

## 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!*

### PASTOR AND MINISTERIAL STAFF

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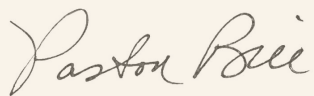
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# GRACE BAPTIST EVANS

Thank you for being here today! Your presence is always a blessing to me. Yet you'll quickly realize that "the Hilley family" is missing. This is vacation week so we're all at the beach. I look forward to this week every year. It affords me the opportunity to spend quality time with our children and grandchildren, as well as enjoy a little "rest and relaxation." Leila and I are so very blessed to have all our family here, as part of the Grace Baptist family. I realize many of you don't enjoy that blessing, and I'm sorry. The older I get the more important family is to me. But that includes you! My Church family is vitally important to me. You encourage me more than you can possibly know. I never take for granted the opportunity to be your Pastor. You've entrusted me with your "spiritual well-being," and that's huge! I do not take it lightly. Rather, I do my very best to ensure that I have a Word from God every time I stand before you. I can't control what you do with what you hear. But I can make sure I've been with The Lord and heard His voice on your behalf. If that becomes burdensome, or if I begin to take my responsibility for granted, I pray God will take me to heaven and replace me with someone who will live up to His Standard. It's not easy to do. But nothing of lasting value ever is. Yet it's worth whatever effort is required to know that I've represented God to His precious people. That's what you are, both to Him and me; precious. And I thank God for every one of you. I pray your services today are richly blessed. I'm sure they will be. We'll be joining you via live stream. It's not the same but it will have to do this week. I look forward to seeing you all next Sunday. In the meantime, plan to be here tonight for "Tacos and Tunes." It'll be a fun evening of fellowship for all. I'm sorry we'll miss it. Have a great week. God bless you!



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**TACOS & TUNES CHURCH-WIDE FELLOWSHIP**

Tonight | 6pm | Fellowship Hall  
Join us for tacos and Name That Tune Bingo

**MEXICO MISSION TRIP LOVE OFFERING**

Sunday | June 2

**ORDINANCE OF BAPTISM**

Sunday | June 2 | End of 10:30am Service

**JUBILEE CONFERENCE SEPT 22- 25**

\$375 | Includes Conference, Hotel & Sunday Lunch  
Non-Refundable Deposit \$100 | Due by June 23  
Contact: Cynthia King

**LADIES CLOTHED IN STRENGTH CLASS**

Mon & Fri | 9:30am | Youth Room  
Contact: Trisha Burks

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY**

Gaining victory over hurts, habits, and hangups  
Meets every Thursday evening in the Youth Suite  
Dinner 6:30pm | Meeting 7pm  
Contact: Mark Graff | 706-829-8348  
*My grace is enough for you...2 Corinthians 12:9-10*

**THE GREAT JUNGLE JOURNEY VBS 2024**

June 3 - 7 | 9am - Noon  
Registration Ages: Completed K4 - 5th Grade  
2023-24 School Year | Must be 5 by 8/31/24



VBS REGISTRATION  
SCAN ME

**VBS HOSPITALITY ROOM DONATIONS**

Your donation is greatly appreciated  
Scan QR Code to sign up for needed items  
Contact: Tricia Mason



**WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**Sunday - May 26**

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  
Church-Wide Fellowship.....6:00pm

**Monday - May 27**

Church Office Closed  
Memorial Day Holiday

**Tuesday - May 28**

Grace Place Mission Center.....9:00am

**Wednesday - May 29**

Men's Prayer Time.....6:00am  
Youth Cafe and Games.....5:30pm  
Youth Worship.....6:30pm  
Spotlight.....6:30pm  
Adult Bible Studies.....6:30pm  
Adult Choir Rehearsal.....6:30pm  
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**Thursday - May 30**

Grace Place Mission Center.....9:00am  
Celebrate Recovery.....6:30pm

**Friday - May 31**

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

**Saturday - June 1**

Grace Place Mission Center.....12:00pm

*Special Thank You to Skylar Arnett  
for 2 years of faithful service to  
Grace Baptist Church*

**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!



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**FINANCIAL REPORT**

Report for May 19

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|---------------------|---------------------|
| Year-To-Date Budget | Year-To-Date Giving |
| \$710,460.80        | \$838,670.87        |

Give online at [www.gbce.net](http://www.gbce.net) or  
Text GRACEEVANS to 73256 to give.

**DEACON/ELDER OF WEEK**

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|-----------------|----------------|
| James Brunson   | Chris Doughtie |
| Justin Jacobsen | Steve James    |
| David Jayaramen | John Marzano   |
| Josh Olson      | Adam Smelts    |