

**Welcome to**  
**Grace Christian Fellowship**

Live the Mission, Making & Teaching Followers of Jesus Christ

**Worship Service**  
August 26, 2018  
9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

# Welcome!

*We're glad you are here.*

## **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.gcfcortland.org/connect-with-us](http://www.gcfcortland.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.

**NURSERY & GRACE KIDS!** Nursery (infants to 3 years) is offered at both the 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. worship services. For the month of August GraceKids (TOTS through 3rd grade) meets in room 10 at 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sign in at the entrance to the Children's Wing. Next Sunday, Sept. 2, Nursery (infants through 3 yrs.) and GraceTOTS (3&4 yrs.) will be offered at 9:00 & 10:30 a.m. worship services.

Children's activity sheets are available at the Information Center in the foyer. Our Cry Room, as well as a room for nursing mothers, is available for parents and little ones during our service; these rooms are located in the back of the auditorium.

**YOUTH @ GRACE:** Sunday Youth Classes (grades 6-12) will resume on September 9th. Youth Group will resume in September.

### **Children's Fall Schedule Begins September 9**

- ◇ **Nursery** (infants to 3 years) is offered at both the 9:00a.m. & 10:30a.m. worship services
- ◇ **GraceKids** (TOTS through 5th grade) will be offered at both 9:00a.m. & 10:30a.m. worship services.
- ◇ **Youth Classes**(6-12 grades) will be at 10:30 a.m.
- ◇ **Sr. High Youth Group** (9th-12th grade) begins on Sept.18, 6:30-8:00pm.
- ◇ **Jr. High Youth Group** (6th-8th grade) begins on Sept. 20, 6:30-8:00pm.

## **Financial Plan 2018**

Thank you for your faithful giving during the summer months. We are grateful to God for His good provision and to you for your generous investment in the life and ministry of GCF!

Current Mortgage Principal: \$778,533. Includes \$275,000 towards principal in June from Legacy Gift and savings. Original 20 year mortgage in 2004: \$2,700,000.

Giving options include our website [www.gcfcortland.org](http://www.gcfcortland.org), online Bill Pay through your bank, or text any dollar amount to (607)250-1250 and receive a one-time set up link for using your mobile device.

It's one thing to know the story of the Bible. It's another thing to live it. Become a better Jesus follower by joining our church-wide fall Connection Groups **BELIEVE**. Registration begins next week at [www.gcfcortland.org](http://www.gcfcortland.org).

### **INFORMATION & MEMBERSHIP CLASS**

Learn more about our church and becoming a member. Join Pastor Mike for this one hour class, TODAY at 5 p.m.

### **GRACE CAFE**

The café and gym will be closed on next Sunday, September 2.

### **CRU**

Stop by the table in the foyer and learn more about CRU at SUNY Cortland. All incoming SUNY Cortland students are invited to a Welcome Back Pizza Bash on campus this afternoon, from 12-4pm in the Shea/Bishop Quad. For more information, email [cortlandcru@gmail.com](mailto:cortlandcru@gmail.com) or find us on Facebook.

### **FOOD PANTRY**

Our Food Pantry is open this Friday, August 31, 10:00 a.m.- noon. Set up will be Thursday, August 30 at 6:30p.m. at Grace Main, 18 Main St., Cortland. Any questions contact the church office at 749-3233. The next Food Pantry will be Sept. 14th, 10a.m to 12:00p.m.

### **GLS 2019**

Register for the 2019 Summit and save \$79 through October 23, 2018. Go to [GlobalLeadership.org/Summit](http://GlobalLeadership.org/Summit) for church family use priority code: GLS19TEAM.

*The family of Jim Lockyer would like to invite friends to join them for a Celebration of Life Service at Grace Christian Fellowship, Sunday, September 2nd, immediately following the 10:30 a.m. worship service.*

### **GRACE PRAYS**

**Missionary of the Week:** Patti and Tim serve in Baja California, Mexico. Patti ministers as a special education teacher and resource specialist at the Monte Horeb Baptist Grade School in Tijuana, a school that reaches out to children with special needs. Tim serves in leadership development with the Baja Baptist Seminary of Mexicali, teaching present and future church leaders; and with IM partners in the Dominican Republic. Please pray for them as they continue to meet the needs of those around them.

**Church family prayer needs:** Carl Frahn, Christina Mercer, Paul Thompson, Sandy Erway, Shirley Lansdowne, Patty Lynch, Trenton Neville, Emilee Searle

## Today's Message

### Unless the Lord Builds the House

Senior Pastor Michael Dunn

Psalm 127-128

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Answers to today's message: Establish, Foundation; Commit, Family; Attentive, Time; Honor, Another

**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 stream from our website.



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