

# WORThY



# *of it* ALL

*each part of your life*

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## *Letter from Pastor Keith*

GOD IS FIRST. GOD WENT FIRST. SO, WE BRING TO GOD OUR FIRST AND BEST.

One of the clearest marks of a heart transformed by the Gospel is generosity. Jesus did not hold anything back at the cross. He gave His all for us. Our response must be to withhold nothing from Him. Far too often, we underestimate what hangs in the balance when we simply take one step of obedience in faith. When we declare that Jesus is Worthy of It All, it cannot be reduced to something spiritual or sentimental. It means surrendering every part of our lives to His authority and leadership.

Jesus desires that we know Him deeply. As a church, our passion is to see every person hear from God and respond to what He is calling them to do. We want to be a people fully available for His purposes—a people who believe that God can use us together to change eternity. Everything we have—our time, our talent, and our treasure—has been entrusted to us by God. Our call is to invest in what lasts forever, not in what fades. That will mean sacrifice. It will mean saying “no” to comfort so that we can say “yes” to obedience. But the eternal reward is worth it.

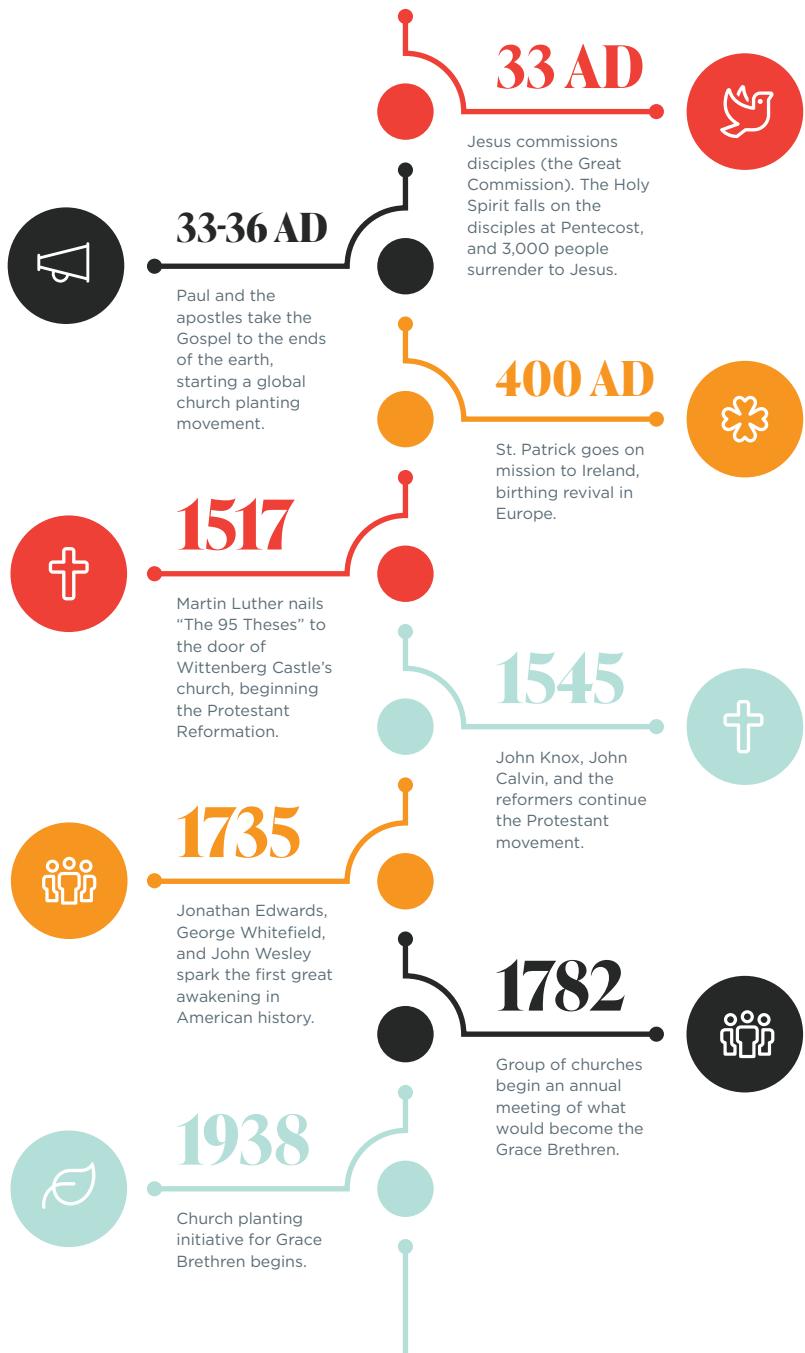
This booklet lays out a two-year discipleship journey—a call for each of us to take God at His Word and live as if He truly is Worthy of It All. I’m asking every person to prayerfully seek God and obey whatever He puts before you.

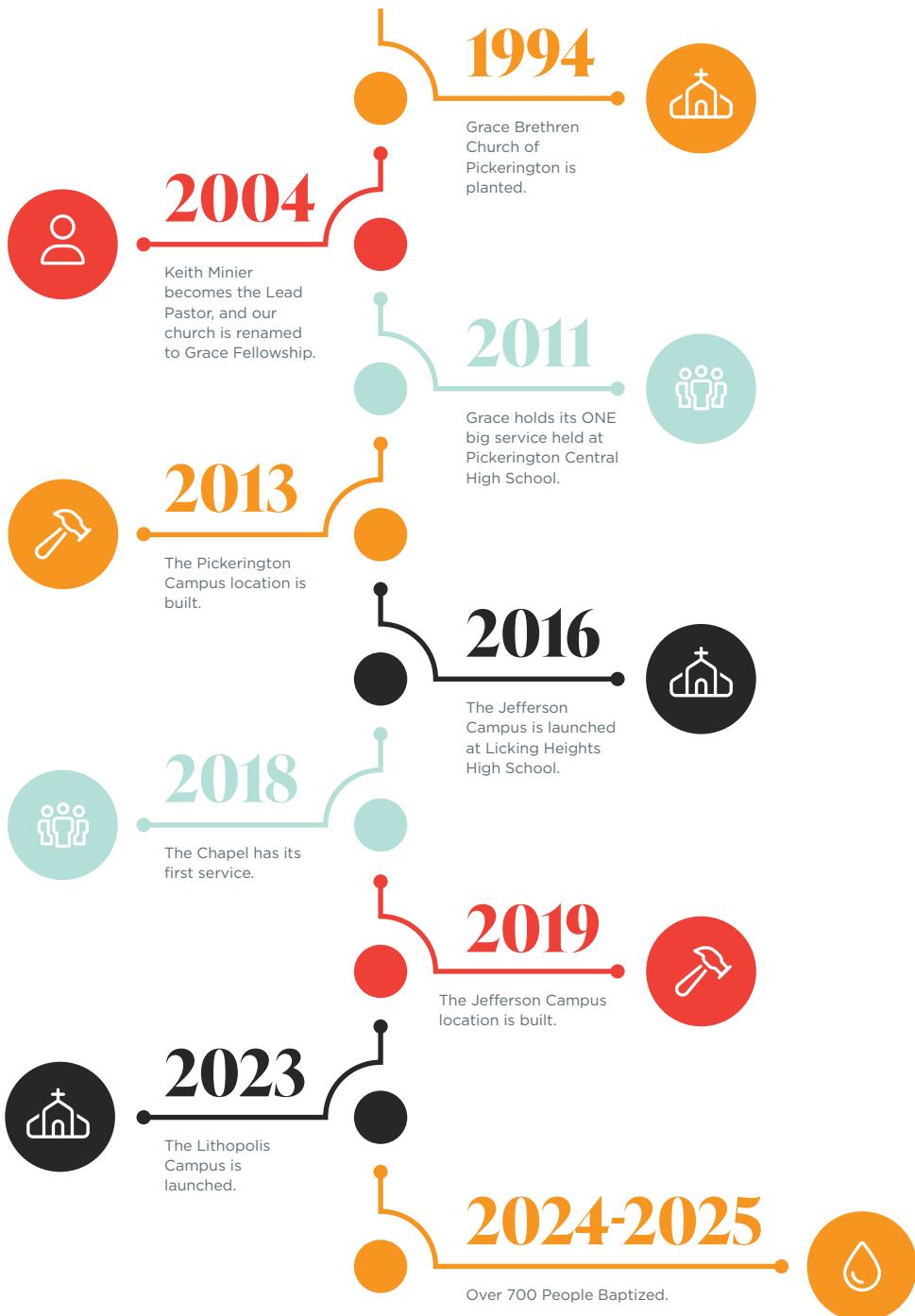
Our lives are already full. But what if they could be defined by the fullness that God Himself envisioned when He created us? Let’s not settle for less than life He offers. Let’s wake up to the purpose, passion, and eternal significance of living as if He is **Worthy of It All**.

**It’s time to step forward in faith. It’s time to live for what lasts forever.**

*Pastor Keith*

# History of the Movement





# Initiative Overview

As God leads us into this two-year discipleship journey, we must each consider what it truly means to live as if Jesus is *Worthy of It All*. What would it look like for every one of us to bring Him our first and best—our time, our obedience, and our generosity—in full surrender as if He were worthy of each part of your life?

Over the years, Grace Fellowship has been deeply blessed and equipped for such a time as this. Yet this season is not about buildings, budgets, or even Grace Fellowship itself; it's about Jesus and His power at work within His people. God used others to reach us—and now He is calling us to step forward in faith so that He might use us to reach even more. We believe that when a church makes Jesus *Worthy of It All*, He multiplies that obedience in ways that change eternity.

Our **primary goal** is 100% participation—every person, every campus, every household taking meaningful next steps of faith. Together, we want to ask, *"Is Jesus worthy of every part of my life?"* This is first and foremost a **discipleship journey**—a collective act of worship in which we declare with our lives that Jesus is worthy of everything we have and everything we are.

Our **secondary goal** is to trust God for **\$28.8 million over the next two years**, not for our comfort or acclaim, but so that together we can advance the mission of God through Grace Fellowship—impacting lives, communities, and generations to come.

**WE EXIST TO  
HELP PEOPLE  
LIVE JESUS-  
CENTERED  
LIVES.**

**EVERYTHING WE  
DO IS AIMED AT  
HELPING PEOPLE  
MEET, FOLLOW,  
AND SHARE  
JESUS.**

*Our generosity will...*

# EQUIP *the people*

Because He is worthy, we will disciple the people of Grace Fellowship to live lives worthy of Jesus—centered on Him and shaped by His calling.

**\$18,000,000**

*Our generosity will...*

# EXPAND *the kingdom*

Because He is worthy, we will sacrificially invest in reaching people who don't yet know Jesus.

**\$7,300,000**

*Our generosity will...*

# ENGAGE *the world*

Because He is worthy, we will serve, love, and reach the lost and least of these locally and globally.

**\$3,500,000**



# EQUIP the people / \$18M

*“And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching. “*

***Hebrews 10:24-25***

Because He is worthy, we will build a community that lives fully devoted to Jesus and to one another. The people of Grace Fellowship will be marked by discipleship, worship, and a shared pursuit of His mission. We will not grow complacent or isolated, but will gather faithfully, encourage boldly, and serve sacrificially—spurring one another toward love, good deeds, and the kind of faith that endures until the Day of Christ. Every act of discipleship, every small group, every prayer gathering, and every servant leader will be a declaration that Jesus is *Worthy of It All*.

- **Disciple** kids, students, and adults to live Jesus-centered lives
- **Steward** the resources and properties entrusted to us as a church
- **Meet** the ministry needs of Grace Fellowship across all campuses
- **Mobilize** 2,500 people to serve in the ministries of Grace
- **Engage** 3,500 people in Groups across all campuses
- **Host** six unique prayer gatherings that our people fully participate in

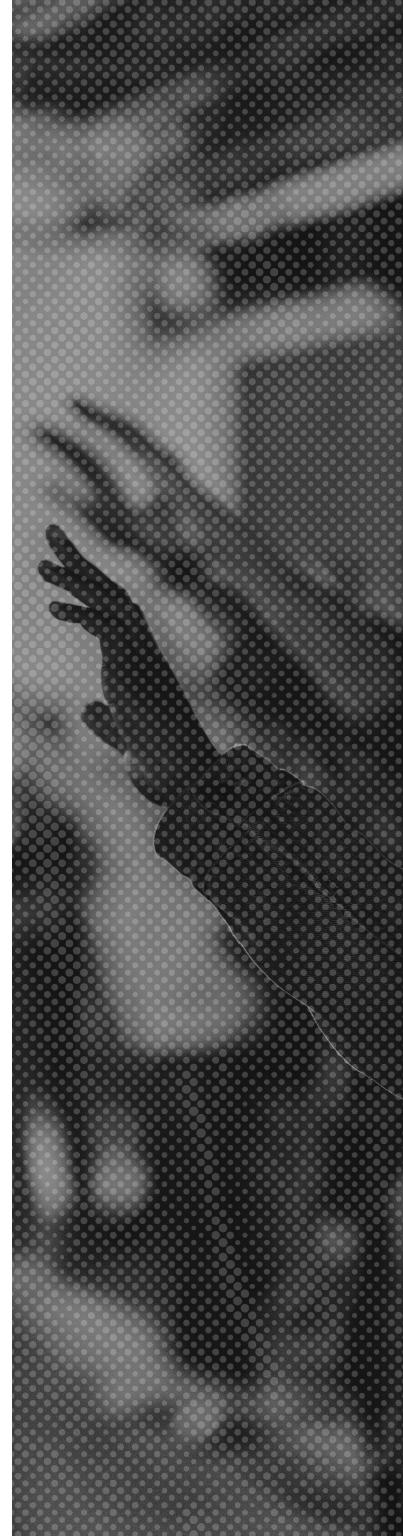
# EXPAND the kingdom / \$7.3M

*“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”*

*Acts 1:8*

Because He is worthy, we will boldly advance the mission of Jesus—here, near, and far. The Gospel does not stay contained; it moves outward through the power of the Holy Spirit. Our calling is to expand God’s Kingdom, not our comfort. We will plant new churches, reach new people, and raise up new leaders so that generations to come will know and proclaim that Jesus is *Worthy of It All*.

- **Launch** another campus with 250-300 people
- **Reduce** debt by \$1 million to create margin for more ministry
- **Reach** “One More” person in our community who does not yet know Jesus
- **Develop** our ministry residency and intern pipeline for future leaders
- **Plant** a church in one of the hardest-to-reach areas in the U.S. through the Strategic Launch Network
- **Invest** in ministry environments that disciple the next generation
- **Reach** 10,000 people through Christmas and Easter services





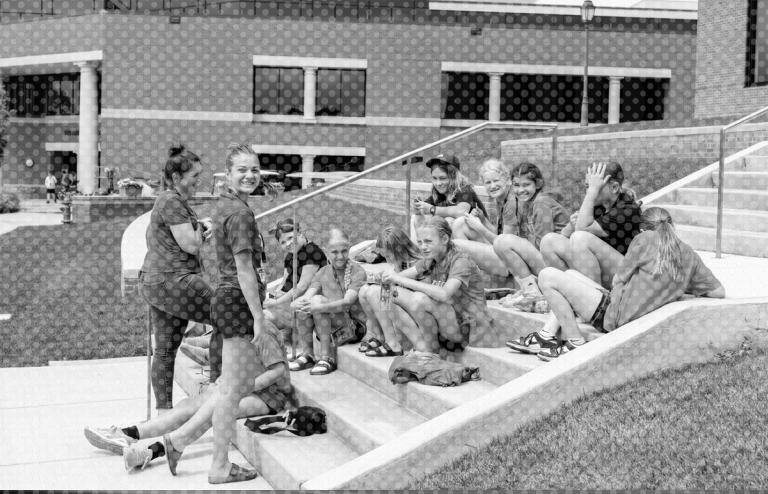
# ENGAGE *the world* / \$3.5M

*“He will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.’*

**Matthew 25:45**

Because He is worthy, we will love, serve, and reach those who are often forgotten. The worth of Jesus is displayed when His people meet the needs of others with compassion and courage. We will be a church that moves toward the hurting, lifts up the vulnerable, and extends the hope of Christ to the ends of the earth—so that the world might see His glory and know that He is *Worthy of It All*.

- **Care** for the vulnerable by supporting adoption and adoption ministries
- **Partner** with Kindway Prison Ministry to disciple and restore those transitioning out of incarceration
- **Bless** our local and global communities with radical generosity
- **Provide** benevolence for those facing financial hardship
- **Deploy** 550 people on short-term global mission trips





# *Giving Journey*

*A step-by-step path of generosity:*

## *Initial Giver*

**Gives for the first time (Philippians 1:5-6)**

An INITIAL GIVER is someone who decides to give for the first time in response to God's Word about giving. This person chooses to give and to trust God and the church's leaders with their gift.

## *Consistent Giver*

**Gives regularly (2 Corinthians 8:7)**

A CONSISTENT GIVER is someone who decides to give regularly and faithfully, exercising the discipline of generosity. Often, a consistent giver sets up an online recurring gift as a way to build this habit, though non-online givers can do the same—it just requires more intentional discipline.

## *Intentional Giver*

**Plans giving intentionally (Luke 14:28-30)**

An INTENTIONAL GIVER is someone who thinks about their giving in relation to their other financial priorities. This giver makes giving an intentional choice that reflects how they prioritize it compared to other things on which they spend their money.

## Surrendered Giver

### **Gives sacrificially, surrendered to God (Colossians 1:15-20)**

A SURRENDERED GIVER is someone who recognizes the power of the Gospel and is committed to honoring God with the first and best of their life. A Surrendered Giver knows that they are not really giving anything to God, but simply bringing back to Him the first fruits of what God has blessed them with. Their commitment to bring back to God is reflected in that their giving governs their spending and saving rather than the other way around. A Surrendered Giver focuses on removing anything that keeps them from bringing God their first and best.



## Eternal Giver

### **Gives with eternity in mind (1 Timothy 6:6-19)**

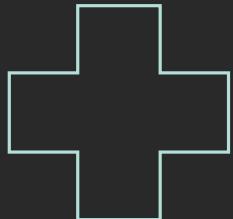
An ETERNAL GIVER is someone who thinks about the longer horizon of generosity rather than just the short-term of month-to-month or even year-to-year giving. An Eternal Giver makes short-term decisions with long-term impact on their generosity capacity. They consider what home to buy, what car to purchase, and how much savings to keep—all in light of how it affects their ability to give to God's purposes. They bring their first and best because their hope is in God and not in earthly things.

# *What is a* **One Fund Initiative?**

You may have been part of church-giving initiatives in the past, where you were asked to give a second gift “above and beyond” your usual offerings to support special projects like new buildings or ministries. Normally, this gift went to a “Building Fund,” while regular tithes and offerings supported the “General Fund.” At Grace, we believe it’s all ONE MISSION—to help as many people as possible live Jesus-Centered lives. We want to encourage everyone to unleash generosity toward that mission.

The Worthy of It All discipleship journey will last for two years. During this time, every gift given to Grace Fellowship will go toward the three key components of Worthy of It All: Equipping the People, Expanding the Kingdom, and Engaging the World.

# *Sermon Series*



# *Discipleship Tools*

Our prayer for you during the next five weeks is that you will intentionally deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ as we begin Worthy of It All, our two-year discipleship journey. We prepared this guide to help you along the way, using the REAP method each week to study the Word and respond to the sermon. Take time to work through the questions and share your reflections with your group.

FEB. 1-7



**LET THEM  
BE A LIVING  
AND HOLY  
SACRIFICE**

*Week 1*

ROMANS 12:1-2

## Reading and Prayer Guide

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### SUNDAY

*Romans 12:1*

Pray and confess where you haven't thought God was worthy of your sacrifice.

### MONDAY

*Revelation 4:11*

Pray for God to remind you of His worthiness through creation.

### TUESDAY

*Psalm 145:3*

Pray and thank God for the ways He has shown His greatness in your life.

### WEDNESDAY

*Psalm 63:3-4*

Pray and ask God to see how big His love is for you.

### THURSDAY

*Proverbs 3:5-6*

Pray and ask God to help you see He's worthy of your trust today.

### FRIDAY

*Isaiah 43:7*

Pray and thank God He created you for His glory and purpose.

### SATURDAY

*Colossians 3:17*

Pray and ask God to reveal an area of your life where you can give your all to Jesus.

# ***Week 1 – The Response***

## sermon notes



# Week 1

## Notes:

## READ

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the Scriptures in front of you and start reading **Romans 12**. Interact with the text by underlining any repeated words and circling words or phrases that stand out to you. Read through the Scripture at least two times.

## 66 EXAMINE

Work through the following questions.

1. List some of the behaviors and characteristics Christians are called to in this chapter. Which of these are areas you could grow in, and what is one tangible step you could take this week to practice them?

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2. How can your daily choices—your schedule, words, and habits—be an act of worship to God?

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3. When you think about all that God has done for you, is there any part of your life that still feels “off-limits” to Him? What is one way you can begin surrendering that area to Him this week?

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 **APPLY**

Take what God has shown you through your time in His Word and, reflecting on the previous questions, apply it to your life this week.

1. As we begin Worthy of It All, spend some time reading through the front part of this booklet and praying about how God is calling you to fully participate in where our church is going.

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## PRAY

Lord, thank You for who You are. Thank You for laying down Your life for me and giving me the privilege to live my life as a response to that act. Give me wisdom and courage to walk in a way that would proclaim You are worthy of it all. Amen.

## FAMILY TIME

Sit down as a family and share significant and special moments your family has experienced as a result of being a part of Grace Fellowship.

# Week 1

## Notes:

FEB. 8-14



WITH  
SINCERE  
HEARTS FULLY  
TRUSTING HIM

*Week 2*

Hebrews 10:19-25

## Reading and Prayer Guide

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### SUNDAY

*Hebrews 10:19-25*

Pray and ask God how you can spur others on toward love and good deeds this week.

### MONDAY

*Philippians 2:1-4*

Pray that God will bring further unity to our church.

### TUESDAY

*Galatians 6:9-10*

Pray for God to give you continued strength in doing good.

### WEDNESDAY

*1 Peter 1:3-5*

Pray and thank God for the inheritance He gives to those who follow Him.

### THURSDAY

*1 Thessalonians 5:11*

Pray and ask God who you can encourage today.

### FRIDAY

*Philippians 3:12-14*

Pray and reflect on what “straining towards what is ahead” means for you.

### SATURDAY

*Romans 12:9-16*

Pray for God to give you the character to live out these commands.

# **Week 2 – Equip the People**

*sermon notes*



# Week 2

## Notes:

## READ

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the Scriptures in front of you and start reading **Hebrews 10**. Interact with the text by underlining any repeated words and circling words or phrases that stand out to you. Read through the Scripture at least two times.

## 66 EXAMINE

Work through the following questions.

1. List out the “let us” commands found in this passage. Which one resonates most with you, and why?

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2. What needs to change for you to produce more love and good deeds?

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3. Who is God calling you to spur on in these behaviours, and how can you do it?

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 **APPLY**

Take what God has shown you through your time in His Word and, reflecting on the previous questions, apply it to your life this week.

1. What next step is God calling you to take in the life of Grace Fellowship?

## Week 2

## Notes:

## PRAY

Lord, You're worthy of being followed. Thank You for uniquely gifting me in ways to glorify You and encourage others to do the same. Give me perseverance in doing good and spurring on others to do the same. Amen.

## FAMILY TIME

The heartbeat of family discipleship: encouraging one another to live out love. Choose one “family good work” — serve a neighbor, write an encouraging note, bring someone a meal, or pray for a friend. Practice intentionally affirming one another this week when you see acts of kindness or faith.

FEB. 15-21



**DO THIS  
BECAUSE OF YOUR  
LOVE FOR ME,  
GIVEN TO YOU BY  
THE HOLY SPIRIT.**

*Week 3*

Romans 15:23-33

## Reading and Prayer Guide

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### SUNDAY

*Romans 15:23-33*

Pray for the advancement of the Gospel through our church.

### MONDAY

*Acts 20:22-24*

Pray for the impact of our short-term mission trips and our long-term missions partners.

### TUESDAY

*Romans 1:1-12*

Pray and ask God that you'd encourage others to share their faith. Ask for others to encourage you in sharing your faith.

### WEDNESDAY

*1 Corinthians 9:19-23*

Pray and reflect on how you can shape your life to be a better witness for the Gospel.

### THURSDAY

*Philippians 1:3-5*

Pray and thank God for those who have encouraged you in your Christian walk.

### FRIDAY

*Ephesians 6:18-20*

Pray for our church leaders and pastors as we continue to make the Gospel known.

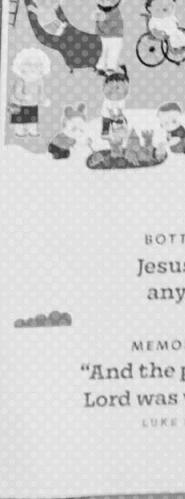
### SATURDAY

*Philippians 4:15-17*

Pray and ask God how you can do your part to further advance His Kingdom.

# ***Week 3 – Expand the Kingdom***

## sermon notes



# Week 3

## Notes:

## READ

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the Scriptures in front of you and start reading **Romans 15:23-33**. Interact with the text by underlining any repeated words and circling words or phrases that stand out to you. Read through the Scriptures at least two times.

## 6) EXAMINE

Work through the following questions.

1. Why was a collection so important for Paul's overall ministry?

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2. If Paul were writing to our church today, what kinds of prayer requests might he include?

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3. How does Paul's example challenge your personal comfort zones when it comes to mission and generosity? Why?

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 **APPLY**

Take what God has shown you through your time in His Word and, reflecting on the previous questions, apply it to your life this week.

1. Take time to write about your biggest fear, roadblock, or struggle when it comes to embracing the personal cost of advancing the good news of Jesus in your community.

2. Write a prayer asking God for help to obey His calling and faithfully play your part in the mission He is moving forward.

## PRAY

God, thank You that You've given us good news to spread. Create in me a humble and courageous heart. Show me how I can play my unique part to advance your Kingdom. Amen.

## FAMILY TIME

Create a “Prayer Map” on a piece of paper or a whiteboard. List people or ministries your family will pray for this week to advance the Gospel and reach others. Take turns praying aloud each day.

# Week 3

## Notes:

FEB. 22-28



**COME, YOU WHO  
ARE BLESSED  
BY MY FATHER,  
INHERIT THE  
KINGDOM**

*Week 4*

Matthew 25:31-46

# Reading and Prayer Guide

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## SUNDAY

*Matthew 25:31-46*

Pray and ask God to see the “least of these” like He does.

## MONDAY

*James 1:27*

Pray and reflect on ways you can serve those that Christians are called to help.

## TUESDAY

*John 13:14-15*

Pray and thank God for all the ways He's served you.

## WEDNESDAY

*1 John 3:17-18*

Pray and ask God to help you use your resources to care for those He loves.

## THURSDAY

*Isaiah 58:6-7*

Pray and ask God's provision for those who are oppressed, hungry, and vulnerable.

## FRIDAY

*Matthew 5:7*

Pray and thank God for His mercy, and ask Him to help you show mercy to others.

## SATURDAY

*1 Peter 4:10*

Pray and ask God for faithfulness in using your gifts to serve others.

# **Week 4 – Engage the World**

*sermon notes*



## Week 4

## Notes:

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Ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the Scriptures in front of you and start reading **Matthew 25:31-46**. Interact with the text by underlining any repeated words and circling words or phrases that stand out to you. Read through the Scriptures at least two times.

## 63 EXAMINE

Work through the following questions.

1. Why do you think Jesus emphasizes caring for those in need as evidence of faith?

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2. Are there areas in your life where you are unintentionally (or maybe even intentionally) neglecting opportunities to serve others? How can you address that?

3. Who in your life might be considered “the least of these,” and how can you show Christ’s love to them?

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 **APPLY**

Take what God has shown you through your time in His Word and, reflecting on the previous questions, apply it to your life this week.

1. Make a list of several people you could intentionally encourage or help this week. Choose a couple of them from that list and put intention into action.

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## PRAY

Lord, thank You that not only do You serve others, but You serve me. Give me a heart for others like You have for them and eyes to see others like You see them. Give me the courage to move from good intentions to God glorifying actions in my Christian faith. Amen.

## FAMILY TIME

During a family meal this week, ask each family member: “Who in our community might need help?” The goal is to train both our children (and us) to notice needs around them and see others through Jesus’ eyes.

## Week 4

## Notes:

MAR. 1-7



**EVERYTHING IN  
THE HEAVENS  
AND ON EARTH IS  
YOURS, O LORD**

*Week 5*

1 Chronicles 29:11-12 &  
Colossians 1:15-20

# Reading and Prayer Guide

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## SUNDAY

***1 Chronicles 29:11-12***

Pray and praise God for His greatness and power.

## MONDAY

***Colossians 1:15-20***

Pray and reflect on the unique character of Jesus.

## TUESDAY

***Hebrews 1:2-3***

Pray and thank Jesus for sustaining you, even when life feels unstable.

## WEDNESDAY

***Psalm 103:19***

Pray and invite God to rule in the areas of your life where you want the throne.

## THURSDAY

***Romans 11:36***

Pray and dedicate your time, energy, and goals to glorify God.

## FRIDAY

***Psalm 24:1***

Pray and surrender every part of your life (work, relationships, and possessions) back to the God who owns it all.

## SATURDAY

***Ephesians 1:18-22***

Pray and declare Christ's authority over every fear, temptation, and struggle.

*Week of generosity*

GIVE YOUR FIRST AND BEST.

# ***Week 5 – The Invitation***

## sermon notes



# *Week 5*

## Notes:

## READ

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the Scriptures in front of you and start reading **1 Chronicles 29:11-12 and Colossians 1:15-20**. Interact with the text by underlining any repeated words and circling words or phrases that stand out to you. Read through the Scriptures at least two times.

## 6) EXAMINE

Work through the following questions.

1. 1 Chronicles 29:12 says everything comes from God. How does this truth affect the way you handle your resources, time, and talents?

2. Colossians 1:15–20 describes Christ as “firstborn over all creation” and “head of the church.” How can this shape the way you prioritize your life?

3. In what ways do you see God receiving glory in your life today, even in small or ordinary things?

 **APPLY**

Take what God has shown you through your time in His Word and, reflecting on the previous questions, apply it to your life this week.

1. What specific action can you take to depend more on God's sustaining power, rather than your own effort? How can you take the next step this week?

2. Where is God calling you to obedience? How can you take the next step this week?

3. Where do you need to realign your goals and priorities with God's purpose for your life, rather than your own desires? How can you take the next step this week?

## PRAY

Lord, thank You for the numerous ways You display Your worthiness. Help me use them as fuel to live a life dedicated to You. Protect me from being easily swayed and convinced that the things of this world will satisfy me. Give my soul great contentment in You! Amen.

## FAMILY TIME

Gather as a family and talk about what God has shown each of you over the past five weeks, walking through the Worthy of It All series.

# Week 5

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*And so, dear brothers and sisters, I  
plead with you to give your bodies to  
God because of all he has done for you.  
Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—  
the kind he will find acceptable. This is  
truly the way to worship him.*

**ROMANS 12:1**

