



MAY 16, 2010

9:00 am Worship Service, Nursery (0-30 months), Children's Church (2½ -5 years), Pathfinders (K-5th grade)
 10:45 am Worship Service, Sunday School (all ages)
 2:00 pm Birthday Celebration for Bev Voiss

THIS WEEK AT GRACE

Monday	7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study 'The Book of Ruth'
Tuesday	7:00 pm	Christian Women's Book Club
Wednesday	3:00 pm	Young Mom's Small Group
	6:30 pm	Revolution Student Ministries (grades 6-8)
	7:00 pm	Prayer Meeting
	7:30 pm	Revolution Student Ministries (grades 9-12)
Thursday	7:00 pm	Worship Team Rehearsal
Saturday	1:00 pm	Women of Grace 'Garden Plant Party' at the home of Ruth Omdahl, 2807 Clover Dr (open house from 1-6 pm)

NEXT SUNDAY

12:30 pm 'JOY' Fellowship Potluck

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

A Nursery (up to 30 months of age), Children's Church (2½-5 years of age) and Pathfinders (K-5th grade) are provided during the 9:00 am service.

Sunday School is at 10:45 am. *Generations of Grace*, a systematic study of the entire Bible over three years, is offered for children ages 2½ years old-5th grade. Nursery (up to 30 months of age) is also offered during this time.

Vacation Bible School - Gospel Light's SONQuest Rainforest...follow Jesus on a life changing adventure, August 2-5, 9:00 am-noon, for children who will be entering kindergarten - 6th grade. Register online at <http://www.go2grace.org/children/events>.

Check out **Children's Ministry service opportunities** on our website at www.go2grace.org/children/service-opportunities.

Contact: Kaye Lynn Meyer, Director of Children's Ministries, 701-740-3696, or kayelynn@go2grace.org.

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Sunday School is at 10:45 am. Students in grades 6-12 meet in the youth room located in the upper level.

Revolution Student Ministries meet in the youth room on Wednesday evenings. Grades 6-8 meet from 6:30-8:00 pm and grades 9-12 meet from 7:30-9:00 pm.

CrossBearing Adventures - July 17-26, Colorado Springs, Colorado

Crystal Springs Baptist Camp - Check out summer camp opportunities for students, 3rd-12th grade, at www.csbcamp.org.

Contact: Matthew Morken, Director of Student Ministries, 218-280-0660, or matt@go2grace.org.

ADULT MINISTRIES

Adult Small Groups (18+ years old) meet on Sundays at 10:45 am & provide dynamic teaching of God's Word. The following classes fill a variety of needs & tastes including Bible exploration and discussion plus opportunities for fellowship & prayer.

- JOY Fellowship (Just Older Youth 60 + years old) ~ Room 2
- Sermon HD ~ Gym
- Time of Prayer ~ Room 8

Acts...studying and striving to live in meaningful relationship like the early church... meets the 1st & 3rd Monday (and 5th if applicable) of each month, 6:15 pm, at Richard and Becky Dafoe's home, 502 27th Ave S, Grand Forks. Contact: Richard or Becky, 701-213-7017.

Philippians meets the 1st & 3rd Monday of each month, 6:15 pm, at Gerald and Laura Muizelaar's home, 7350 Wolf Circle, Grand Forks. Contact: Gerald or Laura, glmuizelaar@hotmail.com or 701-402-2127.

Adult Small group meets the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm, at the home of Huey & Margie Wells, 403 34th Ave S, Grand Forks. Contact: Clarence Brotherton, 701-746-9936.

Ministering in the Spirit and Strength of Jesus, meets the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm, at the home of Rich & Cyndy Kinney, 1065 Oxbow Ct, Grand Forks. Contact: Rich or Cyndy, 701-746-6189.

Have a prayer concern? Join us at Grace for a midweek prayer meeting on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 pm. Contact: Marty Weglarz, 701-594-3444.

Need more information? Would like to start a Bible study or small group? Contact Pastor Lance Olimb at 701-740-3655 or lance@go2grace.org.

MEN'S MINISTRIES

If you are interested in hosting a men's event or starting a Bible study or small group please contact Pastor Lance Olimb, 701-740-3655 or lance@go2grace.org.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Bible study on the Book of Ruth meets Mondays at 7:00 pm, at Grace. Please bring your Bible, notebook and pen. Contact: Bonita Shambaugh, 701-772-6570.

Dorcas meets the 1st Monday of each month at rotating locations. Contact: Bev Voiss, 701-775-4396.

Garden Plant Party, Saturday, May 22, 1:00-6:00 pm, at the home of Ruth Omdahl, 2807 Clover Dr. Questions? Call Ruth, 701-772-1348, or Peggy, 218-773-0869.

Women's Missionary Fellowship meets the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 pm at rotating locations. Contact: Eleanor Leppke, 701-775-5782 or Dorothy Arvidson, 701-772-2244.

Women's Christian Book Club, meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month, 7:00 pm, at Grace. Contact: Sue Johnson, 701-696-2564, or suejohnsonnd@hotmail.com.

Young Mom's Small Group meets Wednesdays, 3:00 pm, at GBC. Contact: Michelle Fry, 701-213-2438.

If you would like to learn more about women's ministry or would like to start a Bible study please contact Diane Russell, 701-757-0606 or dyan_russell@hotmail.com.

WORSHIP MINISTRY

Grace's Worship Ministry exists to inspire Christ's disciples to value God above all things in life. Their ultimate commitment is to exalt Jesus Christ and celebrate the gospel in each service through music. If you are interested in being a part of Grace's Worship Ministry in any area, please contact our Worship Director, Jayson Wittrup, at jayson@go2grace.org.

GRACE FAMILY

A golf event, sponsored by the 'JOY' Fellowship, will be held on Saturday, June 19. Everyone welcome. Sign up at the community center. Contact: Clarence Brotherton, 701-746-9936.

All graduates (high school, college, grad school, etc.) are encouraged to share their good news! A sign up sheet is available at the community center.

If you would like to share news or prayer concerns with your Grace family, please email information, along with a photo (if applicable), to beth@go2grace.org or Pastor Ray Russell at ray@go2grace.org.

Our website is a great way to share with you what God is doing through various ministries at Grace. You can also access sermon audios, study resources and a schedule of events. It's a very important part of what we do so stop by & check it out at www.go2grace.org.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Mercy Ministries

Would you like to help provide meals for people in our Grace fellowship who are sick, had surgery, had a baby, experienced a family death or other crisis? Contact: Marie Derman, 701-772-3387, or mederman@gra.midco.net.

Serving Units

A ministry where families can serve the church body by volunteering their time to set up, clean up and/or provide food for various events such as college meals, funerals, fellowship dinners, etc. This is also a great way to get to know other people. Contact: Vickie Stomberg, 218-773-3726, or rvwolfden@gra.midco.net.

OTHER EVENTS

Riverside Christian School would like to invite all ages to attend a free student performance by the Riverside Puppet Ministry on Monday, May 24, 8:45 am. This fun 40 minute puppet musical is based on Ephesians 4:29.

Women's Pregnancy Center 'Walk for Life' - Saturday, May 22, 8:30 am registration, walk begins at 9:00 am. Walk brochures are available at the community center.

FINANCIAL REPORT

May 9, 2010

General Tithes/Offerings	\$ 8,829		
Approved Budget	<u>\$11,334</u>		
Surplus or (shortfall)	(\$2,505)		
Year-to-Date as of 3/31/10	Actual	Budgeted	Variance
General Tithes/Offerings	\$142,114	\$147,345	\$5,231
Expenditures	<u>\$137,835</u>	<u>\$147,345</u>	<u>\$9,510</u>
Surplus or (shortfall)	\$4,279	-	\$4,279

NAB WEEKLY PRAYER GUIDE

NCA Prayer Link of the Week: Herreid Baptist Church, Herreid, SD, Rev Steve Swann - Pray for guidance in overcoming the mediocrity of weekly religion. To become the vibrant Bride of Christ! For gentleness as we reach out in our community, including other churches' members, with joint studies and projects. For our leadership as we look at the *hows* of church ministry strengthened by the *whys* of church ministry. For God's continued grace that He has lavished on our church in the forms of many blessings. For contentment in resting in His sovereign plan. For Rest in Christ.

NAB Missionary/Church Planter of the Week: Amber Carpenter, Japan - Urgent prayer needed for support so Amber can go to the field this fall. Amber's support level is only at 10%. Pray for God's guidance and provision as Amber connects with churches and individuals for support development. Pray for her emotional and spiritual preparation for moving to another country for the first time. Pray that she would be able to adapt quickly so that she can be effective in the ministry In Japan