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ENGAGED COUPLES CLASS

Begins March 5

If you are engaged, recently married, or seriously dating and considering marriage, you won't want to miss the Engaged Couples Class. Each class is taught by a different married couple. The aim of the class is to introduce couples to God's plan for marriage and to show how the gospel is the power of God for salvation AND for every aspect of marriage. The class will meet at 11am. If you plan on attending please RSVP online and start looking for a mentor couple to meet with throughout the duration of class.

SINGLE PARENT ENCOURAGEMENT

Are you a single parent? Then you're invited to a night out that includes a delicious meal, mutual encouragement, and uplifting prayer. The event will take place on March 10 at 6pm in the Youth Room. Childcare will be available. No cost. To ensure that you have a place and adequate childcare coverage please RSVP at graceevfree.org.

MEMBERS' MEETING AND LORD'S SUPPER SERVICE

March 5

If you are a member of Grace, please plan on attending our next Members' Meeting on Sunday, March 5 at 5pm. Following the meeting everyone is invited to our evening Lord's Supper service at 6pm in the main sanctuary. Childcare is available for both events.

BAND OF BROTHERS

March 4 at 8:30am

Men's Breakfast: Travis Austin, Steve Earle, and Michael Towson will help you become a better steward of your smartphone as we continue our series, "Equipped by Example." It all begins with a home cooked breakfast (\$5) at 8:30am in the East Sanctuary and concludes promptly at 10am.

MEMBERSHIP CLASS March 24 & 25

Do you want to know more about Grace? Are you ready to become a member? If so, come to the next Membership Class on Friday, March 24 from 7-9pm and Saturday, March 25 from 9am-1pm. Plan on attending both days.

PARTNERS IN PRAYER March 1 at 7pm

Join us in room A2 at 7pm on Wednesday, March 1 as we gather to pray for our partners around the world. All are welcome!

TURKEY EARTHQUAKE RESPONSE

Early on February 6, a magnitude 7.8 earthquake struck southern Turkey with thousands of lives lost. Through our denomination's mission agency ReachGlobal, crisis response is mobilizing to share the love of Christ with those in need and seek the restoration of the body in southeast Turkey. Please be in prayer for these efforts. For more information and to financially support this work please visit <https://www.efca.org/2023-turkey-earthquake-response>.

OPEN HOUSE FOR AYELET HENDREN

Our newest partner, Ayelet Hendren, will be in town the first two weeks of March. Come to an Open House on March 11th from 6:00-8:00 to meet Ayelet and hear about her dynamic ministry to God's chosen people. Join us at the Klanseks' home at 14903 Greenworth Drive. Light dinner and dessert will be served. Please RSVP to 609-353-4127.

GRACE KIDS - FUN IN THE SUN

March 11 at 10am

Please join us for our Grace Kids Fun in the Sun outing on Saturday, March 11. We will be gathering at Heritage Park in Cerritos for fun and fellowship from 10am to 1pm. Be sure to pack a picnic lunch.

NEXT SUNDAY LUKE 17:11-19

FEBRUARY 26, 2023

AS WE WALK WITH JESUS BY THE WAY

LUKE 17:1-10 | KENNY CLARK

WELCOME VISITORS!

We are glad you're here! Please let us know that you joined us by filling out this form. As a thank you, all first time visitors will receive our latest Songs of Grace album. GO TO: goo.gl/AV4nC1

Visit **GRACEVFREE.ORG** for more details on our announcements.



OUR MISSION To ENGAGE and EVANGELIZE our world and ESTABLISH and EQUIP our people

OUR VISION To present everyone mature in Christ (Colossians 1:28).

SCHEDULE

FEBRUARY 26-MARCH 3

TODAY

9:00am

Worship Service | Main Sanctuary
Infants–PreK | Early Childhood Wing
Grades K-5 | Elementary Wing
Middle & High School | Youth Room
Adult Bible Study | Room 204

11:00am

Worship Service | Main Sanctuary
Infants–PreK | Early Childhood Wing
Grades K-5 | Playground
Discipleship Training | Room 207
La Gracia | East Sanctuary

TUESDAY

Prayer Gathering

6:30–7:15am | East Sanctuary

Women's Bible Study

7:00–9:00pm | Youth Room

WEDNESDAY

412 (Youth Group)

6:45–9:00pm | Youth Room

FRIDAY

Food Bank

By Appointment

GIVING REPORT

2022-2023 Budget	\$2,260,000
Year to Date Budgeted Giving	\$1,521,154
Year to Date Giving	\$1,332,191
Last Week's Giving	\$21,161
Giving Needed by February 26	\$188,963

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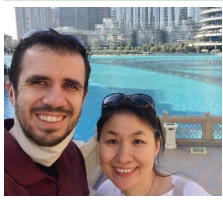


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GRACE PARTNERS

SCOTT AND JEANNE



Working to share the gospel in the Middle East.

PRaises:

1. Praise the Lord that we had a very meaningful time for Christmas. We invited our new brother Tom and his girlfriend for the Christmas service

and then lunch at our home. Another student of Scott's also attended the service with us. We also had a special time of fellowship with other fellow workers and new believers.

2. Praise the Lord for His protection and presence over the past month in Riverland.

3. Praise the Lord for the meaningful relationships and conversations that we've had with our local friends in Riverland.

4. Praise the Lord for His continuing work in Riverland in the midst of instability.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

1. Jeanne is invited to translate a workshop and course by a Lebanese scholar for two seminaries in Taiwan. It will be between Feb 3rd-10th. Please pray for her strength, energy and good communication among the event organizers.

2. Scott is invited to participate in a conference in Thailand in mid-Feb. He will interview some ministry leaders there. Please pray for a fruitful time.

3. We are planning to return to Riverland with a visa-on-arrival, which we haven't used before to enter. We pray the Lord will open the door that allows us to return.

4. Please pray for God's grace in our transition back to the States, as we move out of our apartment, transition relationships and ministry responsibilities.

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ELDERS

Travis Austin, Kenny Clark, Jacob Daniel, Steve Earle, Angel Galan, Randall Gruendyke, Rob Lister, Mike Mills, Erik Thoennes, Brandon Ware, Phil Watson

Ministers of the Gospel:
The Entire Congregation

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