

WELCOME TO grace

THIS WEEK

AUGUST 30 - SEPTEMBER 6

TODAY

11:00AM: Coffee Fellowship (Gym)
6:00PM: GSM Senior High Youth Group

TUE

7:00AM: Prayer Meeting (Great Rm)
7:00PM: GSM Volleyball (Gym)

WED

6:30AM: Men's Coffee Fellowship (YoYo's)
7:00AM: Prayer for Missionaries (Prayer Rm)
6:00PM: Awana Volunteer Training
6:00PM: GSM Junior High Youth Group

THU

5:30PM: Growing in Grace (Gym)
7:00PM: GSM Senior High Bible Study (Cafe)

FRI

10:00AM: Women's Coffee Connect (YoYo's)

SAT

6:00PM: Refuge

SUN

8:15AM: Adult Sunday School (Great Rm)
8:30AM: Prayer (Library)
9:30AM: Worship Service
11:00AM: First Sunday Potluck (Gym)
6:00PM: GSM Senior High Youth Group

UPCOMING

SEPT

13th: GSM HS Back to School Night
17th: Morning Moms Starts
25th: Worship Night

OCT

1st: Growing in Grace (Gym)
10th: Cornhole, Chili, & Pies
30th: Trunk or Treat (Downtown Mahomet)



SHP Planning Meeting 8/31

Tomorrow, August 31 | 6:30pm | GSM Cafe
Joining us for the Bed Build on September 12th at Lowe's? Please attend a quick planning meeting tomorrow evening. We'll cover key details so everyone is fully prepared for the build!

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build 9/12

Saturday, Sept. 12 | Lowe's (Champaign)
Let's get local kids off the floor and into beds of their own! We're hosting a Bed Build at Lowe's in Champaign on Sept. 12th and we need your help. Morning and afternoon shifts are available. Scan the QR code to sign-up today!



Awana Training & Volunteers Needed

This Wednesday | 6:00pm | Great Room
Our Awana ministry needs volunteers! Please consider serving the kids in our community. Come to our training session this Wednesday to see how it works. To learn more about Awana through our website, scan the QR code below.



Growing in Grace 9/3

This Thursday, Sept. 3 | 5:30pm | Gym
Join our Growing in Grace ministry this Thursday for an evening of food and fellowship. Please stop by the Information Desk to use the sign-up sheet, letting us know what dish you'll be bringing. We look forward to seeing you there!



First Sunday Potluck 9/6

Sunday, Sept. 6 | Following Service | Gym
We're looking forward to our next First Sunday Potluck! In full-transparency, our last few potlucks have had fewer dishes brought in, so if you are able, please bring a dish to share with our church family next week. Thank you for your generosity in making these potlucks happen!

LOCAL MISSION SPOTLIGHT



Mahomet Helping Hands

This July-September Grace is partnering with MHH to support their mission of providing a wide range of essential items for our community, like shelf-stable foods, frozen meat, toiletries, etc. If you'd like to help support their mission, please use one of our Change Jars located in the Welcome Center or find the QR code below!



Scan the QR code and choose "Change jars" or "Mahomet Helping Hands".



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Titus Women

First Meeting: September 8th at 6:30PM at Grace

Ladies, please join us Tuesdays this fall for our Titus Women group!

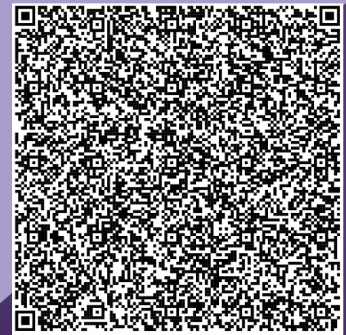
We'll be discussing the book *None Like Him: 10 Ways God Is Different from Us (and Why That's a Good Thing)*, by Jen Wilkin. Each week, we'll read a chapter on our own and then meet for fellowship and discussion.

You'll need to purchase a copy of the book on your own.

Register Here



Buy the Book



A Women of Grace Program



Morning MOMS

Morning MOMS is a faith-based group of mothers of all ages and stages, learning and growing together. There will be a light breakfast, COFFEE, large group listening and learning, followed by a small group discussion. 1st and 3rd Thursday mornings in the Student Cafe, starting September 17. This year we'll discuss the book *Becoming MOMStrong*, by Heidi St. John.

Saturday Morning Bible Study

Saturday mornings at 9am at the Open Room in downtown Mahomet. Each week, we read and study the next chapter on our own and then meet to discuss it. We'll be starting the book of James on September 19



Matthew 16:24-28

August Memory Verses

Matthew 5:21-22 (ESV)

“You have heard that it was said to those of old, ‘You shall not murder; and whoever murders will be liable to judgment.’ But I say to you that everyone who is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment; whoever insults his brother will be liable to the council; and whoever says, ‘You fool!’ will be liable to the hell of fire.

Philippians 3:14

Revelation 2:2-4

Jude 3-4

Romans 10:3

Matthew 7:21

John 8:31-32

Matthew 10:38-39

Matthew 13:22-23

1 John 2:15-17

Matthew 4:8-10

Philippians 2:7-8

John 17:24

1 John 3:8-9

Ephesians 2:1-3

1 John 2:28-29

Ephesians 2:8-10

Romans 6:23

Matthew 5:17

2 Peter 1:16-18

Follow Me

Finding Life

The Second Coming

Further Study

This week, whether you ponder alone or discuss in a Grace Group, consider the following:

What does it mean to come after Jesus? What things can spoil this pursuit (Rev. 2:2-4)?

Following Jesus involves humility, submission, and obedience. How would you define each of these qualities? How have you experienced them in your life, and how have they enabled you to faithfully follow Jesus?

What does Jesus mean when HE speaks of finding life?

What dichotomy exists in Jesus' statement about life, and how might the seed and Sower analogy help us understand this (Matt. 13:22-23)?

What does it mean to be spiritually bankrupt (1 John 2:15-17), and how is this the goal of the enemy (Matt. 4:8-10)?

How does His First Coming (Incarnation) reveal humility and masked glory (Phil. 2:7-8) and Jesus' desire for His followers to see Him once again in His full glory (John 17:24)?

What is the Second Coming of Jesus Christ, and how is the final separation connected to it?

How does practicing sin (1 John 3:8-9) reveal that one does not belong to Jesus and will sadly receive damnation (Eph. 2:1-3)?

How does practicing righteousness (1 John 2:28-29) reveal one belongs to Jesus and has salvation (Eph. 2:8-10)?

How does Paul compare and contrast these two realities (Rom. 6:23)?

What is the Transfiguration, and how are we to understand it in light of Jesus' words in Matt. 16:28? How does Peter, one of the three who witnessed this event, clarify what it means (2 Peter 1:16-18)?



Connection Card



Prayer/Praise Requests



Next Steps: The Gospel Explained

Elders

If you ever need to talk or pray, our elders are available to meet with you.

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