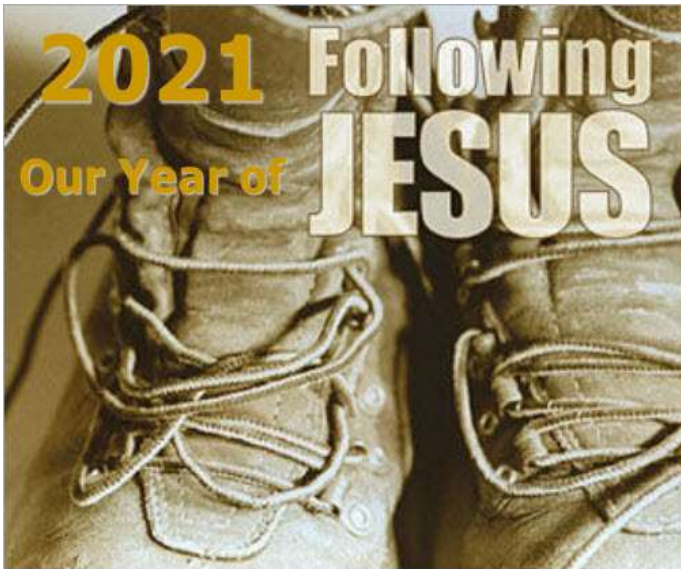


Welcome To
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Colossians 2:6,7

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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July 25, 2021

Sundays at Grace

Bible Classes: 9:00am

Grace Gathering [Courtyard]: 9:40am

Grace Worship Service: 10:00am

Pastor Roy Halberg

Sermon: "A Second Look at The Four Soils"

Weekly Theme Passage:

Mark 4:20

We welcome our guests today and if you are new to Grace and are looking for a way to connect, 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!



- 1) Go to www.gracelive.com and click on the YouTube link on the homepage
OR
- 2) Go directly to YouTube.com and search for 'Grace Norwalk'

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.

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 July 19 -July 25 are Luke 11 John 7

Monday	Luke 11-13	Friday	Luke 23*John 1
Tuesday	Luke 14-16	Saturday	John 2-4
Wednesday	Luke 17-19	Sunday	John 5-7
Thursday	Luke 20-22		



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Joshua Molina	Mon	July 26
Christian Garcia	Tue	July 27
Kathy Kocina	Wed	July 28
Ariana Kelly	Wed	July 28
Clansy Cabrera	Thu	July 29



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Ron & Dee Muir	Thu	July 29
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EVENTS THIS WEEK @ GRACE

Sunday Bible Classes	Sun	July 25	9:00am
Grace Gathering [in the Courtyard]	Sun	July 25	9:40am
Worship Service	Sun	July 25	10:00am
Men's Small Group	Tue	July 27	6:30am
Gonzalez Small Group	Tue	July 27	7:00pm
Midweek Bible Study	Wed	July 28	6:30pm
Worship Team Practice	Thu	July 29	6:00pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Memorial Services

Mily Solis

Celebrating the life of **Mily Solis** mother to **Nancy Solis** and **Patty Morales**. Service (in Spanish) here on **Friday July 30th** at **7:00pm**. If possible, come join and support the family

Carleda Hutton

Memorial Service for longtime Music/Choir Director **Carleda Hutton**. Service will be at Grace Brethren Long Beach **3601 Linden Ave Long Beach** on **Saturday July 31st** at **11:00am**

From

Pastor Roy Halberg

WHY IS IT TAKING SO LONG FOR US TO FIND A NEW PASTOR?

Are you getting uncomfortable and anxious as we wait for the arrival of our new pastor? Do you find yourself becoming frustrated with the time it is taking?

I want to remind you that our God is in control and he promises that He is “working all things after the counsel of His will” (Ephesians 1:11) and He says, “I will instruct you and teach you in the way which you should go; I will counsel you with My eye upon you.” (Psalm 32:8).

God’s timing is always BEST and His timing is always RIGHT. I have found that His timing seems to seldom correspond to my time table and plans. Perhaps that is part of what faith and trust are all about.

I shouldn’t be surprised at this. Jesus’ disciples struggled with His time table also. In fact, when Peter expressed opposition to Jesus’ plans, Jesus spoke those very harsh sounding words, “Get behind me Satan!”

So let’s all relax and rest today in God’s waiting room!

As for me . . . I’m not anxious. I’m not frustrated. I’m not uncomfortable. I’m very happy in this waiting time and content to simply follow Jesus with you on this journey. I believe the end will be worth the wait.

Attendance Last Week: In-Person Service: 66 Online Viewed:25

NORWALK WOMEN OF GRACE

Attention all ladies! Interested in studying the book of Ruth thru Life Bible Study with Women of Grace? It starts on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm from **Sept. to Nov. 2021**. Cost of the book is **\$6.50**. In December we will have a Potluck and White Elephant gift exchange. In January thru May we will be studying the books of 1 & 2 Kings. Cost of the book is **\$6.50** shipping!! **Please note that the deadline for ordering the book July 25, total \$13.00 for 2 the books.** Please sign up with Pauline or Bonnie – we will contact you to order books.

A Second Look At The Four Soils

Mark 4:20

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→ Some answers to questions raised by last week's message . . .

1. HOW DOES SOIL BECOME GOOD? PREPARED TO RECEIVE AND RESPOND TO THE SEED?

-God's part: Jn 16:8, Jn 6:44

-Our part:

2. HOW DOES A PERSON KNOW FOR SURE THAT HE IS SAVED/BORN AGAIN?

→REVIEW from last Sunday. . .

What is the evidence that identifies the true believer? One word . . . _____

A. FRUIT is consistent with repentance- Matt 3:8

B. FRUIT is doing good/good works- Col 1:10; Eph 2:10

C. FRUIT is righteousness= holiness/right living- Eph 5:8-10; Phil 1:11; Heb 12:11

D. FRUIT is attitudes generated by the indwelling Holy Spirit (contrasted with the deeds of the flesh!) Gal 5:22-23

E. FRUIT is gratitude and praise- Heb 13:15

F. FRUIT is witness/faith-sharing- John 15:16

3. DO GENUINE CHRISTIANS NEVER SIN?

-It is all about a new relationship with Jesus

→a new relationship to S_____

→a new relationship to His C_____ - Jn 14:15; 21-24; 1 Jn 2:3-6

SO WHAT? NOW WHAT?

1. Look for F_____!

2. Keep scattering S_____