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What does it mean for me to trust in Jesus Christ?

1. It means I trust Jesus to be my _____.

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord...

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect...

1 Peter 3:15 (NIV)

2. It means I trust Jesus to be my _____.

...who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate...

Imitate God, therefore, in everything you do, because you are his dear children. Live a life filled with love, following the example of Christ. He loved us and offered himself as a sacrifice for us, a pleasing aroma to God.

Ephesians 5:1-2 (NLT)

3. It means I trust Jesus to be my _____.

...was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead...

Because God's children are human beings—made of flesh and blood—the Son also became flesh and blood. For only as a human being could he die, and only by dying could he break the power of the devil, who had the power of death. Only in this way could he set free all who have lived their lives as slaves to the fear of dying.

Hebrews 2:14-15 (NLT)

4. It means I trust Jesus to be my _____.

...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.

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)

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

TURKEYS FOR TOTS - Each year our fantastic kitchen team prepares Thanksgiving for our children. Can you donate a turkey? Drop it at the office and we'll get it to the team.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS - First United Methodist Church in Punta Gorda has invited you to join them in training in disaster preparedness on Nov. 5th from 9:30-3:00. Light breakfast and lunch will be served at no cost, to sign up call Pam Garrison at 1-800-282-8011.

RIVER BAPTISM - Join us November 20 at the Franklin locks for a river baptism and celebration following the contemporary worship service! Plan to bring your all-time favorite potluck food to share and a few chairs so we can relax and have fellowship, games, and more. **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

GRIEF GROUP - Grieving a loss? Meet with others, begin the road to healing. **TUESDAYS** 10:30-11:30am at the Office.

2:42 – Every Wednesday! Enjoy dinner, worship, and fellowship, Bible Study or Daniel Plan! No charge, no stress, no dinner to cook. Children's ministries are at the same time; bring the whole family! Kids eat at 6, and adults can grab a plate to go at 6:15. Worship begins at 6:30 with groups at 6:45.

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): _____

- 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: _____

Public Prayer List For Pastors Only

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

GIVE BACK TO GOD ONLINE!

go to: 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.



SOJOURNERS - Join us every Sunday at 10AM in Room 2 for Bible study and spirited discussion!

CHILDRENS MINISTRY - Did you know the children's ministry needs help? Come help with the children! If interested contact Beverly Cox at bcox@egracechurch.com.

TECH TEAM - We can use techies! Contact Scott at smdonald@egracechurch.com.

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
40	162	137	339

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