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| |  | | --- | | Grace Notes – November 14, 2014 |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **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) | | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | **Pastor’s Note**  Winter is coming!  The signs are all around us now and the message is clear. Are you ready? Are you tires ready? Have you found where you ice scraper slid in the back of your car? Does your roof need heat tape? Are your hoses unscrewed and stored? Are your skis tuned?  The apostle Peter teaches about being ready in quite a different way. He wrote, “Always be prepared to anyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against our good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.”  Are you ready? Are you prepared to give a reason for the hope that you have? One of the reasons for worship is to be reminded of the hope that we do have. One of the reasons for attending a Small Group Study is to prepare yourself to be God’s ambassador.  Are you ready?    Getting Ready,  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/>  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 Meeting – Dec. 7th**  We will be sending a team to Cuba on April 18-25th. On Sunday, December 7th we will plan fundraising and get commitments from people who want to go on the trip. It’s a critical meeting and I pray you can be a part of it. Contact Pastor Jason *today* if you want to go. | |  |  |  | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | **Children’s Ministry**  One of the tools that we want to give kids is Worship. Once a week we get to come into God's presence. He gives us gifts. He reminds us of His promises. For one hour our problems are gone and we are being fed and loved by the Creator of the Universe--who is bigger than any problem we have. We want our kids to experience this--to see the value of this.  **On Sunday, November 23rd** we will have the kids in the Worship Service. They will sit with me and we will worship together using the techniques we have learned on the 9th.  My hope is that the kids will start to learn what a blessing it is to Worship. My hope is that the Worship Service will be a time to actively be with God and receive His gifts and not just a time to sit and be quiet. My hope is that they learn to love Worship!  **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 will be meeting on Wednesday, November 19th from 6:30-8:00pm. Invite your friends! Get your Word on with Pastor Jason and your fun with Janie! | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  | | --- | | **Thanksgiving Eve Worship**  Start your Thanksgiving celebration off right with worship on Wednesday, November 26th at 6:00 pm Invite your friends and family!  **Tree Trimming Chili Potluck**  It’s a mouthful of fun! Bring a dish to share and help decorate the church for the Christmas season. It’s a great way to start Christmas!  **Christmas Party**  Enjoy a meal, sleigh ride (if there’s snow), campfire, s’mores, and Christmas Carols at 4 Eagle Ranch in Wolcott. Suggested donation is 15$/person BUT we want everyone to participate. If finances are tight, just sign up at the church, and we’ll see you at 4 Eagle Ranch on December 14 from 3:00-6:00.  **High School Discipleship**  It’s time to grow. Be there on Wednesday, November 19th from 6:30-8:00pm. Call Pastor Jason if you need a ride from down valley.    **Habitat for Humanity Build Day**  Thank you to everyone who participated in the Build Day. Mie still needs some more hours from us. You can volunteer any Mon-Tues and Thurs-Sat. Just write down “Mie’s Family” when you sign in at the build site at: 138 Nighthawk Circle in Gypsum.  **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! | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | **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](mailto: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 10:30am 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** | |  |  | | --- | | **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 |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Upcoming Events**   * **Sunday Bible Study** – Every Sunday – 10:30am * **Eagle Women’s Bible Study** – Monday, Nov. 10 – 6:30pm * **Middle School Confirmation** – Wednesday, Nov. 19 – 6:30pm * **High School Discipleship** – Wednesday, Nov. 19 – 6:30pm * **Christmas Tree Setup** – Thursday, Nov. 20 – 5:30pm * **Morning Women’s Bible Study** – Friday, Nov. 21- 10:00am * **Thanksgiving Eve Worship** – Wednesday, Nov. 26 – 6:00pm * **Tree Trimming Chili Potluck** – Sunday, Nov. 30 – 10:30am * **Bible Walkers** – Wednesday, Dec. 3 — 6:30pm * **Cuba Mission Mtg** – Sunday, Dec. 7 – 10:30am * **Christmas Party @ 4 Eagle Ranch –** Sunday, Dec. 14 – 3:00pm | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Prayer Praises & Requests**   * Michael Mosier, 6yr old boy with a brain tumor. * A gentleman going through a tough time. * Kris Krohn’s brother, Jesse, is in hospice care. Pray for courage and faith. * Good recovery from surgery for Steve Riden. * Knee replacement surgery for Jackie Roy. She is recovering well. * 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 DONE WITH BEDREST for her pregnancy. They are eagerly awaiting a baby boy who can safely arrive any time now. John and Becky thank you for your prayers. * 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 birthdays for Suzanne Morgan, Jo Anne Graef, and Dan Schaub. | | | | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | | // |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Serving in God’s House This Sunday**  Elder: Tom Kleinhardt  Ushers: Mike & Kris  Reader: Jan Kleinhardt  Sunday School: Janie Cliver, Cheryl Goldberg, David Haynes | |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  | | --- | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  | [http://gracioussavior.org/marketTheme/version19/img/facebook.png](https://facebook.com/) | |