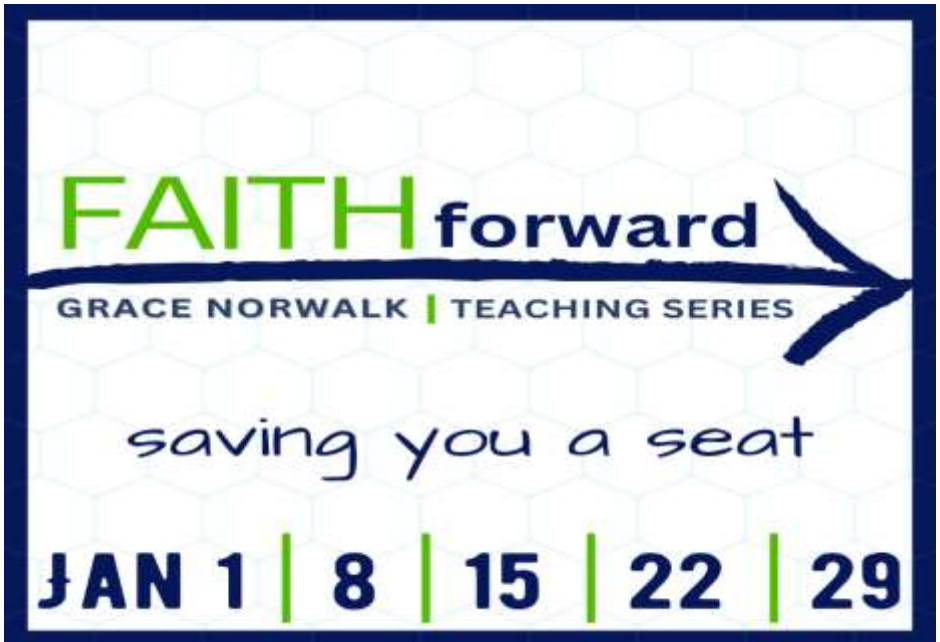


Welcome To Grace Brethren Church

11005 Foster Rd.
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We welcome our guests today and if you are new to Grace Norwalk and looking for a way to connect, text the word "CONNECT" to 562.444.1211 and we will text you occasional updates and events at GRACE. We are so glad you are here with us today.

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February 05, 2023

Today at Grace

Bible Classes: 9:00am

Grace Gathering in the Courtyard: 10:15am

Main Worship Service: 10:45am

Grace Kids Worship (Rm B105): 10:45am

Grace Students Worship (Rm D101): 10:45 am

TEACHING SERIES

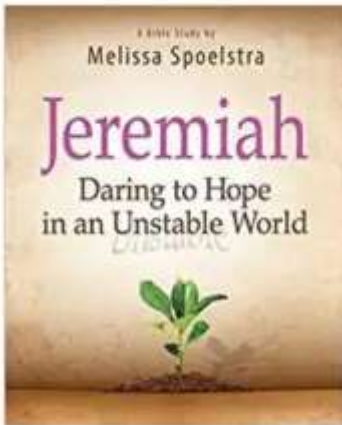


Pastor Roy Halberg

“Faith For the Future”

(5th in our series)

Proverbs 3:5-6



come join us!

Book costs \$15.

For more info, visit the connect center.

LET'S STUDY GOD'S WORD TOGETHER.

Jeremiah offers women **hope** for living in an uncertain world by learning to navigate the challenges and circumstances of their lives. This six-week study examines God's words of instruction to His wayward people through the prophet Jeremiah, and provides women six guidelines for intentional living to **overcome fear, worry, and doubt** as they surrender their wills to God's and put their hope in Him alone.

STARTS FEBRUARY 6TH

Every Monday night at 7pm for 6 weeks.

On campus at Grace Norwalk.

Spanish Worship Service Kick-Off

Pray for our Spanish Service as we officially launch on Feb. 12 @9:00am

EVENTS THIS WEEK @ GRACE

Honor Lunch for Pastor Roy & Andrea(courtyard)	Sun	Feb 05 12:00pm
Grace Women's Bible Study (Rm B103)	Mon	Feb 06 7:00pm
Women of Grace Bible Study (Rm D102)	Tue	Feb 07 6:00pm
Ironmen Bible Study	Tue	Feb 07 6:30pm
Gonzalez Small Group (Gonzalez Home)	Tue	Feb 07 7:00pm
Worship Team Practice	Thu	Feb 08 6:30pm
Bible Studies (English & Spanish)	Fri	Feb 09 6:30pm
Grace Students & Grace Kids	Fri	Feb 09 6:30pm
Women's Event (Sourdough class)	Sat	Feb 11 10:00am
Grace Students Cookie Event	Sat	Feb 11 9:00am

COMING EVENTS

Spanish Worship Service (Rm D101)	Sun	Feb 12 9:00am
Church Meeting (4 th Qtr.) (Rm B103)	Sun	Feb 12 12:00pm

Grace Women

Sourdough Class

Have you ever wanted to make sourdough?
Do you enjoy time away learning something new?

Join our Grace Women for a sourdough class. Every participant will go home with a sourdough starter, a proofing basket, and a loaf ready to bake. Plus, you'll receive a ton of knowledge and have fun memories!



Saturday February 11th
10a - 12p. Cost is \$25.
Sign up today to save your seat.



Grace Church Norwalk
11005 Foster Road, Norwalk, CA 90650
Room B103



Judith Vindiola our Grace Kid's Director

When did you come onto staff at Grace Norwalk?

This young woman came to be our Grace Kid's Director last year.

When did you begin a relationship with Jesus?

She has been a Christian for a little over 6 years. But has been a Bible student most of her life as she was raised a Catholic and loved to study the Bible. But one day She made an important decision in making the choice to go and stay in an Evangelical church.

What are the names of your kids?

Judith is a God-fearing woman with two children Mariana 17 & Joel 13.

What is your present full-time job?

She works as *Academic Coordinator at IMAN High School*. And likes working with children.

What do you like to do in your free time?

Her favorite pastimes are Reading and Cooking (her daughter says she's an excellent cook 😊). The thing that brings her most joy is teaching High School students. She loves the fact that she can plant the seeds by being a positive influence in young people while sharing Gods Word.

What is your favorite Bible Verse?

Her favorite Bible Verses are Rom 5:2-6

Continue to pray for Judith, her family & the Grace Kid's Ministry.

Faith For The Future
#5 in our series "Faith Forward"
Proverbs 3:5-6
Pastor Roy Halberg

→ The future is uncertain & unknown ... we need faith as we go forward

God wants us to know and do His will more than we want to know and do it

→ Proverbs 3:5-6 provides us with

A PROMISE PROCEEDED BY THREE PREREQUISITES

1. GOD'S **PROMISE** OF DIRECTION ("He will make your paths straight")

→ WHO does the directing?

→ WHAT does this direction involve?

2. DEPENDS ON OUR **PRACTICE** OF TRUSTING

("Trust in the Lord with all your heart")

→ The DEFINITION of this "trust"

→ The DIRECCION of our trust

→ The DEGREE of our trust

3. BUT IS HINDERED BY OUR **PROBLEM** OF LEANING

("And do not lean on your own understanding")

→ THE PRINCIPLE: to the degree that I am leaning, I am not trusting

→ THE PROBLEM: I need to use the understanding that God has given to me, but I must not rely or depend on it

4. THE KEY IS FOUND IN THE **PRIORITY** OF ACKNOWLEDGING THE LORD

("In all your ways acknowledge Him")

→ This involves the FOCUS of our lives

→ It also involves the FREQUENCY of this knowing

→ So, here's the bottom line:

INTIMACY precedes DIRECTION ...

the person who is serious about wanting God's leading and direction in his/her life must make it a priority to INVEST TIME GETTING TO KNOW THE LORD ...

You TRUST most the ones you KNOW best!

SO WHAT? NOW WHAT? TAKING IT HOME!!

→ God wants us to know and do His will more than we want to know and do it

1. Take time to take inventory:

- Am I a Truster or a Leaner?
- Do I really want God to lead or do I want to be in control?
- Is there an area of my life that is marked more by Leaning than by Trusting?

2. My challenge for you in 2023 and beyond:

Will you commit to joining me in a year focused on deeper intimacy with God?

- Regular, daily time alone with the Lord: When? __ am/pm & Where? _____
- A simple agenda: read and pray . . . listen to the Lord and do what He says

3. REMEMBER THIS:

"Cling tightly to the Lord Yahweh with the entirety of your inner being and do not rely or depend on your own wisdom, education, and insight. In every aspect of your daily life, make it your priority to get to know the Lord Yahweh better and more intimately and will make your path forward level, even, straight, and prosperous"
(PRT- Pastor Roy's Translation)

→ Lord, help me to _____