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***Proof Of Jesus' Identity***



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## Welcome to Grace!

We at Grace Church of Central Point would like to welcome you to our service today! Please join us as we seek to grow in the Lord's grace and knowledge with worshipful music and study in His Word.

### OUR TIME OF WORSHIP

*Please remember to silence your cell phone*

NO OTHER GODS

OPENING PRAYER

DRAW ME CLOSE TO YOU

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS/OFFERING

ONE THING REMAINS

UNCLOUDY DAY

SCRIPTURE READING

SHINE JESUS

WINGS OF A DOVE

**MESSAGE – PASTOR MARK PITROFF**

CLOSING – O COME TO THE ALTAR

### In Service to Him

Interim Pastor – Mark Pitroff

Assistant Pastor – Howard Glosser

Music Coordination – Roy A Bates

Music – Roy A. Bates, Kerry Blackburn, Jim Hibbs, Tamara Fielding

Usher – Ron Walch

K to 5<sup>th</sup> & Children's Church – Kim Pence & Mary Pitroff

Teens – Jim Hibbs, Roy A Bates

Overcomers – Danielle Hvall

Adult Sunday School – Steve Ashton

## This Week at Grace

<b><u>Today</u></b>	Sunday School Today.....10:00 am
	Worship Service.....11:00 am (Worship Service is also live stream on Facebook)
<b><u>Tuesday</u></b>	Women's Bible Study.....10:00 am (The Messiah)
	Men's Bible Study.....5:30 pm
<b><u>Wednesday</u></b>	Mid-Week Prayer meeting.....6:30 pm
<b><u>Thursday</u></b>	Women's Bible Study.....None This Week

### **Bible Bookmarks for February are Available**

The Bible Bookmarks can help you accomplish the new year's goal of reading through the Bible. Pick one up off the back counter or on our website [www.gracechurchcp.org/resources](http://www.gracechurchcp.org/resources)

### **Sunday Sermons**

Want to hear the previous week's Sermon but don't have internet? Just dial 541-727-0939 on your phone.

### **Church Prayer Chain**

If you have a request for the prayer chain or you would like to be added to the Grace church prayer chain, please contact Cathleen Winchell at [prayer@gracechurchcp.org](mailto:prayer@gracechurchcp.org) or use the prayer form on our website or call (520) 599-1803.

## FOUR WITNESSES THAT PROVE JESUS IDENTITY.

## I. The P \_\_\_\_\_ (5:33-35)

*You have sent to John and he has testified to the truth. <sup>34</sup> Not that I accept human testimony; but I mention it that you may be saved. <sup>35</sup> John was a lamp that burned and gave light, and you chose for a time to enjoy his light.*

## 1. John the Baptist an Undisputed PROPHET

## 2. Testified to the S \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ

## II. M \_\_\_\_\_ (5:36)

*I have testimony weightier than that of John. For the very work that the Father has given me to finish, and which I am doing, testifies that the Father has sent me.*

## 1. Jesus Provided P \_\_\_\_\_ that Authenticated Identity

*John 3:2 - Nicodemus ...came to Jesus at night and said,  
"Rabbi, we know you are a teacher who has come from God. For no one could perform the miraculous signs you are doing if God were not with him."*

## 2. Some People Miss the O \_\_\_\_\_

III. The F \_\_\_\_\_ (5:37-38) <sup>37</sup> *The Father who sent Me has Himself testified concerning Me.*

## 1. God revealed His B \_\_\_\_\_ on Jesus.

*Matthew 3:16-17 As soon as Jesus was baptized, He went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and lighting on him. <sup>17</sup> And a voice from Heaven said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with Him I am well pleased."*

## 2. Some Deny God's Clear E \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ

## IV. S \_\_\_\_\_ (5:39-47)

*You diligently study the Scriptures because you think that by them you possess eternal life. These are the Scriptures that testify about me, <sup>40</sup> yet you refuse to come to me to have life. <sup>41</sup> "I do not accept praise from men, <sup>42</sup> but I know you. I know that you do not have the love of God in your hearts. <sup>43</sup> I have come in my Father's name, and you do not accept me; but if someone else comes in his own name, you will accept him. <sup>44</sup> How can you believe if you accept praise from one another, yet make no effort to obtain the praise that comes from the only God? <sup>45</sup> "But do not think I will accuse you before the Father. Your accuser is Moses, on whom your hopes are set. <sup>46</sup> If you believed Moses, you would believe me, for he wrote about me. <sup>47</sup> But since you do not believe what he wrote, how are you going to believe what I say?"*

## 1. The whole focus of S \_\_\_\_\_ is Jesus

## 2. The Details of Scripture can be Meticulously Studied, and yet its M \_\_\_\_\_ Missed.

## a. Jesus Wants us to Take His Identity Seriously and P \_\_\_\_\_

## b. See Jesus for W \_\_\_\_\_ He Really Is:

- the L \_\_\_\_\_ of God Who takes away the sin of the world.
- the beloved S \_\_\_\_\_ in Whom the Father is well pleased.
- the M \_\_\_\_\_, Son of God, King of Kings, & Lord of lords

**Pray: Jesus, I believe in You & I want to receive Your forgiveness. Lord, thank You for loving me enough to die for me. Come into my life & be my Lord to lead me from now on for the rest of my life. . . Thank you for forgiving my sins, and for giving me the sure hope of Eternal Life in Heaven.**