



GROUND

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CREED

*October 16, 2016*

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

\*The word “catholic” in the Apostles’ Creed refers not to the Roman Catholic Church, but to the “universal,” global church of the Lord Jesus Christ.

*“I am praying not only for these disciples but also for all who will ever believe in me through their message. I pray that they will all be one, just as you and I are one—as you are in me, Father, and I am in you. And may they be in us so that the world will believe you sent me.”*

John 17:20-21 (NLT)

### What does it mean to say, “I believe?”

1. **Belief is** \_\_\_\_\_.

*And Abram believed the Lord, and the Lord counted him as righteous because of his faith.*

Genesis 15:6 (NLT)

2. **Belief is** \_\_\_\_\_.

*The father instantly cried out, “I do believe, but help me overcome my unbelief!”*

Mark 9:24 (NLT)

3. **Belief is** \_\_\_\_\_.

*We proclaim to you the one who existed from the beginning, whom we have heard and seen. We saw him with our own eyes and touched him with our own hands. He is the Word of life. This one who is life itself was revealed to us, and we have seen him. And now we testify and proclaim to you that he is the one who is eternal life. He was with the Father, and then he was revealed to us. We proclaim to you what we ourselves have actually seen and heard so that you may have fellowship with us. And our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son, Jesus Christ. We are writing these things so that you may fully share our joy.*

1 John 1:1-4 (NLT)

# GRACE NEWS

**God's Vision for Grace Church** is to partner with God in transforming people from unbelievers to fully devoted disciples of Jesus to the Glory of God.

**Celebrate Recovery** - The purpose of Celebrate Recovery is to encourage fellowship and to celebrate God's healing power in our lives, working along the road to recovery. Celebrate Recovery is for anyone with a Hurt, Habit or Hangup. Join us Monday nights, for Celebrate Recovery. BBQ 5:30, Large Group 6:45pm, small groups at 8pm. Childcare provided. This week will be a lesson on the 7 Reasons We get Stuck by Arlene.

**Calling Middle and high school students!** Youth group on Wednesday nights at 6pm.

**Join us for Just like Jesus Service** on Wednesday night at 6:30pm followed by a free community dinner.

**Gulf Coast Walk To Emmaus** - Are you thinking about making your Walk? Applications are being accepted now.... pick up an application off the wall.

**Volunteers are needed** for the kitchen team. Please see Shari Massie for details.

**Franklin Park Elementary** will host Trunk or Treat on their campus on Friday, Oct. 28, starting at 5:30 They need our help bringing vehicles decorated and full of goodies or helping with games etc. Please see Bill Guyn or Terry Rhodes.

# 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

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

## SMART GIVING

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

-OR-

text any amount + Central

to: 239.443.5901

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



# SCHEDULE

## Worship Times:

Wednesday @ 6:30pm

(Free Community Dinner @ 7:30pm)

Sunday @ 10

Sunday @ 8:30am (Traditional)

(Free Breakfast from 9-10:30am)

## Grace Kidz/Youth

**Grace Kids** (Infant - 5th grade):

Wed. @ 6:30pm, Sunday @ 10

**Youth Group** (Middle School + High School):

Wednesday from 6:30-7:30pm

## Recovery

**Celebrate Recovery:** Monday @ 6:45pm

(Childcare provided Infant-5th grade)

*Recovery Meeting Schedule posted on Recovery wall*

## Thrift Store:

Friday - Monday from 10am - 3pm

# YOU COUNT

General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 1,122
Received YTD	\$ 75,069
Weekly Attendance	
217	



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