

Welcome to
Grace Christian Fellowship



Worship Service
November 26, 2017
9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Live the Mission, Making & Teaching Followers of Jesus Christ

Welcome!

We're glad you are here.

NURSERY & GRACE KIDS! Nursery (infants to 4 years) and our GraceKIDS program is offered at both the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. worship hours. Sign in at the table at the entrance to the Children's Wing.

FAMILY WORSHIP

We wish to help families worship together! Children's activity sheets are available at the Information Center in the foyer. Our Cry Room, as well as a room for nursing mothers, are available for parents and little ones during our service; these rooms are located in the back of the sanctuary.

YOUTH @ GRACE: Sunday youth classes (grades 6-12) are at 10:30a.m.

NEW TO GRACE?

We would love to help you connect. Fill out a communication card located in the pew rack or visit our website www.gcfkortland.org/connect-with-us. First time visitor? Pick up our free gift to you at one of the high top tables near the building exit doors.



ADVENT PULPIT EXCHANGE

Our church is one of 12 area churches uniting for an Advent preaching series Dec 3, 10, & 17. Our Scripture will be Matthew 2:11 with a focus on The Three Gifts brought to Jesus. Pastor Mike will be joining the preaching team of Pastor Kyle Kaurin of GracePoint Church in Vestal and Pastor Justin Bleuer from Berean Bible Church in Greene.

Financial Plan 2017

11/19/17

This Week's Need \$22,000.00

Last Week's Giving \$17,847.00

How to Give: in person, by mail, or internet through your Bank's online bill pay or the giving link on our church website. You can text any dollar amount to (607)250-1250 and receive a one-time set up link for using your mobile device.

FYI: A new giving fund has been established for relocating our Grace Main Street outreach. Designate your gift to Grace Main Ministry Fund if you wish to contribute to the purchase of a future property.

CHRISTMAS DECORATING

Welcome in this Advent season by helping decorate for Christmas. Join us
THIS Tuesday, November 28th at 9:00 AM!

MISSION TRIP

Interested in a one week Builders Mission Trip this Winter? Join Dave Steiginga for an Informational meeting TODAY AFTER the 9a.m. or 10:30a.m. service. Meet Dave out by the Information Center. The trip is open to anyone 18 years old and older.

PRAYER SHAWL

Meets this Tuesday, Nov. 28th from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. in the foyer at church. We share fellowship, devotions, and prayer as well as the craft of knitting and crocheting. For more information contact Susan Chapman at 844-4212.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR

Rehearsals for Christmas Choir will be Monday from 7:00-8:00 p.m. and continue through Christmas. This ensemble is for men and women of all ages starting at the Jr. High level. Come sing with us.

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Men's pick up basketball in the gym at GCF begins Monday, December 4 at 7:00 p.m. Men 18 years and older. Come on out and bring a friend!

ANNUAL MEETING

Our Annual Congregational Meeting will be Sunday, December 10, immediately following the 10:30 a.m. service to vote on the 2018 Budget and Board of Directors Ballot.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Because of the generosity of our church family and volunteer team, needy children world wide will receive gift filled shoeboxes this Christmas. As the distribution center for the county, under the direction of coordinator Andrea Niggli, we collected 1,383 boxes, 250 were from our church family. Thank you to all who donated and to our volunteers!

GRACE PRAYS

Missionary of the Week: Ally Lee serves with South America Mission. She is currently working in the home office as a Trainer and Worship Coordinator. In this role she will be equipping missionaries and churches to engage in local and global cross-cultural ministry. Please pray physically and financially for a health procedure she is having on December 8th. Also for a staff retreat in January, and wisdom & discernment for future ministry opportunities.

Church family prayer needs: Scott Custer, Paul Thompson, Kristen Zimmerman, Donna Cole, Vicki Cabbage, Michelle Joseph, Patty Lynch, Trenton Neville, Emilee Searle, Gerald Stoker

Today's Message

Give Thanks, Year Round

Senior Pastor Michael Dunn

Psalm 16, 1Thessalonians 5:18

_____ Your _____

_____ God's _____

_____ Thanks _____

Answers to today's message: Evaluate, Need, Ask, Provision;
Give, Always

WORDS OF GRACE AUDIO CD Get a copy of today's message. Sermons are available on CD by request at the Information Center. They are also available to download from our website.



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