

COME HELL OR
HIGH WATER



April 1, 2018

MESSAGE NOTES

Come Hell or High Water | Part 1

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.
Hebrews 11:1 (NIV)

For we live by faith, not by sight.
2 Corinthians 5:7 (NIV)

Why should I have faith in Jesus?

1. Jesus wants to be my _____.

The women ran quickly from the tomb. They were very frightened but also filled with great joy, and they rushed to give the disciples the angel's message. And as they went, Jesus met them and greeted them. And they ran to him, grasped his feet, and worshiped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Don't be afraid! Go tell my brothers to leave for Galilee, and they will see me there."

Matthew 28:8-10 (NLT)

2. Jesus wants to be my _____.

When they entered the tomb, they saw a young man clothed in a white robe sitting on the right side. The women were shocked, but the angel said, "Don't be alarmed. You are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He isn't here! He is risen from the dead! Look, this is where they laid his body. Now go and tell his disciples, including Peter, that Jesus is going ahead of you to Galilee. You will see him there, just as he told you before he died."

Mark 16:5-7 (NLT)

3. Jesus wants to be my _____.

As they sat down to eat, he took the bread and blessed it. Then he broke it and gave it to them. Suddenly, their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. And at that moment he disappeared! They said to each other, "Didn't our hearts burn within us as he talked with us on the road and explained the Scriptures to us?"

Luke 24:30-32 (NLT)

4. Jesus wants to be my _____.

That Sunday evening the disciples were meeting behind locked doors because they were afraid of the Jewish leaders. Suddenly, Jesus was standing there among them! "Peace be with you," he said. As he spoke, he showed them the wounds in his hands and his side. They were filled with joy when they saw the Lord!

Again he said, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I am sending you."

John 20:19-21 (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

HEADING NORTH? We will miss you! Please make sure we have your contact information so we can keep you posted on what's happening at your southern church home! We'll send pictures from Shoes of Hope and some of the other events you've been hearing about. If you are cleaning out your pantry, our Second Saturday outreach will distribute your food to a family in need. We love you and look forward to your return!

LET'S GO KAYAKING! Join us on Saturday, April 7th at 8:30 AM at the boat basin on Buckeye Drive off Olga Rd. for a beautiful paddle up Telegraph Creek.

SHOES OF HOPE is a back to school celebration where we provide shoes and backpacks to kids. Sign-up sheets are in the welcome area for you to be a part of the party! Also, please grab a container today, and fill it with change over the next month. Together, we can show the love of Jesus through compassionate and caring action!

BIBLE STUDY- We will be learning about the encouragement and advice Paul gave to the Philippians and exploring how we can apply it in our own lives. This 4-week study will be kicking off this Wednesday, April 4th in Classroom 2 from 6:30-8:00 PM. No materials or preparation required!

COFFEE & CARING- is a new group for those who are dealing with grief. It will be held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the Month from 10:30 AM to Noon at the home of Rhett Burkett. Call her for directions at 239-810-0404.

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 Partner
 Male Female

How did you hear about Grace Church?

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 + "Shores" to:

239.205.3123

(like this: 100 Shores)

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



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 Meeting: Mon, Wed, Fri 12pm (Office)

AA Women's Meeting: Tuesday 7pm (Office)

NAR-Anon Meeting: Wed. 6:30pm (Family Rm)

AA Open Discussion: Thursday 8pm (Cafe)

AL Anon: Friday 12pm (Family Room)

AA Open Speaker: Saturday 7pm (Cafe)

ATTENDANCE

8:30am	10am	Wed.	Total
49	116	n/a	175

GIVING

Shores General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 3,632