December 25, 2016

SAVIOR - MESSIAH - LORD

MESSAGE NOTES

Christmas Day | Pastor Jorge Acevedo

...the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for see--I am bringing you good news of great joy for all people; to you is born this day in the city of David, a Savior, who is the Messiah, the Lord. This will be the sign for you: you will find a child wrapped in bands of cloth and lying in a manger." Luke 2:10-12 (NRSV)

1. Jesus has come to _

The Son of Man came to look for and save people who are lost. Luke 19:10 (CEV)

2. Jesus has come to _____

"He (God) has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of His beloved Son..." Colossians 1:13 (NRSV)

3. Jesus has come to _

"I tell you the truth, I am the gate for the sheep. All who came before me were thieves and robbers. But the true sheep did not listen to them. Yes, I am the gate. Those who come in through me will be saved. They will come and go freely and will find good pastures. The thief's purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life." John 10:7-10 (NLT)

GRACE NEWS

Discover Grace - Find out who we are and where you fit at Grace. Sunday, January 29, from 11:30 AM – 12:45 PM. egracechurch. com/classes.

Year End Giving - All gifts received at the church, given online, or postmarked by Saturday, December 31 will be included on year-end contribution statements for 2016. Beginning Sunday, January 1, all gifts will be included on contribution statements at the end of 2017.

GriefShare - Class starts Wednesday, January 4 at 6:30 PM. Participant workbook is \$15. Childcare available. Register at egracechurch.com/classes.

Volunteer Handyman Team forming. Will come together 1-2 times per month to do both small and large projects. All skill levels welcome. Call Ryan 574.7161.

Food pantry is in need of the basics. Please see the table for an updated list of items needed.

Grace Thrift Store - Looking for volunteers to sort, price, or run cash register for a morning or afternoon. Thrift Store hours are Tuesday - Saturday, 9 AM - 4 PM. Contact Donna 656.0122.

Adult Bible Study - Join the "The Young and the Rest of Us" for a journey through Daniel and Revelation. Sundays at 9:45 AM in Room 4.

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:

SMART GIVING

go to: egracechurch.com/give -OR-

text any amount to: 239.443.5901

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





Pajama day at Grace Place on Saturday, December 31 at 5 PM and Sunday, January 1 at 10 and 11:30 AM.

The Red and White Roses are given by James and Linda Hall, Jaime Cissna, and Marie Colburn in memory of their daughter/ sister, Kimberly Leonard, who passed away December 22, 2001.

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): Sunday at 10am Revolution (Middle School + High School): Wednesday from 6:30-8:15pm

<u>Recovery</u>

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

GIVING

General Fund		
Last Week	\$ 45,903	
Received YTD	\$ 1,618,722	

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