

PRAYmissions

Mike and Kris Reed—Awana

Thank you so much for helping carry the fire of faith to the next generation.

Ministry and Equipping Highlights

At a recent Awana connect leaders in Central Ohio gathered, discussing today's culture and the need for child discipleship. Paul Gifford, Grace Polaris Awana Ministry Director, shared that they never have time to discuss these topics during their regular Awana ministry. The Awana Connects have been great ways for leaders to "pause" their usual responsibilities and collaborate over discipleship opportunities.

We ask Awana leaders at Awana Connects, "What if we shift our thinking from children's ministry to child discipleship?" Ryan Phipps, Living Hope Church's children's director, Columbus, Ohio, acknowledged this as a paradigm shift and asked, "How are we teaching them, equipping them?"

The research study recently released by Barna and Awana reveals the significant impact a loving, caring adult at church makes on a child's future involvement in church. It is a privilege walking alongside so many people committed to investing in the lives of children in small weekly ways have a tremendous lasting impact.

Impact Stories

Awana Ministry Director Linda Robinson at Graefenburg Baptist Church, Waddy, Kentucky, shared, "I really want to lead our club to move toward an evangelistic effort in our surrounding community. My prayer is that Awana can increase our unreached community." We praise the Lord for leaders like Lina, who intentionally reach more kids with the life-giving gospel message!

Mindy Spicer, Sparks leader and mom, at our Connect in Carlisle, Ohio responded to the discussion about focusing on discipleship verses entertainment by stating, One small change in a question can make a big difference.

See the Welcome Center bulletin board for the full missionary prayer letters.



Today's Title: *Romans 11:1-10*

Today's Speaker: *Pastor Tim Combs*

Great to have you at Grace!



~ Experiencing God, Encouraging People ~

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Week of July 23

Sunday

9:00 am Sunday School

9:00 am What is a Healthy Church Member?

10:15 am Worship Service

Wednesday

6:30 pm Young Church

6:30 pm Discipleship Group

Saturday

10:00 am Volleyball

Next Week:

Text: Romans 11:11-24



Discipleship Group is Wednesday in the ABF Overflow room from 6:30-8pm. Everyone is welcome! We look forward to seeing you there.

Wednesday Nights

6:30 - 8:00 pm Church for Youth
Come join in on the fun!

Donor Envelopes: To facilitate regular giving, request a set of weekly donation envelopes with an individualized ID number. Sign up by email to office@hhgcc.org or call Tiffany 937-233-4324.

Stay connected!

Want to know what's up at Grace Community Church?

- Regularly visit: www.hhgcc.org
- Join the "Grace Community Church" Facebook page
- Receive email prayer requests and announcements by joining GCC's Gmail groups via the church website, www.hhgcc.org.

Is this your first time at Grace? So glad you're here! Please fill out the yellow-green visitor card so we can say hi and get to know you better. Stop by the Welcome Center kiosk for a welcome gift! Hope to see you again!

RightNow Media describes itself as "the Netflix for Christians" complete with Bible study materials and Christian entertainment for adults and children. GCCers can join for free! Send an email to office@hhgcc.org to receive and invite to RightNow Media and receive "the keys" to access the site. Apps are available for many devices.

Stewardship Report

Weekly Goals

Local Budget: \$4,890
Missions: \$742

Received July 16

Local Budget: \$4,948
Missions: \$650
Love in a Bag: \$20

Multiplication Teams

Making disciples is a team sport!

Mon 7:00 pm Young Adult Group

Contact: Nate Kline
937-766-1000

Tue 7:00 pm The Innsdale Group

Contact: David & Pam McMeans
937-235-0931

Wed 6:30 pm AWANA (during school)

(serving kids, 3 years-6th grade)
Contact: Randy Adams
937-949-8861

Wed 6:30 pm Young Church

(serving teens, 7th-12th grades)
Contact: Nikki Goodpaster
937-602-3610

Thu 11:00 am O.W.L.S.

(Older, Wiser, Loving Saints)
Contact: Jerry Root
937-949-3830

Fri 7:00 pm Re-Purpose Crew

Contact: Barry Wideman
937-823-3075

Head Sets are available for the hearing impaired for use during the Sunday morning services. The sound technician at the rear of the auditorium is happy to assist you.

Volunteers: From time to time, the church has minor fix-it projects requiring skills in carpentry, electricity, plumbing, equipment repair, and landscaping. Do you have extra time on your hands and wondering where you can help? Volunteer your time and talent, please call Karen Bonham 937-776-2079. If we don't have volunteers, we will have to hire outside personnel. Thanks!



Our missionary teammates serve in Japan, UK, France, Cameroon, Brazil. Mark your offering "Missions" (check memo or donor envelope. Dollars given without designation are used for our local outreach and operating budget).

About Us

Purpose

Grace Community Church exists for God—for His praise and purpose and to display His character and compassion.

We are to worship Him, grow to be like Him, and encourage others to believe in and follow Him

(See: Eph. 3:20; John 15:8, 16; Col. 3:17; Matt. 28:18-20)

Pattern

- Cultivating people with a growing love for God and His truth.
- Rejoicing in our worship.
- Strengthening our families.
- Encouraging each other with words, prayer, and actions.
- Actively reaching our world near and far.



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