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| Grace Notes – october 17, 2014 |

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| **Grace Notes** |
| **Gracious Savior Church****Sunday Worship - 9:00am**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)  |

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|  |   | **Pastor’s Note** This Sunday marks the conclusion of our Search for Significance Series. We’ve gotten great feedback on the series. I hope it’s been a blessing to you.My daughter will be getting her driver’s license soon. As you might imagine, I have mixed feelings about this. Some days I long to keep her at home, playing in the basement with her friends. But God has designed her to grow and mature and serve and lead.God has designed you the same way. Just because you have stopped growing physically doesn’t mean that you have stopped growing as a person. One of the first steps to grow in Christ was outlined by the apostle Paul when he wrote, “Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.” Our final sermon in this series will focus on the theme. Come and check it out. Still Growing…slowly ☺,Pastor JasonP.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/>We have a new website where you can get updates on events at Gracious Savior, listen to previous sermons, and share what God is doing through His Church. Check it out at: [www.gracioussavior.org](http://www.gracioussavior.org) and tell us what you think. |
|  |  | **Mission Trip 2015**It’s official! We’ll be sending a Mission Team to Cuba on April 18-25th. We are partnering with East-West Ministries and the local Church in Cuba to share the Good News of Jesus. Everyone can help by either going or sending our Team to Cuba. Stay tuned to learn how you can help send a team. Contact Pastor Jason *today* if you want to go. |
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|  |   | **Children’s Ministry**We are launching a new Children’s ministry. We want our children to be able to grow and thrive in a difficult world. Our new children’s ministry will deliberately focus on equipping our children with the tools they need to stand firm no matter what is going on around them. As adults we rely on God’s Word, prayer, other Christians, worship, and service to help us grow and survive hard times. Children are the same. Our new Children’s Ministry will focus on these tools. **This is what we will be doing!** September 7-Get a Bible in Church/Introduction September 14-God Created the WorldSeptember 21-Sin Entered the WorldSeptember 28-NoahOctober 5-Tower of BabelOctober 12-God’s Covenant with AbrahamOctober 19 -God Tests AbrahamOctober 26-The Promise ReaffirmedNovember 2-Stolen BlessingNovember 9-Jacob’s New NameNovember 16-Joseph Sent to EgyptNovember 23-Joseph’s Dreams come TrueNovember 30 -5th Sunday**Prayer Time** One of our tools is Prayer. Every Sunday we will break into smaller groups and pray. We will write prayer requests in a journal and follow up on them. How did God answer you? We will also write down “Blessings” every week. God is active in our lives. The kids will be learning to look for the ways God blesses them every day. **Service Project**We will be adopting Yeshoda. She is a little girl from India. All the donut donations will be going to Compassion to support Yeshoda. Kids can bring money and put it in the “donut donations” bucket as a way to help another child. **Get the App!**We will be using Gospel Project as a curriculum. Gospel Project has an app. Go to Itunes and type “Gospel Project” in the search feature. Choose the version for kids. Download it for free. There is a sample you can try for free to see if you like it. If you find it useful, you can purchase the Ipad version for 2.99 or the Iphone version for .99. From now until Christmas we will be using the in app purchase called “In The Beginning-Creation and the Patriarchs” The app includes videos from the stories, games to help the kids memorize verses, daily activities you can do with your kids, songs, and games that relate to the story. Check it out!  |

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|  |   | **Middle School Confirmation**Middle School Confirmation will be meeting on Wednesday, October 29th  from 6:30-8:00pm. Invite your friends! Get your Word on with Pastor Jason and your fun with Janie!  |

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| **Women of Faith Conference** Transform your soul, awaken your spirit, and revive your faith at our 2014 event: From Survival to Revival. At this all-new event you’ll receive powerful Bible teaching, be inspired by uplifting music, enter into authentic worship, and more. Experience the renewal that comes from spending time in the presence of God. Discover new joy and a fresh sense of purpose. Gather your group, call your friends, and put your family on notice. It’s time to plan for From Survival to Revival!“Will you not revive us again, that your people may rejoice in you?” Psalm 85:6 NKJV<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ecOSFpiHB94&feature=youtu.be>Tickets are available through Heather Kelley. She can be reached at 970-306-3627 or hmkelley7@gmail.com for further information.**Habitat for Humanity Build Day**On Saturday, November 1st we will help build Habitat Homes – including Mie’s home!! Sign up at the church and join the fun! The build site is in Gypsum just west of the Airport in Stratton Flats. You can see the build site from the Family Dollar Store in Gypsum. The address for the Dollar Store is: 770 Red Table DriveGypsum, CO 81637. We normally work from 9am – 3 or 4pm. **Senior Buddies**Bobbi Hagerman and Bev Christiansan are visiting with the seniors at the Senior Spot every Tuesday. God is touching lives through the Senior Buddies!**City Market Community Rewards**In the past we’ve received approximately $70/quarter from City Market Rewards. They are asking everyone to re-enroll in their program. Please support Gracious Savior by clicking on: <https://www.citymarket.com/topic/community/#/city-market-community-rewards>After you enroll your current City Market card, consider assigning your Community Reward dollars to Gracious Savior…Thanks! |
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| **Bible Walkers Community Group**Have you ever wondered what was in the Bible, but felt intimidated by the size and scope of the Bible? This is the group for you. We are walking through the entire Bible and hitting the highlights so that you can have a really good grasp of God’s Word. We meet every other Wednesday evening at 6pm and share a meal together. Contact Will and Kelly Rhoades for more info (wkrhodes@icloud.com) **Friday Morning Women’s Group**We will continue our Beth Moore study of the Fruit of the Spirit. We meet every Friday at 10:00 am at the church. We are going through the lessons and the homework together. Jump in whenever you can! Every lesson is a blessing.**Sunday Morning Bible Study**We are following up our study of the Intertestimental time period and examining the history of the Early Christian Church. How did the Church get started? How did we get from twelve disciples to millions all over the earth? Come and hear the trying and inspiring beginnings of the Christian Church.**Eagle Women’s Bible Study** |

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| **Discerning the Voice of God by Priscilla Shirer**Having a hard time knowing what God is saying versus what others are saying? This Bible study is designed to help you know the voice of God: His language, character, and tone of voice. By growing closer to God through His Word, participants will be able to discern God's voice from the voice of strangers.We meet every other Monday night at 6:30pm in Eagle. If you have any questions, please call me at 970-471-9341…. Loving the word of God,Gisele |

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| **Upcoming Events*** **Sunday Bible Study** – Every Sunday – 10:30am
* **Eagle Women’s Bible Study** – Monday, October 20 – 6:30pm
* **Women of Faith** – October 24-25
* **Bible Walkers** – Wednesday, October 29 — 6:30pm
* **Middle School Confirmation** – Wednesday, October 29 – 6:30pm
* **Morning Women’s Bible Study** – Friday, October 31- 10:00am
* **Habitat Build Day** ­– Saturday, November 1.
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| **Prayer Praises & Requests*** Thanksgiving for safe travel and Gospel message spread by Linda Isbell in France and Greece with East-West Ministries.
* American Pastor Saeed Abedini who has been imprisoned in Iran for two years. <http://www.christianpost.com/news/prayer-vigils-mark-2-years-since-pastor-saeed-abedinis-imprisonment-supporters-vow-never-to-forget-him-126616/>
* Elizabeth Warnke, John and Becky’s daughter-in-law, is on bedrest for her pregnancy. She has a 2yr old at home. Pray for patience and healing.
* Sharon Sumner diagnosed with Lou Gehrig’s disease.
* Pray for the ministry of East-West Missions. You can find ways to lift up this ministry at: <http://www.eastwest.org/get-involved/pray>
* Thanksgiving for birthday for Nancy Denton.
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| **Serving in God’s House This Sunday** Elder: Mike ThulUshers: Judy & DavidReader: Charlie KarnSunday School: Missy Sharpe & Jenn Zaiko |

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