



**MAY 23, 2010**

9:00 am      Worship Service ~ Nursery (0-30 months), Children's Church (2½ -5 years), Pathfinders (K-5<sup>th</sup> grade)  
 10:45 am      Worship Service ~ Sunday School (all ages)  
 12:30 pm      'JOY' Fellowship Potluck

**THIS WEEK AT GRACE**

Monday	6:30 pm	Council of Elders
	7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study 'The Book of Ruth'
	7:00 pm	Women's Missionary Fellowship
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

**NEXT SUNDAY**

9:00 am      Worship Service ~ Nursery, Children's Church  
**No Pathfinders**  
 10:45 am      Worship Service ~ Nursery, Children's Church  
**No Sunday School**

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES**

A Nursery (up to 30 months of age), Children's Church (2½-5 years of age) and Pathfinders (K-5<sup>th</sup> 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-5<sup>th</sup> 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 - 6<sup>th</sup> 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](http://www.go2grace.org/children/service-opportunities).

**Contact:** Kaye Lynn Meyer, Director of Children's Ministries, 701-740-3696, or [kayelynn@go2grace.org](mailto: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, 3<sup>rd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade, at [www.csbcamp.org](http://www.csbcamp.org).

**Contact:** Matthew Morken, Director of Student Ministries, 218-280-0660, or [matt@go2grace.org](mailto: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 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday (and 5<sup>th</sup> if applicable) of each month, 6:15 pm, at Richard and Becky Dafoe's home, 502 27<sup>th</sup> Ave S, Grand Forks. Contact: Richard or Becky, 701-213-7017.

**Philippians** meets the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](mailto:glmuizelaar@hotmail.com) or 701-402-2127.

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

**Ministering in the Spirit and Strength of Jesus**, meets the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 you like to start a Bible study or small group? Contact Pastor Lance Olimb at 701-740-3655 or [lance@go2grace.org](mailto: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](mailto: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 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month at rotating locations. Contact: Bev Voiss, 701-775-4396.

**Women's Missionary Fellowship** meets the 4<sup>th</sup> 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month, 7:00 pm, at Grace. Contact: Sue Johnson, 701-696-2564, or [suejohnsonnd@gmail.com](mailto:suejohnsonnd@gmail.com).

**Young Mom's Small Group** meets Wednesdays, 3:00 pm, at different parks (weather permitting). Contact: Michelle Fry, 701-213-2438, for locations.

**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](mailto: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](mailto:jayson@go2grace.org).

## GRACE FAMILY

**2010 Budget Vote** - 160 votes were cast with the following results. Members: 107 - Yes, 5 - No; Non-Members: 47 - Yes, 1 - No

**Baptism Sunday** is June 27. Those desiring to be baptized must attend a baptism class on Sunday, June 20, 10:45 am. Please sign up at the community center.

**Church Library** - Please return all materials that were checked out before April 23, 2010 as they are now overdue.

**Congratulations to our graduates:** Emily Foutch, Jim Mertz, Wesley Mosher, Blake Pester, Aaron McNaughton, Colin Preszler, Matt Sweere & Will Wood. See Grace bulletin board by church office for open house invites.

**Golf event**, sponsored by the 'JOY' Fellowship, will be held on Saturday, June 19, at Lincoln Park Golf Course. Cost: golf - \$14; cart - \$7. Everyone welcome. Please sign up at the community center. Contact: Clarence Brotherton, 701-746-9936.

**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](mailto:beth@go2grace.org) or Pastor Ray Russell at [ray@go2grace.org](mailto: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](http://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](mailto: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](mailto:rvwolfden@gra.midco.net).

## FINANCIAL REPORT

### May 16, 2010

General Tithes/Offerings	\$12,029
Approved Budget	<u>\$11,334</u>
Surplus or (shortfall)	\$695

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:** Isabel Baptist Church, Isabel, SD - Pray for Isabel Baptist leaders and congregations as they continue to pray about the future of the church, seek a pastor and recover from a number of difficult situations including two years without a pastor, the closing of their school, the burning of their parsonage in January and the moral failure and criminal conviction of a former church leader. Pray also, as Regional Minister, Phyl Putz, meets with them this weekend to help determine future steps.

**NAB Missionary/Church Planter of the Week:** Yuri Nakano, Japan - Praise God for the full financial and prayer support that enabled her to get on the field. Praise God that Yuri departed for Japan on April 21. Pray as she attends language school in Kyoto. Yuri (a Japanese-Canadian) is fluent in conversational Japanese but needs more study to deal with reading, writing and more advanced vocabulary to minimize any language barrier. Pray also for this time of adjustment and settling in to life in Japan.