

Welcome to  
**Grace Bible Fellowship Church**

“Standing firm in the faith”  
1 Corinthians 16:13  
Fourth Sunday of Advent

**Announcements**

**Advent Call to Worship:** John 1:1,14

**Invocation**

**Songs of Praise:**

- \* Trinity Hymn # 214 – “Angels We Have Heard on High”
- \* “Sing We the Song of Emmanuel”
- \* Trinity Hymn # 211 – “God Rest Ye Merry, Gentlemen”

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 1:26-38 Bryan Maier

**Prayer** Bryan Maier

**Receiving of tithes and offerings**

- Offertory - “Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus” - Adult Choir
- \* Trinity Hymn # 731 – “Doxology” (*a capella*)

**Song of Preparation for Receiving God’s Word:**

- \* Trinity Hymn # 204 – “Away in a Manger”

**Sermon:** “The message of Christmas: Why the virgin birth matters”  
– Luke 1:26-38; Isaiah 7:14 Pastor Ron Kohl

**Song of Response:**

- \* “The First Noel”

**Benediction**

\*Congregation please stand if you are able

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**Welcome to Grace BFC!**

We're so glad you joined us for worship this morning. The Grace family wants to welcome you and get to know you, so please enjoy a time of fellowship and conversation with us after the service. We trust that you find this a place where you can worship God and be encouraged by His people. Please download our church app and create an account.

Grace BFC app:



**THIS WEEK: December 24, 2023– December 31, 2023**

**Sunday**

- 9:30 am Time of prayer (Room 109)
- 10:15 am Morning worship service
- 7:00 pm Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

**Wednesday**

- 7:00 pm Adult prayer meeting (Rooms 107-108) and on Zoom

**Thursday**

- 4:00 pm Prayer for Revival (Rooms 113-115)

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- 10:15 am Morning worship service

***The Lord's Day***  
**December 24, 2023**  
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**No Sunday School Dec. 24 and Dec. 31**

On Dec. 24 and Dec. 31, we will meet for worship at 10:15 a.m. as normally scheduled. There will NOT be Sunday school on those dates.

**Christmas Eve Service – This Evening**

Please plan to join us for a traditional candlelight Christmas Eve worship service this evening at 7 p.m. There will be carols, narration, and a Christmas message. All are welcome and this is a great opportunity to invite family and friends to hear the gospel.

**Stewardship Envelopes for 2024**

If you would like to have a box of envelopes for the purpose of regular giving to the church, please speak to Gary Wolfinger or contact the church office. Please note that some numbers may be adjusted for 2024.

**Inclement Weather Policy**

WEEKDAY MINISTRIES:

Cancellation of ministry activities will coincide with the Quakertown School District. We will alert you via email and the church app.

SUNDAY SERVICES:

Services will be cancelled at the discretion of the Board of Elders and announcements of cancellations will be made on WFMZ TV, Channel 69, or via an email and notification on the church app.

At all times, closing information will be available on our church website—[www.quakertownbfc.org](http://www.quakertownbfc.org) or at [wfmz.com](http://wfmz.com).