

THIS WEEK

GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH, KAILUA KONA, HAWAII

events

Welcome! We are glad you are here. If you have a prayer request, comment, or question, please fill out a connection card on the back table.

Nursery and Kids' Church:

Sunday mornings - sign-in each child at the back table.

Mark your calendars! **Sports Camp** is coming **June 28 to July 2**. See Michelle for more information.

Are you interested in joining a **Grace Group**? Please contact Paul and Paula Kreitzer for more information.

Members, please join us for our **Spring Business Meeting** after the service on **May 23**.

High School and Middle School Students are on Summer Break - monthly activities to be announced.

Ways to Give:

- Online on our website or app
- Giving box on Sundays
- Mail a check to the church



SERMON NOTES

Manny Martinez - Ruth 4
God's All Encompassing Redemption

Big Idea: God's blessings are often realized through the faithful actions and prayers of His people, despite the actions of those whom disobey.

- Six things God redeems through Boaz:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.
- 6.

- Today God calls people to redemption.

GRACE GROUP Discussion Questions

What does it say?

1. 4:1-10 — What interests or surprises you most about the way Boaz accomplishes his plan? Why?
2. What does “redeem” mean? What was required for Boaz to accomplish redemption at the city gate?
3. Looking back to Ruth 1, why is Boaz’s marriage to Ruth a surprising outcome?
4. Psalm 103 — Who and what is David’s constant hope in this psalm? What similar reasons to hope do you share with him?
5. 4:11-13 — What do the people’s requests to God for Ruth and Boaz say about their faith and community?
6. How was Ruth’s desire (spoken as a vow in 1:16-17) fulfilled beyond all her expectations? And what can you praise God for giving you beyond your expectations?
7. 4:14-22 — How might Obed’s birth and the women’s words have expanded Naomi’s understanding of God?

And how does it apply to our lives today?

1. 4:1-10 — What event in your life can you look back on to see a surprising outcome today?
2. Psalm 103 — Choose one or more verses, and explore how God’s Word calls on your soul to praise Him.
3. What songs do you listen to or sing in joyful times? What effects do they have?
4. 4:11-13 — How is God’s loyal love causing you to welcome outsiders into your community and to pray for their best?
5. 4:14-22 — How are your perspectives expanded when you connect believers today through faith in Jesus Christ back to David, to Obed, to the women’s prayers for blessings, and to the promises of God in the Garden of Eden? (See Matthew 1:1; 2 Samuel 7:8-16; Ruth 4:17; Genesis 3:15)
6. What have you learned about God and Jesus your Redeemer in this spring’s study through Ruth?
7. Through this study, how is God moving you to engage with the world, share a truth from His Word, or sacrificially show His love and kindness?

Spend some time sharing and praying together.