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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

I LOVE YOU, LORD

DEDICATION FOR TERRY PRUETT UGANDA MISSION

GOD YOU'RE SO GOOD

WELCOME / ANNOUNCEMENTS / OFFERING

JONI & FRIENDS

RICHARD MILLER – REGIONAL DIRECTOR

OFFERING

OPEN THE EYES OF MY HEART LORD

SCRIPTURE READING

YOU'RE WORTH OF MY PRAISE

I EXALT THEE

MESSAGE – PASTOR MARK PITROFF

CLOSING – LORD I NEED YOU

In Service to Him

Interim Pastor – Mark Pitroff
Assistant Pastor – Howard Glosser
Music Coordination – Roy A Bates, Jim Hibbs
Music – Roy A. Bates, Jim Hibbs
Usher – Ron Walch
K to 5th & 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

<u>Today</u>	Morning Prayer9:30 am Sunday School Today.....10:00 am Worship Service.....11:00 am (Worship Service is also live stream on Facebook) (Audio Sermon is also available by phone 541-727-0939)
<u>Tuesday</u>	Women's Bible Study.....10:00 am (Genesis) Men's Bible Study5:30 pm (Daniel)
<u>Wednesday</u>	Mid-Week Prayer meeting.....6:30 pm
<u>Thursday</u>	Women's Bible Study.....6:30 pm (Galatians) National Day Of Prayer.....11 am to 1 pm

Bible Bookmarks for May are Available

The Bible Bookmarks can help you accomplish the goal this year of reading through the Bible. Pick one up off the back counter or on our website www.gracechurchcp.org/resources

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 or use the prayer form on our website or call (520) 599-1803.0

Special Called Business Meeting and Vote

Following this morning's service. Special Business meeting to discuss upgrading of our video security system and a vote on same. Please plan on joining us for this important meeting. This meeting will also be live streamed and remote voting will be made available. Soup and sandwiches will be served downstairs after the meeting.

I. FRIENDSHIP WITH JESUS IS ABOUT STAYING CONNECTED

A. Remaining is about a Mutual R_____.

Remain in Me, and I will remain in you. v.4a

B. Remaining is about Sharing the W_____.

*No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine.
Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in Me. v. 4b*

C. Remaining is about Staying A_____.

*If anyone does not remain in Me, he is like a branch that
is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up,
thrown into the fire and burned. v. 6*

D. Remaining is having HIS W_____ Inside

*If you remain in Me and My words remain in you, ask
whatever you wish, and it will be given you. ⁸ This is to My
Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing
yourselves to be My disciples. vv. 7-8*

STAYING IN THERE IS BEING CONNECTED!

II. FRIENDSHIP WITH JESUS IS ABOUT MAKING A D_____

A. Bearing Fruit is a G_____ from God.

*I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in Me
and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from Me you
can do nothing. v. 5*

*You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to
go and bear fruit – fruit that will last. v, 17*

*He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while
every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will
be even more fruitful. v. 2*

B. Bearing Fruit is Answered Prayer.

Ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you. vs 7

*You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you
to go and bear fruit – fruit that will last. v. 16*

C. Bearing Fruit is D_____

*This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit,
showing yourselves to be my disciples. v 8*

D. Bearing Fruit is Joy

E. Bearing Fruit is K_____

*I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not
know his master's business. Instead, I have called you
friends, for everything that I have learned from my
Father I have made known to you. v. 15*

III. FRIENDSHIP WITH JESUS IS ABOUT SACRIFICIAL L_____

A. Real Love is Self-giving v. 13

*Greater love has no one than this, that He lay down
His life for his friends.*

B. Real Love is O_____ v.10

*If you obey my commands, you will remain in My love,
just as I have obeyed My Father's commands and
remain in His love.*

You are my friends if you do what I command. v. 14

C. Real Love is S_____ v. 12

*My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you.
This is my command: Love each other. v. 17*

*May the God who gives endurance and encouragement give
you a spirit of unity among yourselves as you follow
Christ Jesus, so that with one heart and mouth you
may glorify the God and Father of our Lord
Jesus Christ. Romans 15:5-6*