



**KEEP  
CALM  
AND  
LOVE  
ON**

*July 24, 2016*

*We know what real love is because Jesus gave up his life for us. So we also ought to give up our lives for our brothers and sisters. If someone has enough money to live well and sees a brother or sister in need but shows no compassion – how can God’s love be in that person? Dear children, let’s not merely say that we love each other; let us show the truth by our actions. Our actions will show that we belong to the truth, so we will be confident when we stand before God. Even if we feel guilty, God is greater than our feelings, and he knows everything. Dear friends, if we don’t feel guilty, we can come to God with bold confidence. And we will receive from him whatever we ask because we obey him and do the things that please him. And this is his commandment: We must believe in the name of his Son, Jesus Christ, and love one another, just as he commanded us. Those who obey God’s commandments remain in fellowship with him, and he with them. And we know he lives in us because the Spirit he gave us lives in us.*

1 John 3:16-24 (NLT)

### How do I love like Jesus?

1. Choose to love \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Choose to love \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Choose to love even when it is \_\_\_\_\_.

## God's Vision for Grace Church:

To partner with God in transforming people from unbelievers to fully devoted disciples of Jesus to the glory of God.

# GRACE NEWS

**COSTA RICA MISSIONS BREAKFAST-** Join others as they enjoy breakfast prepared & served by The Costa Rica Mission Team and support the mission with your donations.

**A CHARGE CONFERENCE** on August 8 at 5:30 PM in the Cape's Connection Cafe to approve the sale of the former First United Methodist Church parsonage of Fort Myers located at 1761 Marlyn Road, Fort Myers, Florida; and the sale of the properties of the former North Fort Myers United Methodist Church located at 81 Pondella Road and 1187 River Road, North Fort Myers, Florida.

**GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT-** The price is \$119.00! Go to [egracechurch.com](http://egracechurch.com) and use promotion code PREMIER16 to register.

**SHOES OF HOPE-** Today at 11:15PM there is an informational meeting in the Sanctuary for everyone planning to help with Shoes of Hope. Will you sponsor a neighborhood child for \$20? Our event is August 6th from 10AM to 1PM.

**COME AND BE BLESSED-** help stock shelves and unload supplies from Harry Chapin each Wednesday from 2:30-4:00PM.

**PARENT'S NIGHT-** Mark your calendar for August 5th! Let's have fun.

# LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BASKETS AS YOU EXIT

Date:     /     /

Service Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

- 1st time      2nd time      3rd time  
 Regular Attendee      Church Member  
 Male      Female

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_     Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Ph: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

- 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

## SHOES OF HOPE

I would like to help with Shoes of Hope.

## GIVE BACK TO GOD ONLINE!

go to: [egracechurch.com/give](http://egracechurch.com/give)

An effective and time-saving way to give your tithes and offerings without carrying cash or writing checks.

1. Scan **QR CODE** with any Smart Phone.
2. Set up an **ONLINE** giving plan with Grace Church.



**DO YOU HAVE A NEW NEIGHBOR?-**  
Welcome them by delivering a gift bag and invite them to "POP IN to Grace " with a gift bag.

**DAIRY QUEEN SUNDAY-** DQ Sunday is next Sunday! A sweet way to support our Youth. The DQ gives a portion back to the Church.

## SCHEDULE

### Worship Times:

Sunday at 8:30am (Traditional)  
Sunday at 10am (Contemporary)

### Grace Kidz/Youth

**Grace Place** (Infant – 5th grade): Sunday 9:45am

**PrE-Team** (3 - 4yo): Wed. 6-8pm

**E-Team** (5yo to 4th grade): Wed. 6-8pm

**TwEEN Team** (5th & 6th grade): Wed. 6-8pm

**Revolution** (7th grade - High School):  
Wednesday from 6-8pm

### Recovery

**AA Open Discussion:** Mon, Wed, Fri at noon.

**A-Z Group:** Thursday 8pm

**Sobriety Rocks:** AA Speaker Meeting Sat. 7pm

## ATTENDANCE

8:30am	10am	Wed.	Total
30	99	97	226

## GIVING

Shores General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 2,472