



# AWAKEN

JOEL-HOSEA-MICAH-AMOS

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# MESSAGE NOTES

## Awaken | Part 2

*When the Lord first began speaking to Israel through Hosea, he said to him, "Go and marry a prostitute, so that some of her children will be conceived in prostitution. This will illustrate how Israel has acted like a prostitute by turning against the Lord and worshipping other gods."*

Hosea 1:2 (NLT)

*Then the Lord said to me, "Go and love your wife again, even though she commits adultery with another lover. This will illustrate that the Lord still loves Israel, even though the people have turned to other gods and love to worship them." So I bought her back for fifteen pieces of silver and five bushels of barley and a measure of wine. Then I said to her, "You must live in my house for many days and stop your prostitution."*

Hosea 3:1-3a (NLT)

### How can I awaken to God's mercy?

#### 1. I can realize God \_\_\_\_\_.

*I will make you my wife forever, showing you righteousness and justice, unfailing love and compassion. I will be faithful to you and make you mine, and you will finally know me as the Lord.*

Hosea 2:19-20 (NLT)

#### 2. I can show God's \_\_\_\_\_.

*God blesses those who are merciful, for they will be shown mercy.*

Matthew 5:7 (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

**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. Join us Monday nights, for Celebrate Recovery. Dinner at 6:15pm, Large Group 6:45pm, small groups at 8pm. Childcare provided. This week we have Lesson on Yes by Pastor Arlene.

**Monday Night Youth Group** at 6:30 we meet in the sanctuary and move to the Youth House. If you have a middle or high school student or know of any, we would love to have them join us.

**Wednesday Worship!** Everyone has had to learn to experience the Bible! So join us! We spend some time together worshipping and looking at the bible stories of Jesus. 6:30pm followed by our free dinner after.

**Trunk or Treat** is coming up at Franklin Park on October 27th from 6-8, Volunteers are needed please see Bill Guyn for details.

**Making My Connections** - If you are interested in joining the Grace Church family this is for you! The next membership class will be Sunday, November 12th after the 10am service. Mark your calendar, clear your schedule and come join us. Class is about 4 hours and covers information about the church and what it takes to be a member. Lunch is provided.

# 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:

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## SMART GIVING

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

-OR-

text any amount + "Central" to:

**239.443.5901**

(like this: 100 Central)

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)*  
Contemporary Worship @ 10  
Breakfast Church @ 8:30am

## Grace Kids (Infant - 5th grade)

Wed. @ 6:30pm,  
Sunday @ 10

## Youth (Middle and High Schoolers)

Monday @ 6:30

## Recovery

Celebrate Recovery: Monday @ 6:45pm  
(Childcare provided Infant-5th grade)  
*Recovery Meeting Schedule posted on  
Recovery wall*

## Church Office Hours

Office Hours: Monday 10am-1pm  
Tuesday 10am-1pm  
Wednesday 1pm-3pm  
Thursday 9am-12pm

## Fresh Expressions Thrift Store

Thursday– Saturday 9:30am-2:30pm

# YOU COUNT

General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 1,787
Received YTD	\$ 62,141
Weekly Attendance	
263	