WEEK

GRACE COMMUNITY CHURCH, KAILUA KONA, HAWAII

events

Aloha! Thank you for joining us this morning. If you would like to know us better, please visit the welcome table and complete a Grace Connect Card.

Nursery and Kids' Church are available. Parents, please signin your children at the nursery.

Salvation Army Food Drive: Food Drive Today

Book of John Journals: The journals are available on the back table. A suggested \$5 price to help cover shipping costs.

Ways to Give:

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

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Paul Kreitzer-Elder Acts 9:32 - 11:18

BIG IDEA of Acts: The Holy Spirit empowered believers to declare the gospel among both Jews and Gentiles.

TODAY'S Big Idea: The greatest miracle is God saving a person.

In our passage today there are three vital elements in this greatest miracle and one encouraging result.

- Preparation by Holy Spirit 10:1-22
- •Peter's obedience 10:23-33
- •Preaching the Word 10:34-48
- •Accepting the Gentiles 11:1-18

<u>.</u>	Actual	Budget	\$(over/under)	%(over/under)
Revenue	\$189,829.22	\$230,033.32	\$40,204.10	82.52%
Expense	\$118,842.85	\$219,933.56	\$101,090.71	54.04%
Net	\$84,693.42	\$10,099.76	\$74,593.66	838.57%

GRACE GROUP QUESTIONS

- 1. Why did Luke include the two miracles at the end of chapter 9?
- 2. What were the results of these two miracles?
- 3. What qualities characterized Cornelius and why do you think God recognized him for these things?
- 4. Why was he told to send for Peter?
- 5. What lesson was God trying to teach Peter through the vision?
- 6. What was the significance of the messengers from Cornelius arriving right after Peter had his vision?
- 7. How had Peter's understanding of the meaning of the vision changed in his words to Cornelius in v. 28?
- 8. Why was it significant in v. 43 that Peter emphasized the witness that the prophets gave to the specific situation with Cornelius?
- 9. Why was Peter's sermon interrupted?
- 10. How did the church respond to the report about the Gentiles and what changed their minds?

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

TeamSunday is in need of the following volunteers:

Sound Board Technicians

Musicians

Computer techs to help with setting up the slides (Thursdays) slides (Sundays) Set up, wipe down, and break down the chairs

• Children's Church - We need help teaching our keiki about Jesus on Sunday mornings

If you can help with any of these service opportunities, please see Bill Quinlan or contact him at <u>quinlan7bill@yahoo.com</u>, you may also contact the church office at <u>office@gracekona.org</u>. We really appreciate your help spreading the good news of our Lord Jesus through these service opportunities!

SEARCH COMMITTEE INFORMATION

Grace Community Church is seeking a pastor who is being led by God to be the shepherd and teacher of our congregation in Kailua-Kona, Hawaii. Potential candidates will possess the relational, doctrinal, leadership and administrative gifts to equip our community of authentic believers to pursue making disciples in our community and throughout the nations.

Contact the Search Committee at searchteam@gracekona.org if you have questions or would like more information.