

Church Office 772-287-6388

WELCOME TO THE GRACE PLACE

July 23 and 24, 2011

Welcome to The Grace Place Church. We are so thankful you have joined us this weekend for worship, celebration and fellowship. I know what we are going to be focusing on in this service is vitally important and affects all of us. When I was 17 years old, God made it very clear to me that His purpose for my life was to serve Him as a pastor. It was such a compelling persuasion that from that day until now – 39 years later, I have never struggled with questions about what I am supposed to do with my life. This weekend we are going to focus on a man who had a similar “call” from God. He was to go to a pagan city and communicate God’s love, grace and judgment. Unfortunately, he decided he did not want to do what God told him to do with his one and only life and went in the opposite direction. Even though Jonah made a very foolish decision to try to run away from God, God had a supernatural fix for it. God was chasing him (and some of us) with His grace.

Next weekend, July 30, 31 we are going to have a special “healing” emphasis. There are many people in our church who are dealing with life-threatening physical problems, or trying to overcome addictions, etc. We believe it is important to spend time in each of the three services to pray for God’s healing in their lives. James 5:14,15 (NIV) says: “Is any one of you sick? He should call the elders of the church to pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord. [15] And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up...” If you are dealing with a physical problem, relational need, etc. the staff pastors, elders and myself will be anointing you with oil and praying with you for God’s healing in your life. We believe God wants to work in your life in a dynamic and transforming way.

We are quickly approaching the cut-off time for you to be able to join Karon and me on our seventh trip to Israel. We invite you to join us for an informational/planning dinner meeting at our house on Friday evening, August 12 at 6:30 p.m. We are now a little less than 4 months away from leaving for Israel and the travel agency needs to start finalizing our plans for the trip, so please give my wife Karon a call at 772-287-6388 or 772-284-7010 (voice or text), or email her at karonaddison@thegraceplace.com to get more information about the trip, or confirm you are joining us for dinner. It is impossible to adequately describe what it is like to walk in places that you know Jesus Himself walked, to know that in this very place the voice of our Savior was physically heard. This year’s trip will be November 9-18, 2011. On this trip we will visit all of the significant Biblical sites in Israel and each day we will have study and worship time at a special Biblical site. There are brochures available in the lobby this weekend at the Israel trip table.

I trust you are having a wonderful summer! We are so glad you are in worship this weekend. If you are still planning to travel out of town this summer, remember you can be a part of our internet church via www.thegraceplace.com/live at any of the regularly scheduled worship times!

Pastor Rick

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GREATER THINGS ARE YET TO COME

Today's Celebration Service

Total Campaign Pledges	\$ 611,178.46
Received this week	\$ 755.00
Received to date	\$ 545,777.10

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Celebrate Recovery – Open House this Tuesday!!! - You are Invited!

Join us in the Connection Center this Tuesday, July 26 at 6pm for an old fashioned BBQ (first time guests eat free). The evening begins at 7pm with uplifting praise and worship followed by several men and women giving their testimonies on how a Celebrate Recovery Step Study has forever changed their life and how this journey of self discovery has resulted in a closer walk with Christ! They want to give God the glory for their new found freedom from their issues. We all know someone that has a hurt, habit, or hang-up and needs some help...maybe that person is you.

- Do you have unresolved anger, resentment, or control issues?
- Do you struggle with weight, self esteem, isolation, depression, self worth, or doubt?
- Are you the child, friend, parent, wife or husband, sister or brother of an addict or alcoholic?
- Do you struggle with thinking you are responsible to FIX that person? Are YOU that person?
- Do you struggle with grief, loneliness, relationship issues, pornography, or unresolved childhood issues?

Come to our Open House on Tuesday and bring that person or yourself and check us out! The evening will conclude with ice cream brownie sundaes and fellowship in the lobby! This is a night you don't want to miss you will leave thinking...WOW...I wonder if that could happen for me? The answer is YES!! Childcare is available for infant through 5th grade. You must be over 18 to attend the large group meeting. For more information call 287-6388 or contact Stephanie Johnston, Celebrate Recovery Director at stephaniejohnston@thegraceplace.com.

Worship

*"Holy Is The Lord"
"No Chains On Me"*

Welcome

Worship

"Lead Me To The Cross"

Message

"You Cannot Run Away From God"

**Rick Addison,
Senior Pastor**

Prayer

- **Food Pantry** - immediate needs - boxed meals – (ie hamburger helpers or rice), spaghetti sauce with meat/noodles, veggies, peanut butter and jam.
- **School Supplies** - we will be collecting for "Back to School" in August focusing mostly on elementary age children in need. Back packs, paper, spiral notebooks, crayons - regular and beginner, pencil boxes, pencils, notebooks with dividers, glue sticks, and pens.

Giving Back To God

Prayer Support/ Communion

KIOSK
located in the lobby for credit/debit card donations.

ONLINE
www.thegraceplace.com/giving, set-up ACH debit from your checking or savings account or set-up online bill pay with your bank.

MAIL
Postage Paid envelopes

SERVICE
In person during the weekend services, Wednesday night classes or at the church offices Monday thru Friday 8am to 5pm.

Suzanne Adams, Director of Finance 772-287-6388, suzanneadams@thegraceplace.com

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Worship Service Etiquette

Thank you for using our Infant and Toddler nurseries in the Ministry Center. We know by doing so you will experience more from our worship service and reduce distractions to other worshipers as well.

- Please turn off your cell phone.
- If you know that you will have to leave the service early, please sit in the back row of a section to keep from distracting others in worship.
- The message time and closing of each service is very important. People are making significant decisions in light of what they have experienced.

We ask that you pray for God's agenda to be fulfilled in the hearts of everyone attending. Thank you for not distracting other worshipers. God bless you.

Attention Ladies

- Girls Night Out this Friday!!- Tropical "Girls Night Out" at the beautiful home of Larry and Mary Waits in Tres Belle off Cove Road on Friday, July 29th from 6:30 to 9:30 pm. Come for a great evening of fellowship, fun, faith, and of course food. Cost is \$8 per person due by Thursday-July 28th. Share a delicious tropical meal planned by Pam Dykes and Mary Waits, have fun together with Monica P., laugh together as Deann Mullinax shares a typical day in her life, and just relax being with your sisters in the faith. Come and bring a friend!! See you there!!
- Women of Faith - October 28 & 29 at Fort Lauderdale Bank Atlantic Center. If you make a deposit of \$30 you get matched with \$25 for this month of July. DON'T MISS OUT!!! Escape from the everyday stresses for two days to be refreshed, encouraged and inspired. Because the God who loves you can do far more than you can ever "Imagine". (Ephesians 3:20) The total cost of the conference is \$90. Hotel options are available. You can pay online www.thegraceplace.com/registrations, at Welcome Center on weekend, or M-F at the Receptionist office. Call Karon for more information at 287-6388 or by email at karonaddison@thegraceplace.com.

Leadership Summit

Purchase your tickets (\$100) for the Willow Creek Leadership Summit Simulcast that will be held Aug. 11,12 at Palm Beach Community Church. More information is available at the Welcome Center.

Christmas in July

Join our Primetimers (55+) group as we celebrate "Christmas in July" on Thursday, July 28th at the church in the Connection Classroom from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm. Bring your favorite side dish to share, a wrapped white elephant gift (something you no longer use), and a friend! (meat provided)
For more information contact Karon at the church office 287-6388 or at karonaddison@thegraceplace.com.

Bible Study: James, 1st and 2nd Peter

This Bible study will guide you through the books of James and 1st and 2nd Peter and will help you find practical application for your life. If you have always wanted to study the Bible but didn't know how to get started, this class will open God's word to your heart and mind. So grab a cup of coffee and be prepared to be refreshed. Led by Pastor Joe Dawson, this study meets on Sundays at 9am and Wednesdays at 7pm.

Membership Classes

Learn more about our beliefs, history and values by attending our membership classes. Class 101 (Pastor Rick shares the history and vision of the church) and 301 (available after completion of 101 and 201) will be held Sunday, August 7 from 4:00 pm – 7:30 pm. A light meal will be served at 5:30 pm. Childcare available by pre-registration only.

Class 201 (opportunity to join) will be held Sunday, August 21 from 4-6:30 pm. Enjoy dinner with the staff members following the class. Childcare available by pre-registration only.

For **Class 301** you will find out the gifts and abilities God has equipped you with and how you can put these gifts and abilities to use in serving. Please complete the Spiritual Assessment prior to the class. It may be completed online at www.thegraceplace.com or you may purchase the workbook at our bookstore.

Faith Centered Job Networking Group

Thursdays from 7 to 8:30 pm in room 145. Join us as we help members and non-members to ease the strain of lost jobs in this very fragile economy. The purpose of the group is to help the unemployed or the under-employed to find a job through networking. Over 75% of the jobs are filled by networking. We will focus on sphere of influence, methodology, tools and techniques, and accountability.

Benefits to the Participants:

- receive support and encouragement in a group environment and that you are not alone in this journey
- maintain accountability in the job search process
- receive tools and techniques for networking
- leverage and learn from other participants' experience and knowledge
- grow in relationship with Christ and reconnect

Please call Ramesh Abi at 561-214-5757 or email to RayAbi@comcast.net to join the group or request additional information. Sign up at the Welcome Desk.

Freedom Begins Here

Freedom Begins Here material is designed to create a safe place for men to be challenged and equipped to guard their hearts, flee temptation and find complete freedom from sexual sin. This 7 week study will provide a clear strategy for those struggling with sexual temptation to assess their needs, find inspiration for change, and develop means of personal accountability. You don't have to struggle anymore, freedom begins here. Led by Bill Strunk, this study will meet on Wednesday nights at 7pm starting this week.

When Life Is Hard

Let's face it, life is hard. It comes with all kinds of challenges, trials and suffering. When Life Is Hard shares a refreshingly candid and challenging message that teaches Christians not only why God allows suffering, but also what God wants us to do with our suffering. If you have always wondered "Why?" then this class may have the answer.

Led by Debra Allen and Sue McCarthy, this study meets on Wednesdays at 7pm.

When Good Kids Make Bad Choices

What do you do when your child chooses a different path for their life than what you raised for them? Are they rejecting your faith and values? Now there is help and hope for hurting parents. While the path is difficult for any parent to walk, there are solutions. This study will help you understand and deal with good kids who make bad choices. Led by Mike and Deb Kirkhart each Wednesday night at 7pm.

Counseling Service

Counseling Services are available for a nominal fee with Peggy Cioffi. Peggy has a Master's Degree in counseling psychology, is certified by the State of Florida, and internationally, in substance abuse for individuals or couples. Please call Peggy at 287-6388, ext 126 or 485-2030 for information.

Prayer Needs

Ally Zink – hospitalized in Atlanta

Norma Wagner - health issues

Frieda Cooper - health issues

Registration & Information

Information Request:

I would like information about the following ministries:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Primetimers (55+) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tech Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wed. Campus Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce Care |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Celebrate Recovery | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Home Small Groups | <input type="checkbox"/> Children's |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Women's |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Worship Choir | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Men's | |

If You Are A First Time Guest:

How did you hear about us?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Website | <input type="checkbox"/> Billboard |
| <input type="checkbox"/> TV Ad | <input type="checkbox"/> Mailing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Friend |

Please Contact Me Concerning:

- Children's Ministries Team
- TGP Security Ministry Team
- Coffee Connection Team
- Other

Spiritual Commitments:

- I prayed today to begin a personal relationship with Christ.
- How do I begin a personal relationship with Christ?
- How do I join The Grace Place?

Prayer Needs:

- Personal:

- Seekers I am Praying for:

- I would like my request put on the Wednesday prayer sheet.

Please complete Name & Address section on reverse. Tear off along the perforation and drop in the offering bucket or turn in at the Welcome Center.

Weekend Worship Services

- ➔ Saturday Worship 6:00 pm
- ➔ Sunday Worship 9:00 am & 11:00 am
- ➔ Hispanic Worship 11:00 am (Chapel)
- ➔ Nursery, Kid's Church & Youth: All Services
- ➔ Grace Place sermons & music anytime:
www.thegraceplace.com/tv

<i>Weekly Schedule...</i>	
<p><u>MONDAY</u> 6:00 - 8:00 pm - Open Gym (volleyball) 6:30 - 8:30 pm - Step Study 7:00 - 8:00 pm - Zumba</p> <p><u>TUESDAY</u> 9:30 am - Women's Bible Study 9:30 am - Women's Step Study 7:00 pm - Celebrate Recovery - (Connection)</p> <p><u>WEDNESDAY</u> 6:00 - 7:00 pm - Choir Practice (Celebration Center) 7:00 pm - CR Step Studies 7:00 pm - Campus Studies 7:00 pm - Middle School (Connection) 7:00 pm - High School (Chapel) 7:00 - 8:00 pm - Band Practice</p> <p><u>THURSDAY</u> 6:30 - 8:30 pm - Step Study 6:30 - 8:30 pm - The Landing (Connection) 7:00 - 8:00 pm - Zumba 7:00 - 8:30 pm - Young Adults meeting 1st and 3rd (Chapel)</p> <p><u>FRIDAY</u> 9:30 am - Caregivers Support Group - 2nd Friday</p> <p><u>SATURDAY</u> 6:00 pm - Worship Service (Celebration Center)</p> <p><u>SUNDAY</u> 9:00 am - Worship Service (Celebration Center) 9:00 am - High School Bible Study (Connection Ctr) 9:00 am - Adult Bible Study 11:00 am - Worship Service (Celebration Center) 11:00 am - Hispanic Service - (Chapel)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>WEDNESDAY :</u> 5:30 - 7:00 pm Light Dinner in Connection available for under \$5</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 pm ✦ Kids Church (Ministry Center) Middle School: (Connection)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">7:00 pm ✦ Campus Studies (onsite)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grace Book Place</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Hours Tuesday - 9 am to 1 pm Thursday - 1 pm to 5 pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday before & after services</p>

Last week @ The Grace Place: *the people came ...*

Weekend	1067	General Fund Wk Budget	\$36,000.00
		Tithe	\$26,671.00
Saturday, 6:00 pm	230	SPECIAL OFFERINGS (Offerings given over and above tithe)	
Sunday, 9:00 am	326	Missions	\$749.00
Sunday, 11:00 am	428	Building Fund	\$755.00
Hispanic	83	High Impact Partners	\$30.00

OUR MINISTRY TEAM:

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Hispanic Pastor - Marco Angles

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