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| |  | | --- | | Grace Notes – April 14, 2017 |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Grace Notes** | | **Gracious Savior Church**  **Sunday Worship: 9:30am**  Worship at corner of Hwy 6 and Lake Creek Ave.  Sunday School at 9:15am – Nursery is lovingly staffed.  Adult Bible Study – 10:30am    Gracious Savior Church is located at 33520 Hwy 6 on the corner of Hwy 6 and Lake Creek Ave. We are just 1 mile west of the Edwards stoplight on Hwy 6.  For more info visit us online at: [www.gracioussavior.org](http://www.gracioussavior.org) | | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | **Pastor’s Note**  Dear Friends,  We often pray something like, “Lord, please bless this new endeavor,” or “Please bless my work,” or something to that effect. We often ask God to bless what we are doing. I sometimes wonder if that is the wrong way to pray. After all, God promises to do His work in His Kingdom. God is perfectly capable of accomplishing everything He wants accomplished. Jesus invites us to follow Him. He never invites us to lead or direct Him.  Starting this Sunday we will be embarking on a new Sermon Series and a new journey. We will ask questions like, “How is Jesus messing with you today?” and “Where do you think Jesus is leading you?” and my favorite, “Jesus, help me to bless what *you* are doing.”  We will be “Joining Jesus on HIS Mission.” Come and check out the adventure.  Joy in Christ,  Pastor Jason  P.S. If you miss a Sunday and want to catch up in the sermon series or just want to review the message, you can check it out in iTunes at: <https://itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/gracious-savior-churchs-podcast/id897614540>  or online at: <http://gracioussaviorchurch.buzzsprout.com/> | |  |  |  | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | **Children’s Ministry**    **Service Opportunity**  We have officially adopted Adler Pierre as a Sunday School. Adler is 5 years old. He is from Haiti. He lives with his Mom and likes marbles and soccer. All the money from our donuts go to Adler. If you have thought about adopting a Compassion International child and just couldn’t afford it, this is a great opportunity. We can all pitch in to help Adler. Please pray for Adler and his Mom. | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | **Middle School Confirmation**  Middle School Confirmation normally meets on the First and Third Wednesdays of every month from 6:30-8:00pm. We will take a little break due to Spring Break. Our next gathering is Wednesday, April 26th. See you there! | |  |  |  | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  | | --- | | ***Financial Peace University will begin on Wednesday, March 22nd at 6pm and continue for the next 9 weeks. There is still time to join!***  It is a great investment in your financial future. If you are married, this is one of the best things you can do for your marriage. I highly recommend this course for ages high school senior through senior citizen. Childcare will be provided. Click on the link to register and order your material: [FPU Class Link](https://www.daveramsey.com/fpu/classes/1039375)  **Fundraiser Sale**  On Saturday, April 22nd there will be a sale at the church from 9:00am -4:00pm. All proceeds will go to support the Cuba Mission Trip. Sale items will include women’s secondhand clothes, coats, shoes, jewelry, and accessories. It you would like to donate items, drop-off will be on Friday evening from 4pm-9pm at the church. Contact Janie Cliver for more information    **High School Discipleship**  High School Discipleship is working on finding the best meeting night and location for everyone. Stay tuned!!!  **Bible Walkers**  Bible Walkers meets every other Thursday at 6:00pm for an in depth walk through the Bible. Their next gathering is Thursday, March 30th. For more information contact the church.  **The Case for Christ at the Cinebistro**  Cinebistro will be showing “The Case for Christ” April 21st and April 23rd-27th at 3:20pm and 6:30pm. This faith-based film dramatically chronicles Stobel’s personal struggle with –and difficult journey toward—Christianity.  **Belong Tour**  Like most women, you crave an authentic life full of passion and meaning. But sometimes life can be hard . . . and we get that. It’s so easy to feel exhausted, overwhelmed, and underappreciated. You feel you have to pretend everything is OK . . . that you can handle it all on your own. But you don’t have to. The BELONG Tour is a two-day Christian event for all women where you can feel safe and inspired in your life. God loves you. We love you. You are not alone. You belong. The Belong Tour will be in Denver on September 22 & 23. Contact Kelly Rhodes at 970-393-2315 or [kbm.rhodes@live.com](mailto:kbm.rhodes@live.com). Tickets are 49$. | | **Women’s Bible Study**  Women’s Bible Studymeets every Tuesday at 8:30 in the morning at the church. Our next study will be on King David. Humble shepherd. Giant-slayer. Gifted poet. Mighty warrior. Flawed man. Legendary leader. David is one of history's most famous kings. But more important, he was a man after God's own heart. Come and join them! Contact the church for more information.    **Cuba Dinner-Tickets now on sale!**  Join us for a Dinner and Silent Auction to support our mission work in Cuba. We will be enjoying good food and fun at 4 Eagle Ranch on Monday, April 24th at 5:00pm. You can buy tickets at church this Sunday. Tickets are 50$ per person or 400$ for a table. Entertainment will be by Bert Fonte. New this year is a “Live” auction event. |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Upcoming Events**   * **Worship** – Every Sunday – 9:30am * **Sunday Morning Discipleship –** Every Sunday – 11:00am * **Clothing Sale Fundraiser** – Saturday, April 22 – 9am-4pm * **Cuba Dinner –** April 24 – 5:00pm * **Women’s Bible Study –** Tuesday, April 25 – 8:30am * **Financial Peace University –** Wednesday, April 26 – 6:00pm * **Middle School Confirmation ­**– Wednesday, April 26 – 6:30pm * **Cuba Mission Trip** – May 4-12 * **Belong Tour –** September 22 & 23 | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Prayer Praises & Requests**   * Dennis and Sue Parker’s friend’s baby grandson who has a heart defect. * We lift up the family of Dave and Connie Willemssen whose daughter Carrie passed away. * Brian Bevan and his bride have a healthy baby girl! * Scott Bluhm’s Mom diagnosed with cancer. * Dave Willemssen has lung cancer. * Jan Kleinhardt’s brother has cancer. * Dan Schaub’s daughter who has cancer. * Terrianne Richards who has cancer. * Max, Marilyn Karn’s brother, struggling with dementia and Parkinson’s disease. * Sharon Sumner who has Lou Gehrig’s disease. * Cuba Mission Team: Stacey Jones, Nate Hall, Jan Attoma, Carol Giuliani, Julie Nelson, Ann Swanstrom, Janie Cliver, Pastor Jason, Linda Isbell, and Tad May. Pray that God would begin to prepare the hearts of the people they will be meeting. * Thanksgiving for birthdays for: Shelly Martel, Isaac Yoder, Gordon Yoder, Soledad Davila. | | | | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Serving in God’s House This Sunday**  Elder: John Prewitt  Ushers: Jackie & Kris  Reader: John Prewitt  Sunday School: Kelly Karas & Natalie Eckert | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | [http://gracioussavior.org/marketTheme/version19/img/facebook.png](https://facebook.com/) | |