

THE  
EXCITING  
= CHURCH =



*July 9, 2017*

*But the time is coming—indeed it's here now—when true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and in truth. The Father is looking for those who will worship him that way.*

John 4:23 (NLT)

### What happens when I worship God?

#### 1. I recognize \_\_\_\_\_.

*It was in the year King Uzziah died that I saw the Lord. He was sitting on a lofty throne, and the train of his robe filled the Temple. 2 Attending him were mighty seraphim, each having six wings. With two wings they covered their faces, with two they covered their feet, and with two they flew.*

Isaiah 6:1-2 (NLT)

#### 2. I respond \_\_\_\_\_.

*They were calling out to each other, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Heaven's Armies! The whole earth is filled with his glory! Their voices shook the Temple to its foundations, and the entire building was filled with smoke.*

Isaiah 6:3-4 (NLT)

#### 3. I realize \_\_\_\_\_.

*Then I said, "It's all over! I am doomed, for I am a sinful man. I have filthy lips, and I live among a people with filthy lips. Yet I have seen the King, the Lord of Heaven's Armies."*

Isaiah 6:5 (NLT)

#### 4. I rejoice \_\_\_\_\_.

*Then one of the seraphim flew to me with a burning coal he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. He touched my lips with it and said, "See, this coal has touched your lips. Now your guilt is removed, and your sins are forgiven." Then I heard the Lord asking, "Whom should I send as a messenger to this people? Who will go for us?" I said, "Here I am. Send me."*

Isaiah 6:6-8 (NLT)

# GRACE NEWS

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

**Baptism** - Please let us know if you are interested in being baptized or partnering with Grace Church. An informational meeting will TODAY after the service at 11:15am. Beach baptisms will be on July 16th, dinner at 6:00pm at the Sunset Pavilion, baptisms at 7:00pm.

**Short term mission trip to Ghana, West Africa** is now forming! Applications are available at the info desk in the lobby and are due back by August 27th. Interviews will be Sept. 6th, 2017 with team selection Sept. 10, 2017. The mission trip will be September 16-27, 2018 with our mission partners Lawrence Beka and Michael Mozley.

**Passport to Peru VBS is coming** July 31 – Aug 4, 5:00 – 8:00 pm, dinner included. Kids pre-K through 5th grade can register online. Volunteers needed! There is a volunteer informational meeting today at 11:30 in the conference room.

**Women's Small Group** meets in the Starting Point room on Mondays at 6:00  
Pastor's Bible Study - Tuesday mornings, 7:30am at the Vamo Starbucks (8394 S Tamiami Trail).

**Acts 2:42 Gathering** ('They committed themselves to the teaching of the apostles, the life together, the common meal, and the prayers') – Wednesday evenings, join us for dinner at 6:00 pm followed by Bible Study. All are welcome!

# LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BOXES AS YOU EXIT

Date:     /     /      1st Time Visitor

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Birthday:     /     /      Male  Female

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.*

# 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 to: 941.200.1515

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



**Prayer hour** – Wednesdays, noon – 1 pm in the Worship Center. Come to a quiet place to pray, pray over requests or if you are in need of prayer.

**Christian Step Study** – Fridays, dinner at 6:00pm, meeting 6:30-8:00 pm. There is still time to join us for a spiritual journey to understanding the spiritual power of the 12 steps from a Christian perspective.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**Shoes of Hope** – volunteer meeting on June 18th at 6:30 at the Cape Coral Campus. Shoes of hope will happen on July 29th at the Cape Coral and Shores Campus’ – we will carpool from this campus for both dates.

**Join the Sprout Team!** The 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month. The breakfast team meets at 7:30 am to set up, cook breakfast, cleanup and build relationships with our neighbors. There is another team that meets at 9:00 am to help with food distribution and prayer for our neighbors.

**Join the Sunday Morning Team!** We need more people on various teams for Sunday morning – Parking, Children’s Ministry, Prayer, Band, Tech (light and sound) and Social Media. Come help us with weekly Sunday services.



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