

COME HELL OR  
**HIGH WATER**



*April 8, 2018*

# MESSAGE NOTES

## Come Hell or High Water | Part 2

*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)

### 1. Storms \_\_\_\_\_ in my life.

*As evening came, Jesus said to his disciples, "Let's cross to the other side of the lake." So they took Jesus in the boat and started out, leaving the crowds behind (although other boats followed). But soon a fierce storm came up. High waves were breaking into the boat, and it began to fill with water.*  
Mark 4:35-37 (NLT)

### 2. Jesus will either \_\_\_\_\_

or \_\_\_\_\_.

*Jesus was sleeping at the back of the boat with his head on a cushion. The disciples woke him up, shouting, "Teacher, don't you care that we're going to drown?" When Jesus woke up, he rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Silence! Be still!" Suddenly the wind stopped, and there was a great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you afraid? Do you still have no faith?" The disciples were absolutely terrified. "Who is this man?" they asked each other.*  
*"Even the wind and waves obey him!"*  
Mark 4:38-41 (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.***

**Small Group Big Bash** April 29th at 6:00 – If you haven't joined a small group yet, or are interested in checking out a different one, join us to find out more! Dinner included!

**Men's Step Study Meeting** – Are you interested in finding out more about a step study? Join us for an informational meeting TODAY, April 8th after the service at 11:00 in the conference room. Find healing for your hurts, habits or hang-ups.

**Fishing Club** – This Tuesday, 6:30 – 8:00pm in the Boat House – This month's speaker has an amazing story of his near drowning experience. Dinner available for \$5.00.

**Shoes of Hope August 11th**, Provides a backpack full of school supplies, a Bible and new shoes to children in need. If you would like to volunteer, please indicate on your Connect Card. Please pick up a container in the lobby to fill with change – it takes around \$40.00 per child to start the school year prepared. Change containers due back to the church by May 6th.

**SWFL Christian Counseling** will have office hours here at the church on Wednesdays from 10 am – 6 pm. Call their office at 239-301-4464 to schedule an appointment or for more information.

# LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BOXES AS YOU EXIT

Date:     /     /      1st Time Visitor

How did you hear about Grace Church?

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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:

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## SMART GIVING

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**239.205.3123**

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# WEEKLY SCHEDULE

**Fishing Club** – 2nd Tuesday of the month from 6:30 – 8:00pm in the Boat House - Learn from a speaker and 'hook-up' with other fellow fisherman. Dinner available for \$5.00.

**Step Up** – AA meeting Wednesday mornings at 7:00 am in the Gathering Place Meeting room.

**Prayer hour** – Wednesdays, noon – 1 pm in the Worship Center. Come join us in praying for our church, our neighborhoods, the 941, & the nations. Come if you are in need of prayer.

**Praise & Worship practice** – Wednesdays, 6:00 – 8:30 – Do you play an instrument or sing? Interested in behind the scene, lighting, sound, graphics? Come find out more about joining the Tech or Praise Team.

**Alpha Course** – Thursdays, 6:00 – 8:00 pm. Potluck starts at 6:00 followed by teaching and discussion around the Christian faith.

**Sprout** - 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month - Community breakfast is served at 9:00am followed by food distribution by All Faiths Food Bank from 10:00 – 11:30.

**Community Clothing Connection** - Open during Sprout hours the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month from 10:00 – 11:30 am.

**Faith & Fellowship bible study** – 9:00 am, Saturdays At the Potter's Park Pavilion. Coffee and donuts served during a Bible study – Church Can Happen Anywhere! Please join us or let us know if you would like to volunteer.



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