

Hearing Assists are available at the Sound Booth.

Because of the Easter holiday, there is no ABF, Children's Church or Sunday School on Sunday, April 9.

The Lord's Table - We have a gluten free alternative available for the bread we use during the Lord's Supper. If you would like to make use of that, please indicate to the servers as the cups are being passed later in the service today.

Special Business Meeting: There will be a special business meeting immediately following the worship service today. The purpose of the meeting is to select a search committee for the upcoming vacancy in our associate pastor position. The meeting is open to anyone, and voting members of the church are especially encouraged to attend.

Church cleanup and workday is on April 15 beginning at 8:30 am.

Please join us for a wedding shower honoring Ayla Peppmeier on Saturday, April 22 at 1 pm here at GracePoint Church. Ayla and Johnnie are registered at Amazon & Target. (Hosted by Angie Johnson, Carrie Clemsen & Joyce Link.)

Nursery volunteers are needed during our Easter service, April 9. Contact Pam Russell or Paul Iekel

GracePoint Shirt Order: Please see the insert.

Week at a Glance:

Sunday, April 2—Sunday School 9:15 am, Worship Service with communion 10:30 am, Special Business Meeting after the worship service

Monday, April 3—Warriors of Grace prayer group 7 am

Tuesday, April 4—Warriors of Grace prayer group 4 pm

Wednesday, April 5—Family meal 5:30-5:50 pm, M.S. Youth Group 6-7:30 pm, AWANA 6-7:30 pm, H.S. Youth Group 7:30-9 pm

Saturday, April 8—Praise Team Practice 9 am

Sunday, April 9 — Worship Service with children's program 10:30 am

***Please see insert for additional Announcements and Upcoming Events.** ➡

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**ENDURING
COURAGE**

A Study through Hebrews

Our Qualified Savior
Hebrews 5:1-10

April 2, 2023

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WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP!

**Youth Sunday
School & Adult Bible
Classes**

9:15 a.m.

**Worship
Service**

10:30 a.m.

*Your children are welcome in the worship service.
The following ministries are also available:*

Nursery

Available during the Worship Service for little ones from Infant—Age 2.

Children's Church

Available for children 3 years old through 5th grade during the sermon.
Children are dismissed at the end of Worship in Singing.

***On major holiday weekends there will be NO Sunday School,
NO Children's Church, NO Nursery, and NO Adult Bible Fellowship***

***If you use a smart phone or tablet, you
can find notes for today's sermon under
the "Events" section of the Bible app.***



Looking for a place to serve? You can volunteer in music,
children's and many more ministries. Email us at
serve@GracePointAtlantic.com to get involved.



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[Remind for Youth Updates](#)—>[Contact Pastor Andrew](#)

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Senior Ministries Director—Dick Nichols



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Thank you for financially supporting the ministries of our church! Tithes and offerings may be placed in the donations box immediately to the right when you enter the auditorium. They can also be mailed to the church by check, or you can give through our website via PayPal using a credit or debit card. Thank you!

To our guests—Thank you for joining us! We're delighted you chose to worship with us! We'd love to meet you, answer any questions and give you a welcome gift at our Welcome Table in the Fellowship Hall.





Series: ENDURING COURAGE
 Sermon: *Our Qualified Savior*
 Scripture: Hebrews 5:1-10
 Speaker: Pastor Don McLean
 Sunday: April 2, 2023

Jesus is perfectly qualified to _____ from _____

THE PRIESTLY CRITERIA (vv. 1-4)

1. A high priest must _____
2. A high priest must _____
3. A high priest must _____ by _____
4. A high priest must _____ with sinners
because he _____ himself

THE SAVIOR'S CREDENTIALS (vv. 5-10)

1. Jesus is _____
2. Jesus _____
3. Jesus was _____ by _____
4. Jesus _____ with us because He
_____ our _____ Himself

Next Week = John 20:1-9 + Resurrection Sunday

Additional Announcements and Upcoming Events

Fashion Swap: *What is a fashion swap?* It's a Bring & Take! Women & girls 6th grade and up. Bring up to 20 gently used clothing—jewelry—purses. Enjoy fellowship & refreshments. **April 14th from 6:30—8:30 pm** at GracePoint Church in the Fellowship Hall. Let your family & friends know, all are invited. You are welcome to take your left over items back home or they will be donated to the LC Clinic for their annual garage sale. Contact Galynn Hoye at 249-2071 or Sandy Bierbaum at 789-0727.

New Bible Study, *Aging With Grace* by Susan Hunt and Sharon Betters, uses scripture to guide us to flourish in an anti-aging culture. Whatever your season of life, join us in the Community Room this Wednesday, March 29, from 1:30—3:30 pm for a 4-5 week study. Contact Joanne DeArment (249-68369) for questions and participation.

Scholarship available! The John R. Bierbaum Memorial Ministry Scholarship is being offered for the Fall 2023 academic term for students who have plans to serve in a full time or part time Christian ministry career after graduation. This would include working on a church staff, an evangelistic para church organization, or in overseas missions. Applications can be picked up at the Church Office through the month of April and are due May 7, 2023.

Ladies! Join us Friday mornings as we start 1 Corinthians, May 5, 9:30 am. Contact Shirley Ferguson or Pam Russell

Parents of kids through 5th grade: Practices for an Easter production (on Easter Sunday) will be during Sunday School at 9:15 every Sunday!

Church Family Adults ~ "Never feel sorry for raising dragon slayers... in a time when there are actual dragons." This statement shows the serious message of our Medieval theme VBS: ***our kids need to be equipped to stand strong in today's battle for truth.*** Please sign up to help! Contact Pam Russell

GracePoint Shirt Order

The rebranding and outreach committee had requests for additional clothing purchases to be available for the congregation.

We are working with J&J downtown. **Please see the other side of this page for shirt/sweatshirt and ordering information.** The items available are in a variety of colors and sizes. The box at the top shows what the logo would look like on the different colors of the shirts/sweatshirts.

Orders must be placed online and paid for when ordered. Orders will be taken until April 9th.

The website for ordering is:

<https://www.storessimple.com/jjdesign/20200>

Items will be delivered to the church. J&J will not give items to individuals who come to the store.

If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Gibson at mngibson81@gmail.com or 712-249-1138.

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The screenshot shows the top of a website with a navigation bar. Below the navigation bar, there is a grid of six GracePoint Church logo options in different colors: grey, blue, green, orange, red, and black. Below the logos, there is a search bar and a category dropdown menu. The main content area displays six clothing items for sale, each with a price and a description:

- Crewneck Sweatshirt**: \$27.00. Description: Gildan - Heavy Blend Crewneck Sweatshirt.
- Hooded Sweatshirt**: \$30.00. Description: Gildan - Heavy Blend Hooded Sweatshirt.
- Lightweight Snag-Proof Polo**: \$30.00. Description: Curves & Bends Select Lightweight Snag-Proof Polo.
- Long Sleeve T-Shirt**: \$24.00. Description: Gildan - 100% US Cotton Long Sleeve T-Shirt.
- Short Sleeve T-Shirt**: \$10.00. Description: Gildan - Short Sleeve Cotton T-Shirt.
- Womens Ideal V Neck T-Shirt**: \$15.00. Description: Women's Ideal V Neck T-Shirt.

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