

"The Uncomfortable Cross"

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UNCOMFORTABLE

The Awkward and Essential Challenge of Christian Community



September 14, 2025

Senior Pastor: Nate Marsh

MARK YOUR CALENDAR...

TODAY Breakfast Club Small Group @ 9:00am (Room 105)

Kidnection @ 9:00 & 10:45am (Children's Building)

Grace Espanol @ 10:30am (Room 105)

Bible Journaling Group @ 2:30pm (Room 102)

Class 101 Discovering Membership @ 5:00pm (Auditorium) Clase 101 Descubriendo la Membresia @ 5:00pm (Room 103)

Tech Wise Family @ 6:00pm (Children's Building)

MONDAY Monday Morning Women's Bible Study @ 9:00am (Children's Building)

Moms in Prayer @ 6:00pm (Room 101)

TUESDAY Men's Prayer Group @ 6:00am (Room 104)

Grace Quilters @ 9:00am (6224 Devonian Rd)

See the Ministry-Roswell Teen Outreach @ 12:00pm (Children's Building)

WEDNESDAY ESL Morning Class @ 9:00am (Room 104)

Healthy Seniors @ 9:00am (Room 105) GriefShare @ 10:00am (Room 103) Healthy Bones @ 10:00am (Room 105) DivorceCare @ 6:00pm (Room 102)

Hope for Mental Health @ 6:00pm (Room 103)
Fortaleciendo Matrimonios @ 6:30pm (Lobby)
FSL Evening Class @ 6:30pm (Room 104)

ESL Evening Class @ 6:30pm (Room 104)

Choir @ 6:30pm (Room 105)

CHARGE @ 6:30pm (Children's Building)
AMPED Groups @ 6:30pm (Student Building)
Volunteer Central @ 11:00am (Room 103)

Thursday Noon Bible Study @ 12:15pm (Room 105)

Making Peace with Your Past @ 1:00pm (Room 104) Healthy Seniors @ 9:00am (Room 105)

Healthy Bones @ 10:00am (Room 105)

Celebrate Recovery @ 5:00pm (Children's Building)
SATURDAY OCC Kick Off @ 10:30am (Children's Building)

Emergency Preparedness @ 2:00pm (Room 105)

Healing Hearts @ 5:00pm

SEPTEMBER 21 New Member Lunch @ 12:00pm (Children's Building)

SEPTEMBER 23 Refresh @ 9:00am (Children's Building)

Glory in Motion @ 5:00pm (Outside Grace Café)

Class 101: Discovering Membership: If you've been wondering what makes Grace tick, what our strategy and values are, or are just curious, then this class is just for you! You can sign up on your connection card today. The class will be held TODAY @ 5:00pm in the Auditorium. Dinner and childcare are provided.



Clase 101 Descubriendo la Membresía: Si te has estado preguntando cuál es la visión y misión de Grace, cuáles son nuestras estrategias y valores, o simplemente tienes curiosidad, ¡Esta clase es para ti! Puedes registrarte hoy en la tarjeta de conexión. La clase será HOY a las 5:00 pm en el salón 103.

Contact us at 575-623-5438

Barry Anderson, Equip (301) Jerry Acosta, Missions (401) Kenny Lewis, Worship (501)

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Read Ahead

Next week, we continue our sermon series as we talk about: Uncomfortable People. We're diving into 1 Corinthians 12:12-14, where Paul speaks about the interconnectedness of the body of Christ. Just as our physical body is made up of many parts, each with its own function, the body of believers is made up of diverse individuals, each playing a crucial role. However, just as parts of our body may not always seem to fit or function the way we expect, so too can the people around us sometimes be difficult to engage with.

Celebrate Recovery: Free family meal every Friday at 5pm. Large group at 6. Programs for all ages! Men's and Women's open share at 7pm. Join us in the Children's Building this Friday!



Emergency Preparedness: Stock up with a 3-month supply of food for your family and 1 other person.



Children's September Memory Verse: "When I'm afraid, I put my trust in you." Psalm 56:3

GRACE KIDS SUNDAYS

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SUNDAY CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: Infants-1 year:

Room 204. Age 1 year-Kinder: "For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord." Jeremiah 29:11. In our story today from the Bible your child will hear about a baby named Moses and about how God had plans for his life. Rooms 201, 203 and 205 Grades 1-5- God can give you courage when others are afraid

FAMILY FUN EVENTS

Tech Wise Family Class: Come and learn as a family about how you can balance healthy family relationships with technology. This class is for the entire family to learn together. Join us Sundays at 6:00pm in the Children's Building. Ages 6-99. There is child care for those under 6. Food will be provided.





WEDNESDAY EVENING CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: CHARGE from 6:30-8:00pm. It is an awesome time of worship and Bible experience



for infants all the way to 5th grade. Dinner is provided.



STUDENT MINISTRY: Weekly activities happen Wednesdays for grades 6-12 Text the word AMPED to 575-223-4583 to sign up for weekly updates ! via text message. See the Grace $\mathsf{website}$ for $\mathsf{details}$ or scan this QR code with your cell phone camera for all of the details.

Year to Date:

Communion Instructions

You do not have to be a member of Grace to participate in communion. All Christians are invited to come forward, row by row, to participate. Simply take a wafer, dip it into the cup and partake. If you prefer being served in your chair, raise your hand at the conclusion of communion, and the servers will come to you. If you are not taking communion today, just remain in your chair. Thank you.

Sympathy

Our sympathy is extended to Mike and Fawna Hendricks in the passing of Mike's father, Mark Hendricks.

Our sympathy is extended to Clarke and Amy Coll in the passing of Clarke's father, Chuck Coll

<u>Communion Servers Needed:</u> Communion Servers NEEDED for 2nd service. If you haven't found the right ministry for you, please consider trying us for a month...or more! Call or text Linda Belyeu at 575-291-5932.



<u>Volunteers Needed</u>: Celebrate Recovery needs volunteers!! If you can cook, set up, clean up after group, have musical talent or could help in a different capacity please sign up in the lobby either on the 301 table or the CR table next to the main office.



<u>Daughter's of Grace Craft Day:</u> Join us for a fall painting project with Peggy Krantz Saturday, September 27 from 2:00pm-4:00pm in the Children's Building. Tickets may be purchased for \$20 in the lobby or the 301 office. Your ticket will



include all the supplies needed for the afternoon. Please see the table in the lobby or the Daughter's of Grace Facebook page for any questions.

<u>Hope For Mental Health</u>: Five life-transforming Scriptural truths that shape our approach to the Mental Health Ministry are illustrated in The



approach to the Mental Health Ministry are illustrated in The Hope Circle: you are loved, you have a purpose, you belong, you have a choice and you are needed. Class is Wednesday @ 6:00pm in Room 103. A journal will be available to purchase for this class for \$18. For more information please call the church office at 575-623-5438

Moms in Prayer: Moms in Prayer International impacts children and schools worldwide for Christ by gathering mothers to pray for their children, grandchildren and their schools! Join us on Monday from 6-7pm in room 101. Childcare is provided, but we would love to know in advance if you need it.



<u>Cancer with Grace</u>: Help Cancer with Grace help others fight their cancer battle by simply enjoying home-made Little Caesar's! See Kim Webb in lobby for details from now until Sept 21



Prayer List: Can be picked up weekly beside the bulletin table in the lobby.