

HOLY ROAR



January 6, 2019

Don't be drunk with wine, because that will ruin your life. Instead, be filled with the Holy Spirit, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs among yourselves, and making music to the Lord in your hearts. And give thanks for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.
Ephesians 5:18-20 (NLT)

May the peoples praise you, God; may all the peoples praise you.
Psalm 67:3 (NIV)

What does it mean when I lift up my hands in worship?

Lifting my hands is a sign of...

1. ...my _____ **in God.**

Lift your hands toward the sanctuary, and praise the Lord.
Psalm 134:2 (NLT)

2. ...my _____ **on God.**

O God, we give glory to you all day long, and constantly praise your name.
Psalm 44:8 (NLT)

3. ...my _____ **to God.**

I pray to you, O Lord, my rock. Do not turn a deaf ear to me. For if you are silent, I might as well give up and die. Listen to my prayer for mercy as I cry out to you for help, as I lift my hands toward your holy sanctuary.
Psalm 28:1-2 (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.

What's up with the 9:41? Why do the church bells chime at 9:41 every day? Why does church start at 9:41 on Sunday? Matthew 9:37-38 says "Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.'" We are praying for laborers and we are praying that God would equip us to be harvesters! Set your phone alarm and join us in praying at 9:41 every day for our community, and the (941) area code.

A Hunger for Healing for Women – January 16th, Join Pastor Patti on Wednesdays from 6:30 – 8:00 pm. Learn how to apply the Twelve Steps to alleviate emotional pain and stress for practical spiritual growth in Christ. Indicate on your connect card or call the office to register.

Small Group Big Bash – Sunday, January 13th 6:00 pm – Jesus was in a small group! 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, there will be information on all small groups available.

Fishing Club Meeting – Tuesday, January 8th – dinner at 6:30, meeting 7:00 – 8:30 There will be information on the 2nd Annual Let's Go Fishing Tournament as well as planning the group's activities for the year, including a fishing camp for kids!

Grace on the Bay Kayaking – Saturday, January 12th, 9:41 am – Join us as we enjoy the beauty of God's Creation! Leaving from Vamo Drive Park – bring your own kayak or call the office and we will bring one for you.

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.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR: _____

Public Prayer List For Pastors Only

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

SMALL GROUPS

I want to join a small group.

SMART GIVING

go to: egracechurch.com/give

-OR-

text any amount + "Sarasota" to:

239.205.3123

(like this: 100 Sarasota)

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



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Explore the Bible – Sundays, 8:30am – 9:30am in the Gathering Place

Pastor Bible study – Tuesdays at 7:30 am, meets in the Gathering Place

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

City Commit – Men's group, Wednesday mornings 6:30am-8:00am in the conference 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 in the Worship Center

Sprout - 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month - Food distribution by All Faiths Food Bank from 10:00 – 11:30.

Community Clothing Connection - Open the 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month from 10:00 – 11:30 am. Most items are only \$1.00

Grace on the Bay Kayaking – 2nd Saturday of the month, leaving from Vamo Drive Park at 9:41am. Bring your own kayak or call the office and we will bring one for you!



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