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# Grace Community Fellowship

## Today's Message

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Believing in Jesus

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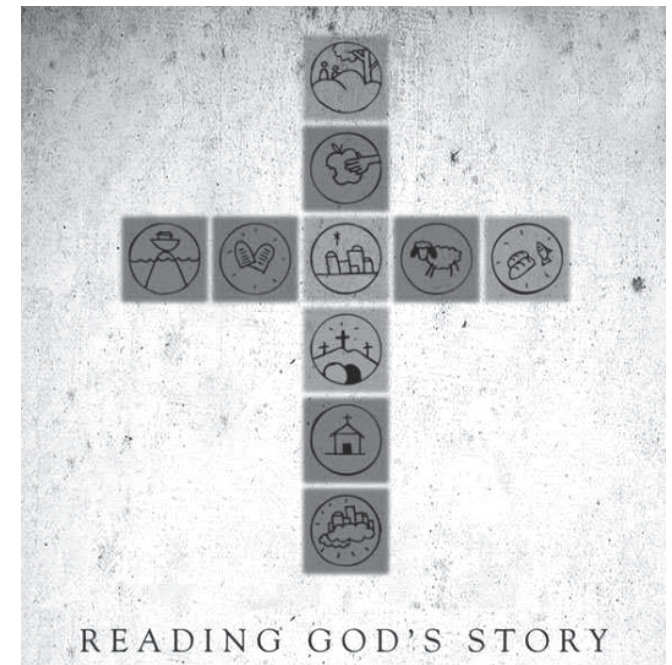
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**Coffee & Fellowship 10:00 a.m.**  
**Church Service 10:30 a.m.**

## Welcome to Grace Community Fellowship!

Welcome to Grace Community Fellowship! We are very happy that you are here. Help yourself to refreshments in the lobby and make yourself at home.

If you are new to Grace, please take a moment to **fill out the communication card** attached to the program and bring it to the Connect desk near the front door. We would like to welcome you with a small gift. Parents, please know that nursery is available for ages 0-3 yrs. Children's church is also available, only during the message time, for ages 4-1st grade. The children's classes are through the double doors at the back of the auditorium.

## What's Happening at Grace

### Reading God's Story

This year, as a church, we are reading through the Bible chronologically. If you would like to join with us, there are 2 sheets at the information center.

1. The reading schedule outlined for the entire year. It is also on our website under "Reading God's Story." We are starting Week 41 tomorrow.
2. Also, there are weekly informational sheets that are put out each Sunday that give additional thoughts or information about each day's readings for that upcoming week.

### We Have a Library!

It is small but we have a library where you may check out faith based books to read! It is located in Room 109 which is near the south entrance to our building. We have a few children's books and even though the majority will likely appeal to the ladies, there are some books that the men will enjoy as well. A notebook is there for you to record the books you check out. We do have more books to put out but need more shelf space in order to do that. If you know of a bookshelf that would be available, please talk to Brenda Enns.

### Trick or Treat So Others Can Eat

October 30 will be the trick or treat event for the food bank at Main Street Ministries. If you would like to donate you may leave non-perishable items on your porch on the evening of October 30. The youth will be picking items up between 7-8:30. If you do not live in Hillsboro but would like to participate, please leave your items at the south side of our mailboxes. Youth – be sure to **bring coats** and **wear walking shoes** for this event.

### Men and Sons "Chili in the Pits"

Saturday, November 2 at 3:45 p.m. there will be a Chili meal with a time of fellowship and an opportunity to practice your marksmanship. [There is a flyer with complete details and a signup sheet at the information center.](#)

### Operation Christmas Child

National Pick Up Week for filled shoeboxes is November 18-22. On November 13 the children will pack shoeboxes for kids in other parts of the world. We need toiletries, reusable plastic ware, small toys, notebooks, crayons and socks. You may also pack a complete box individually if you wish. A box will be available for donations. If you have questions, please contact Tania Sorensen 620-382-6732.

## Statistics from Previous Sunday

Attendance: 190  
General Fund Offering: \$7,508.62

## Ways to Connect with Us



[gcfhillsboro.net](http://gcfhillsboro.net)



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Connect Table in Foyer

### THIS WEEK

October 15 Women's Book Study 9:30 a.m.  
October 16 Wednesday activities: Meal (by donation) at 6:30  
– Kids classes & Women's Study 7 p.m.  
Menu: Taco salad, nachos/cheese, sheet cake, apple sauce  
October 16 Women's Book Study 7 p.m.

### UPCOMING

October 22 Women's Book Study 9:30 a.m.  
October 23 Wednesday activities Meal 6:30 – Classes 7 p.m.  
October 23 Women's Book Study 7 p.m.

### Grace Community Fellowship Elders

Chair: Jim Villanueva, Vice Chair: Dennis Funk, Cal Jost, Doug Olson,  
Mike Barter - Lead Pastor

### Grace Network Churches

Grace Community Church (Newton): Jack Napier  
Grace Crossing (Moundridge): Jason Rains  
New Anthem Community Church (Park City): Landon Jordan  
Emmanuel Church (Boliva): Roberto Torres

## Giving

We believe that regular giving to the local church is an essential act of worship in response to God's provision for us.

You can give during the offering or you can give online as a one time gift or set up automatic withdrawals at [gcfhillsboro.net/give-online](http://gcfhillsboro.net/give-online)

General Budget Income to Date: \$189,795.85  
Overall Amount Given to Building Fund: \$631,153.98