

adults

MEN, WOMEN & FAMILY:

Men's "Ironworks" — Men of all ages gather in the Grace Cafe on Thursdays from 6:00-7:00 a.m. to strengthen one another's faith. We are studying the letter of Jude. Coffee and pastries are provided. For more information call Michael Lopes at 733.3966x117.

Picnic-Fest — Set aside the afternoon of Sunday August 4 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. for our church-wide Picnic Festival at Mill Creek Park! This will be a relaxing opportunity to connect with people over games and food. Bounce houses and a 40 foot long maze will be set up for kids. Sign-ups on the patio begin July 7.

Security Team — You have the opportunity to serve on our Sunday morning Security Team. Please call Michael Lopes at 733.3966x117 for more information.

missions

Volunteers needed — Help needed at a conference for international workers, caring for their children, ages 3-11. Location: Southeast Asia; Date: early August. Guaranteed unforgettable experience, serving God's people and helping to spread the gospel to places it has not been heard. Contact Patsy or Rick Turner for specific details.

Missionary of the Week — Please pray for Eno & Korn See with Christians in Action. For the latest newsletters from the missionaries we support, visit gccvisalia.org/ministries/missions

worship arts

Praise & Worship Teams — If you would like to be involved in a Praise Team, please see Pastor Tim Ports.

Choir & Orchestra — Currently on summer break. Both teams will resume in the fall.

stewardship

General Fund May 2019

YTD Received	\$ 563,723.44
YTD Disbursements	582,917.02
Income UNDER Expenses YTD	(19,193.58)
Enter the Land 2019	\$ 28,897.57

did you know?

Parent Call Box — The number 99 will flash on our parent call box (located over the exit door on the west side of the Worship Center) **when help is needed** in one of our nursery classrooms. If you are willing, please come to the nursery when you see the number flash. If a specific child is in need, that child's number will flash in the box and the parents should respond.

Baptism — If you desire to be baptized, circle "B" on a communication card and place it in an offering plate.

Membership — If you desire more information on becoming a member of Grace Community Church, please circle "M" on a communication card.

Prayer Care — Let us support you in time of need with prayer. You may indicate your requests on a communication card found in the chair pockets in the Worship Center or by calling the church office at 733.3966.

Pastors' Messages — Messages are available as podcasts and on iTunes. For the podcast, visit our website: gccvisalia.org and click on Messages in the navigation bar. There you can select by date, series, or speaker! You may also order them on CD (\$2) by entering your request on an offering envelope with your name and date of service requested and place in an offering plate. Your CD will be available the following Sunday on the Ministry Information Table or by calling the church office.



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GRACE

COMMUNITY CHURCH

June 16, 2019

Sundays 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

"Faith Works"

James 2:1-13

Pastor Jon Venema

Welcome!

Visiting? Let us know how we can serve you. Complete the guest card in your Visitor Booklet and place it in the offering plate. Be sure to use the enclosed coupon to receive a complimentary drink and pastry at the Grace Café. We hope you enjoy your time with us today!



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this week

SUNDAY

9:00 a.m. Children's Sunday School; Proclaimers ABF, M3; Satellite ABF, M5; Junior High, Jr. High Room; High School, Student Center

10:30 a.m. Children's Worship, Children's Center
Women of the Word ABF, M4

12:00 p.m. Beach Camp Praise Team Rehearsal, Student Center

3:30 p.m. Guatemala Team leaving, South Campus

MONDAY

1:30 p.m. JHM Bowling, Bowlero

6:00 p.m. VBS Training Meeting, Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY

6:00 a.m. Men's Group, Grace Cafe

WEDNESDAY

8:30 a.m. Staff Meeting, South Campus

6:00 p.m. JHM Slip-n-Slide Kickball, Mill Creek Park

6:00 p.m. HSM Swim-n-Study, Pratt Home

7:10 p.m. Sunday Praise Team Rehearsal, Worship Center

7:30 p.m. Satellite Praise Team Rehearsal, Student Center

THURSDAY

6:00 a.m. Ironworks, Grace Cafe

9:00 a.m. JHM Lake Day, Lake Kaweah

6:15 p.m. Satellite Dinner, Student Center

7:00 p.m. Satellite Worship, Student Center

FRIDAY OFFICE CLOSED

SATURDAY

9:00 a.m. High School Praise Team Rehearsal, Student Center

birth announcement

Precious Child, You are Loved by God —

Welcome Lyla Bri-Anne into the world, born June 12. Lyla weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces and was 20 inches long. Congratulations to Julie and Travis Cardoza!

students

CHILDREN

VBS — June 24-28, 9 a.m.-Noon. Register your child/children online at gccvisalia.org/ministries/children. **TOMORROW NIGHT, JUNE 17, IS THE MANDATORY VBS TRAINING MEETING AT 6PM. SEE YOU THERE!**

JR HIGH

Hume Lake Summer Camp — Sign up for a summer camp that will ROCK at Hume Lake Camp, July 7-July 13! The cost is \$365.

Monday, June 17th-Bowling — We are meeting at Bowlero Bowling Alley @ 1:30 p.m. and bowl from 2-3:30 p.m. for only \$10. There will be a slice of pizza and a soda for everyone! Sign-up today in the Jr. High room!

Wednesday, June 19th- Slip-n-Slide Kickball — We will be playing the amazing, fun and funny game of Slip-n-Slide kickball at Mill Creek Park (the park immediately across the street from Grace Community Church) from 6-8 p.m. Invite all your friends and have an awesome time!

Thursday, June 20th- Lake Day — This event is being held by Campus Life which sponsors Christian clubs on public school campuses. This is a FREE event! Meet at the church parking lot at 9 a.m. The Campus Life bus will take us to Lake Kaweah where we'll hang out on boats, go tubing, wake boarding, etc. Lunch will be provided. We will return to Grace Community Church at 4 p.m. Sign-up in the Jr. High room today!

HIGH SCHOOL

HSM Text Reminders — Sign up to get reminders about upcoming HSM events. Text the message @gchsm424 to the number 81010.

HSM Sophomore Girls Blanket Meeting — 10th grade girls only. This Friday, June 21 from 2-7:00 p.m. in the Student Center.

HSM Beach Camp — July 21-27 at Emma Wood State Beach in Ventura CA. Cost is \$349. Deadline to register is July 7.

Swim N' Study — 6-8:00 p.m. every Wednesday night throughout summer. HSM will meet for swimming, fellowship, some time in God's word & food! This week we will meet at the Pratt home.

YOUNG ADULTS

Satellite Mid-Week — Join us at 6:15 p.m. every Thursday for a \$3 meal followed by worship and the Word at 7:00 p.m. Stay for dessert, games, and community at our after party. Bring a friend!

Satellite Summer [Ski.Wake.Surf] — Sign up today... time is running out! Ski.Wake.Surf is \$175, July 16-20 at the Delta.

connecting to our family

The Grace Café —

Our cafe is open every Sunday from 8:30-10:30 a.m. Gift cards in \$5 and \$10 increments are available.

Children's Ministry —

Nursery-5th Grade is offered at both services, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Student Ministries —

We have worship, study, and discussion groups for Jr. High, High School, and Young Adults on Sunday mornings and mid-week.

Adult Bible Fellowships —

Sunday morning **ABFs** offer a place to connect with other believers, build relationships and grow spiritually.

Small Groups —

"R-Groups" meet throughout the week during the school year. They offer an intimate community of love, encouragement and accountability. We would love for you to be involved! Call the church office or sign up at www.gccvisalia.org/smallgroups.

Mobile Alerts —

Don't miss out on prayer alerts and the latest events... Sign up to receive text alerts! Text "info" to 559.471.3400.



Online Giving — Go to the "Give" link on the menu bar at the top of our home page at gccvisalia.org.

prayer focus

- Pray for our President, national leaders & country that all would be drawn to the precepts of God. Pray that all their decisions would honor the Lord. Pray for revival.
- Pray for the children who will be attending VBS, that their hearts would be open to God's Word. Pray for the VBS volunteer team that they would see the mission field here in Visalia.
- Pray for our elders, deacons, and the New Campus Team as they seek God's wisdom and leading for our church properties.
- Pray for the graduates in Jr High, High School and Young Adults Ministry, as they move on to the next stage of life.
- Praise for rain in our valley and snow in our mountains.
- Pray for Vision 2020.
- Pray for our Guatemala outreach (6/16-6/30) and our team of fourteen students and young adults.