

November 9, 2016

MESSAGE NOTES

Grounded in Creed | Part 4

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.

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. Acts 2:42-43 (NIV)

How can I be "filled with awe" by the Holy Spirit's supernatural presence in my life?

1. Feast deeply on God's _____

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching... Acts 2:42a (NIV)

2. Connect richly with God's _____

They devoted themselves to...fellowship, to the breaking of bread... Acts 2:42b (NIV)

All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved. Acts 2:44-47 (NIV)

3. Listen expectantly for God's _

They devoted themselves...to prayer. Acts 2:42c (NIV)

GRACE NEWS

If you want more information or to volunteer with any of these opportunites, please make a note on the Let's Connect card.

Set your alarm for 9:41 (like the area code) and pray Matthew 9:38. Daily. 'Ask the Lord of the Harvest, therefore, to send out the workers into his harvest field.' Pray for confirmation & engagement of people for the launch.

Join a Launch Team – Usher, Parking, Hospitality, Greeters, Worship/Tech, Age Level, Facilities, Media, Starting Point, Prayer.

November 16, 2:42 Gathering will have an awesome guest speaker - Michael Mozley, our mission partner from Catalyst for Africa along with 7 African leaders!! Bring friends to hear how Catalyst for Africa is winning the continent of Africa to Jesus Christ!

Starting Point, Mondays, 6-8pm: An 8-week course where it is a safe place for people with questions about Faith as well as those who want to learn about the Bible and Christianity.

Discovery, Sunday, Dec. 4th, 4-6pm: Learn more about Grace Church, who we are and what we do. Also for those interested in calling Grace Church your spiritual home, membership or baptism.

The next Walk to Emmaus weekends are: Men - March 23-26 and Women – March 27-30. Applications are available to send now!

LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BASKETS AS YOU EXIT

Date: / /
Name:
Email:
Address:
Phone:
Best way to contact you:
I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:
I would like to meet with the pastor.
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.

HAVES

If you have any gifts, talents, professional skills, or life experiences that you are willing to use to help others or to help grow Grace Church, please list here:

NEEDS

If you are in need of prayer, a skilled professional, or simply someone to connect with who has been through a similar difficult life experience that you are currently facing, please describe need here:

To confidentially discuss haves or needs with the pastor, please call 941.966.3306 for an appointment.

SMART GIVING

go to: egracechurch.com/give -ORtext any amount to: 941.200.1515

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





Wednesday weekly prayer 12-1pm in the worship center.

Weekly "campus workdays" every Saturday from 8 to 12.

Grace Kidz are meeting on Saturday mornings from 11-12:30 to learn the Bible, do crafts and have a snack!

Sprout Food Ministry 2nd and 4th Thursday 10am – noon in the parking lot. FREE BREAKFAST available from 8:30-9:45!

SCHEDULE

University of the Holy Spirit: Bible Study, Saturdays 11am-12:30pm

> **Grace Kidz:** Saturdays, 11am-12:30pm

Acts 2:42 Weekly Gathering:

Wednesday Evenings 6-8pm

Wednesday Prayer: 12-1pm

Sprout Food Ministry:

2nd and 4th Thursday, 10-12 in the parking lot



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