

HOW CAN WE PRAY  
WITH YOU?

You may also email prayer requests to:  
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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Worship - 9:00 am  
LIFE Groups - 10:30am  
Wednesday Groups - 6:30pm

BIRTHDAYS  
THIS MONTH

3 - Thiago Lora                      23 - Hayden Hicks  
5 - James Klaserner                26 - Melissa Gilliam  
13 - Kimberly Klaserner          27 - Oliver Marotta  
16 - Pat Brown                        28 - Molly Marotta  
19 - Dawn Oakes  
22 - Michelle Hicks

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Baptist Church

where grace abounds

DECEMBER 1, 2024

The Practice of Gratitude  
Luke 17:11-19

Joy To the World                      Goodness of God  
Beautiful Star of Bethlehem        Go Tell It on the Mountain

Lead Usher: J.J. Gilliam  
Service Leader: Jayme Dalton

ANNOUNCEMENTS

As we observe the Lord's Supper today, we invite all who are members of the body of Christ to join us in this service of remembrance and witness.

Today begins our Week of Prayer for International Missions. Please use the enclosed Prayer Guide to pray for our missionaries throughout the world. We will receive our Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for on Sunday, December 22.

Thank you to everyone who donated and helped with our Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes and our Thanksgiving Food Boxes this year. We had 117 shoe boxes and blessed 10 families with Thanksgiving Food boxes.

Next Sunday we will go Christmas Caroling @ Jeff City Health and Rehab, following an abbreviated Life Groups. Everyone is encouraged to participate.

Christmas Family Trees - the two trees on the stage represent families we are adopting for Christmas. The tags on the trees have gift items. Please take a tag, purchase the item, wrap it and put the tag on the package, and then return the gift to the church by Sunday, December 22.

Mark Your Calendars:

- Ladies of Grace monthly meeting on Friday, December 13 @ 6:30pm at the home of Amy Smith. Bring an ornament to exchange and a finger food
- Jefferson City Christmas Parade, Saturday December 14, 5:00pm
- HOPE Fund distribution —Sunday, December 15 following the morning worship.
- Christmas Eve Candlelight Service—Tuesday, December 24, 5:00pm.

Hope Fund - Donate \$1 a week for the Hope Fund (big ORANGE buckets). We'll use the money to bless families in our community for Christmas.

**SERMON NOTES**  
**The Practice of Gratitude**  
**Luke 17:11-19**

*Always be joyful. Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NLT*

**Big Truth:** Practicing gratitude is \_\_\_\_\_

**Practice gratitude by ...**

**1. Paying** \_\_\_\_\_ **(15a)**

**2. Being** \_\_\_\_\_ **(15b)**

**3. Using** \_\_\_\_\_ **(15c)**

**4. Treating** \_\_\_\_\_ **(16)**

*And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks (eucharistēsas) he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves... And he took bread, and when he had given thanks (eucharistēsas), he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." Luke 22:17-19 ESV*

**WELCOME**  
**TO GRACE POINT**

*Our mission is to follow Christ to lead people to love God, love others, and make disciples in our church, neighborhood and all nations.* If you have questions or want to talk with someone about getting connected with our family of faith, please fill out the **Connection Card** or contact our pastor.

**GRACE POINT KIDSCARE**

Every Sunday, we offer **nursery care** for infants - 4 yrs old. If you would like for your child to be cared for during the worship service, please contact one of the Greeters for information about the Nursery. Older children will have the opportunity to go to **Kids Worship** for age-appropriate worship and bible study.

**STEWARDSHIP**

**Attendance:**

Worship                    83  
LIFE Groups                N/A

**Giving:**

Weekly Need                \$3,345.62  
Offering Received         \$3,421.80

**Building Fund**

Goal  
Current total                \$26,769.95

Online giving is available at our website.  
[www.gracepointalbott.org](http://www.gracepointalbott.org)

**Join us for**  
**Grace Point Life Groups**

**LIFE Groups meet right after the worship service and are small groups that focus on:**

Learning (Bible Study)  
Intercession (Prayer)  
Fellowship (Building Community)  
Equipping (Discipleship)

We Would Love to  
**CONNECT**  
With You!

Please fill this out and drop it in the offering plate at the end of the service!

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

***I'd like to talk to someone about...***

- Following Jesus
- Being Baptized
- Becoming a member of Grace Point
- Getting involved in a LIFE Group
- Serving at Grace Point
- Receiving Email announcements

**Thank you for worshipping**  
**with us today!**