

Welcome to  
**Grace Bible Fellowship Church**

“Standing firm in the faith”  
1 Corinthians 16:13

**Announcements**

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 29:1-2

**Invocation**

**Songs of Praise:**

- \* Trinity Hymn # 115 – “All Creatures of Our God and King”
- \* “God Leads Us Along”
- \* New song for August: “Dear Refuge of My Weary Soul”

**Scripture Reading:** Ephesians 5:15-21 Jim Roberts

**Prayer** Jim Roberts

**Receiving of tithes and offerings**

- \* Trinity Hymn # 731 – “Doxology” (*a capella*)

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

- \* “Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor”

**Sermon:** “Be filled with the Spirit” – Ephesians 5:15-21  
Pastor Ron Kohl

**Song of Response:**

- \* Trinity Hymn # 642 – “Be Thou My Vision”

**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: August 20, 2023 – August 27, 2023**

**Sunday**

- 8:30 am Time of prayer (Room 109)
- 9:00 am Morning worship service
- 6:00 pm Marks Missionary Supper and update (please register)

**Wednesday**

- 6:30 pm TFC
- Prayer meeting (Rooms 107-109)
- 7:00 pm *Living a Sent Life* – summer teaching series

**Thursday**

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

**Saturday**

- 8:00 am Church day trip to Harrisburg (please register)

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**The Lord's Day**  
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**Missionary visit – August 20**

Steve & Kelly Marks, missionaries who have been serving in Thailand, will be with us tonight for a ministry update. A light dinner (provided by the missions committee) will start the night at 6 p.m. and then the Marks will share their ministry with us. See the signup sheet in the entryway.

**Summer Study – Wednesdays @ 7:00pm**

This summer's study on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. is "Living a Sent Life." The goal of this study is to discuss how Christians can live a life that invites others to know Jesus. Talk with Pastors Ron or Zeke if you have any questions. Prayer meeting will still take place at 6:30 pm in Rooms 107-108; we will then transition into the summer study.

**Annual day trip – August 26**

This year's day trip will be a tour of the State Capitol in Harrisburg this Saturday, August 26. We'll leave Grace Church at 8 a.m. for a tour of the Capitol Building's spiritual heritage, followed by a briefing by the PA Family Institute staff before touring the PA State Museum. We'll head home at 2 p.m. with a late lunch stop at Esther's Restaurant. The tour is free but is limited to 30 people; the only cost is lunch on the way home. See the signup sheet in the entryway.

**Save the date for QCRT!**

This year's Quakertown Conference on Reformed Theology is Nov. 10-11 here at Grace Church. The theme is "Revive Us, O Lord" and the speakers will be Michael Barrett, David Garner, and Juan Sanchez. As usual, the conference will be staffed by our many willing volunteers who receive free admission in exchange for their service. Stay tuned as we schedule a meeting for prospective volunteers sometime in the next few weeks.

**Be safe...be wise**

Just a reminder that there's been a recent uptick in COVID cases in our area...and with the onset of autumn and the illnesses that come with cooler weather, it's best to be wise: wash your hands and stay home if you're feeling ill.

**Pastor Zeke's daily devotional**

Don't forget that Pastor Zeke provides a short daily audio devotional that lines up with our three-year Scripture reading plan. All you have to do is go to the church website or app. We're currently in Joshua; Judges is next.