

Welcome To
Grace Brethren Church

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Colossians 2:6,7

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, SO WALK IN HIM rooted and built up in Him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.



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March 07, 2021

Services at Grace

Praise & Worship Service 10:00am



1) Go to www.gracelive.com and click on the YouTube link at the bottom of the homepage

OR

2) Go to <https://norwalk-grace-brethren-church.freeonlinechurch.com/live>

OR

3) Go directly to YouTube.com and search for 'Grace Norwalk' and then click on the link for our church

If you are having any trouble connecting, we will record the service in both audio and video and will have it posted to our website after the service is over.

Pastor Roy Halberg

Sermon title

Lessons Learned In The Wilderness

Weekly Theme Passage:

MARK 1: 12-13; MATTHEW 4:1-11

We welcome our guests today and if you are new to Grace and/or are looking for a way to connect and serve, text the word "CONNECT" to 562.444.1211 and we will text you occasional updates and happenings at GRACE. We are so glad you are here today!

Events this Week at Grace

Worship Service	Sun	Mar 07	10:00am
Pastoral Search Team	Sun	Mar 07	3:00pm
Women 's Small Group (zoom)	Mon	Mar 08	7:00pm
Men's Small Group	Tue	Mar 09	6:30am
Women of Grace 1Cor. 5	Tue	Mar 09	6:30pm
Gonzalez Small Group	Tue	Mar 09	7:00pm
Midweek Bible Study	Wed	Mar 10	6:30pm
Worship Team Practice	Thur	Mar 11	6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Joyce Morrows Memorial Service	Sat	Mar 13	2:00pm
Worship Service	Sun	Mar 14	10:00am
Women's Small Group (Zoom)	Mon	Mar 15	7:00pm
Men's Small Group	Tue	Mar 16	6:30am
Women of Grace 1Cor. 5	Tue	Mar 16	6:30pm
Gonzalez Small Group	Tue	Mar 16	7:00pm
Midweek Bible Study	Wed	Mar 17	6:30pm

"The Retreat"

"The Retreat" for Grace Students (6th-12th grade) March 26-28, 2021. Look for more details next week!

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JOYCE MORROW

The memorial service for Joyce Morrow will be held Saturday March 13, 2021 at 2:00pm at Grace Norwalk. The church is invited to come and join her family in celebrating her life.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR GEORGE MILLER

The memorial service for George Miller will be held Saturday March 20, 2021 at 1:00pm at Grace Norwalk. The church is welcome to come and join the family in celebrating his life. The graveside service will be on Monday March 22nd at 12:30 pm at Forest Lawn Cypress.

March 14th TURN YOUR CLOCKS FORWARD



MISSIONARY REPORT: Patty Morris in France

Patty wears many hats for her work as a Missionary. From Accounting for the many Ministries in her area to having bible Studies to keeping in touch with family and many more. She is asking for prayer for:

House Groups: “Pray that we can stimulate one another to love and good works. It's been exciting to see some specific answers to prayer.”

Ladies Bible Study: “would you please pray for four women who have health-related issues hindering their in-person participation? They’re feeling isolated, partly because of Covid.”

Speaking of Covid: Please pray as we reach out and face the challenges and complexities of evangelism and growing a church in an urban setting...and under current health restrictions

Charis churches and church plants in the Lyon region. Villeurbanne, Ponte de Che’ruy , Croix Rousse, and Tre’ voux. Pray for fruit in the hearts of those with whom the Gospel has been shared.

PRAY FOR FRANCE! Pray for representatives of the CNEF (National Council of French Evangelical) as they meet with government officials and try to dispel fears, debunk lies and communicate identity, all while showing the love of Christ.

Thanking God for you, your faithful prayers, support and friendship.
Patty

Attendance Last Week: In-Person Service: 41 Online Viewed: 64

Getting To Know Jesus Better In 2021

3 chapters each day takes you through the 4 gospels in 30 days

Chapters for the week of Mar 8-14 in the books of Matt 22-Mark 14

Monday	22-24
Tuesday	25-27
Wednesday	Matt 28-Mark 2
Thursday	Mark 3-5

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→ TV show: Pros vs Joes . . . kind of like me vs Satan!

→ There are more lessons to be found in the story of Jesus' time of testing:

1. TESTING IS GOD'S PLAN FOR ME

A. This was no accident or "happstance" - He was "impelled" by the Spirit

B. The point of testing is to prove the value or worth of someone/thing

C. God always tests those He uses

D. Tests are designed to strengthen and enable

→ Tests are intended to develop your confidence...

- in God's PERSON
- in God's POWER
- in God's PLANS

2. TESTING INVOLVES _____

A. Hard _____ ("40 days & 40 nights")

B. Hard _____ ("wilderness")

C. Hard _____ ("with wild beasts")

D. Hard _____ ("it is written")

3. TESTING RESULTS IN _____ OR _____

A. Victory is DEFINED as _____

B. Victory is DETERMINED by _____

C. Victory is DESTINED to lead to _____

→ So What? Taking It Home!

1. How's your _____ cf. James 1:2-3

2. How's your _____

3. What does God want you learn here?

4. How about praying this way:

"Lord, I accept this test as from _____; help me to learn what you have for me through it; help me to recognize where Satan wants to draw me into _____, help me resist him; teach me to depend on _____, your strength, and your _____ as I go through it; make me more useful for you as the result"