



B E T T E R

T O G E T H E R

*September 22-23, 2018*

# MESSAGE NOTES

## Better Together | Part 1

*And so, dear brothers and sisters, I plead with you to give your bodies to God because of all he has done for you. Let them be a living and holy sacrifice—the kind he will find acceptable. This is truly the way to worship him. Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.*

Romans 12:1-2 (NLT)

*They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.*

Acts 2:42 (NLT)

### Why are we better together?

**1. Together we reject a culture of \_\_\_\_\_.**

*They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching...*

**2. Together we reject a culture of \_\_\_\_\_.**

*They devoted themselves to...fellowship...*

**3. Together we reject a culture of \_\_\_\_\_.**

*They devoted themselves to...the breaking of bread...*

**4. Together we reject a culture of \_\_\_\_\_.**

*They devoted themselves to ...prayer.*

*A deep sense of awe came over them all, and the apostles performed many miraculous signs and wonders. And all the believers met together in one place and shared everything they had. They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need. They worshiped together at the Temple each day, met in homes for the Lord's Supper, and shared their meals with great joy and generosity—all the while praising God and enjoying the goodwill of all the people.*

*And each day the Lord added to their fellowship those who were being saved.*

Acts 2:43-47 (NLT)

# GRACE NEWS

## **The Gathering Table Café & Consignment -**

Stop by and see what we have been working on. We are still located at 601 Del Prado Blvd N, Suite 14 in Cape Coral. We are open Tuesday – Saturday from 9 AM-4 PM. Hope to see you soon!

**Grace Cancer Support Group** - Join us, Thursday, October 4, from 6-7 PM at The Gathering Table. "PARAKALEO" is the Greek word meaning support. Come alongside friends with cancer at an informal gathering for family and friends dealing with a cancer diagnosis and treatments.

**Pet blessing** - Saturday, October 6, from 1-3 PM in the Grace Church park. There will be temperament testing, a memorial service, and product vendors.

**Food Pantry Ministry** – The current needs are shelf-stable milk, jelly, and cereal. We are running low on these staple items so any help would be appreciated. As always we take all nonperishable food donations. Food can be dropped off at the table in the foyer. Thank you for all of your donations!

**Trunk or Treat** - Sunday, October 28! Tons of individually wrapped candy needed! Donations can be dropped in the bin in the foyer or at the front office, Mon-Fri, 8 AM - 5 PM.

**Grace Young Adult gathering** - If you are 18-20 something, join us on Sunday, October 7, from 6-8 PM, at The Gathering Table. We will spend some time diving into worship, scripture, and community. Any questions, please contact Taylor Foley at [tfoley@egracechurch.com](mailto:tfoley@egracechurch.com).

# 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

How did you hear about Grace Church?

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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

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**Lee Memorial Bloodmobile** - The Bloodmobile will be at the Cape Coral campus on Sunday, September 30 from 9:30 AM to 1 PM to receive blood donations.

## SCHEDULE

### Worship Times:

Saturday @ 5pm | Sunday @ 10 & 11:30am,  
Sunday at 8:30am (Traditional)

### Grace Kidz/Youth

**Grace Place** (Infant - 5th grade): Sat. @ 5pm,  
Sunday @ 10 & 11:30am

**Planet 45** (4th & 5th): Sunday at 10am

**Revolution** (Middle School + High School):  
Wednesday from 6:30-8:30pm

### Recovery

Friday @ 6:45pm

## GIVING

General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 28,215
Received YTD	\$ 1,154,975



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