

Living Right Side Up in an Upside Down World | Nov. 21-22, 2015

But when they did not find them, they dragged Jason and some brethren to the rulers of the city, crying out, "These who have turned the world upside down have come here too." Acts 17:6 (NKJV)

How can I live right side up in an upside down world?

1. Tend to \_\_\_\_\_\_

Brothers and sisters, we urge you to warn those who are lazy. Encourage those who are timid. Take tender care of those who are weak. Be patient with everyone. See that no one pays back evil for evil, but always try to do good to each other and to all people. 1 Thessalonians 5:14-15 (NLT)

2. Tend to \_\_\_\_\_\_

Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. Do not quench the Spirit. Do not treat prophecies with contempt but test them all; hold on to what is good, reject every kind of evil. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-22 (NIV)

Now may the God of peace make you holy in every way, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again. God will make this happen, for he who calls you is faithful. 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24 (NLT)

### **GRACE NEWS**

**Discover Grace Church** - Find out who we are and how you can get connected in a fun and relaxed setting. This is a required class to become a member of Grace Church. Light dinner and childcare available. 6:30-8pm Wednesday Dec. 2. Call Kim Severin at 239.574.7161.

Join an Advent Small Group - Journey with others for 4 weeks in a group that will study the book "Sent: Delivering the Gift of Hope at Christmas." Find out more at the Sent Groups table this weekend.

**Surviving the Holidays** - Grief can make the holiday season tough. Find help and support in a safe place. 6:30-8pm Dec. 2 and 9 in Room 4, attend one or both.

**Grace Nurses** – Meet other nurses and talk about possibilities for serving our neighbors. 1pm Sunday Dec. 6 in Room 5 or call Pastor Cindy at 239.574.7161.

**Young Adult Mission Trip** - A college-age team will serve with our partner pastors in Nicaragua from May 14-20. Learn more at 1pm Sunday Nov. 22 in the Youth Room or call Pastor Taylor at 239.574.7161.

**The Joy of Giving** - This Christmas, bless children in need through Adopt-a-Child, Angel Tree, Giving Tree, or Oma's Heart. Learn more at the display tables or call Kim Severin at 239.574.7161.

# LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BASKETS AS YOU EXIT

| Date: / /                               |  |  |  |
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| Service Attended:                       |  |  |  |
| □ 1st time □ 2nd time □ 3rd time        |  |  |  |
| Regular Attendee Church Member          |  |  |  |
| Male Female                             |  |  |  |
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| Name(s):                                |  |  |  |
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| □ Single □ 18-23 □ 50's                 |  |  |  |
| □ Married □ 24-29 □ 60+                 |  |  |  |
| □ Divorced □ 30's                       |  |  |  |
| □ Widowed □ 40's                        |  |  |  |
| □ Middle School □ High School □ College |  |  |  |
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| □ Please update my contact information  |  |  |  |

#### **MY DECISION TODAY**

- I said **YES** for the first time,
  - and became a follower of Jesus.
- I decided to **RENEW** my relationship with Jesus.

We have resources to help you with your decision.

### PRAYER REQUESTS

| PRAY FOR:   |                  |  |
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| □ Public Prayer List □  | For Pastors Only |  |
| I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:   |                  |  |
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| SENT SMALL GROUP  |                  |  |
| I want to be in a Sent small group.   |                  |  |
|   |                  |  |
| SMART GIVING  |                  |  |
| go to: egracechurch.com/give<br>-OR-  |                  |  |
| text any amount to: 239.443.5901  |                  |  |
| An effective and time-saving w<br>give your tithes and offerings w<br>carrying cash or writing checks | vithout          |  |
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**The Red Rose** is given by Leslie Erschen in loving memory of her son, Barry Erschen, Jr., who passed away November 22, 2012.

## SCHEDULE

#### Worship Times:

Saturday @ 5pm | Sunday @ 10 & 11:30am, Sunday at 8:30am (Traditional)

#### **Grace Kidz/Youth**

Grace Place (Infant - 5th grade): Sat. @ 5pm, Sunday @ 10 & 11:30am Planet 45 (4th & 5th): Monday from 6-730pm Octane (Middle School): Sunday @ 10 & 11:30am Revolution (Middle School + High School): Sunday from 5-6:30pm

#### **Recovery**

Celebrate Recovery: Tuesday @ 6:25pm, Friday @ 6:45pm

## GIVING

| General Fund |             |  |
|--------------|-------------|--|
| Last Week    | \$31,009    |  |
| Needed YTD   | \$1,508,800 |  |
| Received YTD | \$1,351,171 |  |

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