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\$40,861.00
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NEED TO KNOW!

#1. BAPTISM

Our next Baptism is happening next Sunday during both services. If you have decided to make Jesus the leader of your life, this step is for you. It is a public declaration of your faith. Please let us know and RSVP on the website if you want to get baptized!

#2. WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS

Kick off the Christmas Season on Mon, Dec 5 and come to the Women's Christmas Event! It's an inspirational night for all women with worship, special guest speaker, treats, and Christmas Vendors. You can get your tickets and info online.

#3. EVENING GROWTH TRACK

On Tues, Dec 6, there is a special one-night growth track class at 6 PM. All 3 classes will be combined into one. You will learn all about Grace, discover your unique passions, and find your place at Grace. Sign up on the website under Next Steps.

#4. KIDS & YOUTH CHRISTMAS

You will want to be here on Sun, Dec 11! In Grace Kids, there will be a PJ's and Pop-tarts Party to celebrate the birth of Jesus. And for Grace Youth, all students in middle school and high school will meet at 10:30 for one big party to celebrate Christmas. Be sure to wear your favorite Christmas sweater! There will also be games, worship, and giveaways.

CHRISTMAS LEGACY

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Legacy: What people remember when we're gone.

Those who are righteous will be remembered forever. - **Psalm 112:6**

What can we give to a God who already has everything?

Our giving honors God and helps meet the needs of others.

Local Missions

Some people think the church is irrelevant. Can you imagine how many people we can help be surprised by grace?

National Missions

How many families can we help experience grace through church planting in cities across America?

International Missions

Can you imagine meeting people in Heaven that we reached through missions but never personally met on earth?

Grace School of Ministry

Can you imagine when we are equipping the next generation? Could the next Billy Graham or Priscilla Shirer be in our church right now?

When all of us do a little, together we do a lot.

Christmas is a legacy story. How does it show God is on the move?

Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the reign of King Herod. About that time some wise men from eastern lands arrived in Jerusalem, asking, "Where is the newborn King of the Jews? We saw His star as it rose, and we have come to worship Him." - **Matthew 2:1-2**

...the wise men went their way. And the star they had seen in the east guided them to Bethlehem. It went ahead of them and stopped over the place where the Child was. When they saw the star, they were filled with joy! They entered the house and saw the Child with his mother, Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped Him. Then they opened their treasure chests and gave Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. - **Matthew 2:9-11**

3 THINGS WE CAN GIVE GOD...

1. We can give God our hope.

"We saw His star when it rose and have come to worship Him." - **Matthew 2:2**

The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it. - **John 1:5**

"Those who hope in Me will not be disappointed." - **Isaiah 49:23**

2. We can give God our unrelenting pursuit.

"...the wise men went their way." - **Matthew 2:9**

Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshipers will worship the Father in the Spirit and in truth, for they are the kind of worshipers the Father seeks. - **John 4:23**

"You will seek Me and find Me when you seek Me with all your heart." - **Jeremiah 29:13**

3. We can give God our worship.

"...they bowed down and worshiped Him." - **Matthew 2:11**

One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked Him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?" "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and all your soul, all your mind, and all your strength.'" - **Mark 12:28-30**