

Monday 9/9

- 9:00 am TOPS Weight Loss Support Group Meeting (Bell Hall)
- 9:30 am St. Andrews Quilt Guild Humming Bee's Meeting (Parlor)
- 10:00 am Ministry of Finance & Stewardship Meeting (Room 202)
- 11:00 am Proverbs 31 Meeting (Bell Hall)
- 1:00 pm St. Andrews Quilt Guild Happy Scrappers Meeting (Parlor)
- 1:00 pm Share Group Bible Study (Room 202)
- 6:30 pm PW Ladies Night Out Circle Meeting (Parlor)

Tuesday 9/10

- 9:30 am Grace Bridge (Parlor)
- 9:30 am Preschool Chapel 2's (Sanctuary)
- 9:30 am PW AM Circle Meeting (Room 202)
- 11:00 am Preschool Chapel 1's (Nursery)
- 11:30 am Preschool Chapel 3's & 4's (Sanctuary)
- 1:00 pm Card Group (Room 205)
- 1:30 pm Yarn Group (Parlor)
- 2:00 pm GP2 – Grace Prays at 2 (Parlor)
- 3:00 pm Ministry of Care Meeting (Room 202)
- 4:30 pm Yoga Bliss (Bell Hall)
- 4:30 pm Music Lessons w/Deb (Music Room)
- 5:30 pm Handbell Choir Planning Meeting (Sanctuary)
- 6:00 pm Scout Troop 850 Meeting (Youth Room)
- 6:00 pm Cub Scout Pack 850 Meeting
(Bell Hall, Room 202, Room 204, Room 205)

Wednesday 9/11

- 8:00 am St. Andrews Quilt Guild Board Meeting (Room 202)
- 10:00 am Doorways of NWFL Meeting (Bell Hall)
- 5:00 pm Wonderful Wednesday Dinner (Bell Hall)
Menu: Wings & Covered Dish
- 5:45 pm Adult Bible Study (Bell Hall)
- 5:45 pm Children & Youth Activities (Youth Room)
- 6:00 pm Music Rehearsal (Music Room)

Thursday 9/12

- 8:15 am Grace Cares Food Pantry & Senior Box (Front Entrance)
- 9:00 am BCREA Board Meeting (Room 202)
- 4:00 pm Beach Drive Preservation Club Meeting (Room 202)
- 6:00 pm St. Andrews Quilt Guild Night Meeting (Bell Hall)

Saturday 9/14

- 8:00 am St. Andrews Quilt Guild Sewing Class (Bell Hall)

Sunday 9/15

- 9:00 am Sunday School
Children & Youth (Room 110)
Wired Word (Room 202)
Men's Class (Room 205)
Morning Glory (Room 204)
- 10:30 am Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- 12:00 pm Session Meeting (Bell Hall)

Future Fix It Fund

Sunday, September 8

Today is "Future Fix It Sunday!"
Please consider giving to this offering to help with securing the future of the church, whatever that may be.

Handbell Choir Meeting

Tuesday, September 10

There will be a Handbell Choir planning meeting Tuesday at 5:30 in the Sanctuary. Please bring your calendar planner, iPad or cell phone with you. We will be sight reading new music and reviewing more familiar selections. Anyone interested in ringing handbells or joining our talented and dedicated Handbell Choir, please contact Claudia Henderson for further information.

Wonderful Wednesdays

Wednesday, September 11

Wonderful Wednesdays has resumed with dinner at 5:00 pm. Our Bible Study, which will walk through the Book of Revelation and what it means for our lives today, will begin at 5:45 pm in Bell Hall and Youth & Children Activities will resume in the Youth Room. We hope to see you all there!

Boomers & Buddies

Thursday, September 19

September 19 is the third Thursday of the month, and Boomers & Buddies fun lunch day!! This month we will meet @ 11:45 am at Taziki's Mediterranean Café, 103 W. 23rd Street, in the Granny Cantrell's strip mall. Taziki's is best known for its healthy Mediterranean dishes, earning four stars from its many customers. Please let the office know you plan to attend by Tuesday, September 17! See you there!

Proverbs 31 Women's Guild Yard & Bake Sale Friday, September 20 and Saturday, September 21

If you would like to donate items to the sale contact Ronnie Wilson to schedule a time to bring them to the shed at the church for storage. Donations are being accepted now. NO CLOTHES PLEASE; however, shoes and purses are welcome. For large items you must be able to unload your donations yourself or prearrange for assistance.

"Keep The Faith" Sunday and Fifth Sunday Lunch Sunday, September 29

Everyone knows that Grace is a praying church but now we want people to know that Grace is a caring church. After worship on September 29, all are invited to lunch and a conversation about how we can be in a better relationship with one another.

Please mark your calendar now and make plans to be there!



Welcome to Grace Presbyterian Church!

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

We hope that you find the Holy Spirit moving in this place and in your life. If this is your first time with us or you are coming back after a little time away, please fill out a blue visitor card and drop it in an offering plate so we can further greet you. Thank you again for being here and we look forward to worshiping with you!

*“Small enough to
feel like family...
Big enough to
make an impact!”*

September 8, 2024

Rev. Eric Spoon

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

Prelude

Welcome

Centering Music

Please take a moment of silence, listen to the music, and prepare your hearts for worship.

Call to Worship

* **Hymn 451** “Open My Eyes, That I May See”

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Silent Prayer....

God of favor, we have not been true to you. You have chosen the poor in the world, but we have dishonored them. You plead the cause of the afflicted, but we crush them. We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have favored the rich and despised the poor. We have dismissed the needy with empty words. Soften our hearts and make straight our ways. Heal our unbelief and turn us back to you. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

* **Gloria Patri** “Glory be to the Father”

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Children’s Message Krista Battram

Old Testament Proverbs 19: 17

Anthem “Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

New Testament Mark 7: 24 - 30

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon “Who’s Hungry?”
Rev. Eric Spoon

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Offering of Gifts/Future Fix It Fund

Ways to Give

- ~ *Offering Plate in the Narthex.*
- ~ *Offering Plate by the doors leaving the Sanctuary.*
- ~ *Anytime Online at our Church Website.*
- ~ *In Person in the Church Office During the Week.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

* **Doxology**

Prayers of the People & the Lord’s Prayer
There will be a time of silence as part of the prayers of the people. In the silence, you are invited to lift your joys and concerns to the Lord.

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

* **Hymn 625** “How Great Thou Art”

* **Charge & Benediction**

* **Benediction Response** “Fairest Lord Jesus”
Hymn 630, vs. 4

* **Postlude**

* Please rise in body or in spirit.

Prayer Requests

Jerry & Peggy Lewis, Dana Barry, Cliffe Burch,
Dalene Kelly, George & Claudia Henderson,
Brian Wolff, Barbara Gray,
Bob & Kristi Rice (Missionaries)

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