite Youth Choir.....6:00pm

Monday - November 28

Ladies Clothed In Strength Class.....9:30am
Weekday Preschool.....9:30am
American Heritage Girls.....7:00pm
Trail Life.....7:00pm

Tuesday - November 29

Weekday Preschool.....9:30am

Wednesday - November 30

Men's Prayer Time.....6:00am
Weekday Preschool.....9:30am
Youth Cafe and Games.....5:30pm
Youth Worship.....6:30pm
Spotlight.....6:30pm
Adult Bible Studies.....6:30pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal.....7:45pm

Thursday - December 1

Weekday Preschool.....9:30am
Celebrate Recovery.....6:30pm

Friday - December 2

Ladies Clothed In Strength Class.....9:30am
Weekday Preschool.....9:30am

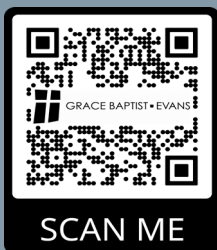
Saturday - December 3

No Activities

WELCOME VISITORS

We are glad you joined us today!

If this is your first time visiting with us, or if you've joined us before and did not fill out a visitor card, please take a moment to access a card by scanning the QR Code with the camera on your smart phone and give us a record of your attendance today. Thank you and Welcome to Grace!



FINANCIAL REPORT

Report for November 20

Year-to-Date Budget	Year-to-Date Giving
\$1,535,596.69	\$1,822,256.18

Give online at www.gbce.net or
Text GRACEEVANS to 73256 to give.

DEACON/ELDER OF WEEK

Andy Farkas	Mike Felz
Tim Gass	Mark Hall
Chris Lane	Troy McGahee