

This Lord's Day

10:00 AM	Sunday School
10:45 AM	Fellowship/Coffee in Foyer
11:00 AM	Morning Worship

Upcoming Church Events

Sunday July 19: Fellowship Meal
Sunday August 2: Fellowship Meal
Sunday August 9: Reverend John Crosby preaches

Vision and Mission

Vision: By God's grace and mercy, we are a church that glorifies our God in all that we do. Our church aspires to be loving proclaimers of the truth of the gospel of Jesus Christ and obedient disciple makers according to the Great Commission of our Lord and King Jesus.
Mission: We gather to worship, learn, pray and fellowship. We scatter to love, disciple, and show the light of the Gospel to our neighbors wherever the Lord sends us.

Church Officers and Committees

Pastor / Teaching Elder	Scott Floyd scottiefloyd55@gmail.com
Ruling Elders	Chuck Kurz, David Sinclair
Music Director	David Sinclair
Women's Ministry Coordinator	Stella Floyd

Sunday School Classes/Teachers

Children 4-7 yrs	Stella Floyd, Melody Kuhl
Children 8-12 yrs	Scott Floyd
Children 13-18 yrs	Mike Salazar
Adult class	Dave Kuhl/Chuck Kurz/David Sinclair/Matt Fay



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~ Welcome Visitors ~

We are pleased God has brought you to be with us this morning. We pray that you will be able to join us as we worship Him in spirit and in truth.

Parents with young children: We encourage you to worship with your children and teach them how to worship the Lord. We realize that at times it is difficult for them to sit quietly. Please do not think your children are an unwanted disruption; on the contrary, they were created to worship God alongside their parents. If necessary, feel free to take your child outside of the sanctuary. You are welcome to re-enter the worship service as soon as you are ready.

Announcements

1) Fellowship Meal: Every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month we gather after our worship service to have a potluck fellowship meal together. Our next one is scheduled for July 19.

2) Adult Sunday School - Season of Prayer: The adult class will have a Season of Prayer during the regular meeting time (10-10:45) each Sunday through July 26. Each week will include a brief devotion, prayer focus, and the opportunity to share prayer requests before praying together. We hope to see you there!

3) Guest Preacher: Reverend John Crosby will be filling our pulpit again on Sunday, August 9. John is a graduate of Reformed Theological Seminary and was ordained as a minister in 2007. Since 2016, John has served with Reformed University Fellowship as campus minister to The University of Memphis.

4) Tithes & Offerings: Part of our worship is the giving of tithes and offerings. These may be placed in the offering box in the back of the sanctuary. You may also give online by going to jacksongracepca.com/giving.

5) Weekly Church Email: If you would like to be added to our weekly email list just send a note to Pastor Scott. You can find his email on the back page of this bulletin.

***Hymn of Response:** “Christ, of All My Hopes the Ground” Trinity hymnal, No. 518

*Christ, of all my hopes the ground, Christ, the spring of all my joy,
still in you may I be found, still for you my pow'rs employ, still for you my pow'rs employ.*

*Let your love my heart inflame; keep your fear before my sight;
be your praise my highest aim; be your smile my chief delight, be your smile my chief delight.*

*Fountain of o'erflowing grace, freely from your fullness give;
till I close my earthly race, may I prove it “Christ to live,” may I prove it “Christ to live.”*

*Firmly trusting in your blood, nothing shall my heart confound;
safely I shall pass the flood, safely reach Immanuel's ground, safely reach Immanuel's ground.*

*Thus, O thus, an entrance give to the land of cloudless sky;
having known it “Christ to live, “let me know it “gain to die,” let me know it “gain to die.”*

The Lord's Table

Grace Presbyterian Church invites all those who know and love the Lord Jesus Christ, and who are baptized members in good standing of a gospel-preaching church to receive the Lord's Supper with us. Wine is in the inner rings of the trays. Grape juice is in the outer ring.

*Benediction

***Congregational Response:** “May the Peace of God” Blue Folder, No. 2

*May the peace of God, our heav'nly Father, and the grace of Christ, the risen Son,
And the fellowship of God the Spirit keep our hearts and minds within his love.*

REFRAIN

*And to Him be praise for His glorious reign; from the depths of earth to the heights of heaven
We declare the name of the Lamb once slain – Christ eternal, the King of kings.*

*May this peace which passes understanding and this grace which makes us what we are,
And this fellowship of His communion, Make us one in spirit and in heart. **REFRAIN***

The Proclamation of the Word:

“Toward Maturity in Christ”
Colossians 1:28-2:5

Main Idea: *Since we have been reconciled unto God through Christ and will one day be presented unto God as holy and blameless and above reproach, we are even now on the pathway toward maturity in Christ.*

28 Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. 29 For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me... 1 For I want you to know how great a struggle I have for you and for those at Laodicea and for all who have not seen me face to face, 2 that their hearts may be encouraged, being knit together in love, to reach all the riches of full assurance of understanding and the knowledge of God's mystery, which is Christ, 3 in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. 4 I say this in order that no one may delude you with plausible arguments. 5 For though I am absent in body, yet I am with you in spirit, rejoicing to see your good order and the firmness of your faith in Christ.

1) The Struggle Toward Maturity (vv 1:28-2:1)

2) The Goals For Maturity (vv 2-3)

3) The Desires Of Maturity (vv 4-5)

The Lord’s Day Morning Service

Welcome and Announcements
Prelude and Silent Meditation

*Call to Worship from 1 Chronicles 16:29-34

Leader: Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him!
Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth; yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved.

People: **Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice, and let them say among the nations, "The LORD reigns!"**

Leader: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it; let the field exult, and everything in it! Then shall the trees of the forest sing for joy before the LORD, for he comes to judge the earth.

People: **Oh give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever!**

*Doxology Trinity Hymnal, No. 733
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below: Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise him above, ye heav’nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn of Adoration: “Crown Him with Many Crowns” Trinity Hymnal, No. 295

*Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
hark! how the heav’nly anthem drowns all music but its own:
Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.*

*Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side,
rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
but downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.*

*Crown him the Lord of peace; whose pow’r a scepter sways
from pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise:
His reign shall know no end; and round his pierced feet
fair flow’rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.*

*Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time;
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime:
All hail, Redeemer, hail! for thou hast died for me:
thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.*

***Confession of Faith**

Philippians 2:6-11

Leader: Whom do we worship as our Lord and King?

People: We worship Jesus Christ as our Lord and King, “who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.” Amen.

Old Testament Scripture Reading

Ezekiel 33:1-9

1 The word of the LORD came to me: 2 "Son of man, speak to your people and say to them, If I bring the sword upon a land, and the people of the land take a man from among them, and make him their watchman, 3 and if he sees the sword coming upon the land and blows the trumpet and warns the people, 4 then if anyone who hears the sound of the trumpet does not take warning, and the sword comes and takes him away, his blood shall be upon his own head. 5 He heard the sound of the trumpet and did not take warning; his blood shall be upon himself. But if he had taken warning, he would have saved his life. 6 But if the watchman sees the sword coming and does not blow the trumpet, so that the people are not warned, and the sword comes and takes any one of them, that person is taken away in his iniquity, but his blood I will require at the watchman's hand. 7 "So you, son of man, I have made a watchman for the house of Israel. Whenever you hear a word from my mouth, you shall give them warning from me. 8 If I say to the wicked, O wicked one, you shall surely die, and you do not speak to warn the wicked to turn from his way, that wicked person shall die in his iniquity, but his blood I will require at your hand. 9 But if you warn the wicked to turn from his way, and he does not turn from his way, that person shall die in his iniquity, but you will have delivered your soul.

Confession of Sin

Our Father in heaven, it is obvious to us all that we are sinners. We know and confess that beyond the shadow of a doubt, we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed. As a result, guilt lingers within our souls again today. This enemy that pursues us takes advantage of our sins and of our guilt to accuse us again today. Our hearts are sorrowful for our sins and we come running to You this day for mercy. O Lord, hear our prayer. Hear our confessions. And then draw us near unto Your Dear Son who is the founder and perfecter of our faith. AMEN!

Silent Confession of Private Sin

6 If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. 7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

***Gloria Patri**

Blue Folder, No. 1

*Glory be to God the Father, Glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit, Great Jehovah Three in One!
Glory, Glory, Glory, Glory while eternal ages run.*

Intercessory Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***Hymn of Preparation: “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”**

Trinity Hymnal, No. 500

*Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee;
let the water and the blood, from thy riven side which flowed,
be of sin the double cure, cleanse me from its guilt and power.*

*Not the labors of my hands can fulfill thy law's demands;
could my zeal no respite know, could my tears forever flow,
all for sin could not atone; thou must save and thou alone.*

*Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling;
naked, come to thee for dress; helpless, look to thee for grace;
foul, I to the fountain fly; wash me, Savior, or I die.*

*While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids close in death,
when I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.*