

Hearing Assists are available at the Sound Booth.

Office hours change: Beginning on Monday, February 21, the church office hours are 12—4:30 pm., Monday—Friday.

Please join us for a Fellowship Coffee next Sunday, October 24, after the worship service. This is a time to visit, make friends and meet new people. Care Team 4 is hosting.

Table Top Game Night: Tabletop, board, card games and other activities. Bring your favorite game, bring a snack, bring a friend. All ages welcome. Church Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 26, 6:30 pm—10:30-ish. For details, call or text Devon Bretey at 712-340-3500.

Awana Clubbers were very excited to put together **Blessing Bags** for homeless people this past week! **Thank you** to all who donated items for this event!

The 'Family Fun Night' ('Low Talent' Event) tentatively scheduled for early March is postponed indefinitely. Perhaps another time!

Atlantic Mobile Pantry: The Evangelism and Outreach Committee is looking for 8-10 volunteers to hand out pantry items on March 9 from 4—6 PM. If you would like to help please contact Jon Martens at 249-2847.

Directory Update: As promised in the yearly meeting, we are going to do a directory update this spring. We are going to go mobile with *Instant Church Directory*, so you can have the directory at your fingertips. You'll be able to take your own picture and submit it for inclusion, or we can take one for you. If you are not an "app" person, don't worry. We will have the ability to print paper copies for anyone who wants one. Next week there will be a spreadsheet in the Fellowship Hall for you to make any changes to your information.

Easter Flowers Order: Please see the insert.

Please see insert for additional Announcements and Upcoming Events ➡

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*THAT OUR JOY
MAY BE COMPLETE*

THE FIRST LETTER OF JOHN

Back to Family Basics

1 John 3:11-24

February 20th, 2022

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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 3rd 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***

***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!***

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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***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.***

**Please be sensitive to other worshippers. We are all in
different places in terms of our health needs and comfort
levels. Please keep the following in mind:**

- The use of a face covering or mask is welcome but not required at our service.
- Cover your nose and mouth when coughing or sneezing. Cough or sneeze into your elbow rather than your hands.
- Practice regular washing of hands with soap and water.
- Overflow seating is available in the Fellowship Hall if you would like to watch the service on the monitor there.
- There will be two songs at the end of the service. If you would like to leave after the first song for the sake of social distancing, you are welcome to do so.



Series: THAT OUR JOY MAY BE COMPLETE
Sermon: *Back To Family Basics*
Scripture: 1 John 3:11-24
Speaker: Pastor Don McLean
Sunday: February 20, 2022

God commands His children to _____

FOUR WAYS PEOPLE RELATE:

(1)

(2)

(3)

(4)

FIVE BASIC FACTS:

#1 = It _____ we are _____

#2 = It _____ Christ's _____ for us

#3 = It _____ us when we _____

#4 = It _____ us when we _____

#5 = It is an act of _____ to _____

Additional Announcements and Upcoming Events

LC Clinic Diaper Drive: Please see insert.

Mark your calendars! VBS will be Mon, June 27 - Thurs. June 30th. (The shorter time frame is due to Challenge starting July 3.) We will begin preparing soon and look forward to working with many of you!

A Night of Encouragement: Ladies, do you miss spending time with your friends and need to beat those winter blues? Bring your favorite mug and comfy slippers to our connection event on Friday, February 25th from 7-9 pm at the church. Join us for a cozy evening of hot chocolate, s'mores, and encouraging one another!

Please check your email and the church Facebook page regularly for updates from the church about programs, etc. If you have subscribed to our all-church e-mail list, but aren't receiving our e-mails, please check your spam/junk folder and verify that church@gracepointatlantic.com is in your address book/contacts. If you are not subscribed and would like to be, please e-mail the church office at church@gracepointatlantic.com and request the link to sign up.

April 17, 2022

Easter Celebration

Help to decorate our church for Palm Sunday and Resurrection Sunday!

We're inviting everyone in the church to order potted flowers, which will be delivered to the church and used to decorate the stage area of the auditorium. The flowers will stay at the church after Palm Sunday. After the Easter service is over, you can take home the flowers you ordered. Most of them can be transplanted into the ground in the spring. If you prefer, you can designate your flowers for donation to a shut-in or a local nursing home.

In addition, if you would like to use this opportunity to honor a special occasion, or memorialize someone who has passed away, we will be printing up an insert for the bulletin on Easter Sunday mentioning that. Just be sure to put that information on the order form.

If you have any questions, ask Angie Johnson.



Easter Flowers Order Form

Name: _____

Phone or email: _____

Is there someone you would like to honor or memorialize with your flowers? Circle: Yes No

If yes, please tell us the name of the person and the occasion you wish to commemorate:

Name: _____

Occasion: _____
(write "in memory" if the person is deceased)

Name: _____

Occasion: _____
(write "in memory" if the person is deceased)

All flowers will be ordered from Farmhouse Flowers . Checks can be made out to the church, designated for Easter flowers.

Type of Flower	Cost	Quantity
Begonia	\$20	
Daffodil	\$20	
Tulip	\$20	
Total		

Place in offering box with your check or turn in to the church office no later than **Monday, February 28.**



JANUARY 23, 2022 through FEBRUARY 28, 2022

Do you know each baby will use more than 6,000 diapers at a cost of \$ 2,000+ before potty training?

Through our Earn While You Learn Program, we are privileged to share the love of Jesus Christ with our clients. Moms and Dads can “purchase” diapers and other baby necessities in our Baby Boutique. You can help bless our clients through participating in the Annual Diaper Drive!

We are in need of the following brands & sizes:
Huggies & Pampers—Sizes Newborn, 1,2,3,4, 5 & 6

Diapers can be dropped off or contact us to arrange pick-up.

Drop Off Sites and Times:

Creston Clinic: Mon 10-2, Tues & Thurs 1-7 (1109 S. Sumner St.)

Stuart Clinic: Tues 1-6 & Thurs 1-6 (212 S. Division St.)

In Atlantic – (or call 712-254-0223):

GracePoint Church (Mon-Fri 9-1)

Hillside Hope Assembly (Mon-Thurs 9-4:30)

New Life Church (Tues-Fri 8-3:30)

SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church (8-5 M-F southwest door)

Thank you for helping us bless & share God’s love with families in this way!



LC Clinic- Offering Hope To Those Facing Unplanned Pregnancy

All services are Free & Confidential



Pregnancy Tests	Options Counseling
Limited OB Ultrasounds	Fatherhood Ministry
STI Testing & Treatment	Abortion Recovery Support
Sexual Health Education	Material Assistance

Our Mission

Valuing all human life, LC Clinic offers hope to those experiencing an unplanned pregnancy, healing to those who have experienced abortion, & Truth to our community through abstinence education by demonstrating the love of Christ through spiritual, physical, and emotional support.

Contact Hannah Shady with any questions: Hannah@IowaLcClinic.org / 641.782.2150 / 515.523.1173

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