

**Welcome To**  
**Grace Brethren Church**

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**Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he  
is a new creation; old things have  
passed away; behold, all things  
have become new.**

**2Cor. 5:17-18**



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**Jan 16, 2022**

# Sundays at Grace

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Bible Classes: 9:00am

Grace Gathering [Courtyard]: 9:40am

Grace Worship Service: 10:00am

**PASTOR OSCAR CHAVEZ**

SERMON:

**“The Walk of Faith”**

Weekly Theme Passage:  
2 Corinthians 5:7

**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](http://www.gracelive.com) and click on the YouTube link on the homepage
- OR**
- 2) Go directly to [YouTube.com](http://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.

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## **READ YOUR BIBLE REGULARLY IN 2022**

Pastor Roy invites you to join him in a Bible reading adventure through Psalms and Proverbs this year. The plan is to read through both books every month in 2022. Read five psalms each day and one chapter from Proverbs each day. This reading will draw you into fresh encounters of worship and prayer every day with the added bonus of the wisdom of Proverbs, skill for living. **LET THE ADVENTURE BEGIN!!**



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Steve Yrineo

Fri

Jan 21

## EVENTS THIS WEEK @ GRACE

|                                    |     |        |         |
|------------------------------------|-----|--------|---------|
| Fellowship Lunch with Pastor Oscar | Sun | Jan 16 | 11:30am |
| Charis Women's Bible Study(zoom)   | Mon | Jan 17 | 7:00pm  |
| Men's Bible Study                  | Tue | Jan 18 | 6:30am  |
| Gonzalez Small Group               | Tue | Jan 18 | 7:00pm  |
| Wednesday Bible Study              | Wed | Jan 19 | 6:30pm  |
| Grace Students                     | Wed | Jan 19 | 6:30pm  |
| Worship Practice                   | Thu | Jan 20 | 6:00pm  |
| Morales Small Group                | Fri | Jan 21 | 6:30pm  |

## UPCOMING EVENTS

|   |     |        |         |
|---|-----|--------|---------|
| Heights of Grace Outreach                   | Sat | Jan 22 | 9:00am  |
| Special Congregational Meeting              | Sun | Jan 23 | 11:30am |
| Congregational 4 <sup>th</sup> qtr. Meeting | Sun | Feb 6  | 11:30am |

### Thank You!

Cheryl Sincok sends her appreciation on all your prayers. She's getting better and hopefully soon she'll join us once again.

## Small Groups Schedule

|                        |                      |                      |        |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|
| <b>Women Only</b>      | <b>Zoom</b>          | Mon                  | 7:00pm |
| With Amy Chavez        |                      |                      |        |
| <b>Men Only</b>        | <b>Grace Campus</b>  | Tues                 | 6:30am |
| With Pastor Roy        |                      |                      |        |
| <b>Women Only</b>      | <b>Grace Campus</b>  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues | 6:00pm |
| With Pauline Issa      |                      |                      |        |
| <b>Anyone</b>          | <b>Gonzalez Home</b> | Tues                 | 7:00pm |
| With Vet Gonzalez      |                      |                      |        |
| <b>Wed Bible Study</b> | <b>Grace Campus</b>  | Wed                  | 6:30pm |
| With Ron Muir          |                      |                      |        |
| <b>Anyone</b>          | <b>Morales Home</b>  | 1st & 3rd Fri        | 6:30pm |
| With Eddie Morales     |                      |                      |        |

## Assist Church Expansion

One organization that exists within our fellowship of Charis (Grace Brethren) Churches, is **Assist Church Expansion**. The Assist organization was created to help empower churches for healthy expansion and legacy. They assist churches with **1) church planting, 2) campus expansion/multisite, 3) revitalization, 4) church mergers, and 5) leadership succession plans.**

One year ago, at the end of 2020, our elders and pastoral search team began conversations with Assist Church Expansion to inquire about assisting us with our leadership change and to help revitalize our ministries so that we could have a “New Day” and a stronger vision for reaching the city of Norwalk! Last January, our church unanimously agreed to partner with Assist and begin the process of a 3-year journey with them to start this revitalization process.

Assist has helped us this past year in the search for a new Lead Pastor and we are thrilled to have Pastor Oscar Chavez – our Pastoral Candidate – here with us today for a 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday. Continue to pray with us as we hope to complete this step of finding a Lead Pastor on Sunday, January 23<sup>rd</sup> when we gather to affirm the recommendation by the Elders and our Pastoral Search Team. The next step will be to develop a team around our Lead Pastor that can help to execute a fresh vision going forward to reach people with the Gospel.

It is an exciting time in the life of Grace Norwalk, and we are thrilled that God has allowed us to partner with Assist Church Expansion as we seek to have a “New Day” in the southern California region. Nathan Bryant – the president of Assist – will be with us on Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup> to give us some updates on the Assist organization during our morning worship service.

**Pray ... Prepare ... Participate ...** and let’s watch as God continues to use us to expand His kingdom!

Attendance Last Week: In-Person Service: 65

Online Viewed: 61