

Grace *Today*

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*Glorifying the
Risen Savior*



Today at Grace

8 am

Coffee and Donuts
(Chapel Plaza)

9 and 11 am

Worship Services
Fellowship Groups
Children's Sunday School
Spanish Ministries

After Morning Services

Welcome Center
Member Center
Ministry Tables (Patio)

- Day of Prayer
- Equipped for Life Conference
- Fundamentals of the Faith
- Local Outreach

Grace Books
Scholar's Desk
Steeple House Coffee

3 pm

Campus Closes

See back for building locations.

During the 11 am service, interpreting in ASL is available in the Worship Center. Foreign language livestreams for the 11 am service are available at gracechurch.org/live.

Morning Worship Service — 9 and 11 am

Symphony I: Final

Stephen Sturz, Organ Prelude • Vierende

Call to Worship

Hymn Medley

Congregation

Scripture Reading & Prayer

Resurrection Hymn (See What a Morning)

Worship Choir • Getty-Townend/Strite

Announcements & Offering

The Power of the Cross

John & Lisa Martin • Getty-Townend/Hamilton

Hymn 110 *Thine Is the Glory*

Congregation

MESSAGE

The Father Buries His Son

John MacArthur • Mark 15:42–47

Doxology Hymn

Hymn 307 Christ Arose!

Low in the grave He lay—Jesus, my Savior!
Waiting the coming day—Jesus, my Lord!
Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His Saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Death cannot keep his prey—Jesus, my Savior!
He tore the bars away—Jesus, my Lord!
Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His Saints to reign.
He arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

Let the Whole Creation Cry

Organ Postlude • Johnson

There will be no evening service.

Enjoy the holiday with your family!

Resurrection Hymn (See What a Morning)

Alleluia, alleluia...

See, what a morning, glor'ously bright,
With the dawning of hope in Jerusalem;
Folded the graveclothes, tomb filled with light,
As the angels announce, "Christ is risen!"
See God's salvation plan,
Wrought in love, borne in pain, paid in sacrifice;
Fulfilled in Christ, the Man,
For He lives: Christ is risen from the dead!

Alleluia, alleluia...

See Mary weeping, "Where is He laid?"
As in sorrow she turns from the empty tomb;
Hears a voice speaking, calling her name;
It's the Master, the Lord, raised to life again!
The voice that spans the years,
Speaking life, stirring hope, bringing peace to us,
Will sound till He appears,
For He lives: Christ is risen from the dead!

Alleluia, alleluia...

One with the Father, Ancient of Days,
Through the Spirit who clothes faith with certainty;
Honor and blessing, glory and praise
To the King crowned with pow'r and authority!
And we are raised with Him;
Death is dead, love has won, Christ has conquered;
And we shall reign with Him,
For He lives: Christ is risen from the dead!

Alleluia, alleluia...

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TODAY

New Here?

Following each Sunday morning service:

- **The Welcome Center** hosts a reception for visitors.
- **The Member Center** has information about membership and baptism.
- **The Prayer Room**, located adjacent to the Worship Center, is staffed with counselors ready to talk and pray with you, following both the morning and evening services.

See back for locations.

The Triumph of the Rising

by John MacArthur

In his new book, Pastor John turns his focus to the resurrection in 1 Corinthians 15, where Paul delivers the most extensive treatment of the resurrection in all of Scripture.

"As the heart pumps life-giving blood to every part of the body, so the truth of the resurrection gives life to every area of gospel truth."

**Free on the
Patio this morning.
One per family,
please.**



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Sunday School

9 and 11 am

Jesus Rises from the Dead

Mark 16:1-8

Main Idea: Believers are to be astonished and amazed because of the gospel.

Application: Tell others about Christ's death and resurrection.

Featured Hymn: *The Church's One Foundation* (Hymn 354)

Review: Why was the resurrection important?

Next Week: Acts 2

Adventure Club

6 pm

Due to the holiday, Adventure Club will not be meeting tonight.

For Sunday School room locations, visit Children's Check-in.
gracechurch.org/childrens

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

What is our hope in life and death?
Christ alone, Christ alone.
What is our only confidence?
That our souls to Him belong.
Who holds our days within His hand?
What comes, apart from His command?
And what will keep us to the end?
The love of Christ, in which we stand.

Refrain

O sing hallelujah!
Our hope springs eternal;
O sing hallelujah!
Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death.

What truth can calm the troubled soul?
God is good, God is good.
Where is His grace and goodness known?
In our great Redeemer's blood.
Who holds our faith when fears arise?
Who stands above the stormy trial?
Who sends the waves that bring us nigh
Unto the shore, the rock of Christ?

Unto the grave, what shall we sing?
"Christ, He lives; Christ, He lives!"
And what reward will heaven bring?
Everlasting life with Him.
There we will rise to meet the Lord,
Then sin and death will be destroyed,
And we will feast in endless joy,
When Christ is ours forevermore.

Now and ever we confess
Christ our hope in life and death.

Jesus, Thank You

The mystery of the cross I cannot comprehend,
The agonies of Calvary;
You, the perfect Holy One,
Crushed Your Son,
Who drank the bitter cup reserved for me.

Chorus

Your blood has washed away my sin;
Jesus, thank You!
The Father's wrath completely satisfied;
Jesus, thank You!
Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table;
Jesus, thank You!

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near;
Your enemy You've made Your friend.
Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace,
Your mercy and Your kindness know no end.

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Christ the Lord Is Risen Today HYMN 312

Christ the Lord is risen today, Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say: Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!
Sing, ye heav'ns, and earth reply: Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King, Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Dying once He all doth save, Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!
Fought the fight, the battle won, Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!
Christ hath opened paradise, Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Foll'wing our exalted Head, Alleluia!
Made like Him, like Him we rise, Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies, Alleluia!

Pray for Our Missionaries

Pray for our missionaries as they endeavor to make disciples of all nations, to the glory of God

| gracechurch.org/outreach

Faith Promise

Last week you generously gave **\$7,989**. Thank you for your ongoing support of our missionaries.

LOCAL OUTREACH SPOTLIGHT

Korean Outreach Bible Study

The Korean Outreach Bible Study seeks to provide fellowship for Korean-speaking members of Grace Church, as well as to reach out to the Korean community in Los Angeles. Korean Outreach meets every first and third Sunday for fellowship, prayer, worship, and Bible study.

| Next Sunday, April 7, 12:30 pm
H223-224
Info: Jong Yi, 818-634-5987

Upcoming at Grace

- 4/21 Communion
- 4/27 Day of Prayer
- 4/28 Right Hand of Fellowship
- 6/18-21 Vacation Bible School

gracechurch.org/news

HIGHLIGHTS

God's Word in Hebrew

Jerry & Nancy Sands, representatives with the Society for Distributing Hebrew Scriptures, will be offering a limited supply of free, bilingual Hebrew/English Old and New Testaments, as well as CDs containing the Bible in seventeen languages, next Sunday before and after both morning services. Please take a Bible to give to your unbelieving Jewish family members, friends, and neighbors.

| Next Sunday, March 31, GraceWalk

One with Christ

One with Christ exists to strengthen widows as they walk worthy of their calling (Ephesians 4:1), seeing God's hand in their healing, and finding strength and hope in God's Word. This year, we are going through *The Fruitful Life* by Jerry Bridges, considering the nine aspects of the fruit of the Spirit from Galatians 5:22-23 that focus on being God-centered in our lives as we are changed into His likeness.

| Monday, April 1, 9:30 am, CC130

Membership Classes

If you're interested in becoming part of our church family, a new Membership Matters class cycle begins next Sunday, April 7. These three membership classes are designed to introduce you to Grace Church, covering topics like "Distinguishing GCC from Other Churches" (101), "Why Membership Is Biblical" (102), and "How to Be an Effective Member at GCC" (103). For more information on the membership process, visit the Member Center any Sunday after either morning service.

| Beginning Sunday, April 7, 9 and 11 am
TMS Library (West)

With the Lord

Joshua Elias is in the presence of the Lord. We will be having a memorial service in his honor on Saturday, April 6 at 10:30 am in the Chapel. Please keep his family in your prayers.

Precious in the sight of Yahweh is the death of His holy ones. —Psalm 116:15

Grace Evangelism

Join us for a ten-week evangelism training course that equips believers with a clear gospel message. This class will train you to more faithfully “proclaim the excellencies of Him who has called you out of darkness into His marvelous light” (1 Peter 2:9) to those who need the Savior.

Sundays, beginning April 14, 3:30 pm
Sign up: gracechurch.org/evangelism

Day of Prayer

Join us for a day dedicated to prayer on Saturday, April 27, at any point from 6 am to 6 pm. Elders will open each hour with Scripture reading and prayer, and will invite you to pray for the specific needs of one another, our ministries, and the world. This will be a great opportunity for you to meet elders and fellow believers, trusting in the Lord together through prayer. To commit to pray at a specific time, or to submit your own prayer requests, visit the Patio table or gracechurch.org/dayofprayer.

Saturday, April 27, 6 am–6 pm, T70



Grace to You

Radio: *The Fulfilled Family*

KKLA 99.5FM LA / M–F 6:30 am & 7:30 pm
KDAR 98.3FM Oxnard-Ventura / M–F 2 & 10 am; Sun 2 am
KABC 790AM LA / Sat 7:30 am

TV: “God’s Providence in Christ’s Burial”

NRBTV Ch. 378 on DirecTV / Sun 6:30 pm

Visit our website for a full library of audio, video, and transcripts of Pastor John’s sermons; “The Study Bible” and “Grace to You Sermons” mobile apps; and other resources.

gty.org

Biblical Psalmody

This Grace Equip course, taught by Philip Webb, will survey the use of biblical psalmody as practiced in both Jewish and Christian worship, beginning from ancient history.

Monday–Friday, May 20–24, 12–5 pm
Register: gracechurch.org/equip

Grace Church Job Openings

Applicants for employment must be, if employed, biblically qualified as a deacon or deaconess and a member of Grace Church. For more information or to request an application, contact Human Resources at hr@gracechurch.org or 818-909-5672.

PT: Part-time; FT: Full-time

- Custodian, PT
- Director of IT, FT
- Dishwasher, PT
- Nursery Supervisor, PT
- Security Patrol, PT

Grace Academy

- Secondary School Teacher, PT/FT

For a full description of jobs and benefits, visit gracechurch.org/jobs.



Open Arms Pregnancy Clinic Job Openings

PT: Part-time; FT: Full-time

- Director of Development, PT
- Marketing Strategist, PT

For a full description of jobs and information on how to apply, visit gracechurch.org/opportunitiesheet.

Sunday Ministries

For a complete list of Sunday and midweek ministries, including those for men, women, and specific age groups, visit gracechurch.org/ministries.



9 am

Anchored T360
Pastors: Carl Hargrove, Bill Shannon

Cornerstone T370
Pastors: Nathan Busenitz, Mark Tatlock, Harry Walls

GraceLife
Not Meeting
Pastors: Phil Johnson, Mike Riccardi

Steadfast T270
Pastor: Brian Biedebach

Xchange (Middle School, Grades 6–8)
T70 (Tower Basement)
Pastor: Jay Lennington

11 am

180 (High School)
T70 (Tower Basement)
Pastor: Isaías Muñoz

Commissioned T270
Pastors: Rodney Andersen, Brad Klassen

Crossroads (College & Young Adult)
Not Meeting
Pastor: Austin Duncan

Joint Heirs T360
Pastors: Tom Patton, John Street

Sojourners T370
Pastors: Abner Chou, Joe Zhakevich

9 and 11 am

Children's Ministry
For room locations, visit Children's Check-in.
Pastor: Jay Lennington


Developmentally Disabled CC130E
Pastor: Rick McLean

Spanish Adult Sunday School
TMS Library (East)
Pastors: Luis Contreras, Josiah Grauman

Spanish Worship Services Chapel
Pastors: Luis Contreras, Josiah Grauman

Campus Map

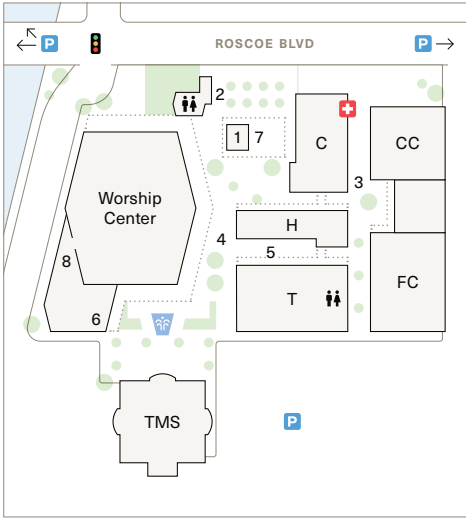
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Network:
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Proverbs3:5-6

Legend

- T Tower
- H Heritage
- CC Children's Center
- FC Family Center
- C Chapel
- 1 Welcome Center
- 2 Member Center
- 3 Children's Check-in
- 4 Patio
- 5 GraceWalk & Steeple House Coffee
- 6 Grace Books
- 7 Scholar's Desk
- 8 Prayer Room



To glorify God by proclaiming the gospel of Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Spirit, for the salvation of the lost and edification of the church.

Family of Ministries

Grace to You
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The Master's Seminary
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The Master's University
masters.edu

The Master's Academy International
tmai.org

John MacArthur Trust
jmacarthurtrust.org

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