

COME HELL OR
HIGH WATER



April 22, 2018

MESSAGE NOTES

Come Hell or High Water | Part 4

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)

How can I have an up to date faith?

1. Trust my past to God's _____.

You know what I was like when I followed the Jewish religion—how I violently persecuted God's church. I did my best to destroy it. I was far ahead of my fellow Jews in my zeal for the traditions of my ancestors. But even before I was born, God chose me and called me by his marvelous grace. Then it pleased him to reveal his Son to me so that I would proclaim the Good News about Jesus to the Gentiles.
Galatians 1:13-16a (NLT)

2. Trust my present to God's _____.

And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from his glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus. Now all glory to God our Father forever and ever! Amen.
Philippians 4:19-20 (NLT)

3. Trust my future to God's _____.

As for me, my life has already been poured out as an offering to God. The time of my death is near. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, and I have remained faithful. And now the prize awaits me—the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me on the day of his return. And the prize is not just for me but for all who eagerly look forward to his appearing.
2 Timothy 4:6-8 (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.

'Snowbirds' – It's that time of year when some of our friends flock back up north. If you are leaving us for the summer, please let us know when you are leaving and when you will be returning. Also, if you would like to receive emails of while you are gone, make sure we have your current email address! You can put it on your connect card, or call the office at 941-966-3306.

Small Group Big Bash April 29th at 6:00 – Come find out more about small groups – the key to growing spiritually and building life-long relationships. 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!

Women of Grace Spring Brunch – Saturday, May 5th, 10:00am – 1:00 pm at the Cape Coral Campus. Join women from all Grace Church campuses for a time of prayer, praise and inspiration. This year's theme is Diamond in the Rough, Psalm 139:14 "I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well." We will carpool from the Sarasota campus. Tickets are \$10.00 – call the office, indicate on your connect card, or see Bethany after the service.

Grace t-shirt sales – Charcoal grey, soft t-shirts, \$15.00 for sm – xl, add \$2.00 for 2x & 3x. Proceeds benefit the Ghana Mission. See Bethany after the service to order yours!

Introduction to the Bible – Thursdays, 6:00 – 8:00, Potluck from 5:30 – 6:00, teaching 6:00 – 8:00. This is a six week, colorful and exciting journey through the Old and New Testaments that promises to give insight that will help you navigate through the Bible. Come join us on this journey that will make the Bible come alive!

LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BOXES AS YOU EXIT

Date: / / ☐ 1st Time Visitor

How did you hear about Grace Church?

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.

