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MATTHEW 26 - 28

**To Know Christ &
To Make Christ Known**



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WELCOME TO GRACE CHURCH

Happy Easter! It's great to have you here today, and we'd love to connect with you! Stop by the Welcome Table outside the sanctuary where you can receive a Bible if you need one, ask any questions about Grace, and take home a gift. Fill out a Connect Card found in the pewback to let us know you were here.

Join us at the next Newcomer Gathering

April 19 // 11:10 am // Room B60

If you are new to Grace Church, Newcomer Gatherings are a time for you and your family to meet a few of the pastors, ask questions, and hear what Grace Church has to offer. We serve lunch, too! RSVP at the Welcome Table or by scanning the QR code.

TODAY'S WORSHIP SERVICE

PRE-SERVICE

["Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed"](#)

Welcome

Pastor Mike Matheson

PRAISE

Call To Worship

[Psalm 16:7-11](#)

["Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"](#)

["Crown Him \(Majesty\)"](#)

RENEWAL

Baptism

Patrick Tetzlaff, Elder

["Christus Victor \(Amen\)"](#)

PROCLAMATION

Reading of the Word

[Matthew 27:62-28:20](#)

Prayer of Illumination

Preaching of the Word

Pastor Mike Matheson

RESPONSE

["This I Believe"](#)

The Lord's Supper

Pastor Chris Amundson

["Christ Is Risen, He Is Risen Indeed"](#)

Benediction

*We invite you to stay after the service for fellowship.
Refreshments are available in The Commons.
Our Prayer Team is available in the front of the sanctuary.*

CARE MINISTRY

Please pray for healing and recovery for those hospitalized or recently discharged: John Vitacco, Elizabeth Oelkers

On the passing of Sharisue Tenney, our love, sympathy, and prayers to her friends and family.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have something that is weighing you down today, please come down front after service and we will pray with you. You can also share your requests on the connection card and our prayer team will lift your needs up to the Lord. We have a dedicated prayer team that prays over each request. Additionally, our staff meets each week to pray over all of the needs of our congregation.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY (CR)

Meets Tuesdays at 6:30pm in the Loft. CR is a safe place to find support if you are struggling with a difficult season of life. CR is not just for addicts; it is for all of us who need to go deeper in Christ when life gets hard. Don't struggle alone - please join us for hope and encouragement every Tuesday evening. Contact Gabe Stalker at celebraterecovery@graceinracine.com

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Childcare is available for children ages 3 and younger today. Children older than 3 are welcome to pick up an Easter Blessing Bag available at the sanctuary entrances (see an usher if you need assistance). Our usual Sunday morning children's ministry programming will resume next Sunday, April 12th.

CHILD DEDICATION

Sunday, May 10th

Required class: April 19 // 11am

Child dedication is a commitment parents make before God to give thanks and raise their children according to his purpose. Parents must be members and attend the class to participate. Scan the QR code to learn more and register.

SERMON REVIEW DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

These questions are for *after* the sermon and can be used for Life Group discussion, one-to-one discipleship, or personal reflection and application.

He is risen indeed! On this Resurrection Sunday, we conclude our series in the Gospel of Matthew by celebrating our Lord's glorious resurrection and the calling that is placed on his disciples' lives in response to his victory.

Discussion Questions

1. Review: How has our time in the Gospel of Matthew shaped your view of Jesus and his kingdom? What have you learned?
2. What does it reveal about the Pharisees that they went to such lengths to secure the tomb?
3. Contrast the women's reaction to the news of Jesus' resurrection in 28:1-10 to that of the religious leaders in 28:11-15. What makes the response of the Pharisees so incredibly evil?
4. Look at 28:16-20. What response is Jesus calling his disciples to in light of his victory?
5. In what ways does your life reflect a true belief that Jesus really rose from the dead? In what ways does it not?
6. How does Christ's resurrection factor into the way we go about sharing the gospel with non-believers?

SERMON NOTES | THE RESURRECTED KING

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

[Matthew 27:62-28:20](#)

Pastor Mike Matheson

Next Week: [Amos 1:1-2](#)

ATTENDANCE & GIVING

LAST WEEK

Attendance: 945
Giving: \$26,088

2026 GIVING

Year to Date: \$463,631
+/- Budget: \$-63,388

Thank you to all who purchased flowers and we acknowledge those purchased in honor of a loved one.

Purchased by

Diane Scheerer & Darrin Tokarski

Maria Bernal

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Isaac & Alissa Miller

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Angela Hamell Perrault

Heather Lueneberg

Harry Svensson and Steve Schivo

Daniel LaBrasca

and Milt & Marlyn Christensen

James & Eunice Hawes

STAY CONNECTED - JOIN US ON CHURCH CENTER!

Church Center is a mobile app and web experience where you can explore, engage, and get involved throughout the week.

- Listen to or watch sermons
- Engage with your Life Group
- Manage giving
- Sign-up for events
- Need something posted in the Classifieds? Find the form for that on Church Center
- Check your serving schedule

Scan the QR code to download the app!

GRACE HAPPENINGS

MISSION PRAYER HOUR

Monday, April 6 // Room A29

New Time! 6:30pm

All are welcome to join us as we pray for our local & global partners and the lost people they reach with the gospel.

ENLIVEN: Senior Adult Bible Study & Brunch

Thursday, April 9 // 10:30am

Those age 55+ are invited to come for Bible study & brunch.

MEN'S GATHERING

Saturday, April 18 // 8am

Guys, join us as we continue our series entitled: "*Christianity Misunderstood*." The misunderstood phrase that will be discussed is "Only God Can Judge Me" Guys of all ages are invited for a hot breakfast, worship time, and a message. No RSVP needed.

STUDENT MINISTRY: GAME NIGHT

Friday, April 24th, 6:30-8:30 pm

(Registration open now until Friday, April 17th)

Students grades 6-12, join us for a fun game & pizza night. We'll have games available, or bring your favorite board game. Scan the QR code to register.

AT THE BOOKSTALL

Amos Scripture Journals \$3.00

Our next series in the book of Amos begins on April 12. Stop by The Bookstall today to pick up a Scripture journal.

MEMBER MEETING

Sunday, April 26th // 11am

Members, save the date and plan to join us at our next member meeting. As members we have a responsibility to know what's going on & coming up within the life of the church.

LOCAL PARTNER:

SAFE FAMILIES FOR CHILDREN

Cornhole Fundraiser

Sat., April 18 // 1-4pm at

Grace Church

Help raise funds for Safe Families for Children in Racine & Kenosha while enjoying a cornhole competition with prizes for the top teams, delicious food, and a kids' carnival with games and activities. Scan the QR code to learn more!

GRACE SOFTBALL TEAM

Looking for softball players, any talent level (12 inch ball).

When: Monday nights starting in May at Cliffside Park.

Why: Fellowship and fun. Goal is to have two teams this year! If you have ever considered playing, this is the year!

Contact: Ryan Traxinger
262-880-8723 call or text.



Scan here for sign-ups, and more info on items listed in the Worship Guide.