

WEEKLY STUDIES AND GROUPS

1:00 pm MON Memory Lane Support Group & Respite
7:00 am WED Men's Prayer Group followed by Breakfast at Sugarmill
4:00 pm WED Choir Practice – new members welcome
10:00 am THR SOAP Bible Study - led by Jan Wise
11:30 am THR Lunch Bunch Bible Study - led by Sharon Miller
10:00 am FRI Wise Prayer & Bible Study - led by Jan Wise
10:15 am FRI Meadowcrest Bible Study - led by Pastor Bill

MONTHLY MEETINGS & GROUPS

9:00 am 1st Wed Finance Committee Meeting
9:00 am 2nd Wed Administrative Board
2:00 pm 2nd Thr WOW (Women of Worship)
11:20 am 3rd Sun (LOG) Ladies of Grace (Following Worship)
2:30 pm 4th Wed Trustee Meeting

PRAYER NEEDS

Donna Farmer, recovering from hip surgery. Nelson Bell continues to improve. Those with cancer: Diane Swick, Kelly Chambliss, Marie Witham's son-in-law and her daughter Shannon, Mott's daughter Sue, Alice Carnahan's granddaughter; Kelly Chambliss (Judy's daughter-in-law). Jen Bentley-Katie's sister-in-law-Cancer in remission/other issues Kline's extended family members with serious medical conditions, Deb Wackerman and others with serious unspoken requests. Remember our shut-in Judith Funk – address is in our online directory. Wars in Europe & unrest in the US

To make prayer requests & praises and/or to be put on the list of people receiving email prayer requests throughout the week - email janmetcalf7@gmail.com.

MISSIONS

Missions supported: Samaritan's Purse Evangelism & Disaster Relief (worldwide); Residing Hope Children's Home (Enterprise, FL); Gideons; Food Bank at 1st UMC (gifts of food); SOS Fund (Pastor's discretionary fund to assist people in crisis. If you know someone in the church or community needing assistance, please let Pastor Bill or Pastor Kip.)

MINISTRIES

Karen Kline – Faith Community Nurse.
Karen Kline & Carol MacKenzie along with other trained Stephen Ministers are available to assist you if you need a friend to listen.
Carolyn Bright – Card ministry – if you would like someone to receive a card from the congregation let Carolyn know.
Comfort and Care Meals are available for those in difficult circumstances (illness, accident, surgery, etc.) Call June Kirschbaum 352-382-0424
Laurie Painter - Children's Ministry (Children's Sunday School at 10 am Sundays)



March 23, 2025

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH

**We Celebrate, Serve, and Grow in Christ
We are a Stephen Ministry Church**

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WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Kip

LIGHTING OF ALTAR CANDLES

Pastor Kip

PRELUDE

Rob Wackerman

*CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 63:1-5*

Pastor Kip

*INVOCATION

Pastor Kip

*HYMN #119 *"Victory in Jesus"*

*TIME OF GREETING ONE ANOTHER

*SONG *"Family of God"* (See Screens)

CHOIR *"Let it Be Jesus"*

*PRESENTING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS Pastor Kip

*DOXOLOGY #682 (See Screens)

PRAISES AND PRAYERS

PASTORAL PRAYER Pastor Kip

SCRIPTURE: Luke 13:1-9

MESSAGE *"True Repentance"* Pastor Kip

*HYMN #574 *"My Chains are Gone!"*

*CLOSING SONG *I Love You with the Love of the Lord (twice)* (See Screens)

BENEDICTION Pastor Kip

*Stand if you are able

If you have questions or want to talk to a pastor contact:

Pastor Bill 260-241-4869, pastorbill@gracemethodistchurch.org

Pastor Kip 352-422-3493, pastorkip@gracemethodistchurch.org

HAPPENING AT GRACE

Each Sunday 8:30am – 9:45am there is social time with coffee/goodies in Fellowship Hall. This is a great way to meet people.

Thurs, 4 pm The Truth Project (Week 12 of 13)

A new membership class will be held **March 30** following the worship service in Fellowship Hall. Consider becoming part of our membership "family".

Check the back page for other weekly events and studies.

Remember – all \$1 bills in the offering will go to Residing Hope (Children's Home) along with checks/envelopes designating this mission.

The updated digital picture directory was e-mailed to those in the directory on Friday, 3/21. Please make sure you check that your information is correct. If not, or if you didn't receive the directory in your e-mail, please see Lou in the Activity Room or e-mail him at gumbokinglou@gmail.com.

Blue Shirt Changes—We now have the ability to edit, change, or remove text on your GMC shirts. See Lian or Lou Espinoza.

Sign-up Sheets in Fellowship Hall for:

- **Church Cleaning** (one month, takes approx. 1-1/2 hrs/wk, you set the time/day)
- **Bulletin Greeters** to hand out Bulletins on Sunday a.m.
- **Goodies provider** for fellowship before church (cookies, fruit, etc.)
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Feel the joy of volunteering!!!