

FOLLOW-UP QUESTIONS:

 Consider discussing these questions with friends in one of our groups at Grace. Find out more about our Groups at www.GraceBibleLV.com/groups

1. What has been the greatest challenge to you during this season of COVID-19?
2. Read **1 Peter 1:6**. How do you feel about the thought that sometimes, God allows various trials because they are necessary?
3. Read **1 Peter 1:7**. How did the analogy of gold being refined help you understand what God is seeking to do in your life?
4. Read **1 Peter 1:1-5**. What work has God done for you? What does He promise? What does all that say about God, who He is, and His work on our behalf?
5. Based upon 1 Peter 1:1-9, what in the world is God doing and how in the world should we respond?

PRAYER:

Heavenly Father, You are a good God. I know Your desire it to conform me into the image of Your Son, Jesus. Help me to humbly submit to You, even when the trials come, knowing that You're producing something in me that I could not accomplish on my own. AMEN.

MESSAGE SERIES MEMORY VERSE:

1 Peter 5:10-11 And after you have suffered a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, confirm, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

BIBLE READING PLAN:

This plan is also found in the Grace Spiritual Journal's Bible Reading Guide

- **Day 1:** Job 28-30; Revelation 18
- **Day 2:** Job 31-33; Psalm 102; Revelation 19
- **Day 3:** Job 34-36; Revelation 20
- **Day 4:** Job 37-39; Psalm 103; Revelation 21
- **Day 5:** Job 40-42; Psalm 150; Revelation 22

Start a Bible reading plan on your Phone! YouVersion is a FREE app for Apple and Android devices that will help you create a plan and even share your plan with others.



Join the Grace community as we commit to reading God's Word regularly.

NEEDING PRAYER TODAY?

At the conclusion of each service, Elders (and sometimes their wives) will be available to pray with you under the crosses on each side of the stage.

THE LORD'S SUPPER:

The Lord's Supper is served each week in Room 101 between services unless it's being offered during the services that day. All are welcome.



WELCOME:

September 20, 2020

Thanks for coming! We're glad you're here and hope that you'll be able to engage God through the worship and message today. If this is your first time here, please stop by the Welcome Center in the Foyer.

We're here to connect with others for the life-changing pursuit of Jesus Christ. We're an imperfect people looking to a perfect Savior, Jesus. That should make you feel all the more welcome. So, we invite you to take your next steps with us.


Erin Weaver
Sr. Pastor



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4 EASY WAYS TO CONNECT AT GBC:

STAY INFORMED

If you're a guest with us today, we'd love it if you'd stop by the Welcome Center or text "gbclvguest" to 77222 to let us know you came. If you'd like to keep up with church events each week, text "gbclvinfo" to 77222.



ATTEND GB101

Looking to get started at Grace and to know more about who we are, what we're about, and how to get engaged here? This is the place to go. Register at www.GraceBibleLV.com under the EVENTS tab.



JOIN A GROUP OR A CLASS

Finding community and connecting with others in a crowd can be hard, but you're not alone. That's why we have groups and classes. For more information, go to www.GraceBibleLV.com under the GROW tab!



SERVE ON A TEAM AT GRACE

We're a volunteer-driven community and we need you to make things work! Go to www.GraceBibleLV.com and click on CONNECT > Serve for more info.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

If you are a guest with us today, we have no expectation that you financially give anything to the church. We're just thankful you came today. If you consider Grace Bible Church "your church," we encourage you to take your next step in giving. Here are four ways you can give:

💰 Offering Boxes in the corners of the Worship Center

📄 www.GraceBibleLV.com at the GIVE tab

📱 Church app under the GIVE tab

📱 Giving Kiosk in the lobby



Message: Trials

Passage: 1 Peter 1:1-9

Speaker: Erin Weaver *Senior Pastor*

Trial: anything that challenges _____ or your _____.

Two truths of life:

- Life does not work according to our _____.
- We're always trying to figure out our _____.

Two questions of life:

- What in the world is God _____?
- How in the world should we _____?

Principle: Sometimes, God allows _____ because they are _____.

Principle: God will take you where you do not want to _____ to produce in you what you could not _____ on your own.

What if...:

- ...God is trying to get your _____?
- ...God is needing to _____ something out?
- ...God is seeking to _____ you?
- ...you responded with _____ and humble _____?

GENERAL FUND GIVING	ACTUAL	BUDGET	DIFFERENCE
LAST 7 DAYS	\$23,399	\$28,347	-\$4,948
TOTAL THIS FISCAL YEAR	\$167,655	\$198,429	-\$30,774
	LAST 7 DAYS		
NEXT CAMPAIGN	\$775		
FORWARD CAMPAIGN	\$200		